



## St. Catherine Church

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**SATURDAY, January 13: VIGIL OF SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**5:00 p.m. MASS** – † Jean DeVecchis by Keats and Janet Daschbach

**SUNDAY, January 14: SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**9:00 a.m. MASS** – † Living and Deceased Members of Saint Catherine of Siena Parish

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**Monday, January 15: Weekday (Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.)**

**8:00 a.m.** – † Mary Rose Conrad by Dan and Sara Fogle

**Tuesday, January 16: Weekday**

**8:00 a.m.** – † Joan Renninger by Mary Leonard Family

**Wednesday, January 17: Saint Anthony, Abbot**

**8:00 a.m.** – † Ann Norris by Jerry Norris

**Thursday, January 18: Weekday**

**8:00 a.m.** – † Jean DeVecchis by Trudy Lego

**Friday, January 19: Weekday**

**8:00 a.m.** – † Teresa Norris by Jerry Norris

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**SATURDAY, January 20: VIGIL OF THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**5:00 p.m. MASS** – Theonas Fleming by The Joe Sanker Family

**SUNDAY, January 21: THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**9:00 a.m. MASS** – Living and Deceased Members of Saint Catherine of Siena Parish

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Meeting Huntingdon and Mount Union councils will hold a meeting on Tuesday, January 16, at 6:00 p.m. at Most Holy Trinity Parish in Huntingdon.

**Jake Cooper, Abe Weirich, and Sarah Varner** are collecting non-perishable canned food items and boxed food items as part of their **FBLA service project**. All items will be donated to the local food bank to help families in need. Items can be dropped off in the box outside the gathering area or you can contact Vicki Cooper at the high school for an in-person pickup.

If you know of **Prayer Requests for a sick parishioner**: Write the name or petition in our Parish Prayer Request Book located in the vestibule of our church. The Prayer Request Book is brought into the church at each weekend Mass and all the intentions are included in the General Intercessions.

Thank you for all the parishioners who gave presents to the residents at the **Shirley Home** for Christmas. It was greatly appreciated.

## Schedule of Liturgical Ministries for January 20/ 21, 2024

MASS	Lectors	Altar Servers	Hospitality Ministers (Greeters)	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Saturday <b>5:00 p.m.</b>	Ed McGarvey	Volunteer		Mary Lyons Maria Danish
Sunday <b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Suzanne Brown	Kasen Gipe Branson Gipe		Beth Lear Volunteer

**January 14, 2024** –Our readings today focus on the vital attributes of being a disciple of Christ. Our First Reading from Samuel unfolds the relationship between Samuel and the Lord. If we put ourselves in Samuel’s shoes, we can wonder how many times the Lord has spoken to us but we did not recognize His voice. God’s voice might already be present in the quiet of our hearts, in Scripture, or even in speaking through someone else. He speaks to us in various forms, but to recognize that it is Him, we must give Him a portion of our time by being still and listening to what He is calling us to do or not do.

Our journey as disciples of Christ is an ongoing adventure. To grow on this journey, we can seek first the Kingdom of God, listen to God’s voice in our lives, and be good stewards of what He has gifted us. With that, the Lord will respond with “Come, and you will see!

### ***Marian Devotions:***

Approximately 30 minutes before each Mass begins with the recitation of the Holy Rosary.

### **DEPRESSED OR ANXIOUS? NEED SOME HELP AND SUPPORT?**

Catholic Charities, an agency of the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown offers professional, confidential counseling for individuals, children and youth, families, and couples. Please call them at 944-9388 for more information.

***Sacrament of Reconciliation:*** One half hour before Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses or anytime by appointment/request.



**SANCTUARY CANDLE:**  
The Sanctuary Candle acknowledging The Real Presence of Christ in the tabernacle is burning this week for  
**Poor Souls**



**COLLECTION COUNTING SCHEDULE for:**  
**Sunday, January 14, 2024:** Maggie Stiffler  
**Sunday, January 21, 2024:** Dennis Drake

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD)** –Regularly scheduled classes will be held every Sunday from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.



### ***Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick:***

Request the Anointing of the Sick when you know the date of an upcoming medical procedure or the beginning of the medical treatment by calling the Parish Office. The peace that the Sacrament offers can be yours during the days you prepare for the medical appointment.

**LIVE MASS** aired Every Sunday from Saint John Gualbert Cathedral in Johnstown on **WATM-TV ABC Channel 23** If you are homebound and not able to attend the Sunday Mass, please watch our Diocesan Program Proclaim at 10:30 a.m. and the live telecast of Sunday Liturgy at 11:00 a.m.



Edward Galla, Conner Smith-Burd, Eva Roddy, Vance Hower

<b>January 2024 Schedule for Liturgical Ministries at Saint Catherine</b>			
<b>Date/Mass</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>	<b>Ministers</b>
5:00 p.m. Saturday January 6, 2023	Maggie Stiffler	Volunteer	Maggie Stiffler Maria Danish
9:00 a.m. Sunday January 7, 2023	Louise Ketner	Quinn Weirich Nolan Starr Abe Weirich	Louise Ketner Volunteer
8:00 p.m. Saturday January 13, 2023	Dayton Shugarts	Guy Kumpf	Andrea Christoff Kathy Lantz
9:00 a.m. Sunday January 14, 2023	Beth Lear	Dane Varner Jack McCartney Juliam Weirich	Marcia Slates Will Crouse
5:00 p.m. Saturday January 20, 2023	Ed McGarvey	Volunteer	Mary Lyons Maria Danish
9:00 a.m. Sunday January 21, 2023	Suzanne Brown	Kasen Gipe Branson Gipe	Beth Lear Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday January 27, 2023	Cathy Wilson	Maggie Stiffler	Andrea Christoff Kathy Lantz
9:00 a.m. Sunday January 28, 2023	Dennis Drake	Maria Mellott Bella Starr Abe Weirich	Will Crouse Marcia Slates

***Sacrament of Baptism of Infants:***

By appointment, preferably celebrated within the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass, families, regardless of religious affiliation, are encouraged to attend and participate in Baptismal Sacramental Preparation and Celebration. Sponsor certificate must be received at the Parish Office if the sponsors are not members of Saint Catherine of Siena Church.

***Becoming Catholic:***

This is an ongoing journey of preparation. We invite all who are interested to contact the Parish Office or drop a note into the collection basket with your intention to become a Catholic, your name, address and telephone number to contact you for further information. Sacrament of Baptism or Reception into the full communion of the Catholic Church will be celebrated at Easter Vigil.