Eucharistic Ministers -

Oct. 22 - Lynn Ellen Dixon, Cathy Surkosky, Millie Turner Oct. 29 - Jeff Field, Katelyn Cline, Michelle Ash Nov. 5 - Carol Confer, Kathy Bosak, Bill Sinclair Please give the assigned Eucharistic Ministers time to reach the altar before you step in to substitute. They may not be at Mass but may have a substitute. Lectors – Oct. 22 - Lynn Ellen Dixon

Oct. 29 - Jeff Field Nov. 5 - Chuck Hall Thank you to those Lectors who cannot serve but find a substitute

Mass Intentions -

Oct. 22 - Soul of Rosalyn Hass by the Parish Oct. 29 - Soul of John and Josephine Rusnak, by Phil and Kathy Bosak Nov. 1 - Honor of Patti Merz Kenaan, by Ted and Charlotte Stecko Nov. 5 - Soul of Virginia Henry by Harry Henry and Family

Offering for October 15, 2017

Cash	\$	283.00	
Checks	\$	865.00	
TOTAL	\$1	,148.00	Thank you and God Bless

***Announcements to be added to the bulletin should be emailed to <u>carolconfer@comcast.net</u>. Please have all items that you would like included in the bulletin emailed by <u>MONDAY at 4:00 pm</u>. When I receive a request for the bulletin, you should receive a reply to verify my receipt of the information.

***To schedule a mass intention for a family member or friend, living or deceased, please contact Carol Confer - <u>carolconfer@comcast.net</u>.
We will be accepting Mass Intentions/requests beginning in October for 2018. Reminder at the present time we can only accept 3 Mass Intentions per family.

***Place prayer petitions in the book next to Infant of Prague statue at back of church. The rosary is prayed for these petitions at 1:00 p.m. on the fourth Thursday of each month. All are welcome.

Kateri Circle meeting This Thursday October 26, 2017 at 1:00 pm. November meeting will be November 30th at 1:00 due to Thanksgiving. New members are always welcomed. Hope to see everyone there.

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha Catholic Church of Penns Valley



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Sunday October 22, 2017

MASS TIME SUNDAY AT 12:00 NOON Communion Service on Tuesdays at 11:00 am Followed by Adoration until Noon

The St. Kateri Faith Study Group meets at the Church every Thursday, at 7:00 PM, to discuss the upcoming Sunday readings. All are welcome so please join us.

CCD classes will be the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month November dates are: November 5th and 19th, 2017 December dates are: December 3rd and 17th, 2017 December 23rd – Christmas Pageant/Dinner January 2018 dates are: January 7th and 21st, 2018 February dates are: February 4th and 18th, 2018 March dates are: March 4th & 18th – Youth Day– Ebensburg Grades 6-8 March 25th – Palm Sunday – Teacher Appreciation Dinner April dates: April 8th – Divine Mercy Sunday

All Saint's Day – Wednesday November 1, 2016 – Mass will be here at St. Kateri at 11:00 AM and at St John's at 9:00 AM and 6:00 PM.

All Souls Day – Thursday November 2, 2017 – Mass will be at St. Johns at 6:00 pm

There will be No Communion Service or Adoration on October 31, 2017 at St. Kateri

Altar Servers who are scheduled to serve mass are to report to the Priest in the Sacristy no later than 15 minutes prior to Mass start time. Thanks

I	Oct. 22	Kayla Hopkins	Adrian Gover	
	Oct. 29	Asa Boomer Brazier	Maggie Boomer Brazier	
	Nov. 5			

Hospitality Schedule

Oct. 22 – Joanne Horner, Kendra Bauer, Mandy Stitzer Oct. 29 - Tina Doll, Laurie Shirey, K. B. Boomer Nov. 5 - Connie Corl, Stephanie Gover, Shirley Springman

Please pray for the sick:, Harry Henry, Amy Will, Jennifer Puma, Theresa Riglin

FOOD BANK DONATIONS. We have a basket for donations in the back of the church for our Food Bank with New Hope Church, Spring Mills. If you know of someone or a family in need of items other than food, please call the church or call New Hope Lutheran Church.

There will be a Healing Mass on Monday, October 23, 2017 at 7:00 pm, at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament. Fr. Bill Kiel, from the Diocese of Greensburg, will be the main celebrant. All are welcome, especially those in need of physical, emotional, or spiritual healing, and those who support and care for them as well. Music for the Mass will be led by the Cathedral Charismatic Prayer Group Music Ministry. For more information, please call 814-944-4603.

A Sacred Community Christmas Concert will be performed at Saint Kateri on December 17th at 4pm. "The Sounds of Christmas" will include a youth treble voice choir (Grades 1- 12), an adult choir, small instrumental and vocal ensembles. <u>Tuesday rehearsals</u> will begin November 7th at Saint Kateri Church, Rt 45, Spring Mills (Youth Choir 6:40-7:30pm/ Adult Choir 7:30-9pm). If your children would like to participate, please call/e-mail Cindy Stattel by <u>November 5th to register</u>. Cindy Stattel (Youth Choir) 364-2721 pjstat@verizon.net Adult Choir members please call/e-mail Peggy Myers (Adult Choir) 422-8111 peggy@myersfarm.com by October 22nd. All are welcome! No Experience Necessary! 2nd Collection today is for World Mission Sunday

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE

We Have Met Our Goal of \$7,489.00. Thank you to the 38% of the parishioners who have responded. Your generosity is greatly appreciated! As a reminder all moneys received by the Diocese over our goal will be refunded to St. Kateri. If you have not received a pledge card, there are envelopes at the back of the church. Please feel free to drop your pledge and envelope in the collection basket.

Lector Books for 2018 have been ordered. Notice will be placed in the Bulletin when they are received

New Lector and Eucharistic Minister sheets will be made up in early December for the year 2018. If you are interested in serving as a Lector or Eucharistic Minister please stop in the office after Mass or call the office (814) 422-8983 and leave your name and phone number. If you would like to be removed from the list, please call the office.

Each year at tax time, we conscientiously give to "Caesar what belongs to Caesar." Does my stewardship indicate that I am also as faithful about giving "to God what belongs to God?" Parish Life Office

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas extends an invitation to enthusiastic Catholic women to join one of the Oldest and largest Catholic women's organization in the world. Under the patronage of the Blessed Mother, our mission is to promote spiritual, charitable, and educational programs. We help promote the quality of life for people in our parish and community, promote the teachings of the Holy Father, and enjoy the friendship of other Catholic women. For more information, you may contact Janet Oesterling at 814-355-7730 orjmoest@yahoo.com

Liturgical Reflections

With the Order of Celebrating Matrimony without Mass, the rite consists of the Liturgy of the Word and the Celebration of Matrimony. There is no penitential rite or Glory to God. The regular scripture readings offered for the celebration of Matrimony are selected. There is always a homily. Following the Universal Prayer, the concluding prayer is the Lord's Prayer. Omitting the "Deliver us," the Nuptial Blessings is prayed over the newly married couple. When two Catholics are married, there may be Communion outside Mass. Also, the local customs of placing a flower before the image of the Blessed Mother, giving flowers to the mothers of the bride and groom, and introducing the newly married couple may take place. *Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown, Liturgy Office.*