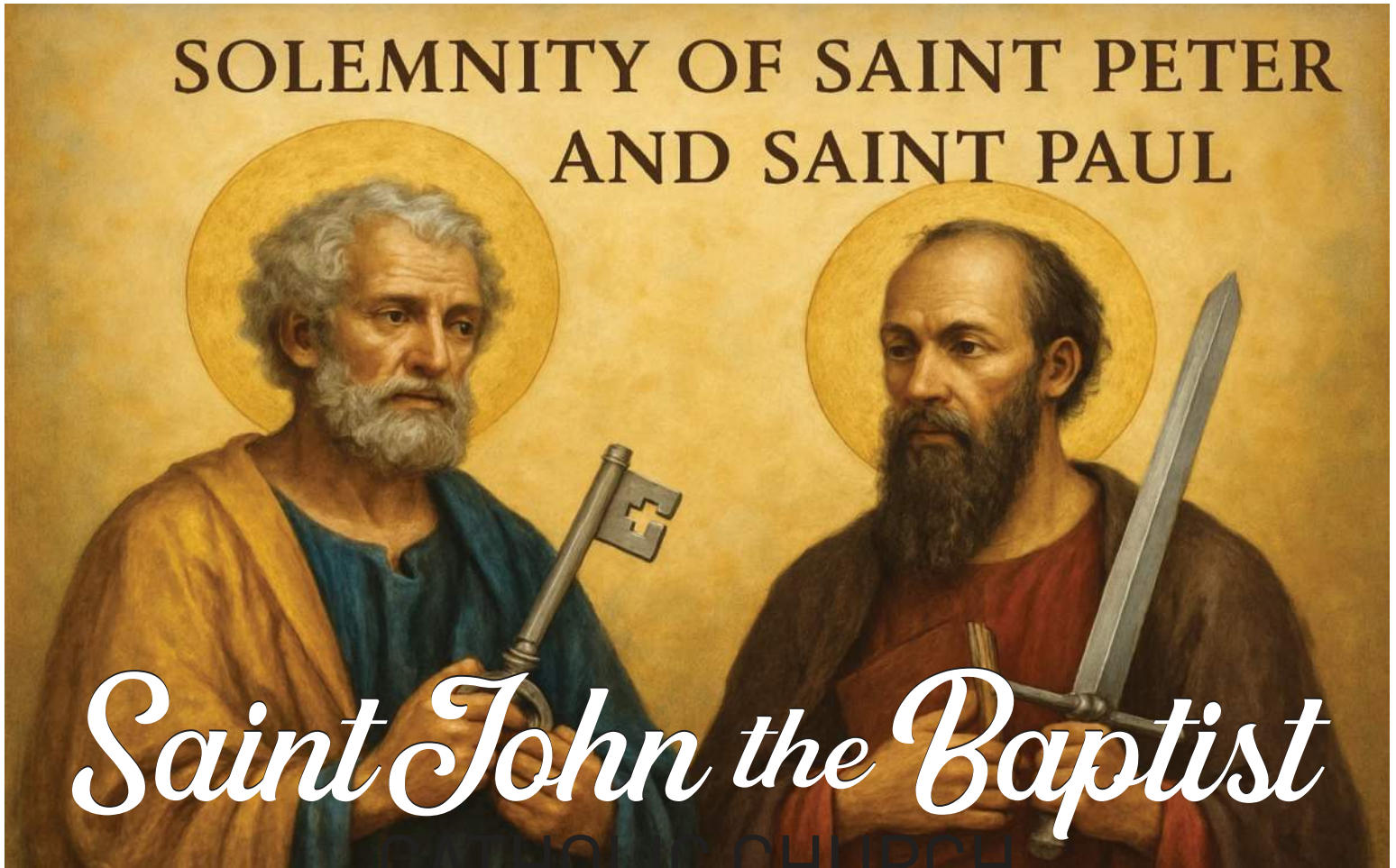


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Mission Statement:

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 6:45 a.m.
Saturdays 8 a.m. / 4:30 p.m.
Sundays 7 a.m. / 9 a.m. / 11 a.m.

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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

Monday - Thursdays 6:15 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 6/29/2026 Sts. Peter & Paul, Apostles
 7:00am Robert Schiferl, Sr.
 Scripture Readings: Acts 12:1-11 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18
 Mt 16:13-19

TUES 6/30/2026 The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
 7:00am Living & deceased members of the Ben & Lillian Knoeck family
 Scripture Readings: Am 3:1-8, 4:11-12 Mt 8:23-27

WED 7/1/2026 St. Junipero Serra, Priest
 7:00am Father Daniel Thelen
 Scripture Readings: Am 5:14-15, 21-24 Mt 8:28-34

THUR 7/2/2026
 7:00am Jerry De Smet
 Scripture Readings: Am 7:10-17 Mt 9:1-8

FRI 7/3/2026 St. Thomas, Apostle
 7:00am Frank & Rheamae Vogel
 Scripture Readings: Eph 2:19-22 Jn 20:24-29

SAT 7/4/2026
 8:00am Reverend Anthony Fischer
 Scripture Readings: Am 9:11-15 Mt 9:14-17
 4:30pm Margaret Grassl

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SUN 7/5/2026
 7:00am Jim & Jeanette Lang
 9:00am Gerald Altmann
 11:00am George & Don Bentzler
 Scripture Readings: Zec 9:9-10 Rom 8:9, 11-13
 Mt 11:25-30



LITURGICAL MINISTERS

July 4th & 5th

LECTORS

4:30pm Brian Kostka
 7:00am Dale & Judy Garfield
 9:00am Dorothy Flees
 11:00am Sharon See

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:30pm Tom & Susan Youngwith / Renee Wagner / Mindy Schuld
 7:00am Connie Manlick / Tonya Schlagenhaft / Peg Endies
 9:00am Al & Barb May / Lonny Roberts / David Schlinsog
 Rita Blenker / Chris Nemitz
 11:00am Jonathan & Melanie Rootellis / Chris Rutschow
 Audrey Ably

SERVERS

4:30pm Annabelle & Xavier Egle
 7:00am Cole & Derek Krieg / Ellie Kraus
 9:00am Phinehas & Benjamin Prusinski / Graham Bauer
 11:00am Kofi Yeboah / Matthew Dums

MUSIC MINISTER

4:30pm Cindy Penker
 7:00am **Open**
 9:00am **Open**
 11:00am Cathy Heuer

Weekday Mass Servers - June 29 th - July 4 th			
Monday	Glenn Linzmeier	Thursday	Lee Alt
Tuesday	Jeron Hiller	Friday	Dennis Spencer
Wednesday	Dan Flees	Saturday	Kolbe & Dominic




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 6:15am Monday - Thursdays and on Saturdays after the 8am Mass

STEWARDSHIP for June 20th & 21st

Adult / Youth / Plate	\$9,236.00
Parish Improvement	69.00
Total	\$9,305.00

Total to date for June \$50,155.14




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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).




CHURCH OFFICE HOURS



Summer office hours beginning on Tuesday, June 9th will be 9am—4pm. A reminder that the office is closed on Fridays during the summer. Please know that phone messages will be received on Friday and emergencies will be taken care of. Other messages will be received and taken care of as soon as possible! Thank you!

Pie & Ice Cream! Come see our PCCW ladies as they sell pies on July 1st and listen to our fine City Band at the same time! This pie and ice cream sale is a fundraiser for our parish. If you'd like to provide a pie, ice cream, or help with the sale, call Cheri Imhoff 507-993-8740.



Save the Date for these Summer Events!

June 28th: Popsicles after the 9am & 11am Masses weather permitting. Meet on the playground

June 30th: 25th Anniversary of Fr. Joseph O'Hara's Ordination

July 10th: 13th Annual Marshfield Parish Pull

July 12th & 26th: Popsicles after the 9am & 11am Masses weather permitting. Meet on the playground!

July 18th: Father Thelen's birthday!

July 26th: 25th Anniversary of Ordination Celebration for Father O'Hara after the 9am and 11am Masses.

August 23rd: St. John the Baptist Parish Picnic

Tithing Envelopes: The corporation that prints and sends out our envelopes are slowly getting their mailings back to normal. The mechanical difficulties they experienced has put them behind but they hope to soon have us on our regular schedule. In the meantime, they have provided extra envelopes for our use. These envelopes can be found in the pews or in the envelope boxes. Please put your name and envelope number on the envelope. If you don't remember your envelope number, you can call the parish office.

ACH is another option for tithing. ACH is an automatic withdrawal that comes out once a month. If you would like more information on ACH, contact Lisa in the finance office and she will assist you.

The schedule for Masses at St. John's in 2027 is ready. If you want to have Mass intentions scheduled, please contact the parish office. Please keep in mind that it might happen that a Mass will have to be cancelled now and then depending upon the availability of a priest.

Offering a Mass for someone is arguably the greatest gift we can give because we are offering no less than Jesus Christ Himself. Many of you have been very generous in this area and I thank you for your concern for the spiritual well-being of the living and the deceased – **please** continue this venerable tradition! Incidentally, we do have some openings for the school Masses this fall and they will be available on a first come, first served basis.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners of St. John the Baptist. I pray that your summers are going well. I have been busy studying and reading much this summer. I have also gotten out for runs across DC nearly every morning, having run about 120 miles thus far. It's a great way to see the different corners of our nation's capital.

Last year I described the backgrounds of my classmates, which included an Irish priest serving in Peru, a priest from Pakistan serving in California as an Augustinian, a civil lawyer who works for the Eastern province of the Dominicans, a convert from the Anglican faith who serves in Las Vegas. My classmates are a mix of men and women. About 25% are lay men and women, the rest are priests. Some are religious, others are seculars like myself. In total I have about 20 people in my class. Fr. Martin is here too, and he is in the grade after me.

One of the priests in my class is from Houston. He shared with me that they have 400 priests, but about 4 million Catholics in their archdiocese. The Catholic faith is growing so fast in this city, that they need to build more churches to keep up with demand. The 400 priests sound like a lot but it is no where near the amount they need. Currently it is about 1 priest for every 10,000 Catholics. In our diocese we have about 1 priest for every 800 Catholics.

The latest stats for our country shows that over the last 30 years, the total number of self-identified Catholics in America has grown by about 10 to 15 million, reaching roughly 66 to 75 million adherents. However, as a percentage of the total U.S. adult population, Catholicism has seen a gradual decline, dropping from roughly 24% to between 19% and 21% today. Today, over one-third (about 36%) of U.S. Catholics are Hispanic, and among younger demographics, Hispanic Catholics are nearing parity with other Catholics. There has been a distinct population move away from traditional Catholic strongholds in the Northeast and Midwest, with the fastest-growing Catholic populations now located in the South and West.

With continued prayer for all of you!
May St. John the Baptist pray for us and bless each of you.

Fr. Thelen



We welcome these children through the Living Waters of Baptism



Ryder John Horky
son of Logan & Madeline Horky
Baptized June 27th, 2026

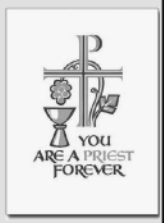
Josephine Catherine Jablonsky
daughter of Mark & Emily Jablonsky
Baptized June 28th, 2026

Relevant Radio bulletin ad: We thank the last individual who covered the cost of this ad for the past year. The cost to continue this advertisement for Relevant Radio is \$200 for the year. Please contact the parish office if you are interested. Thank you!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR PRIESTS ON THE ANNIVERSARIES OF THEIR ORDINATIONS!

Father Daniel Thelen: Ordained June 27, 2015
Father Joseph O'Hara: Ordained June 30, 2001

Thank you, Father Thelen and Father O'Hara for your dedication and service to St. John's parish!



In the Gospel Jesus tells us: "Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink Amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward." This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to "acknowledge the goodness of the Father" by assisting over 400 families, providing food, vouchers, and rent assistance.

If you feel called to do the work of Christ through the St. Vincent de Paul St. John Conference please call Connie at 715 305-6742. I would love to hear from you and give you more information on this wonderful mission.

Catholic Saints of America
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The National Shrine of Our Lady of Champion, WI
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More information can also be found on the kiosk. Scan the QR code on the flyer on the kiosk to see the full itinerary.

13th Annual Marshfield Parish "Truck & Tractor" Pull
Friday, July 10th, 2026

Gates and Concessions Open: 5:00pm
Admission: 16 and up: \$10.00
5 - 15: \$5.00 - 4 and under: Free

Pre-Pull Announcements/ Prayer/ Star-Spangled Banner:
6:30pm
Pull Begins at 7:00pm

Other activities: 50/50 Raffle / Ice Cream Blitz
Merchandise Tent / Pre-Pull Ts & Hats Shoots into the stands.
Please come out for an evening of Family Fun!
Proceeds are donated to area charitable organizations.

We are in need of a many volunteers! The sign-up sheet is now available in the entryway of the church!



Pray & Play: Eucharistic Adoration for Moms and their children followed by playtime at a park! Join us at 9:00am in the Church on Wednesdays throughout the summer beginning June 17th.

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