

MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF July 06 2025
Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Please note that all daily masses will be held in the chapel unless otherwise noted. In the event of a funeral mass there will be no (8:00 AM) daily mass.

- Monday 8:00AM:** Mark Restly (Anniv) *By: The Restly Family Reunion*
- Tuesday 7:00 PM:** Melvin Engbert (B'day) *By: Richard & Cheryle Engbert*
- Wednesday 8:00 AM:** Tommy Stiffler *By: Ed & Sandy*
- Thursday 8:00 AM:** Robert Murphy *By: Connie & Pat Will*
- Friday 8:00 AM:** Rose Restly *By: Rose & Bobbie Fochtman*
- Fifteenth Sunday Of Ordinary Time:**
- Saturday 6:00 PM:** Michael & Sophie Kemple *By: The Family*
- Sunday 8:00 AM:** The John E. Wolfhope Family *By: Clement E. Wolfhope Family*
- Sunday 10:30 AM:** Deceased Will Family Members *By: Will Family Reunion*

Sanctuary Candle: Peace
St. Peregrine Candle:

Mass Readings for the Week:

- Monday: Blessed Emmanuel Ruiz and Companions**
 Genesis 28:10-22a/PS Psalm 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab (R/.cf.2b)/Matthew 9:18-26
- Tuesday: Saint Gregory Grassi and Companions**
 Genesis 32:23-33/PS Psalm 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15/Matthew 9:32-38
- Wednesday: Optional Memorial Of St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest And Companions**
 Genesis 41:55-57, 42:5-7a, 17-24a/PS Psalm 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19 (R/.22)/Matthew 10:1-7
 1 John 5:1-5/PS Psalm 126:5/John 12:24-26
- Thursday: Saint Veronica Giuliani**
 Genesis 44:18-21, 23b-29, 45:1-5/PS Psalm 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 (R/.5a)/Matthew 10:7-15
- Friday: St. Benedict, Abbot**
 Genesis 46:1-7, 28-30/PS Psalm 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/Matthew 10:16-23
 Proverbs 2:1-9/PS Psalm 34:2/Matthew 19:27-29
- Saturday: Optional Memorial Of The Blessed Virgin Mary**
 Genesis 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/PS Psalm 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7 (R/.cf.69:33)/Matthew 10:24-33
- Sunday: Fifteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time**
 Deuteronomy 30:10-14/PS Psalm 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 (R/.cf.33)
 PS Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Colossians 1:15-20/Luke 10:25-37

“Go on your way; behold, I am sending you like lambs among wolves. Carry no money bag, no sack, no sandals; and greet no one along the way.

St John The Baptist Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule:

Mon: 8:00 AM **Tues:** 7:00 PM **Wed - Fri:** 8:00 AM **Sat:** 6:00 PM (Vigil) **Sun:** 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Secretary Office Hours:

Mon :8:00 AM-1:00PM **Wed :**8:00 AM-1:00PM **Thurs :**8:00 AM-3:00 PM **Fri :**8:00AM –1:00 PM

Baptism: Arrange in advance for pre-baptismal instructions.

Confessions: Saturday 5:00 – 5:45 PM

Holy Communion:

Low Gluten hosts will be available for anyone with a low gluten tolerance. If you have a low gluten tolerance, please tell the priest before mass so a low gluten host can be placed in a pyx for you.

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

Rosary: Saturday Evenings beginning at 5:25 PM

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.



St. John's News & Upcoming Events:

Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time



THANK YOU! to all those who helped make our annual July 4th picnic a success. Thanks to all those who worked to prepare the grounds & clean up the grounds; to all those who worked in a booth; to those who helped prepare the chicken barbeque dinner; to those who donated items to be sold; to those who donated a Theme Basket; to those who bought and sold raffle tickets; and last but not least **thank you to all our patrons!**

Women At The Well:

There is a Women At The Well group forming here at St. John's. Come and learn how to pray Lectio Divina – praying with that Sunday's Gospel. We meet after Monday morning 8:00 AM mass in the Chapel. For more information please contact Lindsay Hankinson at (814) 233-8786. We would love to have you join us.

The Word Among Us:

Be sure to get your **FREE** copy of the **Word Among Us** for the months of July and August on the table in the back of Church. The **Word Among Us** magazine offers daily meditations based on the Mass readings of the Catholic Church, inspirational essays, stories of the saints and more!

Volunteer to take up the Offertory At Mass: During Mass, there's a little moment that often goes unnoticed. After the collection baskets are passed, there is a very meaningful part of the Mass: members of our parish carry the gifts of bread, wine and the offertory to the priest. **The entire congregation is represented by those who bear the gifts. Through this act, we return to God a small part of the many blessings that He has given to us. What a wonderful way to express thanks and joy to God by bearing these gifts! There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church for the month July for families to sign up to carry the offertory gifts up at mass.**

Synodal Zoom presentation:

All are invited to register to hear Cardinal Timothy Radcliffe, OP from Blackfriars, Oxford speak on "The Synod: Hope for a Disintegrating World, or Just Another Document?" on **Friday, July 11, 2025 at Noon via Zoom from Europe**. He gave the opening retreats to the Synod Delegates in both sessions (2023 and 2024), setting a positive tone for the proceedings. Cardinal Radcliffe points to a Synodal Church in which all can journey together respectful of those who are different, where all are heard in love – a Church that can bring hope to our disintegrating world. The event is sponsored by the Association of Pittsburgh Priests as a part of its 2025 Spring Speakers Series. To register, go to www.associationofpittsburghpriests.com (This talk has been rescheduled twice, once due to illness and then due to the conclave for our new Pope.)

Liturgical Reflection 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Living in a place where we have freedom to worship, it can be hard to imagine being a "lamb among wolves" (Lk 10:3). Yet, in many parts of the world, Christians still pay with their lives for their faith in Christ. In Pope Francis' April 21, 2015, homily focusing on today's martyrs, he reminded us that throughout history, Christians have been killed "for their faith and loyalty towards God's Word, God's Truth." In our time, thousands of martyrs have died and continue to die all over the world. Pope Francis speaks also of "hidden martyrs": Christians working to help others know Christ's love. In what ways are you a "hidden martyr"? What sacrifices in faith do you make of your time, talents, or resources to help others know the love of God?

My Good Shepherd, I do resolve to embrace Your most holy will with all my might. Give me courage, trust and resolve to follow You wherever You lead. I give myself to You, dear Lord. Jesus, I trust in You.

PRAYER LIST

John Andzelik, Abby Barnes, Lori Barnes, Debbie Brady, Cindy (Miller) Bearer, Jane Beyer, Theresa Beyer, Lisa Bischof, Tonya Brown, Mark Bruck, Carol Burcaw, Macy Burke, Doug Burkett, Max Bulger, Tim Bruck, Larry Clarr, Marlene Clites, Randy Clites, Denis Crum, Lee Crum, Andrew Davenport, Sara Davenport, Michael Davis, Velma Davis, Larry DeArmitt, Alice Deitz, Donna Dennison, Tracy Dickey, Dorothy Dittmer, Joyce Dively, Tara Dively, Lisa Easter, Chris Edes, Ray Engleka, George Faidley III, Tabitha Flick, Bradley Fochtman, Harry Fochtman, Loretta Fochtman, Mike Fochtman, Mark Frankenfield, Myrna Fries, Becky Foor, Carol Ann Gallagher, Brian Gardill, Jarrett Gowatty, Paisley Goetzl, Helen Greenway, Kelsey Grove, Grayson Gumbert, Sam Hall, Ron Hagens, Nellie Hall, Eugene Hankinson, Phyllis Harris, Mary Jo Harrington, Aaron Hay, Paisley Hay, Bob Jenkins, Elizabeth, Ken & Kennaley Heider, Sandra Herzing, Dale Hickey, Ida Mae Hillegass, Lisa Hillegass, Missy Hillegass, Tara Hillegass, Todd Hillegass, Amy Jo Hoffman, Phyllis Hoppert, Tina Hoover, Ernest Imgrund, Pete Innis, Mary Janachovski, Martha (Lewis) Kalbach, Matt Karns, Jason Kinzer, David Krieie, Fr. Robert Kaylor, Todd Kline, Eric Knott, Virginia Lambert, John Lancaster, Eli Lankey, Kelly Legarski, Bruce Leonard, Carol Leppert, Gordon Leppert, Brenda Leister, Chase Lester, Kaitlyn Lewis, Barry Leydig, John Lynch, Toots Maddy, Ron Makarun, Martha Marker, Susan Martin, Tim Martin, George Maser, Angie Matey, Joseph Matey, Brooks May, Janet Michael, Tony and Janet Miele, Linda McCahan, Shirley McVicker, Betty Meslovich, Terry Metevier, Erica Miller, Ray & June Miller, Tara Miller, Mike Montreal, Reed Morgan, Tracey Mowry, Carol Murphy, Kai Musselman, John Myers, Ashley Nail, Dr. Cyril Nathaniel, Eugene Nickelow, Elissa Nunamaker, Donna Otto, Rick Otto, Michael Price, Sabina Restly, Tara Ritchey, Cindy Robb, Katherine Rosenbaum, Fr. Lamonte Sayers, Teri Schreiber, Nancy Schrock, Barb Sarver, Shirley Sechler, Greg Seeley, Richard Seese Jr., Jordon Seville, Lorraine Shadduck, Sandra Shaffer, Terry Shaffer, Harold Shannon, Clyde Shippy, Tom Shippy, Daniel Smith, Eddie Smith, Edith Smith, Marie Smith, Shaun Smith, Oscar Speicher, Linda Stiffler, Rosalie Swingle, Carol Taylor, Mary Jane Thomas, Leroy Turner, Janet Valentine, Michael Valentine, Gail Wade, Anna Lee Wambaugh, Tom Warren, Jr., Staci Weaver, Aaron Weiss, Bonnie Welsh, Dee Werline, John & Doris Werner, Christina Whetstone, Logan Weyand, Alyssa Will, Charlotte Will, Jan Will, Pat Will, Tracy Williams, Larry & Alice Winegardner, Lucy Wright, Angie Wolfhope, Dorothy Wolfhope, Ron Wolfhope, Steve Wolfhope, Tim Wyles, Shirley Varchetti, Roger Yarnell

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.

OFFERTORY

Sunday Loose: \$427.00

Sunday Adults: \$2290.00

Total Sunday: \$2717.00

Picnic Fund: \$105.00

We're always collecting non-perishable food items for our local foodbanks. Items can be placed in the bins in the back of church.

14th Sunday Of Ordinary Time - A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar:

Just like the seventy two disciples sent out by Jesus in today's gospel, families are expected to be MISSIONARIES. By our lives, words and life style we proclaim peace, commitment, fidelity and respect to a culture caught up with violence and gratification.

The Pope's Prayer Intention For July:

For formation in discernment

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.



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Diocesan News & Upcoming Events:

Stewardship Reflection July 06 2025: – 14th Sunday In Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel passage, from Luke, we find our Lord appointing disciples to go out and prepare others to receive His invitation into the Kingdom of God. "The Lord appointed 72 others whom He sent out ahead of Him in pairs to every town and place He intended to visit." In His wisdom, Christ sent His disciples out not as individuals, but in pairs - as teams. The disciples could lean on each other for mutual support and encouragement, helping each other to stay on task and to put their heads together to pray and problem-solve. This teamwork approach is just as relevant to us modern-day Christian stewards. It takes courage and commitment to go out and invite others into the Christian life, and we need to work together. There is also symbolic importance to working in teams. It points to the reality that when we invite others to embrace the Good News of the Gospel, we are not merely inviting them into a belief system, but into a relationship with Christ and into Christ's family. We are not meant to live as isolated individuals within the parish any more than we are meant to live in isolation within our families. We are meant to be in community. That is why it is so important for us to foster a vibrant, supportive, welcoming parish life - and that is why hospitality is one of the pillars of stewardship. We must invite others into our community, and offer a place and a mission, for them in the Church and within our parish family.

Popular EWTN Personality to Preach at Lilly Parish:

In celebration of the Jubilee Year 2025, Our Lady of the Alleghenies Parish in Lilly will welcome a special guest as part of the faith community's annual 40 Hours Devotion. **It is happening September 7-9 with Solemn Vespers each evening at 7:00 p.m.** EWTN personality Father Leo Patalinghug will be the guest homilist. Father Patalinghug is an award-winning chef, radio and TV host, speaker, and author. He is perhaps best known for his popular TV cooking segments, in which he also highlights the Catholic faith. Our Lady of the Alleghenies Parish is a designated Holy Site in the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown during this Jubilee Year. Guests who visit the parish may have their pilgrim's passport stamped.

Saint Ann Sisters to Host Novena in Ebensburg:

The Sisters of Saint Ann announce the annual nine days novena in honor of Saint Ann to be held at Mount Saint Ann, 1120 N. Center Street, Ebensburg beginning on **Friday, July 18 and ending on Saturday, July 26**, the Feast of Saints Joachim and Ann. The Eucharistic celebration and devotion will be held every evening at **7:00 p.m.** at the outside shrine. Bishop Mark Bartchak will be the main celebrant for the closing of the novena. The public is invited to attend the novena and to welcome Bishop Mark.

Prince Gallitzin Chapel House:

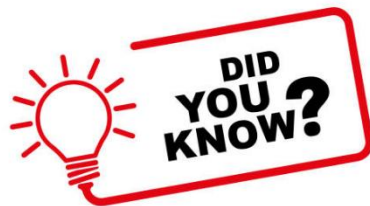
The historic **Prince Gallitzin Chapel House**, next to the Our Lady of the Alleghenies Shrine, will be open on the following Sunday afternoons from **3:00 – 6:00 PM** for self-guided tours, pilgrimages and visits: **July 20, August 3, 17 and 31.**

Outdoor Mass for Married Couples:

Mark your calendar for one of the most popular liturgical celebrations of the summer. Bishop Mark will preside at the annual outdoor Mass for married couples on **July 20 at 7:00 p.m.** at the beautiful Our Lady of the Alleghenies Shrine. During the liturgy, husbands and wives will have the opportunity to renew their sacramental commitment to each other.

Mass times when traveling:

As people start traveling and vacationing, please check out: www.masstimes.org to find the closest Catholic Church to where you are, so you can attend Mass throughout the next few months. Or call *1-800-Mass-Times* for information.



Did You Know? July is traditionally the month of the most Precious Blood.

A promotional poster for the 2025 Women's Conference. The background is a textured, light brown color with faint line-art illustrations of hands and leaves. At the top left, the text "Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown" is written in a large, elegant, black script font. Below it, "2025 Women's Conference" is written in a similar but slightly smaller script font. To the right of the title is a circular logo with a woman's face and the words "STRENGTH IN CHRIST". In the center, the theme "Strength in Christ Joy in the Mess" is written in a smaller, black, serif font. Below this, the event details are listed: "Join us for our 4th Annual DAJ Women's Conference hosted at Mount Aloysius College at the Bertschi Center on September 20th, 2025 9:00am-4:00pm". A photograph of Megan Hjelmstad, the featured speaker, is shown on the right side. Below the photo, text describes the event: "We encourage the women of our diocese to take time for some faith-filled nourishment this fall by coming to enjoy Mass with Bishop Mark Bartchak, Confessions with our local priests, and talks by our featured speaker with a guided prayer session. As well as light refreshments and lunch served. Fill up your spiritual cup with time for reflection, prayer, and fellowship with the women of our diocese." Further down, it says: "We're so excited to have with us as this year's speaker, Megan Hjelmstad. She is an author, speaker, mentor, wife, mom, and veteran. She is coming to us from Denver, CO and has family here in PA. Come and enjoy as Megan speaks on the joy found in mess of life." At the bottom, it provides registration information: "Check-in Begins at 7:30am Mass with Bishop Mark at 9:00am more information to follow". A QR code is located on the right side, with the text "To register please scan the QR code or go to ajdiocese.org/giving or check with your local parish for a registration form". At the very bottom, it says: "For questions please call Brittany Boland at the office of Stewardship & Development - 814-695-5579".

Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown 2025 Women's Conference

Strength in Christ
Joy in the Mess

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Is God Calling You to Become a Deacon?

Do you believe that God might be calling you to discern the Ordained Ministry of Christ the Servant, as a Permanent Deacon in the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown? If so, you and your wife (if married) are invited to join Bishop Mark and Deacon Michael Russo at the "Bishop's Night of Vocations" on **October 8 at 7:00 p.m.** at the U.S. Hotel Tavern in Hollidaysburg. Reservations are required and can be made by contacting Jessica at (814) 361-2000. **The deadline for reservations is September 2.**

Outdoor Mass
at the
Our Lady of the Alleghenies Shrine

Loretto
Every Sunday from Memorial Day Weekend to Labor Day Weekend at 7:00 PM

Special Masses

June 29th

Jubilee Year Celebration

July 20th

Mass for Married Couples

August 3rd

Mass for Those Entering or Returning to College



The Historic
SAINT JOSEPH MISSION CHURCH
at
HART'S SLEEPING PLACE
Summer 2025 Tour Dates

On the following Sundays from 12:00-3:00 PM, the church will be open for self-guided tours

June 29th
August 24th

326 Strip Road
Carrolltown, PA 15722



Labourers in the Harvest

Luke 10:1-12, 17-20



I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves.

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus sends out seventy-two disciples to tell the people in

the towns that He is coming, and to heal the sick. He tells them that they should pray to the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.

Jesus compares the souls of the people to a harvest. He needs people who will go out into the world and gather the souls for Him, and tells the people that they should pray that God will send out these labourers. Do you know who these people are? They are the priests and other missionaries who work to bring people to Jesus.

Do you think that God might be calling you to be a labourer in the harvest of souls? Pray every day that you will know how you can best serve God. Also pray that God will send many holy priests and missionaries into the world.

