

Eucharistic Ministers.

Mar. 1 - Sandy Rockey No cup due to flu season
Mar. 8 - Norma Muck No cup due to flu season
Mar. 15 – 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 have a substitute.

Lectors –

Mar 1 - K. B. Boomer
Mar. 8 - Norma Muck
Mar. 15 – Bill Sinclair

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

Mass Intentions –

Mar 1 - Souls of Sam & Teresa Capparelli, by Frank Capparelli & C. Confer
Mar 8 - Soul of Roseclaire Currin by Connie Corl
Mar. 15 – Soul of Florence Gibas, by Janine Srovec

February 23, 2020 **Will Post Next Week**
Cash : - \$
Checks \$
Total: \$ **Thank you and God Bless**

*****Announcements** to be added to the bulletin should be emailed to carolconfer@comcast.net. Please have what you want 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 info.

*** The Kateri Circle meets in the church on the fourth Thursday of the month at 1 p.m. We read prayer intentions (from the book next to infant of Prague statue) and recite the Rosary. Next meeting is February 27, 2020. All are welcome.

Note: As bad weather is here, please note that if on Tuesday the Penns Valley School District is closed, there will not be a Communion Service and Adoration on the 2nd Tuesday of the month, **nor** will the Prayer Shawl ladies be meeting. Thank you

Eucharistic Minister – please take care of vessels after Mass and make sure the **lights are out**.

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March 1, 2020

**MASS TIME
SUNDAY AT 12:00 NOON**

Beginning in January 2020 the Communion service/Adoration will be held **ONLY** on the second Tuesday of each month from 11:00-12:00

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
March dates: 1st & 15th Youth Day – Ebensburg Grades 6-8
April dates: 5th – Palm Sunday Teacher Appreciation Dinner
April 19th: Last Day of CCD
Divine Mercy Sunday
April 26th – First Holy Communion

Stations of the Cross will be held each Friday at 7:00 pm at St. Kateri.

SOUP FUNDRAISER! Chicken/Turkey Noodle Soup and rolls available for lunch downstairs after mass today! For those unable to stay there are soup and rolls are available for take out. Donations go to support Agape Orphanage in Myanmar.
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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

March 1	Asa Boomer Brazier		
March 8	TeganWeaver	Rileigh Weaver	

We are in need of additional altar servers at St. Kateri. If your child(ren) are interested, please contact Adrian Weaver (aweaver981@gmail). Training will be offered to those interested. Altar Serving is a chance for your child(ren) to serve their church by taking part of the service.

Hospitality Schedule

Mar. 1 - Connie Corl, Stephanie Gover, Shirley Springman
 Mar 8 - Norma Muck, Connie Ostromecki, Diane Brown
 Mar. 15 – Vicki Flood, Stephanie Perrot, Jenive Perrot

Please pray for the sick:, Harry Henry, Mary McTish, Rosemary Maher Ms. King, Andrew Peffer, Angie Deardorff.

2020 MASS INTENTIONS

***To schedule a mass intention for a family member or friend, living or deceased, in 2020 please contact Carol Confer. carolconfer@comcast.net or stop in the office.

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR MILITARY:

Our Parish has started a prayer list of those serving in the military as a regular section in our bulletin. If you would like to include a name of someone serving in the military please email carolconfer@comcast.net or call the rectory office at 422-8983. Please include their rank and branch of service.

Please pray for those serving in the military:
 SSG. Matthew Hodgson, U. S. Army
 SSGT. Kyle Palm, Marines
 MSGT. Cassandra Saphore, U.S. Air Force
 Cpt. Timothy P. Baldwin, U.S. Air Force
 1st Lt. Luke Klena, Marine
 PVT 1st Class Phillip Meredith, U.S. Army

Our Catholic Ministries Drive – *Ignite Your Faith for Christ’s Mission.*

During Lent and throughout the year, we are challenged to renew our spiritual devotions and duties—and one of those holy duties is to support the Church. This drive focuses on a select group of ministries with emphasis on the poor, families, youth, seminarians and leadership development of clergy and laity. Please reflect on Bishop Mark’s invitation when it arrives this week and return your pledge card in next weekend’s offertory. There will also be a pledge card in the Diocese’s new magazine, *PROCLAIM Christ in your Life*. All contributions received beyond our parish target will be used for ongoing maintenance projects. Thank you for supporting these vital ministries with sacrificial gifts of prayer and treasure. 100% of your gift goes directly to these ministries!

QUEEN ESTHER—SIGHT AND SOUND

Everyone has a story. Set in the opulent yet perilous Persian Empire, QUEEN ESTHER is a captivating tale of beauty and bravery. Experience one of the most riveting Bible stories of the Old Testament as it comes to life with magnificent sets, special effects and live animals in this brand-new, original stage production.

St. John’s will be taking a bus trip to Sight and Sound Theatre in Lancaster to see the new production ‘*Queen Esther*’ on **Tuesday, May 5th** for the 11:00 am showing. Travel will be by Fullington Trailways. We will be stopping after the show at Shady Maple Smorgasbord for the all-you-can-eat buffet. The bus will be boarding in front of the church at **6:30 am**. Cost of the trip is **\$125.00 per person** which includes show ticket, meal and transportation. All reservations and money must be received in the parish office by April 1. Please make checks payable to St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church. Please note – no reservations will be accepted without payment. Space is limited. If you have any questions, please contact Liz at the parish office at (814) 355-3134.

Extra Confessions in lent at John’s on Fridays from 6PM-6:30PM

FASTING AND ABSTINENCE DURING LENT

Ash Wednesday and **Good Friday** are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, **Fridays** during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

Abstinence = No meat. Starting at age 14 with no upper age limit.

Fasting = a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals.

A person 59 and beyond may choose to participate to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, if health permits.