



St. Catherine Church

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SATURDAY, November 11: VIGIL OF THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Josephine Peduzzi by Mary Lou

SUNDAY, November 12: THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

Monday, November 13: Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin

8:00 a.m. – † In Honor of the 65th Wedding Anniversary of Sam & Carmela Ciccaglione by Valerie Copenhaver and Fred Lear

Tuesday, November 14: Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † Charles and Rose Flagle by Ron and Judy

Wednesday, November 15: Saint Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:00 a.m. – † John and Cora Hayduk by Ron and Judy

Thursday, November 16: Saint Margaret of Scotland, Saint Gertrude, Virgin

8:00 a.m. – † Angeline Blazeovich by Lisa and Jim Callahan (Birthday Remembrance)

Friday, November 17: Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

8:00 a.m. – † Dr. David Miller by Mary and Family

SATURDAY, November 18: VIGIL OF THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. MASS – Deceased Knights of Columbus

SUNDAY, November 19: THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

The St. Vincent de Paul Society will once again provide **24 families** with a **Thanksgiving meal**. At this time, the St. Catherine Conference is asking for assistance by donating non-perishable food items and/or funds to purchase perishable food items. All donations will need to be made by Sunday, November 19, 2023. A sign-up sheet is located in the gathering space. Monetary donations can be given to Andrea, Mary Lou, or Beth. Thank you in advance.

The Catholic Daughters are hosting a Gardner's Candy Fundraiser. Order forms are located in the gathering space. All orders and money are due by November 26, 2023.

Jesse Tree Presentation Sunday, December 3, 2023 during the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please have children at the church by 8:45 a.m. Coffee and donuts will be served after Mass in the Holy Family Hall. **There will be No CCD.**

The CCD program will be singing Christmas Carols and handing out cookie bags to the residents of **Shirley Home on December 3, 2023 at 1:00 p.m.** If your child is able to participate please bring them to the Shirley Home by 12:45 p.m. We will meet outside and go in together. We hope the children can join us for this holiday activity.

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 12, 2023

Schedule of Liturgical Ministries for November 18/ 19, 2023

MASS	Lectors	Altar Servers	Hospitality Ministers (Greeters)	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Maggie Stiffler	Volunteer		Maggie Stiffler Kathy Lantz
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Louise Ketner	Dane Varner Jax McCartney Juliam Weirich		Louise Ketner Will Crouse

Pro Life Nov 12 – Terminating the life of our pre-born daughters is not protecting their rights as women. Why aren't feminists working to save these unborn future women?



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



November 12, 2023-Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wisdom is a central theme in our readings today. It is one of the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit and it is key to living the Stewardship way of life in our complex world. As Christian stewards, we should rely on this gift and ask the Holy Spirit to increase it within us.

Jesus makes a very clear point in our Gospel passage from Matthew. He tells the parable of ten virgins awaiting the arrival of the bridegroom who will welcome them in to the wedding feast. Five of the virgins were foolish and five were wise. The foolish virgins failed to bring oil along with their lamps when they went to meet the bridegroom came. The foolish virgins, caught off guard, ran off to buy more oil, but they were too late. The door to the wedding feast was locked to them. Jesus cautions, Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour."

The stewardship way of life-with its daily and weekly commitments to giving God the best of our Time, Talent and Treasure-is the "oil" that we keep with us at all times. When we have this plan in place and we rely deeply on the Holy Spirit to guide us through the twists and turns of each day, we are free, we are ready to answer the Bridegroom when He calls us. We live in wisdom.

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 12, 2023

COLLECTION COUNTING SCHEDULE for:

Sunday, Nov 12, 2023: Dennis Drake

Sunday, Nov 19, 2023: Kathy Lantz

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.



Amy Mathur, Judith Hayduk,
Lori Varner, Katie Christoff,
Eden Detwiler, Conner Whitsel

November 2023 Schedule for Liturgical Ministries at Saint Catherine			
Date/Mass	Readers	Altar Servers	Ministers
5:00 p.m. Saturday November 4, 2023	Dayton Shugarts	Guy Kumpf	Maria Danish Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday November 5, 2023	Suzanne Brown	Juliam Weirich	Will Crouse Volunteer
8:00 p.m. Saturday November 11, 2023	Ed McGarvey	Volunteer	Andrea Christoff Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday November 12, 2023	Dennis Drake	Quinn Weirich Nolan Starr Abe Weirich	Marcia Slates Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday November 18, 2023	Maggie Stiffler	Volunteer	Maggie Stiffler Kathy Lantz
9:00 a.m. Sunday November 19, 2023	Louise Ketner	Dane Varner Jax McCartney Juliam Weirich	Louise Ketner Will Crouse
5:00 p.m. Saturday November 25, 2023	Cathy Wilson	Maggie Stiffler	Mary Lyons Maria Danish
9:00 a.m. Sunday November 26, 2023	Suzanne Brown	Kasen Gipe Branson Gipe	Marcia Slates Volunteer

Sacrament of Matrimony:

Make the arrangement with the Parish Office at least nine months *prior* to celebration of your wedding.

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.