MASSES FOR THE WEEK

4th Sunday of Easter April 22, 2018

| Monday | 8:00 AM | NO MASS |
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| Tuesday | 7:00 PM | Carol Restly (wedding anniv) – Frank & family |
| Wednesday | 8:00 AM | NO MASS |
| Thursday | 8:00 AM | NO MASS |
| Friday | 8:00 AM | NO MASS |
| Saturday | 6:00 PM | Carol Restly Niecie |
| Sunday | 8:00 AM | Greg & Ada Will (b'day) – Greg & Karen Will |
| | 10:30 AM | Paul Burkett (b'day) – Pat & Patty Stoe |
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Sanctuary Candle – Kenny Wambaugh by Richard & Ray Ranker Families

PRAYER LIST: Barbara Allison, Chester Berkey, Fred Bittner, Janey Black, Leo & Cora Bonus, Vicki Bowser, Macy Burke, Doug Burkett, Jonah Burkett, Tom Bush, Kara Bussard, Laura Costello, Judy Dronet, Joel Easter, Beth Engle, Agnes Fleming, Tabitha Flick, Harry Fochtman, Nancy Fowler, Paisley Goetzl, Donald Grasser, Margie Hankinson, Phyllis Harris, Elizabeth, Ken & Kennaley Heider, Sandra Herzing, Mike Hess, George Hickey, David Hinson, Sherry Ickes, Mary Grace Imgrund, Fr. Robert Kaylor, J.T. Kline, Todd Kline, Jeanne Marie Klisiewicz, Eileen Knott, Virginia Lambert, Bruce Leonard, David Leonard, Don Lynch, Martha Marker, George Maser, Dorothy & Tim Maurer, Beth Mayfield, Linda McCahan, Sam McVicker, Joseph Meslovich, Virginia Meslovich, Sr., Terry Metivier, Mary Meyers, Mike Montreal, Tracey Mowry, Jennifer Murphy, Robert Murphy, Ashley Nail, Cathy & Laird Ober, Jeremy Ohler, Anthony Palik, Jane Palik, Sue Percosky, Caleb Plummer, Bill Reachard, Denver Reed, Rose Restly, Sabina Restly, Cletus Robb, Lavonne Ross, Barb Sarver, Paula Saunders, Greg Seeley, Sandra Shaffer, Debbie Shippy, Clara Smith, Michael Stefanik, 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, John Will, Tish Will, Scott Wilkens, Kathy Wilson, Angie Wolfhope, Steve Wolfhope

Last week: Loose: \$76.00; Adults: \$2,449.00 Total: \$2,525.00

There will be a Parish Council Meeting on Tuesday, April 24th following Mass. ·>>>>>

Altar Schedule – April 29th

| | <u>6 pm</u> | <u>8 am</u> | <u>10:30 am</u> |
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| READER: | Wayne Tedley | Carissa Restly | Anthony Zanoni |
| MINISTER: | Deacon Thom | Deacon Thom | Deacon Thom |
| | Dayna Wambaugh | Dorothy Wolfhope | |
| | Linda Suhrie | Mary Grace Imgrund | |
| SERVERS: | | Luke Brick | Maria Engleka |
| | | Emily Brick | Jacob Stewart |

THE CHURCH OF ALTOONA-JOHNSTOWN

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

Parish Administrator: Fr. Aron Maghsoudi

Hall Reservations: Melinda Will (733-0029)

Mass Schedule: Parish Website: www.newbaltimorecatholic.com

Tues.: Sunday: 7:00 PM

6:00 PM (Vigil) 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM Rectory: Box 10

New Baltimore, PA 15553

Phone: 733-2210 Hall: 733-4113

Baptism:

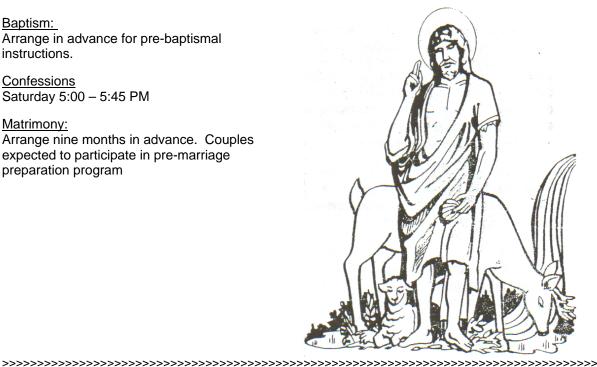
Arrange in advance for pre-baptismal instructions.

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.

The Knights of Columbus of St. John the Baptist Church celebrating our $25^{\rm th}$ anniversary will be dedicating a memorial Mass for our deceased members today, April $22^{\rm nd}$ at the 10:30 am Mass preceded by a rosary recital at 10 am with the Knights of Columbus color guard participating. Coffee and cake will be served in the RETREAT CENTER DINING ROOM after Mass.

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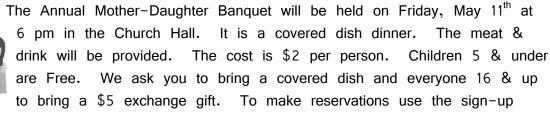
Sunday, April 22nd – 1 pm (Doors open at Noon) Admission \$30 Payouts: Regular games - \$50; Specials - \$100; Jackpot - \$500 Refreshments available

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A Rabies Clinic will be held at the New Baltimore Fire Hall on Monday, April 23rd from 6-7 pm. The cost is \$10 per animal. All dogs must be on a leash. All cats must be in a carrier. The Law requires that all dogs and housecats over 3 months of age

be vaccinated for rabies. The vaccination is good for 1-3 years depending on the animal and its age.



sheet in the back of the Church or call Theresa Fochtman at 733-4548.

Next week, we will take up the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in the United States are considered home mission territory because they are unable to fund the essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support of this appeal helps ease the struggle of these dioceses. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

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We are in need of Theme Baskets for our July 4th picnic. Baskets are to be a minimum of \$25. If you prefer to donate money and have a basket made in your name contact the rectory. Completed baskets can be brought to the Church. This is a good money maker and an anticipated booth at our July 4th picnic. Please be supportive and donate a basket.



We expressed our sympathy to Linda Little and her family at the death of her mother, Marie Wittmer. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

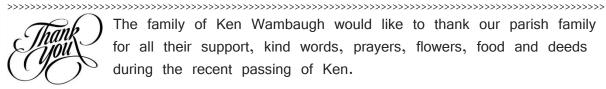
I can't believe it's that time of year again to be thinking of the 4th of July Raffle. It will be here before we know it. I am welcoming the

usual gift cards and cash donations. But I would also like to ask for prize items, perhaps something you have made or something of interest that would make our raffle extra special. I know every one of you might have something in mind or something new that hasn't been done before. I would appreciate it if you could call me with what you are going to donate so I can make the list for the raffle ticket. I must be honest with all of you at this point I do not have enough cash donations or gift cards to make a nice raffle ticket and I know that myself and everyone involved with the raffle would like to make this raffle a success for the parish. Please call Susan Fochtman at 733-4794 with any donations or any questions. The deadline for donations will be April 30th so I can get the tickets printed in time.

World Day of Prayer for Vocations will be observed today, Sunday, April 22nd, also known as "Good Shepherd Sunday." The purpose of this day is to publically fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life or secular institutes. Will you make a special effort to ask the Lord for more vocations to the priesthood and religious life?

- Pray for the priests who have ministered to you throughout your life, both living and dead.
- Keep our parish priests in your prayers throughout the week.
- Encourage your children, grandchildren, or other young people to consider a vocation as a priest or religious brother or sister.
- Pray a rosary for more young men and women in our diocese to respond to God's call.

The Serra Club of Cambria County invites you to the Bishop's Night for Vocations dinner on Friday, May 11, 2018 at Bishop Carroll Catholic High School, Ebensburg, PA. A social hour begins at 5:30 p.m. & dinner follows at 6:30 p.m. The event is sponsored jointly by the Serra Club and the Diocesan Vocation Office. The theme for the event is: "Listening, Discerning, Living." Guest speak is Sister Joseph Andrew, Vocation Director of the Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist.



The family of Ken Wambaugh would like to thank our parish family for all their support, kind words, prayers, flowers, food and deeds during the recent passing of Ken.