

APPOINTMENTS

ACOLYTES

Sat. June 22 - 4:00 PM - Rylee Hershey, Claire Nackley
Sun. June 23 - 8:00 AM - Mai Linh Do, NOT FILLED
Sun. June 23 - 10:00 AM - Savannah & Makayla Langenbacher

LECTORS

Sat. June 22 - 4:00 PM - Mark Sloan, Joyce Cunningham
Sun. June 23 - 8:00 AM - Fran Semelsberger, Russell O'Reilly
Sun. June 23 - 10:00 AM - Norma Foose, Bill Foose

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat. June 22 - 4:00 PM - Mary Haenig, Dorothy Yingling
Sun. June 23 - 8:00 AM - Darlene Scarpaci, Mary Truesdale
Sun. June 23 - 10:00 AM - Dolores Capriotti, Daniel Langenbacher,
Bob Olson, Donna Moyer, NOT FILLED, NOT FILLED

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

Sat. June 22 - 4:00 PM - Connie Baker, Judy Sneath, NOT FILLED,
NOT FILLED
Sun. June 23 - 8:00 AM - Carolyn English, Helen Miller,
Charlie Moore, Ed Stoltz
Sun. June 23 - 10:00 AM - Walter Bloom, Wendy Campbell,
Lou Ann Clark, Patrick Podoletz

SACRISTAN

Sat. June 22 - 4:00 PM - Mary & Ray King
Sun. June 23 - 8:00 AM - Darlene Scarpaci
Sun. June 23 - 10:00 AM - Dolores Capriotti

SCRIP

Sat. June 22 - 4:00 PM - Jane Byrne, Anna Rasmussen
Sun. June 23 - 8:00 AM - Patty & Bill Teufel
Sun. June 23 - 10:00 AM - Peg Madden, Marge Rudolph

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UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

June 16 - Graduates honored at 10:00AM Mass
June 30 - Faith Night with the Curve - 6:00 PM
July 14 - Second Sunday Food Collection
July 21 - Parish Picnic at Legion Park - 11:00 Mass at the
park. **No 10:00 Mass in the church**

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY • TUESDAY • THURSDAY • FRIDAY 8:30AM
WEDNESDAY 6:00PM
SATURDAY - 4:00PM • SUNDAY - 8:00AM & 10:00AM

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June Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

Priests

That priests, through the modesty and
humility of their lives, commit themselves
actively to a solidarity with those who are
the most poor.



A Few Words from the Pastor:

A GREAT BARBECUE! Many thanks to all who assisted in preparing and serving our annual Chicken Barbecue last Sunday, as well as to all who supported this dinner. We sold out of tickets! A special shout out to Ginny Reeder, who is the dynamo force for this event!

OUR PRAYERS FOR OUR DEACON ON RETREAT – Deacon Gene will be away on his annual diocesan retreat this week. We offer our prayers for him and for his fellow deacons.

KUDOS TO OUR GRADUATES – This weekend we will celebrate our graduates from grade school, high school and college. Special recognition will be given to them at our 10:00 Mass. A special blessing and gift will be given to each! These are our graduates:

Seton Hill University – Amy Podoletz

High School - AJ Abraham, Alexandria Auerbeck, Alycia Auerbeck, Makayla Langenbacher, Pamela Lund, Rachel Resick, Nathan Ringkamp, Tyler Rossi, Nathan Rudolph

Grade School - Andrew Abraham, Caitlin Conigy, Mai Linh Do, Ryan Donoughe, Matthew Woolridge

OUR SAINT OF THE WEEK - Saint Aloysius de Gonzaga, S.J. was an Italian aristocrat who became a member of the Society of Jesus. While still a student at the Roman College, he died at the age of 23 as a result of caring for the victims of a serious epidemic. He was beatified in 1605 and canonized in 1726. He has the distinction of being baptized by St. Charles Borromeo and receiving the Last Rites from St. Robert Bellarmine, both Jesuits who were friends of the Gonzaga family. In Cresson we have both a parish and a college that are named after him, most likely because he is seen as a patron to youth! Because the establishment of the parish antedates the founding of the college, it would seem that the college took the same name as the local parish.

RESTORE, REPAIR, REJOICE! - We have begun the second phase of our 100th Anniversary Capital Campaign, reaching out by mail to all those who have not yet contributed. We are most grateful to all who have already responded, and are looking forward to 100% participation! We are currently soliciting bids for the replacement of our school and gym roofs. As we address deferred maintenance issues, your gift will position us well for the next century of service as a parish family.

OUR CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE - Monies collected are restricted to the following areas of concern in our diocese: Caring for the Poor and Strengthening Families, Nurturing our Youth, and Forming Clergy and Laity. *This Fund will no longer support the core administrative offices of the diocese, but will specifically be used to sustain our people-to-people ministries of the diocese.* Our parish goal is \$43,116 and to date payments/pledges total \$21,475. Please be generous.

PARISH COUNCIL UPDATE: Parish Council met on Monday, June 10th, 2019.

Council covered old business topics of the carnation sale, church picnic, Curve game, and the community outreach program. The new business topics included the announcement of the new parish council members David Andrews, Wendy Campbell, Kristina Hoyne, Susan Podoletz, and Heather Yasolsky. Also under new business was a review of the recent parish survey results, a school/gym reorganization and the 2019-2020 budget. We also gave a farewell to council members Jim Campbell, Fran Semelsberger, Bob Olson, Pat Podoletz and Wally Wargo, who have completed their 3 year term on Parish Council. The next parish council meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 9th.



ST. JOHN'S ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC:

Join your parish family on July 21st at Legion Park in Hollidaysburg. Sunday Mass begins at 11:00AM. (Please note that the 10:00 Mass will not be held in the church on this date.) Following Mass, lunch will be served at 12:30PM. The parish will provide chicken, hamburgers and hot dogs. Please bring a dish to share in a disposable tray or bowl, if possible. This occasion is most fruitful to forming new and lasting friendships. Two separate sheets for volunteers are posted on the kiosk. Many volunteers are needed for a successful gathering!



CEREAL DRIVE: We will continue to accept boxes of cereal for the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry throughout the summer. This cereal drive is not part of the 2nd Sunday Food Collection. We hope you can help us out by dropping a box of cereal in the designated container in the Gathering Space as you come in to Mass.

STAY INFORMED AND ENGAGED IN DIOCESAN NEWS:

Visit proclaim.dioceseaj.org and sign up for regular e-mail updates of the on-line newspaper *Proclaim!: The Good News of Altoona-Johnstown* featuring diocesan news, information, and commentary – including happenings at parishes and schools. In addition, monthly editions of *The Catholic Register* will be available here at the parish in the Gathering Space.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER: A lifestyle of stewardship includes the sharing of time, talent, and treasure as much as you can, whenever you can, according to the allotment given you by the God the Father, Jesus the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. Our parish communities should always strive to reflect the perfect love of the Triune God in our prayer and actions.

Stewardship at St. John's

Offertory for June 9

Envelopes	\$ 4,742.00
Loose	\$ 685.00
Catholic Communication	\$ 155.00
SubTotal	\$ 5,582.00
Online Giving	\$ 1,973.00
Total Offertory	\$ 7,555.00

Restore*Repair*Rejoice

Payments/Donations	\$89,270
Pledge Payment Committed	\$52,742
Total Pledges/Donations	\$142,012

2019 Catholic Ministries Drive

Goal - \$43,116

Payments/Donations	\$18,050
Pledge Payment Committed	\$3,425
Total Pledges/Donations	\$21,475

ST JOHN'S PRAYER LIST

Please call Ginny Reeder (695-7671) or email her at gabby.reeder@gmail.com to add or remove someone from the prayer list.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING and their caregivers and give thanks for those who have recovered.

Lord we ask for your blessings and care for these and all people in need:

**Baby Adam • Baby Aiden • Cari Ann • James Aubrey
Judy Baird • Robert Cole • Millie Grace Capon
Betty Dennis • Michael DeStefano • Jim Duffy
Charlie Elder • Helen Fornwalt • Leann Frazier
Dianna Green • Ken Hartman • Karen Horton
Boni Javier • Brian Kopp • Lisa • Sherri Maffettone
Ron Merilli • Bryson Miller • June Miller • Susie Miller
Barbara Moore • Ailani Myers • Patricia Olson
Mary Oricko • Jeff Price • Karen Price • Ron Peschock
Dave Petrak • Mary Rajnish • Allison Recker
Olga Romerowicz • Mike Rudolph • Anne Showalter
Dianne Stultz • Patti Sweet • Tim & Dina Temofonte
Patty Teufel • Lois Werfel • William Wieland
Noah Wills • Amber Yasolsky • Milan & Family**

When a person recovers, please call the office and have their name removed from the list.

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GOING ON VACATION?

Please use Online Giving to catch-up on offertory. Our parish provides Online Giving as an electronic tool for contributions so you can give via the Internet. Online Giving helps you maintain your giving even if you cannot be here at Mass. Go to www.stjohnsaltoona.org and click on the Donate Online link under Parish Information on the left side of the page. Complete the online registration form. It's quick and easy. Your support during summer months helps sustain our parish.



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BABY DRIVE EXTENDED: On behalf of Court Prince Gallit-zin #2625 of St. Rose of Lima, Altoona, we are extending our Baby Drive to continue on until June 30, 2019. We again ask for you to place your donation(s) in the box provided in the Gathering Space of the church.

BLUEBERRY SALE: St. George Orthodox Church is selling jumbo blueberries direct from New Jersey. The cost is \$30 per 10 pound case. Order deadline is Tuesday, June 25. Call 317-7059 to order. Pick up on Tuesday, July 2, at St. George Church, 519 58th Street, Altoona.

HOME CARE WORKER FOR FEMALE NEEDED: General light household chores with some personal care, food shopping and errands. Must be 18 years or older and have own car. Hours are flexible - \$11.20 per hour. Call after 11:00 AM - 941-8279.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST PARISH FAMILY ALBUM: Please check out this beautiful book in the Gathering Space. It is a wonderful place to record special occasions such as a baptism, first communion, confirmation, graduation, wedding, a special anniversary or to remember and honor a loved one who has passed on. If you would like to request an entry, please fill out and return one of the envelopes that are with the album. You may place your completed request envelope back in the album, drop it off at our parish office, or just place it in the collection basket.

DAY-LONG PILGRIMAGE TO NATIONAL CENTER FOR ST. PADRE PIO: June 26, 2019. Round trip bus fare is \$55.00 per person (based on 40 passengers) Lunch is \$21.00 per person. All gratuities are included. Built to resemble Padre Pio's friary in San Giovanni Rotondo, Italy, the Centre offers a number of outdoor statues, a magnificent chapel, and a full museum filled with cultural and religious relics. The bus for the Pilgrimage will leave the upper parking lot of St. Benedict Church at 7:00 AM on June 26th. The bus will depart from the Padre Pio Center at 4:30 PM. For more information, email Deacon Michael Russo at michael.russo@atlanticbb.net or phone (814) 288-3036. All are welcome.



The Most Holy Trinity
June 16, 2019

[T]he love of God has been poured out
into our hearts through the Holy Spirit.

— Romans 5:5b

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Sunday June 16 - The Most Holy Trinity

8:00AM- Mass for *People of the Parish*

10:00AM- Mass for *Teresa Geishauser* requested by
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Chverchko

Monday June 17 - Weekday

7:30AM- Eucharistic Adoration

8:10AM- Morning Prayer

8:30AM- Mass for *Karen Brooks* requested by Barb Bundy

Tuesday June 18 - Weekday

7:30AM- Eucharistic Adoration

8:10AM- Morning Prayer

8:30AM- Mass for *Stuart Macrae Smith* requested by
Rich & Joyce Lowe

Wednesday June 19 - Weekday

5:00PM- Eucharistic Adoration/Confessions

6:00PM- Mass for *Angeline Capriotti* requested by
Andrew & Kathleen Chabala

6:45PM- Rosary

Thursday June 20 - Weekday

7:30AM- Eucharistic Adoration

8:10AM- Morning Prayer

8:30AM- Mass for *Joe Robeson*

Friday June 21 - St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

7:30AM- Eucharistic Adoration

8:10AM- Morning Prayer

8:30AM- Mass for *Sylvia Baker* requested by
Dick & Claudia Anderson

Saturday June 22 - Vigil of The Most Holy Trinity

3:00 PM- Confessions

4:00PM- Mass for *Daniel Sclafani* requested by
Tom & Fran Semelsberger

Sunday June 23 - The Most Holy Trinity

8:00AM- Mass for *Bill & Josephine Seiler* requested by
Ron & Joyce Cunningham

10:00AM- Mass for *People of the Parish*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30; Mt 6:19-23



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