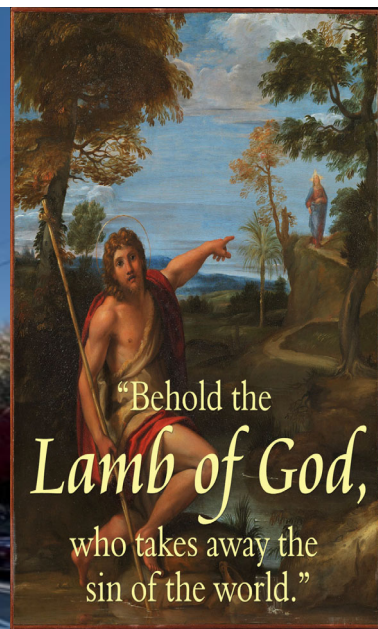


ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

134 East Bishop Street, Bellefonte, PA 16823

JANUARY 15, 2023 / 2nd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME



MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:15 a.m.

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

**Weekday: Varies—see weekly
Mass schedule**

**St. Kateri Church: 12:00 p.m.
Sunday**

CONFESSION

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.—4:30 p.m.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

CONTACT US

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www.bellefontecatholicchurch.org

**Join us on FlockNote! Text "SJ814" to the
number 84576**

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Brian Saylor, Pastor | Deacon Tom Boldin
Barbara Materna and Rose Truglio: Office Staff
Kristina Tice: St. John School Principal
Tony and Paula Roland: Directors of Rel. Ed.
David Harry: R.C.I.A. Coordinator
Deacon Tom & Shirley Boldin: Confirmation
Directors
Natalie Stanton: Music Ministry Coordinator
Joe Baummer: Maintenance

SACRAMENTS

Confession: Saturday 4:00-4:30 p.m.
Baptism: Call the rectory
R.C.I.A.: Call the rectory
**Marriage: Notify pastor 9 months
in advance**

Masses for the week

Saturday, January 14

5:00 PM Jane Mathews (Brumbaugh Family)

Sunday, January 15

8:00 AM Edward Shoemaker (Linda Fielding & Richard Struble)

10:15 AM Jeanne Thompson (Deacon Tom & Shirley)

Monday, January 16

9:00 AM Mario Truglio (Rosemary Truglio)

Tuesday, January 17

8:00 AM Michael Braddock (Daniel & Jane Fisher)

Wednesday, January 18

8:00 AM Marian Albarano & Felix Albarano (Joe & Toni Beigle)

Thursday, January 19

6:00 PM Pauline Mandichak (Fr. Brian)

Friday, January 20

8:00 AM James & Jo Shaw (Chuck & Mary Jo Whitmer)

Saturday, January 21

5:00 PM Jerome Basalla (wife Genny)

Sunday, January 22

8:00 AM Nancy Palfey (David Files)

10:15 AM Tony Turchetta (Fr. Brian)

Lector / Altar Server / Music Schedule

Saturday, January 21 5:00 pm

Lector: Lucia Stover

Servers: Trey Weiser

Music: Folk

Sunday, January 22 8:00 am

Lector: Jeff Drapcho

Servers: Carter Boone & Jonathan Gasper

Music: Traditional

Sunday, January 22 10:15 am

Lector: Cliff Wurster

Servers: Isaac Johnson & Grayson Evans

Music: Tyler Turpen

HEALING THROUGH FAITH MEETINGS

If you are looking for an opportunity to talk about your grief with others who are experiencing similar feelings, join us as we support one another through our faith. The next Healing Through Faith meeting will be held on

Thursday, January 19 at 6:30PM. Meetings are held in the rectory basement. More information call Ed Mulfinger at 280-2755 or Connie Davis at 355-1280.

Weekly events

Sunday, January 15

8:30 AM KOC Breakfast

Monday, January 16

9:30 AM Adoration

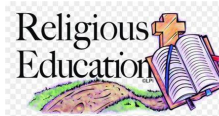
Tuesday, January 19

6:30 PM Healing through Faith

St. John News

Angel Tree Thank you

A special thank you to Patty Correll for all her work in organizing the Angel Tree this Christmas. So many are impacted by her dedication and generous spirit each year.



CCD

CCD classes are weekly on Sundays / 9:00-10:00 am.

Sunday, January 15, 2023—Class

Sunday, January 22, 2023—Class

11th Grade Confirmation Class

Sundays from 11:15-12:30 pm in the school auditorium.

Sunday, January 15 – Class

Please note:

Saturday, January 21 at 8:45 am - Mandatory Confirmation Retreat at St. John's

Sunday, January 22 - No Class

Sunday, January 29 - No Class

Questions - please contact Deacon Tom & Shirley Boldin at 814-355-4234(H) or text to 814-883-8123 or email

READINGS OF THE WEEK

Sunday / Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 49:3, 5-6; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10; 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34

Monday / Weekday

Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday / Saint Anthony

Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 & 10c; Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday / Weekday

Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110: 1, 2, 3, 4; Mk 3:1-6

Thursday / Weekday

Heb 7:25, 8:6; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17; Mk 3:7-12

Friday / Weekday

Heb 8:6-13; Ps 85:8 & 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mk 3:13-19

Saturday / Saint Agnes

Heb 9:2-3, 11-14; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 3:20-21

Sunday / Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 8:23—9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23

Please pray for those serving in the military:

LTC Jason Meier, US Army
LTC William Smith, US Army
MAJ Michael R. Kranch, US Army
CPT Peter J. Muto, US Army
CPT Nicholas Taylor, US Army
1LT Alexis Franks, US Army
SFC Eric Callahan, US Army
SSG Matthew Bickle, US Army
SPC Caleb Eyster, US Army
LtCol Tim Jackson, USMC
LtCol T.J. Valley, USMC
Maj Jared Swancer, USMC
Maj Alaina Valley, USMC
CPT Andrew Malia, USMC
CPL Hunter M. O'Neil, USMC
LCDR Jared T. Hallahan, US Navy
LT Joshua Malia, US Navy
LT Patricia Wilson, US Navy
LT Steven Wright, US Navy
ENS Matthew Goodpaster, US Navy
CWO James Decker, US Navy
PO2 Andrew Kaschalk, US Navy
2LT Caleb Gindhart, US Air Force
MSgt Joseph Trimpey, US Air Force
TSgt Jacob Nieto, US Air Force
SrA Floyd Meeker III, US Air Force
SrA Shane Kaschalk, US Air Force
A1C Ethan Scicchitano, US Air Force
SFC Patricia Markle, Army Nat'l Guard
SGT Brad D. Coder, Army Nat'l Guard
SGT Toby Dugal, Army Nat'l Guard
PFC Kaleb Weaver, Army Nat'l Guard
CPT James Bickle, US Army Reserve
CPT Jacob Jude Pipta, US Army Reserve
Col Gordon Frankenfield, Air Nat'l Guard
SSgt Eric Roberts, Air Nat'l Guard

The greatest of gifts: Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for a special occasion, on behalf of a family member, a friend, or a deceased loved one, please contact the rectory. We are happy to offer the Mass for your intentions. Mass cards are available to let the person or their family know the Mass is being offered for them or their loved ones.

Online Giving at St. John's! It's easy and safe to use.

You can use **YOUR** checking/savings account or debit/credit card.

You can also schedule gifts to occur automatically.

How to donate online:

Go to our website: www.bellefontecatholicchurch.org

and click the **Give Now** button OR

Go to: <https://abundant.co/stjohntheevangelistc>
and you will go directly to a giving page.

Weekly Financial Report

For Weekend of January 8, 2023

ORDINARY COLLECTION INCOME RECEIVED:

Adult Offertory (regular & online):	\$ 9,421.75
Loose Offertory:	\$ 1,208.25
Children's Offertory:	\$ 25.02
Special Monthly:	\$ 515.00
Votive Candles:	\$ 144.60
ORDINARY TOTAL:	\$ 11,314.62

EXTRA ORDINARY INCOME RECEIVED:

Maintenance:	\$ 693.00
Cemetery	\$ 50.00
EXTRA ORDINARY TOTAL:	\$ 743.00

ORDINARY & EXTRA TOTAL: \$ 12057.62

SCHOOL COLLECTION: \$ 560.00

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: (Diocesan or Other)

Immaculate Conception	\$ 10.00
Christmas	\$ 600.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 220.00
Holy Name of Mary	\$ 420.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Rectory Roof Replacement

After a meeting of the Finance and Parish Councils, it was decided that a few clarifications needed to be made regarding the rectory roof. Over the last 10 years the parish was able to create an emergency fund. That fund is being used to cover the costs of the roof repair. Unfortunately, this will essentially zero out that fund. Our fundraising letter was an attempt to backfill that fund, due to the age of our buildings and a number of projects that we know are on the horizon: the church roof, the heating and electrical systems in the school. Any contributions to help renew the emergency maintenance fund are appreciated.

As part of the meeting, it was decided that a Maintenance Committee would be helpful in planning for the future here at St. John's.

Roof Replacement Collection

Roof drive as of January 10, 2023 is:

\$57,138

Thank you to all who have given so generously!

St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church

P.O. Box 159, 3503 Penns Valley Rd Spring Mills, PA 16875 | www.stkaterichurch.org | Rev. Brian Saylor, Pastor

Mass is celebrated Sunday at 12:00 Noon | Confession: 1st Sunday after Mass (1:00 pm)

Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 15, 2023

12:00 PM Ted Stecko (Kateri Circle)

Sunday, January 22, 2023

12:00 PM Andelyn Marie Freeman (Jeniva & Richard Perrot)

COMMUNION SERVICE

There will not be a Communion Service on Tuesday, January 17th.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

There will be a Memorial Service for Ted Stecko on **Tuesday, January 17, 2023 @ 11AM** at St. Kateri.

LECTOR SCHEDULE

January 15 Millie Turner

January 22 KB Boomer

HOSPITALITY

January 15 Nicole & Sean McIntyre

January 22 KB & Rick and Stitzer Family

January 29 Nicole & Sean McIntyre and Diane Brown

WEEKLY COLLECTION TOTALS

January 1, 2023 \$ 3,717.00

January 8, 2023 \$ 2,119.00

CCD SCHEDULE

January 15—No Class

January 22—Class

ROSARY

The rosary is prayed Sundays at 11:30 am before Mass. From January 29th-March 5th, Millie Turner will away and not leading the rosary. However anyone can lead the prayer and a schedule can be made up for those Sundays. Please contact Millie Turner at MLT3557@verizon.net, if interested.

St. Vincent de Paul

Make a New Year's resolution that will help you get to heaven! Serve God by volunteering an hour or two at St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store - you will enjoy volunteering with us in addition to the satisfaction of service. To volunteer, call the Store at 814-867-3131 or stop by during our open hours (10AM-4PM Monday - Saturday). **The SVdP Society sends heartfelt thanks to the parishioners of St. John's** - your financial support makes it possible for us to fulfill our mission of serving those in need in our community. The Thrift Store sale for January is **Small Appliances and Electronics for \$5.00**, and the feature is **Snow & Ski Apparel**. Extended Sale: **All Framed Artwork 50% off!**

Scout Sunday

will be celebrated at **February 5, 2023** at the 10:15 Mass. All Scouts should arrive 30 minutes early, in uniform, to greet the congregation as they enter the church. Questions should be directed to Tom and Rachelle Weiser (814) 357-8135.

Knights of Columbus



BREAKFAST

The next All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast will be on **Sunday, January 15th** at the council home on Stoney Batter. We are open to the public from 8:30 am to Noon. Price is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children 7-12, and free for children under 7. Eat-in or Take-out.

Annual Club Columbo meeting on **Thursday, February 9** at 6PM. Election of Directors.

**Tune into WJVM 90.3-FM or WEJO 104.7-FM
for Catholic Radio!**

REMEMBER ST. JOHN'S IN YOUR WILL

If you are interested in remembering St. John's Church or School in your will, simply include as a beneficiary "St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 134 East Bishop Street" or "St. John the Evangelist Catholic School, 116 East Bishop St."



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DONATIONS

Angel Fund (assists families to meet their tuition requirements): In Honor of Terry Neidigh and In Memory of Shelia Neidigh Frankenfield from the Neidigh Family Annual Campaign: Joanne Rackowski Stone ('61)
 School Collection (December): \$6,369.00
 Alumni Support: J. Ronald Hughes
 Memorials: In Memory of Mary A. Shoemaker from Curtis J. Willar

Thank you to all of our benefactors and God bless your generosity to and support of our school.



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Since 1974, National Catholic Schools Week is the annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. At Saint John School, it is one of our favorite weeks of the year because we celebrate all who make our schools special: faculty and staff, parents and guardians, volunteers, parishioners, community members, Father Brian, Deacon Tom, Bishop Mark, and, most importantly, our students.

Catholic Schools Week is a week designated to celebrate what makes Catholic Schools special. We will begin the week with the 10:15 a.m. Mass on **Sunday, January 29, 2023**, with an Open House immediately following in the School. Please watch upcoming bulletins and our website for details about other events planned for this week.

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR

is now open and registration documents are available on our website above. Registration form, birth certificate, copy of the most recent immunization records, and \$100 registration fee must be submitted to the office to complete the application process.

WHY CHOOSE A CATHOLIC EDUCATION?

A Catholic education provides children with academic excellence enhanced with traditional Christian values. Catholic school teachers have the unique opportunity to mold every aspect of a child's growth and development. Foremost in this development is the spiritual - educators teach the message of Jesus. Through prayer, religious instruction, liturgies, and daily interaction, students become rooted in faith.

Catholic schools are traditionally known for high academic standards, self-discipline, safety, and a sense of community and belonging; Saint John School is no different. Teachers and staff model respect for all and an acceptance of each child's talents, abilities and personal challenges. Educators create a safe, loving environment that encourages students to believe in their capabilities and to work toward their potential. A variety of learning strategies are used to connect with the child's framework of understanding. A strong core curriculum is complemented with both enrichment programs and, if needed, remedial math and reading programs. Saint John School is Middle States accredited. Through this accreditation, we are recognized for our ongoing commitment to constantly seek new ways to better serve our students. We recognize that parents and guardians are the primary educators of their children and encourage them to collaborate with teachers and administrators as partners in education. We are sensitive to the needs of working families and provide after school care, full-day Kindergarten, and Pre-Kindergarten (4-year-old) and Preschool (3-year-old). Life is full of important choices and uncertainty. Enrolling your child in Saint John School will provide you peace of mind in knowing that your child is educated in a loving environment that exceeds their academic, emotional, social and spiritual needs.

Consider a Catholic education as a viable option to invest in your child's future.