

Saint John the Baptist CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mission Statement:

Our mission at St. John the Baptist Parish is to prepare people for the coming of the fullness of God's Kingdom by sharing the Catholic Faith and its tradition.

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Masses

Weekdays 7 a.m. Saturdays 8 a.m. / 4: 30 p.m. Sundays 7 a.m. / 9 a.m. / 11 a.m. **HEARING LOOP INSTALLED**



Sacrament of Marriage Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance.

Sacrament of Baptism

Expectant parents are to participate in the Baptism preparation program. Contact the parish office for details.

Sacrament of Penance

Tuesday - Fridays 6:30 a.m. Third Fridays 6:00 p.m.

Following the 8:00 a.m. Mass Saturdays

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Those preparing for serious surgery are to contact the Rectory Office at 715-384-3252.

Parish Membership

Call the Rectory Office at 715-384-3252

MASS SCHEDULE

MON 7/22/2024 St. Mary Magdalene,

7:00am Mary Alice Stangl

Scripture Readings: Sg 3:1-4b Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

TUES 7/23/2024 St. Bridget, Religious

7:00am Albert & Fern Gouin

Scripture Readings: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 Mt 12:46-50

WED 7/24/2024 St. Sharbel Makhluf, Priest

7:00am Deceased members of the Robert & Rita Imhoff family Scripture Readings: Jer 1:1. 4-10 Mt 13:1-9

THUR 7/25/2024 St. James, Apostle

7:00am Stanely Knetter, Jr.

Scripture Readings: 2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 20:20-28

FRI 7/26/2024 Sts. Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00am James & Arlene Wilcott

Scripture Readings: Jer 3:14-17 Mt 13:18-23

SAT 7/27/2024

8:00am Herbert Weigel

Scripture Readings: Jer 7:1-11 Mt 13:24-30

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Times

4:30pm Anniversary Blessings for Jim & Kathy Doebereiner

SUN 7/28/2024

7:00am Parishioners of St. John the Baptist

9:00am Jack Lang

11:00am Clarence & Ann Folz

Scripture Readings: 2 Kgs 4:42-44 Eph 4:1-6

Jn 6:1-15



LITURGICAL MINISTERS

July 27th & 28th, 2024

LECTORS

4:30pm Jeffrey Schultz 7:00am Connie Manlick

9:00am Al May

11:00am John Salzmann

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:30pm Louise Kobylinski / Joan Raschke / Tom & Susan Youngwith

7:00am Melissa Pittsely / Brian Kostka

9:00am Cheryl Schmidt / Rita Blenker / Dan & Dorothy Flees

Jill Hiller / Nancy Immerfall

11:00am Kim Rybicki / Audrey Ably / Michael Clubb

Linda Degenhardt

<u>SERVERS</u>

4:30pm Emmett Luther / Andrew & Vivien Wojcik

7:00am Kolbe & Dominic Landwehr

9:00am Nathan Nemitz / Jeremiah & Fulton Prusinski

11:00am Zach Zerrudo / Elliott Alcott

MUSIC MINISTER

4:30pm Cathy Heuer

7:00am Ashley Nikolai / Karen Isaacson

9:00am Megan Schirger

11:00am Megan Schirger

Weekday Mass Servers - July 22nd - July 27th

 Monday Glenn Linzmeier
 Thursday
 Lee Alt

 Tuesday Marty Draxler
 Friday Mike Spencer

 Wednesday
 Lenny K
 Saturday
 Kolbe & Dominic Landwehr

Confessions are heard at St. John's on the third Friday of the month and at Sacred Heart on the first Friday beginning at 6:00pm. Two priests are available at this time. Confessions are also available at 6:30am Tuesday - Friday and on Saturdays after the 8am Mass.



STEWARDSHIP for July 13th - 14th

Adult / Youth / Plate \$12,409.71
Parish Improvement 345.00
Total \$12,754.71

Total to date for July \$28,976.18



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Lector, Eucharistic Ministers and Youth Servers: Soon the September - December schedules will be put together. Please call the parish office at 715-384-3252 or email secretary@stjmf.diolcparish.org by August 7th if you know of dates that will not work for you.

Mission Appeal 2024 "On the weekend of July 27 & 28, Father Sen, Pastor of St. Joseph Parish, Stratford & St. Andrew Parish, Rozellville will celebrate all the Masses at St. John the Baptist for a Mission Appeal to his Diocese in India, His Diocese of Sivagangai, India is establishing an "Apostolic School" for 11th and 12th grade boys. The appeal will help cover expenses related to boarding, lodging and education. This will enhance sufficient vocations for their diocese as well as for the Universal Church. Please consider supporting this noble cause towards the future of the Catholic Church in India.

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) will be beginning in September with full entrance into the church occurring at Easter of 2025. OCIA is the process whereby a person learns about the beautiful Catholic faith that we sometimes take for granted. Please contact the parish office if you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or if you just want to deepen your understanding of the faith. This will be an excellent way to grow closer to God by learning about Catholicism and how it promotes heroic goodness!

2024 Marshfield Parish Pull God blessed us with a beautiful sunny day, many volunteers and skilled track staff/announcers and pullers, generous sponsors and donors of time, talent, and treasures, and a record-breaking attendance who make the Marshfield Parish Pull possible. All have contributed to the opportunity to support our 2024 donation recipients, i.e., Companion Day Services, Inc., St. Vincent de Paul's St. John & Sacred Heart Conference, Special Olympics-Marshfield Area, Auburndale FFA, and Columbus Catholic Schools. Thank You for "Pulling Our Community Together".

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a hamburger and brat

fry on Wednesday, July 24th at the Rembs Celebration Center parking lot. This event begins at 11am and ends at 6pm. Options include walk up, drive up and outside dining is available. If you would like to place a large order for your work place, please call ahead at 715-305-0398. Deliver will be available! Menu includes: hamburgers, brats, hot dogs, chips, soda and water.



MARRIAGE BANNS II

Kathy Lang & Scott Katzenberger

August 10, 2024

MARRIAGE BANNS I

Mackenzie Schoenfeldt & Joseph Roth September 20, 2024



We welcome this child through the Living Waters of Baptism:

Ignatius George Wolf child of Brandon & Ellen Wolf Baptized on July 21, 2024

We welcome these new members to St. John's

Welcome

Todd & Tara Preston family / Scott Schweikl

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners: When I arrived here at St. John the Baptist two years ago, I was so pleased to discover that our parish was offering bereavement ministry for our families who have lost loved ones. Times of loss are so painful. Our bereavement ministers do a wonderful job of helping and supporting our families in these difficult times. Their outreach is complemented and blessed by all of the supporting ways our parish helps during times of funerals, such as through our servers, our PCCW, and our funeral choir. Each of these groups are such gifts to our parishioners in their times of need.

We will be beginning new outreaches in regards to bereavement. The brief note below highlights some of our plans. Brochures will also be available in the back of the church for those interested. Whether your loved one has passed many years ago or just recently, if you are in need of support please don't hesitate to call our parish. We hope this new ministry will be fruitful for you in your time of need.

I remember in my life how I lost each of my grandparents. They each lived long lives and I was fortunate to have support and guidance from my parents in these times of loss. The more difficult losses for me were the deaths of many of my high school classmates. By the time I was 25 years old, ten percent of my graduating classmates had passed way. Each death was related to car accidents. I found myself in the funeral home almost every year as each of these tragedies occurred. Death is never easy. Perhaps support is most needed when we don't think we need any help. In the deaths of my classmates, I am sure that a faith-based support group would have been of great blessing. I am so happy that these bereavement groups are being formed in our parish.

May St. John the Baptist pray for our parish and for each of you.

Fr. Thelen



Adoration Chapel "Nowhere does Jesus hear our prayers more readily than in the Blessed Sacrament." Blessed Henry Susson Tuesdays from 2-3pm is open for adoration at JP II Adoration Chapel in St. John's. Does this fit into your schedule? Call Jean at 715-387-0571 or Deacon Ray at 715-207-6085 to schedule your holy hour.



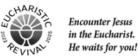
In need of consolation due to the loss of a loved one or feeling overwhelmed caring for a family or friend? The bereavement ministry is expanding and will be providing faith-based support groups for people who have experienced the

pain and grief of the loss of a loved one. A group will also be available for people who struggle with heartache if their loved one suffers from dementia, Alzheimer's, or chronic disease.

The faith-based support groups assist those who grieve by using scripture and faith-sharing questions that help direct all to the Lord. Brochures with additional information explaining the groups and contact information are available in the back of the church. Groups will begin meeting in September and all meetings will be held on the St. John's church and school campus.

These groups will provide you the opportunity to share your thoughts & grief in a small group supportive environment, opening hearts to Christ's consolation and healing.

If you have questions, wish to join a group or assist, please reach out to the parish office staff at 715-384-3252 for additional information and a facilitator will get back to you.



The Eucharist is called the Holy Sacrifice:

A sacrifice is the act of giving up something highly valued for the sake of something else considered to

have a greater value or claim out of love for another person and/ or for God. The perfect sacrifice was Christ's death on the cross, by which He offered Himself to the Father out of love for us, which accomplished our salvation. The Holy Mass is a sacrifice because it is the re-presentation and the memorial of Christ's sacrifice on the cross. The sacrifice of Calvary is being made present in an unbloody manner on the altar at Mass.

Let's pray this right now and every day this week:

Jesus, please give me the grace to appreciate the sacrifice that is made present at every Mass in which You offer Yourself to the Father out of love for me.

This week, read Luke's account of Jesus offering Himself in sacrifice to the Father for love of us in Luke 22:14-20.



COME ONE, COME ALL! Everyone is invited—rain or shine-- to St. John's Annual Parish Picnic on August 11 from 12 – 4 p.m. in Columbia Park. We will be serving food from 12 – 2. The parish will provide hamburgers and brats and we ask you to sign up to bring a dish to pass. Sign up sheets for side dishes are in the back of church. Please contact Cheri Imhoff at 507-993-8740

with questions on food items.



Our favorite DJ; Bouncy Houses, Ice-cream and Games for every age will be available to enjoy. Don't miss out on the fun and fellowship with each other.

Volunteers are need for set- up of tables, chairs and games around 8:30am and clean-up around 3pm. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Maureen at 715-347-5873.







8:30-9 AM | EUCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR MOMS AND THEIR CHILDREN

Location: St. John the Baptist, Main Church

9:15 AM | MEET AT A ROTATING PARK Contact Niki with Questions! 952-807-5083

PCCW ANNOUNCEMENT: St. John's PCCW prepares wonderful funeral lunches for parishioners. These lunches are served in the Columbia Room, which is in the school's lower level. There is a ramp entrance that can be used if needed located at the Walnut St. entrance.

The menu consists of:

Ham or chicken (or both) / Cheesy potatoes / Vegetable / Fruit Salad / Coleslaw / Cheese tray / Relishes / Dinner rolls / Assorted desserts / Coffee, milk, water

We can also accommodate special requests.

The family pays for the cost of the food, and \$2 per plate. All leftovers are packaged for the family to take.

The PCCW is also willing to say a rosary for deceased members at the funeral home, or in church, per the family's request.

If PCCW members would like to help at funeral lunches, or are willing to make an occasional dessert, please call Cheri Imhoff at 507-993-8740 to be added to our list.



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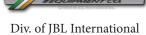
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