



ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass Times: M, W, Th, F 8:30 a.m.

Saturday: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days: 8:30 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Holy Hour: Friday: 3:00 p.m.

*We pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary before Mass at 5:00 PM Saturday and 8:25 AM Sunday. The Rosary and Chaplet is also prayed after weekday Masses.

Confessions: Saturday: 12:00 noon, Sunday: 8:00 a.m., after Holy Hour, after Mass, or any time by appointment.

Religious Education: grades 1-11 on Sunday: 10:00 – 10:45 a.m. –Contact Fr. Fairman

Catholic Charities: (814) 944-9388, call Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

New Parishioners: Please fill out a yellow card, found on the bulletin table, put it in the collection basket, and introduce yourself to Father Fairman.

May 24, 2026
Pentecost Sunday



LITURGY May 23 – May 31

SATURDAY

5:30 PM

May 23

All Members of the Parish

SUNDAY

9:00 AM

May 24

Melda Grover

by Fred & Margaret Grover

MONDAY

8:30 AM

May 25

Larry & Micki McCahan
by Family

TUESDAY

8:30 AM

May 26

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY

8:30 AM

May 27

Eileen & Leo O'Brien
by Family

THURSDAY

8:30 AM

May 28

Thomas Smith
by Mark & Kristina Engleka

FRIDAY

8:30 AM

May 29

Dale Weyant
by Friends

3:00 PM

EUCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

SATURDAY

5:30

May 30

All Members of the Parish

SUNDAY

9:00 AM

May 31

Jason Conklin
by Mr. & Mrs. John Purpura

PRAYER LIST: Luca Rakoczy, Raymond Smith, Don Butler, Anna Weber, John McKnight, Bob Will, Bob Stubler, Anne Jones, Billy Clapper, Bob Marko, Richard Heming, Harvey Bennett, Kyle Foust, James McDonnell, Adam Wright, Jim Buchanan, Jim Macy, Tim Kiser, Bob Myers, Ron and Sally Perrin, Mitch Durst, Judy Mardis, Janice Heming, Bill Wigfield, Dianne Hush, Danielle Henry, Suzanne Porsch, Chaddie Kidd, Nancy Pennel, Doreen Spargo, Mary Belle Zelanko, Rose Marie Stoeffler, James Bernarding, Shirley Smith, Linda Stubler, James Ford, Janine Anna, Caden Davis, Kathleen Yingling, River Troutman, Richard Koontz, Anne and Casimir Majcher, Joette Reid, Hope Burkett, J.B. Whisker, Pat Young, Rose Feight, Helen Snyder, and Nancy Stolarski .

* Please call to add or remove a name once the person is recovered or no longer in need of special prayer. If you are placing someone other than a family member on the list, please be sure to have their permission first.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: *In the Gospel, Jesus said again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he has said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit."* As the disciples were sent so now are we. You don't need to be a perfect person for the Spirit to work wonders through you. The disciples were ordinary people: full of doubts, regrets, and rough edges. But when the Holy Spirit comes opportunity opens wide. The Spirit meets us as we are and gives the courage, the words and the love we need to build up the Church and the world around us.

LADIES OF ST. JOHN: The next meeting will be **Wednesday, June 10, at 4 PM** in the social hall. The next parish social will be Sunday, June 14. Please consider donating some of your time and talent to this important ministry. New members are always welcome

ST. MONICA CLUB: will meet **Wednesday, June 3,** at 1 p.m. in the social hall. New members are welcome.

RAFFLE 2026: As we wait in anticipation of the big drawing on May 31, many thanks to Pat Winters for her work in making this project a financial benefit to the parish. Good luck to all ticket holders and thank you for your support.

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

By Bud Ozar

Like the disciples in today's gospel, there are times we shut the doors of our hearts to people or events. It's how we create emotional distance. Permanent distancing is lethal and prevents the PEACE Jesus offers you today.

ALUMINUM CAN RECYCLE: Please drop off rinsed, crushed aluminum beverage cans ONLY for recycling, near the garage doors. Aluminum foil and plates are NOT recyclable. This ongoing project benefits the Haiti Missions which are in great need of our help!

SUNDAY OFFERING

May 17, 2026

Weekly:	\$1,667.00
Ascension:	\$752.00
CMD Project:	\$20.00
Local Needs:	\$60.00

THANK YOU!!

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE (CMD) 2026: This year's theme, *Sent to Serve*, reminds us that, by virtue of our baptism, each of us has been *Sent to Serve*, entrusted with gifts that are meant to be shared for the good of others. This drive supports 9 ministries in our diocese, under evangelization, serving those in need, or formation of priests and deacons. This year our diocesan goal is **\$9,200**. Everything over that will be used for our project of replace our entrance sign. As of **April 30**, we have received **\$7,470** in cash and pledges to the diocese and **\$545** directly for our project.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL 814-979-0272

As we celebrate Pentecost, Jesus says to his disciples:

"Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you."

As we celebrate the mystery of the Trinity we also realize the mystery of how much God loves and cares for us each day.

Believing in this our lives can then overflow in thanksgiving and praise.

Your gift to St. Vincent de Paul brings to the poor not only relief from suffering and insecurity but also a reason to believe in the mystery of God's love for them.

125TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DIOCESE OF ALTOONA – JOHNSTOWN:

In celebration, all the faithful are invited to a Mass of Thanksgiving celebrated by Bishop Mark on May 31, at 2:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament in Altoona. Priests, deacons, and men and women religious will be in attendance. All parishioners of the diocese are welcome and encouraged to attend the Mass. Anyone interested in being part of the festival choir for the Mass may contact Cathedral Music Director Robert Long by emailing rlong@dioceseaj.org.

BABY BOTTLE FUND RAISER: Please return all baby bottles to the vestibule when filled, but no later than Fathers' Day, June 21.

OUTDOOR MASSES: Outdoor Masses at Our Lady of the Alleghenies Shrine in Loretto will be celebrated beginning this Sunday, May 24, at 7:00 PM and continuing every Sunday at 7:00 PM through Labor Day weekend. All are welcome. Please bring your own lawn chair.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BACKPACK PROGRAM: As the school year draws to a close, **next weekend** will be the last weekend for donations to the Backpack Program. Thank you for your generosity.