

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

134 East Bishop Street, Bellefonte, PA 16823
Rev. George I. Jakopac | Deacon Thomas E. Boldin

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:15 AM

Daily: See Bulletin

St. Kateri: 12:00 PM Sunday

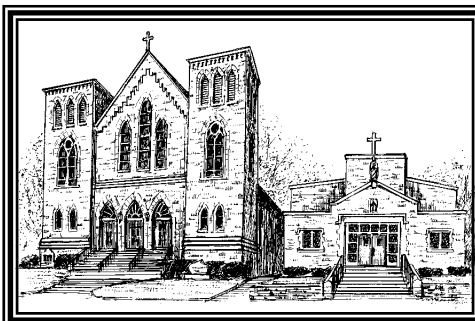
CONFESSION: Saturday 4:00-4:30PM

BAPTISMS: By Appointment

MARRIAGE: Notify Pastor

9 Months in Advance

R.C.I.A.: Call the Rectory.



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Masses for the Week



Saturday, November 3rd

5:00 PM Deceased Members of the Kelley & McKinley Families (Marilyn Houtz)

Sunday, November 4th

8:00 AM Edward Drapcho (Jeff Drapcho)

10:15 AM Lawrence & Mary Folmar (Sam & Rosemary Berenty)

Monday, November 5th

9:00 AM In Honor of all US Military Veterans (Catholic Daughters)

1:30 PM Centre Crest Mass—Colin McAtee (Dan Luci & Ashley Nye)

Tuesday, November 6th

8:00 AM Carmen Rose (The Rose Family)

Wednesday, November 7th

8:00 AM Communion Service

Thursday, November 8th

6:00 PM Ron Apichell (The Tom Bender Family)

Friday, November 9th

8:00 AM Bessie Herniman (Dick & Nancy Taylor)

Saturday, November 10th

5:00 PM Mary Ann Kucas (Stoy & Carolyn Spigelmyer)

Sunday, November 11th

8:00 AM Jeremy Herbstritt (His Family)

10:15 AM Fr. Valentine Bradley (Deacon Tom & Shirley)

LITURGICAL MINISTER/SERVER SCHEDULE

5:00 PM Saturday, November 10th

Lector: David Files

Eucharistic Ministers: Cliff & Doris Wurster

Servers: Gavin Chalfa & Isaak Bloom

Music Ministers: Youth Choir

8:00 AM Sunday, November 11th

Lector: Chris Ross

Eucharistic Ministers: Chris Ross & Christine Surovec

Servers: Sara & Thomas McElhinny

Music Ministers: Folk Choir

10:15 AM Sunday, November 11th

Lector: Max Kroell

Eucharistic Ministers: Max Kroell & Traci Capperella

Servers: Zoey & Reagan-May Merlino

Music Ministers: David Harry

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Phil 2:1-4; Ps 131:1bcd-e-3; Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-30ab, 30e, 31-32; Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 14:25-33

Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Saturday: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9; Lk 16:9-15

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 [41-44]

LANCASTER BUS TRIP

St John's will be taking a bus trip to Lancaster on **Wednesday, November 28, 2018**. We will be traveling by Fullington Trailways and will be boarding the bus in front of the church at **9:00 AM**. The day will include a visit to Tanger Outlets for Christmas shopping, the American Music Theatre to see their Christmas show 'The First Noel', a stop at Golden Corral for dinner and a tour of the Hershey Sweet Lights. The cost of the trip is **\$99.00** which includes tickets to the theater, dinner and Hershey Sweet Lights. **Payment is due at the time of your registration.** Please make your checks payable to "St John Catholic Church". Reservations and payments can be put in the collection basket or sent to the rectory. If you have questions or concerns please call Ed Mulfinger at 814-280-2755. ***There are only a few seats remaining!**

CHURCH CLEANING

On **Wednesday, November 7th at 6:30 PM** a group of volunteers will be cleaning the church. If you are interested in helping just come with a bucket and/or rags. Thank you!

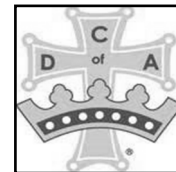
6th ANNUAL NVRC BOALSBURG TURKEY TROT

Join in the fun on Thanksgiving Day (**November 22, 2018 at 9:00 AM**) at this 5K run/walk. The event benefits the St. Joseph's Catholic Academy's Cross Country/Track and Field Teams and the Friends of the PA Military Museum. For more information go to boalsburgturkeytrot.com. Discounted registration for veterans and those registering by November 5th!

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS – MEETING

Catholic Daughters will hold their next meeting on **Thursday, November 8th** in the School Auditorium. Social starts at 6:30 PM and the meeting starts at 7:00 PM.

Social chairs: Pat Stoker, Susan Love and Rose Marie Kushwara.



CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS BAKE SALE

The Catholic Daughters are having their Holiday Bake Sale on **Saturday, November 17th from 2:00-8:00 PM** and **Sunday, November 18th from 7:00 AM—1:00 PM**. They will also be selling Thanksgiving & Christmas items, Advent items, and raffle tickets for a large food basket. We would appreciate any donations of baked goods from parishioners. Donations of holiday items or baked goods should be dropped off in the School Auditorium Friday, November 16th from 6:00-7:00 PM and any additional baked goods Saturday, November 17th from 1:00-8:00 PM. Any questions please call Julie Walker at 952-9487.

RECTORY 3RD FLOOR—NEW ARCHIVES

All are welcome to take a tour of the Rectory's newly renovated 3rd floor on **Sunday, November 18th after the 10:15 AM Mass**. This new space was the Eagle Scout project of Zeb Moyer and will house our church's many artifacts, old photographs, portraits of past priests and many other beautiful things. Come and take a look!

OUR LADY OF VICTORY FALL BAZAAR

Our Lady of Victory Church Fall Bazaar is **November 17, from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm** in the school gym at 800 Westerly Parkway, State College. Admission is free.

**CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD ON SATURDAY
AFTERNOONS FROM 4:00 - 4:30 PM**

**WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT
FOR WEEKEND 10/28/2018**

ORDINARY COLLECTION INCOME RECEIVED:

Adult Offertory:	\$	6,081.08
Loose Offertory:	\$	896.00
Children's Offertory:	\$	31.00
Special Monthly Collection:	\$	120.00
Votive Candles Donations:	\$	107.40
ORDINARY COLLECTION TOTAL:	\$	\$ 7,235.48

EXTRA ORDINARY INCOME RECEIVED:

Maintenance Fund:	\$	15.00
Immaculate Conception	\$	5.00
Christmas Flowers	\$	5.00
Cemetery	\$	20.00
All Souls	\$	600.00
All Saints	\$	100.00
Fr. O'Malley Fund	\$	100.00
EXTRA ORDINARY TOTAL:	\$	\$ 845.00

ORDINARY & EXTRA DEPOSIT TOTAL: \$ \$ 8,080.48

WEEK'S SCHOOL COLLECTION: \$ 273.00

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: (Diocesan or Other)

Catholic Charities:	\$	10.00
World Mission	\$	127.00
Hurricane Michael Relief	\$	5,537.00

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
KINDNESS AND GENEROSITY**

THIS WEEK AT ST JOHNS

Monday, 5th	9:30 AM	Adoration until 2:00 PM
	1:30 PM	Centre Crest Mass
Wednesday, 7th	6:30 PM	Church Cleaning
Thursday, 8th	6:30 PM	Catholic Daughters Meeting
Saturday, 10th	4:00 PM	Confessions

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week; Daylight Saving Time ends
Tuesday:	Election Day
Friday:	The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
Saturday:	St. Leo the Great



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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The next Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be on **Monday, November 5th** immediately following the 9:00 AM Mass. It will close at 2:00 PM.

CCD MASS

The 5th and 6th grade CCD students will be participating in the liturgy at the 10:15 AM Mass on **Sunday, November 18th**. All CCD students are reminded to sit with their teachers.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Religious education classes are held each Sunday morning in the St. John School classrooms from 9:00-10:00 AM. These classes are for students in Kindergarten through 10th grade. Direct any questions to Mark & Denise Leskovansky at 355-3278.

DEAR CCD STUDENTS

"Thank you for your thoughtful and generous donation of school supplies to the Centre County Foster Care Program. Your kind gift will allow children entering foster care to start at their new school with everything they need. God bless all of you! From, Children & Youth Services."

GRADE 11 Confirmation Class

11th Grade Confirmation Class meets on Sundays from 11:15-12:30 PM in the school auditorium.

Sunday, November 4—NO Class
Sunday, November 11—Class at 11:15 AM

If you have any 11th grade Confirmation questions, please contact Deacon Tom or Shirley Boldin at 355-4234 or via email at stboldin@verizon.net.

BLOOD DRIVE

The 11th Grade Confirmation Class is holding an American Red Cross Blood Drive in the school auditorium on **December 1st from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM**. You can sign up online at www.redcrossblood.org or by calling 1-800-Red-Cross. Walk-ins are welcome.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL - VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Come join the family of St. Vincent de Paul volunteers! The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is moving its Thrift Store to a larger facility and needs more volunteers to help with this effort. Volunteering in the Thrift Store is easy, hours are flexible, and you will enjoy the camaraderie of our organization—plus you have the satisfaction of serving those in need in our community. The Thrift Store is staffed entirely by volunteers. The Society serves all regardless of religious affiliation, race, or national origin. Our volunteers and Vincentians also come from many denominations and backgrounds. To volunteer, call the Thrift Store at (814) 867-3131 or visit our store at 526 Westerly Parkway.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM.
Fridays 8:30 AM to Noon.
The office can be reached at 355-3134 or saintjohnsoff@gmail.com.

TRADITIONAL CHOIR

The Traditional Choir is seeking additional voices (ESPECIALLY MALE VOICES) for the upcoming Christmas concert. NO experience is needed! Just a desire to give glory to God through music. We also need two trumpet players, two trombone players and a percussionist. If you are interested, please contact David Harry at 880-8427 or at centreplayhouse@aol.com or simply come to our rehearsal on Thursday nights at 7 pm in the church. We welcome YOU!

School News

School Phone: 814-355-7859
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MEMORIALS & DONATIONS

We have received a memorial donation from Daria Pelick in honor of Walter R. Supina.

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

RACE FOR EDUCATION

Thank you to everyone who supported our 10th Annual Race for Education. We surpassed our goal of \$17,000 because of your generosity! The current total is **\$23,054** and donations continue to come in! We are truly blessed.

GENERAL MILLS BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION

Please continue to save BoxTops from General Mills' products. These can be placed in the container at the rear of the church above the heat register. Thank you for helping us to make this such a successful program for our school.

DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE AWARD

Each year during Catholic Schools Week, we honor an alum of St. John School with the National Catholic Educational Association Distinguished Graduate Award. This award, that honors the achievements of Catholic elementary school graduates, was created as "a means of highlighting the people, who as adults, put into practice the values and ideals they learned in their Catholic elementary school." We are currently accepting nominations for this year's award. If you would like to nominate a former graduate of our school for this recognition, please send your nomination to sjadmin@saintjohnsch.net.

ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC ACADEMY 7TH ANNUAL GALA

You're invited to support Catholic education in Centre County: Spend "An Evening in Tuscany" at the Saint Joseph's Catholic Academy Gala! Enjoy an evening of dinner, dancing, fun and friendship on **Saturday, November 17, 2018** at The Penn Stater Hotel & Conference Center. Cocktail hour begins at 6 p.m., followed by dinner at 7 p.m. All proceeds directly support students and families at Centre County's **only** Catholic high school. Tickets are available at www.stjoeacad.org/gala or by calling (814) 808-6118.

STAY CONNECTED

Stay connected with Saint Joseph's Catholic Academy by following us on our social media platforms:

Instagram: [@saintjoescatholicacad](https://www.instagram.com/saintjoescatholicacad)

Facebook: [facebook.com/stjoeacad](https://www.facebook.com/stjoeacad)

Twitter: [@saint_joes](https://twitter.com/saint_joes)



CATHOLIC RADIO

Tune into WJVM 90.3-FM & WEJO 104.7-FM this fall!

If you would like pray in November or receive our monthly programming e-blasts, contact Sheryl Balkey at (814)238-6288 or voiceofdivinemercury@gmail.com. Your tax-deductible donation may be mailed to: Voice of Divine Mercy, PO Box 862, State College, PA 16804-0862. Thank you for your support!

HELPING NYC HOMELESS

Roni Drapcho & Heather Moyer will be taking their annual trip to NYC to visit the homeless & give them gifts. They are collecting NEW Adult Large & XLarge sweatshirts, gloves, mittens, socks, blankets & backpacks. Please make sure all items are NEW as we don't have means to wash & inspect before travel. Please place items in the bins at back of church marked "Homeless Drive" by Nov. 26th. Any questions call Heather 814-574-8719.

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Holy Spirit Parish in Lock Haven will be holding their annual Christmas Bazaar "Holly Mart" on **Saturday, November 10th from 9:00 AM—3:00 PM and Sunday, November 11th from 9:00 AM—1:00 PM.** It will be held in the Lock Haven Catholic School Gym at 311 West Water Street, Lock Haven. There will be themed baskets, baked goods, great food, crafts for kids and a cash drawing.

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR MILITARY

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.

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
SrA Floyd Meeker III, U.S. Air Force
LT Jared T. Hallahan, U.S. Navy
Capt Jared Swancer, USMC
2LT Peter J. Muto, U.S. Army

R.C.I.A.

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) class continues **Sunday, November 4th at 9:00 AM** in the rectory basement. If you are interested or need more information, please contact RCIA Director David Harry at (814) 880-8427 or at centreplayhouse@aol.com.

ARISE

Reminder: ARISE Together in Christ meetings continue this week.



CROPWALK 2018

The CROPWALK held on **Sunday October 21, 2018** raised \$10,749.72 from 16 area churches. St John's donated \$65 and had one walker.

FREE THANKSGIVING DINNER

The Knights of Columbus will again be sponsoring a **FREE THANKSGIVING DAY DINNER** at their Council Home from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM on Thursday, November 22nd. If anyone would like to donate a Turkey, Ham, Canned Yams or pies please contact Sam Brezler at Carbon.outlaw.54@gmail.com. Your generosity will be appreciated.

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