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SATURDAY, October 18: VIGIL OF TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Nick Imperioli by Sam and Carmela Ciccaglione

SUNDAY, October 19: TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

Monday, October 20: Saint Paul of the Cross, Priest

8:00 a.m. – † Communion Service

Tuesday, October 21: Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † Communion Service

Wednesday, October 22: Saint John Paul II Pope

8:00 a.m. – † Communion Service

Thursday, October 23: Saint John of Capistrano, Priest

8:00 a.m. – † Communion Service

Friday, October 24: Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

8:00 a.m. – † Communion Service

SATURDAY, October 25: VIGIL OF THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Ellen Booher by The Smith Family

SUNDAY, August October 26: THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

Trunk or Treat will be this **Sunday, October 19, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.** in the church parking lot. If you would like to decorate your trunk and give out candy to the kids please come to set up by 3:30. We will have games, crafts, and refreshments. Please consider joining us for the fun.

Boxes of Joy: The Padre Pio Assembly is packing Boxes of Joy for children in Central America again this year. Last year Catholic Outreach distributed over 40,000 boxes to needy children. For many it was the first Christmas gift they have ever received, School supplies, small toys, dolls, and other gifts that can fit in a shoe box can be deposited in the tub in the gathering space. Thank you for your generosity.

Sally Kaylor and Carolyn Wright, members of the **Diocesan Respect Life Committee**, will be presenting a powerful slideshow on the gift of life, the deceptions of abortion, and the loving alternatives to abortion. The presentation will be November 2nd from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. Mass in the Social Hall. High School students are invited as well as their parents and all interested parishioners. Come and learn what the Church holds truth and know we are all created in the image and likeness of God.

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 19, 2025

Schedule of Liturgical Ministries for October 25/26, 2025

MASS	Lectors	Altar Servers	Hospitality Ministers (Greeters)	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Ed McGarvey	Maggie Stiffler	Volunteer	Kevin Muha Volunteer
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Louise Ketner	Maria Mellott Bella Starr	Volunteer	Louise Ketner Volunteer

Stewardship Reflections

October 19, 2025

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The four pillars of parish stewardship are hospitality, prayer, formation, and service. They are intentionally presented in this order, with the idea that we cannot expect people to respond to calls to increase their prayer life, their formation, and their service within and outside the parish, if they do not first feel welcomed and valued through the warmth of hospitality. It just makes good sense.

However, those who are already well-versed in the spirituality and practicalities of stewardship, know well that stewardship cannot succeed unless it is steeped in prayer. Today's readings show us the immense value of prayer and the privileged place it must have in our individual lives and in our parish community.

Our job, as Christian stewards, is simply to remain faithful to our relationship with God through prayer. We should prioritize the Scriptures as a source of prayer, and we must lean on each other in our communities – family and parish – as we support each other in prayer. A strong pillar of prayer will make all our other stewardship efforts fruitful.



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, October 19, 2025: Dennis Drake
Sunday, October 26, 2025: Mary Secrest

ProLife

October 19 -Human life in all of its forms is sacred and every means must be used for its preservation, protection and defense.

October 19, 2025: Twenty-Ninth Sunday (LK 18:1-8) The widow in today's gospel is praised for her **PERSEVERANCE**. In our homes perseverance is a critical ingredient to resolving differences and teaching lessons and skills to children. Perseverance is always an act of faith in the goodness of the other person.

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.



Matthew Brown

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September/ October 2025 Schedule for Liturgical Ministries at Saint Catherine			
Date/Mass	Readers	Altar Servers	Ministers
5:00 p.m. Saturday September 27, 2025	Maggie Stiffler	Volunteer	Maggie Stiffler Kevin Muha
9:00 a.m. Sunday September 28, 2025	Suzanne Brown	Bella Starr Maria Mellott	Will Crouse Marcia Slates
5:00 p.m. Saturday October 4, 2025	Cathy Wilson	Ann Bonson	Mary Lyons Maria Danish
9:00 a.m. Sunday October 5, 2025	Beth Lear	Quinn Weirich Abe Weirich	Will Crouse Marcia Slates
5:00 p.m. Saturday October 11, 2025	Dayton Shugarts	Volunteer	Andrea Christoff Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday October 12, 2025	Suzanne Brown	Nolan Starr Jax McCartney Dane Varner	Beth Lear Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday October 18, 2025	Maggie Stiffler	Guy Kumpf	Maggie Stiffler Ann Bonson
9:00 a.m. Sunday October 19, 2025	Dennis Drake	Kasen Gipe Branson Gipe	Will Crouse Marcia Slates
5:00 p.m. Saturday October 25, 2025	Ed McGarvey	Maggie Stiffler	Kevin Muha Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday October 26, 2025	Louise Ketner	Maria Mellott Bella Starr	Louise Ketner Volunteer