

Eucharistic Ministers -

Oct. 8 - Michele Ash, Jeff Field, Sandy Rockey

Oct. 15 - Bill Sinclair, Norma Muck, Larry Muck

Oct. 22 - Lynn Ellen Dixon, Cathy Surkosky, Millie Turner

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. 8 - Michele Ash

Oct. 15 - K. B. Boomer

Oct. 22 - Lynn Ellen Dixon

Thank you to those Lectors who cannot serve but find a substitute

Mass Intentions -

Oct. 8 - Honor of Ted and Charlotte Stecko by their children

Oct. 15 - Honor of Flood Family by Polly Flood

Oct. 22 - Soul of Rosalyn Hass

Offering for September 24, 2017

Cash - \$ 355.00

Checks - \$ 965.00

TOTAL - \$1,320.00 Thank you and God Bless

*****Announcements** to be added to the bulletin should be emailed to carolconfer@comcast.net. Please have all items that you would like included in the bulletin emailed by **MONDAY at 4:00 pm**. 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 - carolconfer@comcast.net.

We will be accepting Mass Intentions/requests beginning in October for 2018. Reminder 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.

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

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.

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Sunday October 8, 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

October dates: October 15th, 2017

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

"On Saturday, October 14th at 12:00 noon, we invite everyone to pray the Rosary in honor of the 100th anniversary of the Blessed Mother's visits to Fatima. We will be joining thousands across the country, who are participating in these events. Please come for 1/2 hour to pray for world peace, healing of our nation and the conversion of sinners. We will meet in front, by the St. Kateri statue.. You are welcome to bring your lawn chair. In case of inclement weather, the Rosary will be recited inside the church."

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

Oct. 8	Annie Racette	Lucas Racette	
Oct. 15	Jackson Romig	Ellie Romig	
Oct. 22	Kayla Hopkins	Adrian Gover	

Hospitality Schedule

Oct. 8 - Michele Wise, Marty Montminy, Laureen Johnson
Oct. 15 - Michele Ash, Millie Turner, Adrian Weaver
Oct. 22 - Joanne Horner, Kendra Bauer, Mandy Stitzer

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.

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. Please check your bulletin for an upcoming Catholic Daughters event For more information, you may contact Janet Oesterling at 814-355-7730 or jmoest@yahoo.com

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.

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

SPECIAL FATIMA MASS

Friday, October 13th is the anniversary of the 6th and final apparition at Fatima. **St. Johns in Bellefonte will celebrate this 100th Anniversary of Fatima with a Friday evening Mass at 7:00 PM.**

"THE SHROUD OF TURIN" TALK AND REPLICA PRESENTATION IS COMING TO ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH IN BELLEFONTE ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12 AT 6:30 PM. You won't want to miss this great opportunity to experience the Passion, Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ in a way that can make this an unforgettable event in your life. Considered one of the greatest mysteries of our time, *The Shroud of Turin* continues to amaze and baffle scientists, doctors, historians, artists and theologians. Scientists cannot explain the source of the image which contains photographic and 3-D properties on a cloth centuries old. But is this the actual burial cloth of Jesus Christ? Bill Wingard, a speaker for the Shroud, will present the case for authenticity and you can be the judge. Come and see a full size replica of the Shroud and the photographic negative images that sparked an explosion of scientific interest and debate over a century ago which continues to today. **Everyone, and all faiths are welcome to attend.** The whole family, including kids, are invited. And don't forget to bring along your camera!

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. Tuesday rehearsals 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 November 30th to register. 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!

The Catholic Daughters and KofC are hosting a FREE Halloween Bingo for children 12 and under (parents must stay with their children) at St. John's School Auditorium on Oct. 28th 11:00 am to 1:00 pm Halloween Costumes are welcome. They would like to have folks RSVP by Oct. 15th to Helen Lowry 355-2979. Flyer with more details posted on the bulletin board at the front of the church.

As a reminder - We are to refrain from Food and Beverages for one (1) hour prior to receiving the Body and Blood of Christ.