


# ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

134 East Bishop Street, Bellefonte, PA 16823

## Seventh Sunday of Easter

*You, O Lord,  
are the Most High  
over all the earth,  
exalted far above  
all gods.*

*Psalm 97:9*



June 2, 2019

### 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.

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**SUMMER**—Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m. & Closed Fridays

# Masses for the week

## Saturday, June 1st

**5:00 PM** Cassie Rozgay Williams  
(Donna, Terry, Sandy & Donald)

## Sunday, June 2nd

**8:00 AM** Margaret Grove (Robert Keeler)  
**10:15 AM** Priest Appreciation (Catholic Daughters)

## Monday, June 3rd

**9:00 AM** Communion Service / Adoration  
**1:30 PM** No Mass at Centre Crest

## Tuesday, June 4th

**8:00 AM** Communion Service

## Wednesday, June 5th

**8:00 AM** Communion Service

## Thursday, June 6th

**6:00 PM** Sylvia Swartz  
(Edward & Patricia Mulfinger)

## Friday, June 7th

**8:00 AM** Christina M. Hull (Mother)

## Saturday, June 8th

**5:00 PM** The Ivicic Family  
(Anspauch, Neidigh and Kowalski Families)

## Sunday, June 9th

**8:00 AM** Colin McAtee (Mom, Dad and Cody)  
**10:15 AM** Kim Allegretto (The Family)  
**12:00 PM** Latin Mass

## LITURGICAL MINISTER/SERVER SCHEDULE

### 5:00 PM Saturday, June 8th

**Lectors:** Susan Love

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Susan Love & Janice Provan

**Servers:** Joshua & Lauryn Culley

**Music Ministers:** Stephen St. Amant

### 8:00 AM Sunday, June 9th

**Lector:** Lucia Stover

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Jim Eckert & Shirley Boldin

**Servers:** Carter Boone & Margaret Yurick

**Music Ministers:** David Harry

### 10:15 AM Sunday, June 9th

**Lector:** Max Kroell

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Max Kroell & Karen Truesdale

**Servers:** Anna Dello Stritto & Madison Kellogg

**Music Ministers:** David Harry

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab;  
Jn 16:29-33  
Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a  
Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab;  
Jn 17:11b-19  
Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11;  
Jn 17:20-26  
Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab;  
Jn 21:15-19  
Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25  
Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or  
Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35,  
27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39  
Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34;  
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17;  
Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Seventh Sunday of Easter  
Monday: St. Charles Lwanga and Companions  
Wednesday: St. Boniface  
Thursday: St. Norbert; Julian Calendar Ascension  
Friday: First Friday

## *Please pray for those serving in the military:*

LT Steven Wright, U.S. Navy	CPT James Bickle, U.S. Army Reserve
SSG Matthew Bickle, U.S. Army	LtCol Paul B. Wurster, U.S. Air Force
CPT Nicholas Taylor, U.S. Army	CWO James Decker, U.S. Navy
LTC William Smith, U.S. Army	Amn Chandler Ross, U.S. Air Force
LT Patricia Wilson, U.S. Navy	ENS Matthew Goodpaster, U.S. Navy
SSgt Joseph Trimpey, U.S. Air Force	LT Jared T. Hallahan, U.S. Navy
SrA Floyd Meeker III, U.S. Air Force	Capt Jared Swancer, USMC
ZLT Peter J. Muto, U.S. Army	CMSgt Douglas Campbell, U.S. Air Force
SrA Shane Kaschalk, U.S. Air Force	PO2 Andrew Kaschalk, U.S. Navy
AIC Ethan Scicchitano, U.S. Air Force	SSgt Jacob Nieto, U.S. Air Force
SFC Eric Callahan, U.S. Army	SSgt Eric Roberts, Air Force Guard
SSgt Kristina Roberts, Air Force Guard	LtCol Gordon Frankenfield, U.S. Air Force
ZLT Caleb Gindhart, U.S. Air Force	PFC Kaleb Weaver, Army National Guard
RCT Alexander C. Brewster, USMC	
SPC Christian Callahan, PA Army National Guard	

~ If you would like to include a name of someone serving in the military please email or call the rectory office. Please include their rank and branch of service.

## *St. John's Parish Staff*

**Pastor:** Fr. George Jakopac

**Deacon** Tom Boldin

**St. John School Principal:** Kristina Tice

**Parish Office Staff:** Liz Forstmeier & Doris Mayers

**Directors of Rel. Ed.:** Mark & Denise Leskovansky

**R.C.I.A. Coordinator:** David Harry

**Music Ministry Coordinator:** Natalie Stanton

**Confirmation Directors:** Deacon Tom & Shirley Boldin

## *Sacraments*

**Confession:** Saturday 4:00-4:30 p.m.

**Baptism:** Call the rectory

**Marriage:** Notify pastor 9 months in advance

**R.C.I.A.:** Call the rectory

# Parish News & Events

## CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE 2019

**\*UPDATE\***

St. John's Goal is **\$54,752.00**

From January 1, 2019 to April 30, 2019  
we have collected over \$27,000.00  
with an additional \$7,000.00 in pledges outstanding  
= **\$34,000.00**

**60% of our goal has been met!**

We need **\$20,000.00** to meet our goal.

CMD envelopes can be found on the registers  
in the back of the church.

Please consider giving to these wonderful ministries that  
help so many throughout the diocese. Thank you to those  
who have already given. God bless your generosity!

## BULLETINS

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email—for free? Sign up at [http://www.jspaluch.com/  
BulletinSubscribe.aspx](http://www.jspaluch.com/BulletinSubscribe.aspx). Now you can have those all  
important Mass times and BINGO dates in your phone!

**Bulletins are also online at our website:  
[www.bellefontecatholicchurch.com](http://www.bellefontecatholicchurch.com)**

## SUMMERTIME

On your summer vacation this year check out  
[www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) to find a Catholic Church and Mass  
near your vacation destination.

## ADVERTISE IN OUR BULLETIN!

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bulletin possible! Because of them, we do not pay for our  
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these wonderful businesses and corporations to thank  
them for supporting our church with their ads. If you  
would like to get in on the fun and place an ad call JS  
Paluch at 1-800-945-6629.

## BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

Our next Baptism preparation class is scheduled for  
**Sunday, June 2, 2019** from 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM in  
the rectory basement. If you have any questions, please  
contact Deacon Tom Boldin at [stboldin@verizon.net](mailto:stboldin@verizon.net) or  
call him at 355-4234.

## RECTORY OFFICE - SUMMER HOURS

Beginning **June 3rd** the rectory office will be:  
Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM—12:00 PM  
Closed Fridays

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The next Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be on  
**Monday, June 3rd** immediately following the 9:00 AM  
Communion Service. It will close at 2:00 PM.

**PARISH PICNIC: Sunday, June 9** at Governor's Park  
at 12:00 pm. All food will be provided. **Raffle: We will be  
raffling off 4 Spikes tickets as well!** Free chances will  
be given out to all who attend.



## Weekly Financial Report

### FOR WEEKEND 5/26/2019

#### ORDINARY COLLECTION INCOME RECEIVED:

Adult Offertory:	\$	5,224.00
Loose Offertory:	\$	757.00
Children's Offertory:	\$	19.00
Special Monthly Collection:	\$	161.00
Votive Candles Donations:	\$	82.85

**ORDINARY COLLECTION TOTAL: \$ 6,243.85**

#### EXTRA ORDINARY INCOME RECEIVED:

Maintenance Fund:	\$	31.00
Ascension	\$	36.00
Cemetery	\$	100.00
Local Family Assistance	\$	10.00
Mother's Day	\$	10.00
Father's Day	\$	376.00

**EXTRA ORDINARY TOTAL: \$ 563.00**

**ORDINARY & EXTRA DEPOSIT TOTAL: \$ 6,806.85**

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**WEEK'S SCHOOL COLLECTION: \$ 136.00**

#### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: (Diocesan or Other)

Missionary Cooperative	\$	5.00
Catholic Communications	\$	10.00
Peter's Pence	\$	5.00

*Thank you for your generosity!*

## Catholic Daughters



### DIAPER DRIVE

The Catholic Daughters Diaper Drive continues year-round. You may leave your diaper donations in the bins in the vestibule outside of the new prayer room. These diapers are given to Project Gabriel in State College.

### CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS – MEETING

Catholic Daughters will hold their next meeting on **Thursday, June 6th** in the School Auditorium. Social starts at 6:30 PM and the meeting starts at 7:00 PM. Social chairs: Sharyn Pavone, Rose Meter and Julie Walker.

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### BABY KENNEDY JOY WILSON

It has been brought to our attention that the Wilson family in Bellefonte could use financial and spiritual assistance as their young daughter, Kennedy Joy Wilson, has been diagnosed with cancer and is currently undergoing treatments. Donations can be placed in the Sunday collection basket in a plain envelope marked "Baby Kennedy Wilson." Please make your checks out to "St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church" and put "Baby Kennedy" in the memo line. We will make sure the family receives all donations. Thank you in advance for your kindness and generosity.

### MEMORIALS

St. John the Evangelist Church has received the following donation in **Memory of Sylvia Swartz**: The Williamsport Office of Vocational Rehabilitation.

### MOTHER'S DAY INTENTIONS

We have received Mother's Day donations this year in honor or memory of the following: Ethal Mae Strouse.

### HEALING THROUGH FAITH MEETINGS

**Morning Group: Tuesday, June 11 at 9:00 AM**  
**Evening Group: Thursday, June 20 at 6:30 PM**

This group lends mutual support to anyone suffering the loss of loved ones. Meetings are held in the rectory basement. For more information call Ed Mulfinger at 280-2755 or Connie Davis at 355-1280.

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

Our 501(c)3 organization is volunteer-run and your tax-deductible donation may be mailed to: Voice of Divine Mercy, PO Box 862, State College, PA 16804-0862

## Knights of Columbus



### BINGO!

The Knights of Columbus BINGO will be held **Monday, June 10th** in the School Auditorium. Doors open at 6:00 PM for food, fellowship and games of chance. The BINGO games begin at 7:00 PM. Cost is \$20 for 20 games. Pay-out \$850.00.

## Diocesan News & Events

### PIRATES BASEBALL GAME

Join Our Lady of Victory's bus trip to the Pittsburgh Pirates vs. St. Louis Cardinals baseball game at PNC Park **Thursday, July 25, 2019**. Game time is 12:35pm. Bus will leave the OLV back parking lot at 7:30am. We have field box seats in Section 117. They are undercover and behind home base. On your own breakfast stop at McDonalds. Cost - \$70.00 includes ticket and bus transportation. Checks payable to Our Lady of Victory with "Pirates Game" in memo line. Payment due at time of order. Seating is limited. For reservations call OLV rectory office at 237-7832 or email [chrisk@ourladyofvictory.com](mailto:chrisk@ourladyofvictory.com).

### OUTDOOR SUMMER MASSES

Father John D. Byrnes, Rector, and the Parish Family of Saint Michael the Archangel Basilica, Loretto, invite the faithful to join us each Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. for the outdoor Sunday Mass at the beautiful garden Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. The Masses will continue through Labor Day Weekend, September 1, 2019. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be celebrated in the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel.

### CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE

*Be a Good Shepherd. Give Help. Build Hope. Change Lives.* There are 14 ministries supported by the CMD. 100% of your gift goes directly to these ministries! This week's featured ministry –**Family Life**—last year **\$99,329** supported programs offering emotional and spiritual services focusing on families of all ages and stages of life.

### DAY RETREAT ON THE FAMILY

*Love In an Age of Loneliness:*  
**A Day Retreat on the Family**

Don't miss this opportunity to reflect on marriage and family life with well-known speakers and authors Kimberly Hahn and Mike Aquilina. Includes Mass with Bishop Mark, Confession, Adoration, and lunch. Saturday, June 22nd, starting at 9am at St. Joseph's Catholic Academy in Boalsburg, PA. The first 100 to register will receive a free copy of *The First Society* by Scott Hahn. Spaces are limited. Register at: <https://stjoeacad.org/love-in-an-age-of-loneliness/>



# St. John School News



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## MASS OF BLESSING

The following St. John School 5<sup>th</sup> graders participated in a Mass of Blessing on May 23: Neil Brian Alterio, Gavin Johnathan Chalfa, Lauryn Marie Culley, Owen Gary Dechow, Blake Owen Houck-Leitzell, Max William Jennings, Jack Brian McHail, Zoey Lynn Merlino, Joshua Henry Niemann, Ella Marie Novitsky, Grace Mary Elizabeth Novosel, Lara Ana Oden, Taven Clarence Price, Ethan Anthony Roland, Maura Eavan Reilly Sharer, Alexander Franklin Stanton, Anna Lynn Tyson, Cole Nathaniel Uadiski and Julia Anne Weiser. May God bless these students as they continue their educational journeys...sharing the patience, love, peace and wisdom shown to them during their years at St. John School.

Thank you to the following for the patron saint medals, video, reception and/or congratulatory gifts that were a part of this celebration: Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Rev. Patrick McArdle #448; Bellefonte Knights of Columbus #1314; St. John Home & School Association; St. John's in Stitches; Mrs. Tice.

Our students and parents are very thankful for your thoughtfulness and generosity shown to our students all year long. God bless your support of St. John School.

## SCHOOL COUNCIL

We want to thank those individuals on our School Council who spend time throughout the year helping to make St. John School the best that it can be. We are especially grateful to Mr. Stephen St. Amant, who has served for the past six years and is now stepping down from his role as Council Chair. We appreciate his dedicated service to our school! **We welcome our new School Council members:** Angelina Booher, Jennifer Brezler, Michael Merlino, and Fred Smithmyer. **They join our current School Council members:** Jodie Dello Stritto, Edward Mulfinger, Tony Roland and Jeff Shultz.

## MEMORIALS & DONATIONS

-We have received the following donations in **memory of Sylvia Quaranta Swartz:** Edward Mulfinger, Richard & Cathy Torsell, Genevieve Robine, Jim and Tracy Miles, Jodie Dello Stritto

-We have received the following additional donations in **memory of Samuel J. "Sam" Berenty:** Rob and Cheryl Fugate

-We have also received the following additional donation in **memory of Edward P. Rose:** Sr. Lila M. Sciabica, IHM

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

## SCHOOL HOURS FOR THE SUMMER

St. John School ends for summer break on Wednesday, June 5, with an 11:00 a.m. dismissal. Our summer office hours will be Wednesdays from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or by appointment. Feel free to call and leave a message since we will be answering phones and scheduling appointments throughout the week. You can also email us at [sjadmin@saintjohnsch.net](mailto:sjadmin@saintjohnsch.net) or [twendt@saintjohnsch.net](mailto:twendt@saintjohnsch.net).

## HOME & SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

We want to thank our outgoing Home & School Association Officers for their great service to our school and our students. Thank you to Billie Novosel, Sara Tyson and Natalie Smithmyer. They have been a blessing to St. John School!

**We welcome our new 2019-2020 Officers:** President: Elizabeth Dechow; Vice-President: Liza Kelleher; Treasurer: Jenna Evans; and Secretary: Rachelle Weiser.

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