Eucharistic Ministers -

June 24- Lynn Ellen Dixon, Cathy Surkosky, Millie Turner

July 1- Jeff Field, Katelyn Cline, Michelle Ash

July 8 - Jim Hodgson, Carol Confer, 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.

If seminarian at Mass we only need 2 Eucharistic Ministers. Remove last name on above listing.

Lectors -

June 24– Lynn Ellen Dixon

July 1 – Jeff Field

July 8 - Jim Hodgson

Thank you to those Lectors who cannot serve but find a substitute Mass Intentions – ,

June 24 – Joseph and Pauline Bosak, by Phil and Kathy Bosak

July 1 - Zawislak Family by Bill and Sandy Rockey

July 8 – Deceased Members of the Lint Family by Nancy Hawn

***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.

There are some Sundays open if anyone would like to schedule additional Masses. Please contact the office

Offering for July 17, 2018

Cash - \$ 335.00 Checks - \$ 1,000.00

TOTAL -\$ 1,335.00 Thank you and God Bless

***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.

The next Kateri Circle meeting will be on June 28, 2018. The meeting will be held in the church and starts at 1PM with reading of prayer intentions and reciting the Rosary. All are welcome.

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha Catholic Church of Penns Valley



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Rev. George Jakopac, Pastor www.stkaterichurh.org – web site

June 24, 2018

MASS TIME SUNDAY AT 12:00 NOON

Communion Service on Tuesdays at 11:00 am
Followed by Adoration until Noon
There will be no Communion Service or Adoration on the 4th
Tuesday of the month.

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.

"SPOUSE RCIA PROGRAM"

Are you married or engaged to a Catholic and open to joining the Church?

We have a program for you!

We are calling it the "Spouse RCIA Program."

This is a flexible opportunity to gain instruction about the Catholic Faith at your own pace. We will hold meetings and provide materials for self-study. Then, when you are ready, we will schedule your sacraments. Please try to attend the following information/ inquiry sessions:

Thursday June 21st, 6:30 PM - Thursday June 28th, 6:30 PM Meetings will be held in the rectory basement.

Or, simply contact Fr. George if interested!

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

June 24	Lucas Racette	Annie Racette	
July 1	Tegan Weaver	Adrian Gover	
July 8	Abby Stitzer	Ayla Stitzer	

Hospitality Schedule

No Hospitality June – July – August

<u>Please pray for the sick</u>:, Harry Henry, Amy Will, Jennifer Puma, and Donna Varricchione

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.

For I was hungry and you gave me food to eat." Mt 25

NOTE: If you are a new family to St. Kateri – Welcome. We ask that you please complete the Registration Form found on the bookcase in the back of the church. If you are a family that has been coming for years please complete this form so we can update our records. We can only do so with your help. Thank you

HELP NEEDED: Can you help clean the church one day a week, one day a month, once a year or just be on call as help is needed. Your help will be greatly appreciated. Please call the church at (814) 422-8983 and leave a message. Thank you.

OUTDOOR SUMMER MASSES - Father John D. Byrnes, Rector, and the Parish Family of Saint Michael the Archangel Basilica, Loretto, invite the faithful to join us each Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. for the outdoor Sunday Mass at the beautiful Shrine of Our Lady of the Alleghenies in Loretto. The first Mass of the season will be celebrated on Sunday, May 27, 2018, and will continue through Labor Day Weekend, September 2, 2018. Please bring a lawn chair. In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be celebrated in the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel.

The Latin Mass is celebrated **on the second Sunday** of each_month at Noon at St. Johns in Bellefonte.

We will celebrate St. Kateri Feast Day on Sunday 15, 2018 Father George will say Mass at Noon. Following Mass there will be grilled hot dogs and chips, on the back porch/yard with soda, water and a cake. We are going to make this easy and simple. Please sign the sheet on the back window and let us know how many will be attending. Bring your lawn chairs or blanket.

OUR 2018 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES DRIVE

Our 2018 Catholic Ministries Drive is underway. If you have not done so already, your pledge envelopes can either be placed in the collection basket or mailed in to the diocese. Envelopes can be found at the back of the church on the book case if you did not receive one.

Join Northern Deanery for CATHOLIC COMMUNITY DAY WITH THE SPIKES July 22, 2018 at 6:05pm. Tickets are only \$10.00 for a field box seat. The Northern Deanery will once again attend the State College Spikes vs. Auburn on Sunday July 22, 2018 at Medlar Field at Labrano Park. Gates open at 5pm. The tickets are only \$10.00 for a field box seat. Our churches will participate in singing the National Anthem at the beginning of the game and America the Beautiful at the end of game followed by fireworks. Make check out to Our Lady of Victory with Spikes Game in memo line. Payment due at time of order. Deadline is July 16th. For reservation please call the OLV rectory office 237-7832.

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

June 24, 2018: Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Christian stewards strive to live God's will, regardless of the consequences. They have faith that His plan for their lives will always lead them to live as a disciple of Jesus Christ. How far are you willing to go to share your time with those in need?

Liturgical Reflections ...

The name John means "the Lord has been generous".. Indeed God has been abundantly generous to Elizabeth and Zechariah, elderly parents who ad lose hope in conceiving a child in their old age. God had certainly favored them. And the child grew and became strong in spirit. The greatest prophet who would announce Jesus as the Lamb of God! At each Mass we hear the Baptist proclaim, "Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world." We celebrate the generosity of God toward us.

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