

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

January 06, 2019

**THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

Monday	8:00 AM	William Fochtman- Don & Carol Hillegass
Tuesday	7:00 PM	Kenneth Wambaug=]’/h- Kim & Dayna Wambaugh
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Dorma Raupach (Anniv) - Mary Jane Smith
Thursday	8:00 AM	Philip Darbyshire – Joann Darbyshire
Friday	8:00 AM	Henry “Ike” Will- Buddy Hankinson Family
Saturday	6:00 PM	Jean Kudasik- Josephine Suhrie
Sunday	8:00 AM	Greg Will (Anniv) - Greg & Karen Will
	10:30 AM	For The People

**Sanctuary Candle –For Peace**

**PRAYER LIST:** Barbara Allison, Chester Berkey, Fred Bittner, Janey Black, Vicki Bowser, Ed Boyer, Macy Burke, Jonah Burket, Doug Burkett, Tom Bush, Kara Bussard, Michael Castillo, Dora Mae Cornell, Laura Costello, Wilda Daley, Rosa Davis, Joyce Dively, Judy Dronet, Joel Easter, Beth Engle, Tabitha Flick, Harry Fochtman, Forest Foor, Nancy Fowler, Myrna Fries, Fran Galloway, Harry Gillum, Paisley Goetzl, Donald Grasser, Grayson Gumbert, Phyllis Harris, Elizabeth, Ken & Kennaley Heider, Sandra Herzing, Mike Hess, George Hickey, David Hinson, Joyce Hollen, Tina Hoover, Don James, Mary Grace Imgrund, Fr. Robert Kaylor, J.T. Kline, Todd Kline, Jeanne Marie Klisiewicz, Barb Lafferty, Virginia Lambert, Bruce Leonard, David Leonard, Don Lynch, Martha Marker, George Maser, Beth Mayfield, Linda McCahan, Sam McVicker, Joseph Meslovich, Virginia Meslovich, Mary Meyers, Sr. Jane Miller, Mike Montreal, Tracey Mowry, Jennifer Murphy, Ashley Nail, Jeremy Ohler, Anthony Palik, Jane Palik, Caleb Plummer, Bill Reachard, Denver Reed, Rose Restly, Sabina Restly, Cindy Robb, Cletus Robb, Ian Rosenbaum, Lavonne Ross, Barb Sarver, Paula Saunders, Greg Seeley, Jordon Seville, Jay Shaffer, Rodney Shaffer, Sandra Shaffer, Debbie Shippy, Clara Smith, Michael Stefanik, Mary Grace Stiffler, Tommy Stiffler, Pat Stoe, Lois Stoner, Gail Wade, Suzanne Walker, Anna Lee Wambaugh, Thomas Wambaugh, Sonya Webb, Aaron Weiss, Bonnie Welsh, Christina Whetstone, Charlotte Will, Jan & Larry Will, Karen Will, Tish Will, Scott Wilkens, Angie Wolfhope, Steve Wolfhope

*If you added a person’s name to the prayer list and they have since recovered,*

*please call to remove their name from our prayer list*

Last week: Loose: \$135.00; Adults: \$2,166.00 Total: \$2,301.00  
 New Year’s Loose: \$98.00; Adults: \$1,144.00 Total: \$1,242.00

All Religious Education Classes resume today Sunday January 06, 2019.

**There will be a Parish Council Meeting January 15<sup>th</sup> following the evening mass. Please RSVP with Fr. Mark.**

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**



Fr. Mark Pattock, OFMcap – Pastor  
 Fr. Roman Kozacheson, OFMcap – In residence  
 Fr. Stephen Shin, OFMcap – In residence – Pastor of Ss. Philip & James, Meyersdale & St. Gregory, MacDonaldton

Mass Schedule:

Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri.: 8:00 AM  
 Tues.: 7:00 PM  
 Sunday: 6:00 PM (Vigil)  
 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

Parish Website: [www.newbaltimorecatholic.com](http://www.newbaltimorecatholic.com)

Rectory:

Box 10  
 New Baltimore, PA 15553  
 Phone: 733-2210 Hall: 733-4113

Baptism:

Arrange in advance for pre-baptismal instructions.

Confessions

Saturday 5:00 – 5:45 PM

Matrimony:

Arrange nine months in advance. Couples expected to participate in pre-marriage preparation program



Parish Mission Statement St. John the Baptist Parish is a Catholic Christian Community centered in rural New Baltimore, Pennsylvania. As members of the Body of Christ, we seek to live as entrusted stewards using God’s gifts responsibly, intelligently, prudently, and gratefully to bring about His kingdom. As stewards of our time, talents, possessions, and faith, we



are called to put our lives in proper focus and to live in accord with one another giving love and caring support; to accept Christ's challenge as related in the Gospels – to serve one another.

**ALTAR SCHEDULE- January 13<sup>th</sup>**

	<u>6:00 PM</u>	<u>8:00 AM</u>	<u>10:30AM</u>
READER	Kim Wambaugh	Joan McGreevey	Mandy Lauer
MINISTERS:	Deacon Thom Don Hillegass Linda Suhrie	Deacon Thom Alzine Hoffman John Werner	Deacon Thom
SERVERS:		Brady Boburchock Haylee Speicher Sam Speicher	Regan Lauer Riley Lauer

Our contribution to the Pro Life March. Feed 60 people on January 19<sup>th</sup> returning to Portland Michigan from Washington DC. Call Anita Hankinson 814-733-4852

Since there are no buses running to the Pro Life March this year we will be offering our daily mass on Friday Jan 18<sup>th</sup> in the special way in reparation for sins against human life and for the safe return of everyone from the March for Life on this day. The Retreat Center door will be open for anyone wishing to make a visit to the chapel to pray for life on this day.



Mrs. Margaret/Peggy/Mammy (Wolfhope) Felten, 93, of Daveys Lane, Manns Choice, died peacefully at 1:45PM, Monday, December 31st, 2018 surrounded by her family and the loving Sisters of Garvey Manor in Hollidaysburg. Mrs. Felten was born in the New Baltimore area on August 21st, 1925, daughter of the late Clement and Theresa (Restelli) Wolfhope. She grew up with six other brothers and sisters, and she graduated from Berlin Brothersvalley schools. On November 28, 1946, she married the love of her life, Lloyd C. Felten, who preceded her in death on May 23rd, 2011. She is survived by sister Rita Bailey, and Daughter- Nancy C. wife of Earnest Diehl, Manns Choice; Daughter- Kathleen wife of James Thompson, Cypress, TX; She is also survived by seven grandchildren, Dan Diehl, Andrew Diehl, Valleri Weyant, Melissa Felten, Brian Thompson, Christopher Thompson, and was preceded in death by grandson James Lloyd Thompson. Mammy was blessed with seven great grandchildren, Drew H., Max, and Chloe Diehl; Theresa and Anthony J. Weyant; and Jack and Annaliesia Diehl; and two great-great children, Johnathan Lloyd and Charlotte Grace. She was also preceded in death by one sister, Mary Sarver, and by four brothers, Barney, Mark, Joseph, and Robert. She was the administrative assistant, bookkeeper, and partner in Manns Choice Amoco. She loved camping and traveling with Lloyd, reading, and was noted as the best cook in the family. She was previously a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in New Baltimore, and St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church in Bedford where she served as a Eucharistic minister. The family would like to thank all of the Sisters and staff of Garvey Manor in Hollidaysburg for their gracious and caring support during Margaret/Peggy/Mammy's final days. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, New Baltimore at 11:00 AM on Saturday, January 5th, 2018, with Father Mark Pattock, OFMcap, as celebrant. At her request there will be no viewing. Friends and family will be received for a memorial luncheon following the

Committal Services which will be held at St. John's Cemetery, New Baltimore immediately following the Mass. Memorial contributions can be made to Garvey Manor, 1037 South Logan Blvd, Hollidaysburg, PA 16648. Arrangements by Mickle-Geisel Funeral Home, Schellsburg. [www.geiselfuneral.com](http://www.geiselfuneral.com)



**FISH FRY** - In preparation for the Lenten Fish Fry, we are looking for someone to coordinate our Fish Fry this year? We are also in need of volunteers to help. We also could use the help of our young people in religious studies to help wait on tables for service hours. If a coordinator volunteers, we need to have a meeting this January to begin planning now. Thank you!

Offertory envelopes and 2019 calendars are available in the church basement. Please check the basement for your free 8 x 10 photo if you had your picture taken

Our annual Appreciation Dinner will be held on Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup>. The Hall will open at 5:30 pm and dinner will be served at 6 pm. The dinner is open to all volunteers 21 and older. We will again have the gift exchange (\$5-\$10). Everyone wishing to participate in this game must bring a gift. Please RSVP by Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup>.

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_



*The blessing of homes on Epiphany is a very Old Catholic custom. When the Wise Men or Magi became an important focus of the celebration of epiphany, the blessing of homes was a natural conclusion. The Wise Men came to bring gifts to honor the King of Kings; but when they entered the home at Bethlehem, he whom they came to bless blessed them! To dedicate our home to Christ is to gain untold blessings from him who manifested himself in glory to the world on Epiphany. Have each family member gather around the door to your home and with a piece of chalk, above the entrance, mark 20 + C + M +B +19. (The numbers are the year and the letters stand for the wise men, Balthasar, Caspar, and Melchior.)*

*+May God always send his angels to dwell in this home. May He keep us always in his peace and love. May we provide welcome to strangers and to those in need. May He bless our coming and our going so that the light of faith, hope, and love may always guide everything that comes to this home or goes forth from this home. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen*

**Liturgical Reflection...**

Today we join the three men from the east who have come to acknowledge the presence of divinity on this earth. The infant child is indeed the Eternal Word of God. And this divine gift is just not for God's holy people Israel. The Savior has arrived on this earth for the redemption of all peoples. These foreign travelers stand for all of us who are not members of God's chosen people Israel. Nonetheless, God has sent his Savior Child for the redemption of all people.

