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MASSES FOR THE WEEK
 May 14, 2017

5th Sunday of Easter

Monday	8:00 AM	NO MASS
Tuesday	7:00 PM	Lawrence, Mary Kay & Fred Will – Mike Hankinson & Family
Wednesday	8:00 AM	NO MASS
Thursday	7:00 PM	NO MASS
Friday	8:00 AM	NO MASS
Saturday	6:00 PM	Marie Hankinson – Bruce & Linda Leonard
Sunday	8:00 AM	Maureen Speicher – Sam & Linda Fochtman
	10:30 AM	Lee McVicker – Amy Jo & Rick Hoffman

Sanctuary Candle – For Peace

PRAYER LIST: Barbara Allison, Chester Berkey, Fred Bittner, Janey Black, Leo & Cora Bonus, Vicki Bowser, Macy Burke, Anna Burkett, Jonah Burkett, Kara Bussard, Marlene Clites, Laura Costello, Judy Dronet, Beau Dull, Joel Easter, Agnes Fleming, Tabitha Flick, Harry Fochtman, Paisley Goetzl, Donald Grasser, Kelly Hartbauer, Elizabeth, Ken & Kennaley Heider, Sandra Herzing, Mike Hess, David Hinson, Connie Horne, Matthew Jenkins, J.T. Kline, Todd Kline, Jeanne Marie Klisiewicz, Eileen Knott, Jean Kudasik, Virginia Lambert, David Leonard, Don Lynch, Martha Marker, George Maser, Dorothy Maurer, Becky McKenzie, Joseph Meslovich, Sr., Terry Metivier, Mary Meyers, Mike Montreal, Tracey Mowry, Ashley Nail, Cathy & Laird Ober, Jeremy Ohler, Anthony Palik, Jane Palik, Louise Pekala, Caleb Plummer, Denver Reed, Carol Restly, Rose Restly, Sabina Restly, Shawn Restly, Paula Saunders, Tammy Schreiber, Greg Seeley, Sandra Shaffer, Ben Short, Clara Smith, Wendy Smith, Michael Stefanik, Tommy Stiffler, Pat Stoe, Mike Valentine, Gail Wade, Anna Lee & Kenny Wambaugh, Thomas Wambaugh, Aaron Weiss, Christina Whetstone, Charlotte Will, Jan & Larry Will, Karen Will, Tish Will, Scott Wilkens, Angie 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: \$245.00; Adults: \$1,847.00 Total: \$2,092.00

BINGO WORKERS – May 17th

Floor Workers

Brett Straight Wayne Fochtman
 Mary Grace Imgrund George Fochtman

Kitchen Crew

Rita Lewis
 Lore Lewis
 Tracey Winegardner

Bingo starts at 6:30 pm. We play regular games, specials, quickies, bonus number, jackpot & bonanza. The kitchen also has delicious refreshments available.

THE CHURCH OF ALTOONA-JOHNSTOWN
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

Pastor: Fr. Richard Tomkosky
 (ricopadre@hotmail.com)

Hall Reservations: Melinda Will (733-0029)

Mass Schedule:

Parish Website: www.newbaltimorecatholic.com

Tues.: 7:00 PM
 Sunday: 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.



We are in desperate need of baskets for the Theme Basket Booth. Over the past years it has been a great success because of your participation in making a basket and buying and selling tickets. Hopefully more of you will be interested in making a basket this year. The sign-up sheet is in the back of the church. Baskets need to be a minimum of \$25. If you would rather donate money towards a basket and have someone else put a basket together in your name with your donated funds contact the rectory. Completed baskets can be brought to the Church now. This is a good money maker and an anticipated booth at our July 4th picnic. Please be supportive and donate a basket. There is a sign-up sheet & a suggestion sheet in the back of the Church.

Brittany Grove has volunteered to chair the Country Store Booth. She is asking for donations of canned goods, baked goods (cakes, cookies, pies, breads), jams and jellies, crafts (knitting, crocheting, paintings, wreaths, wood crafts) and flower hanging baskets. For more info contact Brittany at 279-8784.

Altar Schedule – May 21st

	<u>6 pm</u>	<u>8 am</u>	<u>10:30 am</u>
READER:	Kim Wambaugh	Paul Balint	Anthony Zanoni
MINISTER:	Deacon Thom	Deacon Thom	Deacon Thom
	Don Hillegass	Barbara Kane	
	Wayne Tedley	Joan McGreevey	
SERVERS:	Nathan Leonard	Luke Brick	Joseph Zanoni
	Caleb Leonard	Emily Brick	Jacob Stewart

Altar Schedule – May 25th
Ascension of the Lord – 7 pm

READER:	Joan McGreevey
MINISTER:	Deacon Thom
	Mary Grace Imgrund
	Dorothy Wolfhope
SERVERS:	Kennaley Heider

Desirae Heider

Families and the Gospel.. In today's gospel Jesus tells us, HE IS THE WAY and warns anyone who offers "another way" to happiness is "a thief and a bandit." Strong words! Don't listen to the sales pitch of society for happiness. Look to yourself where God is present and "calls you by name and leads you to abundant life."



Our parish Knights of Columbus are sponsoring an ALL YOU CAN EAT

SPAGHETTI DINNER on Sunday, May 21 from 11 AM to 1 PM.

This dinner includes spaghetti and meatballs, salad, dinner rolls and dessert. Adults (12 and over) \$8, Children (3-12) \$3. Under 3 are free.

Today is Commitment Sunday for the *2017 Catholic Ministries Drive*.

Through it, your sacrificial gifts of prayer and treasure will make an immediate impact on ministries that care for the poor, strengthen family life, nurture our youth, and provide leadership development for clergy and laity. If you didn't bring your Commitment Card to mass this weekend, please bring it next weekend or you may make an online gift at www.dioceseaj.org. Thank you for your joyful participation during the Easter Season.

The net profit from our Pancake & Sausage Breakfasts was \$3,798.62!! Thank you once again to all those who worked the breakfasts and to all our patrons.

Father John Byrnes, Rector, and the Parish Family of St. Michael the Archangel Basilica, Loretto, invite the faithful to join us each Sunday evening at 7 pm for the outdoor Sunday Mass at the beautiful Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. The first Mass of the season will be celebrated on Sunday, may 28th and will continue through Labor Day Weekends, September 3. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be held in the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel.

We will celebrate 1st Holy Communion next Sunday, May 21st at the 10:30 am Mass.

