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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.

Parish Personnel

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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.
- Saturdays Following the 8:00 a.m. Mass

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 7/15/2024 St. Bonaventure, Bishop, Doctor of the Church
7:00am John Wagner
Scripture Readings: Is 1:10-17 Mt 10:34—11:1

TUES 7/16/2024 Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
7:00am Donald Schnitzler
Scripture Readings: Is 7:1-9 Mt 11:20-24

WED 7/17/2024
7:00am Tim Mayeux
Scripture Readings: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16 Mt 11:25-27

THUR 7/18/2024 St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest
7:00am Lawrence & Marian Van De Loo
Scripture Readings: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19 Mt 11:28-30

FRI 7/19/2024
7:00am Archie Schwantes
Scripture Readings: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8 Mt 12:1-8

SAT 7/20/2024 St. Apollinaris, Bishop, Martyr
8:00am Thomas Stoecker
Scripture Readings: Mi 2:1-5 Mt 12:14-21

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30pm Robert, Marie & Raymond Kelley

SUN 7/21/2024
7:00am Parishioners of St. John the Baptist
9:00am Living & deceased members of the Albert Langreck family
11:00am Dennis Juncer
Scripture Readings: Jer 23:1-6 Eph 2:13-18
Mk 6:30-34



LITURGICAL MINISTERS

July 20th & 21st, 2024

LECTORS

4:30pm Jonathan Rootellis
7:00am Ben Lang
9:00am Ann Kunding
11:00am Sharon See

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:30pm Marcy Gotz / Susan Jahr / Becky Kaiser / Kay Kmiec
7:00am Peg Endries / Jean Kaiser
9:00am Al & Barb May / Bernice Mercer / Chris Nemitz
Lonny Roberts / David Schlinsog
11:00am Robert & Ruth Richmond / Kim Rybicki
John Salzmann

SERVERS

4:30pm Abigail, Sullivan & Eliza Schuld
7:00am Paige Schlagenhaft / Cole Krieg
9:00am Isaac & Nathan Scheer / Graham Bauer
11:00am Olivia Burt / Kofi Yeboah

MUSIC MINISTER

4:30pm Cathy Heuer
7:00am Megan Schirger
9:00am Megan Schirger
11:00am Megan Schirger

Weekday Mass Servers - July 15th - July 20th

Monday - David Gouin Thursday Lee Alt
Tuesday - Ray Housworth Friday - Dennis Spencer
Wednesday - Dan Flees 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.



Father Thelen as he celebrates his birthday on July 18th!

Please keep him in your prayers!

STEWARDSHIP for June 29th - 30th

Adult / Youth / Plate	\$11,290.21
Parish Improvement	50.00
Spanish Mass	130.00
Total	\$11,470.21
Total to date for June	\$79,206.26



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STEWARDSHIP for July 6th - 7th

Adult / Youth / Plate	\$15,780.47
Parish Improvement	441.00
Total to date for July	\$16,221.47

Prayer Vine ~ Do you or someone you know need prayers?

To have requests for prayer placed on the vine, please call Connie 715-305-6742 and Donna 715-384-2479 (there are 2 lists).

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

Youth Servers! If you are in fourth grade, you are eligible to be a Mass server and we would love to have you. Please call the parish office to get your name on the list for the next training.

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 and the Universal Church."

Mission Co-Op Envelopes: For those receiving the monthly packets of tithing envelopes, you will have received the Mission Co-Op envelope in the June packet. Mission Co-Op envelopes can be found in the envelope holders in the entryways for anyone who does not receive the monthly packet. Please make checks out to St. John's as one check will be sent into the Diocese for this cause.

Catholic Kidz Camp - Mon-Fri. July 29th-August 2nd

8:00 AM-11:00AM - Grades Pre K-5th Grade



Registration forms can be found in the kiosk in the entry of church. Teachers and helpers would be appreciated. There is a great need for teen helpers. This would be a great Confirmation project! Items needed to help make this VBS a success are now found on the ornaments on the Giving Tree. Please choose an ornament, purchase the item and return to the table. Thank you! Questions? Call Heather Adler at 715-897-1941 or heatherkadler@gmail.com

Congratulations to this couples celebrating Anniversary Milestones!

- 50 years - Peter & Karolyn Franckowiak - July 13
- 55 years - Marvin & Mary Lou Duerr - July 19
- 50 years - Cliff & Jan Michalik - July 27
- 70 years - Richard & Bonnie Braem - July 31

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners: This coming Tuesday we celebrate *the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel*. In our parish we have a Secular Carmelite Order. This group is an association of lay persons, of both men and women, whose members, responding to a special call of God, freely and deliberately commit themselves "to live in the following of Jesus Christ" according to the Carmelite tradition. Our Secular Carmelite Order meets in the church for prayers and Mass on the evening of the 2nd Mondays of the month. All are welcome to join.

Many of you also likely wear a brown scapular. This is a very common tradition among Catholics. I have worn a brown scapular since my youth and feel it is a quiet yet powerful way to remind myself of my faith and of my closeness to Our Lady. Tradition tells us that in 1251, Our Lady appeared to St. Simon Stock at Aylesford, England. In this apparition, Our Lady gave him what we call the brown Scapular... a garment that has become the symbol of the bond between us and Our Lady.

The brown scapular was given to the world through the Carmelites so that all her sons and daughters could wear an outward sign of her love for them. As a "cloak" of grace and love, the Scapular represents the protection and security we find in our heavenly mother's love. Our Lady has given us her Scapular to wear; a garment of special concern a sign of belonging. Her Scapular is a mantle of grace and love.

Mary expressed her total openness to the will of God when she said, "Be it done to me according to your word." The message of the Scapular is to always follow Christ in faith, hope and charity. Christ is the source of all truth and holiness, and the graces we receive through Mary's intercession come from Him, to lead us to Him.

The Scapular is a constant reminder of Mary's presence in our lives. Through the symbol of the Scapular we strive to live and die as friends of God. This is the substance of the Scapular Promise. Just as we receive a special garment at our baptism to express being "clothed in Christ," it is often at First Communion that a child is given the brown scapular, a new "cloak" representing the child's growing faith. As a child I don't remember a special ceremony, but I feel it was around the age of my First Communion that I began wearing the brown scapular. The beautiful custom of enrolling children in the Scapular puts them, in their innocence, under the tender care of their heavenly mother. The Church considers the Scapular a miniature religious habit and, as such, it is a highly indulgenced sacramental. We wear Our Lady's Scapular as a loving response, a "YES"! to her desire that we keep Jesus as the center of our lives and bring Him to others.

May St. John the Baptist pray for our parish and all the peoples suffering in this world.

Fr. Thelen

A Prayer to Our Lady of Mount Carmel

"O Most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel, beautiful vine, splendor of heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this my necessity... O Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of heaven and earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart, to succor me in this my necessity; there are none that can withstand your power. O show me herein you are my Mother. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse. Sweet Mother, I place this cause in your hands."



Encounter Jesus
in the Eucharist.
He waits for you!

The Eucharist is called the Memorial of the Lord's Death and Resurrection

Jesus instructed the apostles at the last supper to "do this in memory of Me." The Eucharist is a memorial, but this means much more than recalling something to mind, or remembering an event from the past. "In Sacred Scripture, the *memorial is not merely the recollection of past events.*" At Mass, specific events from the life of Christ become present and real so that our lives may be conformed to them. "When the Church celebrates the Eucharist, She commemorates Christ's Passover [Jesus passing over from death to life], and it is made present: the sacrifice of Christ offered once for all on the Cross remains ever present" (Catechism of the Catholic Church, paragraphs 1363, 1364). So, never forget the true meaning of the word "Memorial."

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

Jesus, please help me prepare beforehand to enter into the Memorial—the making present—of Your death and resurrection at Mass.

This week, read how St. Paul describes the Last Supper in 1 Corinthians 11:23-26.



Relevant Radio will be broadcasting LIVE from the National Eucharistic Congress!

Beginning **Wednesday, July 17 at 9am CT**, hear your favorite Relevant Radio hosts broadcast their shows on-site daily. In addition, you can hear all of the speakers and content presented on the main stage in Lucas Oil Stadium.

Even if you're unable to attend in person, you can still be a part of this historic, once-in-a-lifetime Holy Eucharistic event with Relevant Radio. Check out our LIVE broadcast page for a sneak peek of where to watch and listen starting July 17th, as well as to preview the broadcast schedule for each day.

Tune in anytime, anywhere via relevantradio.com, the FREE [Relevant Radio app](#), and via your local [Relevant Radio station](#).

Please keep in prayer the eight people from St. John's traveling down to Indianapolis to take part in this historical Eucharistic Congress. These parishioners will be traveling by bus with others from the La Crosse Diocese with Father Woody Pace as their Spiritual Leader.



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. Delivery will be available! Menu includes: hamburgers, brats, hot dogs, chips, soda and water.



Hi everyone! Some of you may remember that I served with NET Ministries last year and was speaking at Masses about that amazing opportunity! Thanks to your support, I was able to travel across the country and help put on retreats for our youth! I now have an incredible opportunity to travel to Uganda to serve with NET Ministries there. Because this is a missionary role, I am asked to fundraise support once again. The goal of the ministry is to raise \$3,000, but my goal is to raise about \$5,000 to help cover the travel expenses. If you are interested in supporting me, donations can be made to <https://www.gofundme.com/manage/support-the-youth-mission-with-net-ugandadme>. To receive a tax deduction, donations can be given directly to St. John the Baptist Parish. Please place a memo on the check stating your intention to support Paige Preston to serve with NET Ministries in Uganda. Please consider supporting this important mission. Whether or not you decide to support financially, please keep me and all missionaries in your prayers. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to me at pgpres-ton5@gmail.com. Thank you so much!!!

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