



St. Catherine Church

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SATURDAY, March 14: VIGIL OF FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Margaret Cassatt by Dan and Suzanne Brown

SUNDAY, March 15: FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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

Monday, March 16: Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † Andy Ketner by Louise

Tuesday, March 17: Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † Esther Gaisior by Joe and Maria Danish

Wednesday, March 18: Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † For Vocations

Thursday, March 19: SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

8:00 a.m. – † Nick Imperioli by Catholic Daughters

Friday, March 20: Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † Trudy DeVecchis Lego by Joe Klingler

SATURDAY, March 21: VIGIL OF FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Teresa Peduzzi by Malack

SUNDAY, March 22: FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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

The Confirmation Class will be sponsoring a spaghetti dinner to benefit the Saint Vincent de Paul Society on March 21, 2026 from 3:00-6:30 p.m. in the Holy Family Hall. Dine in or take outs available. Tickets will be sold after the weekend Masses.

First Day of Spring March 20th

If you do have a garden, this would also be a good day to bless it with this prayer that might also be used as a meal prayer, substituting the word table for garden.

God, our Creator and Maker of all things, help us grow in our appreciation for the good earth. You have given us. We thank You for all the gifts of food You have given from this garden. Today, we ask You to bless it still with many new and vibrant forms of life in food that will sustain us. Grant this through Jesus, our Savior. Amen!

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 Intercession.

Schedule of Liturgical Ministries for March 21/ 22, 2026

MASS	Lectors	Altar Servers	Hospitality Ministers (Greeters)	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Maggie Stiffler	Guy Kumpf	Volunteer	Maggie Stiffler Mary Lyons
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Dennis Drake	Jax McCartney Dane Varner Nolan Starr	Volunteer	Will Crouse Volunteer

Confession from 3:30-4:30 p.m. every Saturday and Sunday and Wednesday after morning Mass.

March 15, 2026 – 4th Sunday of Lent

Today’s readings on this fourth Sunday of Lent are filled with contrasting images – God’s vision versus human vision, the light of Christ versus the darkness of sin, spiritual blindness versus spiritual sightedness. Embracing a stewardship way of life can free us from spiritual blindness, allow us to see as God sees, and help us to reflect the light of Christ’s love in the way we live our daily lives.

In our Gospel passage from John, Christ says of Himself. “I am the light of the world.” This passage recounts a miracle our Lord performs, restoring sight to a man born blind. The man responds to the Pharisees who question him about his healing by declaring to them that Jesus “opened my eyes.” These Lenten days are an excellent time for us to ask Jesus to open our eyes, too. Let us ask Him to show us where we may be suffering from spiritual blindness, perhaps even in subtle ways.

As we continue on our Lenten journey, let’s intensify our efforts in any of these areas where we have become a little blinded so that by Easter, we are truly living as children of the light.

March 15, 2026 Fifth Sunday of Lent John 9:1-41

Failure to forgive blinds us to another’s goodness. Lent provides an opportunity to wash away our blindspots in the pool of forgiveness. Listen to Jesus in today’s gospel. “Go wash and see.”



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, March 15, 2026: Mary Secrest
Sunday, March 22, 2026: Maggie Stiffler

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

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.

Marian Devotions:

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



Ethan Clemens, Caden Feather,
Sloane Hancock, Abe Weirich,
Louis Minisci

March 2026 Schedule for Liturgical Ministries at Saint Catherine

Date/Mass	Readers	Altar Servers	Ministers
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 7, 2026	Louise Ketner	Volunteer	Louise Ketner Mary Lyons
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 8, 2026	Cheryl Marino	Bella Starr Maria Mellott	Will Crouse Marcia Slates
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 14, 2026	Ed McGarvey	Volunteer	Maria Danish Andrea Christoff
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 15, 2026	Suzanne Brown	Quinton Stoltzfus Quinn Weirich Abe Weirich	Brent Stoltzfus Beth Lear
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 21, 2026	Maggie Stiffler	Guy Kumpf	Maggie Stiffler Mary Lyons
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 22, 2026	Dennis Drake	Jax McCartney Dane Varner Nolan Starr	Will Crouse Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 28, 2026	Cathy Wilson	Maggie Stiffler	Volunteer Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 29, 2026	Beth Lear	Kasen Gipe Branson Gipe	Will Crouse Marcia Slates