

Monday, June 24: THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST
8:00 a.m. – † Joseph S. and Catherine Danish by Joe and Maria
Tuesday, June 25: Weekday
8:00 a.m. – † Mary Jo Moulds by Family
Wednesday, June 26: Weekday
8:00 a.m. – † Pete and Alice Jane Lear by Fred Lear
Thursday, June 27: Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the church
8:00 a.m. – † Billy McGarvey by Bob and Ann
Friday, June 28: Saint Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr
8:00 a.m. – † Nellie Imperioli by Family

# SATURDAY, June 29: VIGIL OF THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 5:00 p.m. MASS – Andy Ketner by Louise and AJ SUNDAY, June 30: THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 9:00 a.m. MASS – Living and Deceased Members of Saint Catherine of Siena Parish

Clay Glenny and family are now organizing their annual yard sale to benefit the **Bob Perks Cancer Assistance Fund.** The sale will take place in the Holy Family Hall on July 12 & 13. Any donations of items or baked goods are accepted and greatly appreciated. Please drop off or coordinate pickup of items before Sunday, July 7, if possible. Please contact Clay Glenny at 814-506-4457 if you have items to donate or if you have any questions.

The Bob Perks Cancer Assistance Fund (BPF) helps ease the financial burden of individuals and families in our community who are battling cancer by providing funding for basic necessities (rent, utilities, gas & grocery gift cards, etc.) so their focus is on treatment and recovery. The organization supports individual living in Blair, Centre, Clearfield, Huntingdon, Mifflin and Juniata Counties. Qualified applicants can receive up to \$1,000 every 90 days, and are referred by their oncology team. In 2023, BPF allocated nearly \$275,000 to 424 cancer patients in their six-county service area. All funds raised stay in our local communities.

Schedule of Liturgical Ministries for June 29/ 30, 2024						
MASS	Lectors	Altar Servers	Hospitality Ministers (Greeters)	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		
Saturday <b>5:00 p.m.</b>	Louise Ketner	Ann Bonson	Volunteer	Kevin Muha Louise Ketner		
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Suzanne Brown	Julian Weirich Abe Weirich Quinn Weirich	Volunteer	Marcia Slates Volunteer		

### <u>Stewardship Reflections</u> June 23, 2024 –

12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Our readings today remind us that God always has our best interests in mind. No matter what is going on in our lives, God is with us. Our First Reading is from the end of the book of Job. The book of Job is an incredible story of God allowing trials and suffering to occur in Job's life. God knows that Job is a faithful man and will not turn away from Him despite hardship, so the Lord allows destruction in Job's life. In moments of trial, we often live our days in a panic. It is as if our life is like the life of those disciples. We see the water coming into our boat and we do all that we can in our power to stay afloat. We aimlessly try to throw the water overboard, and we become exhausted because it is thrown right back into our face. We are frantic, so we fail to stop and recognize that our Savior is in the same boat with us. Although it might feel like He is sleeping and His presence is lacking. He is right there suffering with us. Therefore, during our trials, cling to Jesus. Know that there is an end, and whether we see the end in this life or the next, God allows it all for our salvation. Today, let us thank God for His presence in our lives, and ask for

the eyes of faith to see that He is right here with us always.

**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.



#### 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, June 23, 2024: Will Crouse Sunday, June 30, 2024: Mary Secrest

**Pro-Life Corner** JUNE 23-"If we continue to define "quality of life" along the lines of viability then we are only a step away from killing anyone in nursing homes, mental institutions, and homes for the disabled because they, too, could not survive very long without great amounts of love, support, nutrition, and care." Rev. Richard Seefried

On behalf of the **Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel Parish Family** in Loretto, all the faithful of the Altoona-Johnstown Diocese are invited to outdoor Masses every Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies beginning on Sunday, May 26 and concluding on Sunday, September 1. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be celebrated in the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel.



Noah Wilson, Janet Daschbach, Mark Mellott, Kenneth Ross

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Date/Mass	Readers	Altar Servers	Ministers
5:00 p.m. Saturday June 1, 2023	Beth Lear	Volunteer	Andrea Christoff Mary Lyons
9:00 a.m. Sunday June 2, 2023	Louise Ketner	Maria Mellott Bella Starr Julian Weirich	Louise Ketner Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday June 8, 2024	Cathy Wilson	Ann Bonson	Maria Danish Kevin Muha
9:00 a.m. Sunday June 9, 2024	Beth Lear	Quinn Weirich Nolan Starr Abe Weirich	Will Crouse Marcia Slates
5:00 p.m. Saturday June 15, 2024	Dayton Shugarts	Volunteer	Ann Bonson Mary Lyons
9:00 a.m. Sunday June 16, 2024	Suzanne Brown	Dane Varner Jax McCartney Julian Weirich	Beth Lear Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday June 22, 2024	Ed McGarvey	Guy Kumpf	Andrea Christoff Maria Danish
9:00 a.m. Sunday June 23, 2024	Dennis Drake	Kasen Gipe Branson Gipe	Will Crouse Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday June 29, 2024	Louise Ketner	Ann Bonson	Kevin Muha Louise Ketner
9:00 a.m. Sunday June 30, 2024	Suzanne Brown	Julian Weirich Abe Weirich Quinn Weirich	Marcia Slates Volunteer

## 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.

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JUNE 23, 2024