

**SUNDAY JUNE 24, 2018 The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist**

† **MASS INTENTIONS/SCHEDULE** †

**MONDAY, JUNE 25**

8:00 AM Ken Maag

**TUESDAY, JUNE 26**

8:00 AM Poor Souls, Lucille Burger

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27 St. Cyril**

8:00 AM Else Burgei

**NO** 6:00 PM Mass

6:30 – 7:30 PM Adoration

**THURSDAY, JUNE 28 St. Irenaeus**

8:00 AM Daryl & Mary Jane Hunt

**FRIDAY, JUNE 29 Sts. Peter and Paul**

**NO** 6:00 AM Mass

8:00 AM Bernard Rosengarten

6:00PM Wedding Rehearsal- Sharon Meyer

**SATURDAY, JUNE 30**

8:00 AM Dennis Gerdeman

8:30 AM Confessions

1:00 PM Nuptial Mass – Kister/Cassidy

4:30 PM L/D Joe Karl Jr Family, Greg Hovest, L/D Paul Deters Family, L/D Paul Schroeder Family, Dolores Siefker, Edward, Martha Mary & Don Smith

**SUNDAY, JULY 1 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Feast of the Most Precious Blood**

8:00 AM Ralph Duling (AN), Laura Recker (AN)

10:30 AM Joseph H. Recker (AN), Brice Recker, Ben Freeze Family

6:30 PM L/D For the Parish

**June is the Month  
of the  
Sacred Heart of Jesus**

If you know of anyone who cannot attend Mass on Sundays and would like communion brought to them please call the rectory.

*“Why are you terrified? Why are you lacking faith?” If God is calling you, don’t let fear stop you. (Mark 4:35-41)*

*For those who are frightened by God’s call, may they believe that God will give them the grace they need to follow, we pray.*

**READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY July 1** Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24 2Cor 8:7,9,13-15 Mk 5:21-43

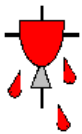
**From the  
Desk of  
Fr. Tony**

**JUNE 24, 2018  
Nativity of St. John the Baptist**

Today we celebrate the Nativity of St. John the Baptist. Elizabeth and Zechariah are the parents of John the Baptist. John the Baptist (John) is the patron saint of our parish and John was the forerunner of Jesus. John prepared the way for Christ to enter into the world. John drew all the good, bad, and ugly to himself. John also got the attention of the religious leaders of his time. John told King Herod that it was not right for him to take his brother’s wife. This was the very act of committing adultery. John was not afraid to tell the truth.

We celebrate the birth of John because he had a part to play into Jesus being known in the world. We all have a part to play in this walk with Christ. You and I pave the way so that others may come to know Christ more easily. John was beheaded for speaking the truth. In this life many people have given themselves for Christ and Christ’s teaching. Let us continue to pave the way for Jesus to enter into people’s hearts. This means we will be put into some tough situations at times. God will ask us to stretch ourselves. I know it is the summer and we like to do what we want in the summer but God sometimes asks us to meet new people and form new relationships with others, to see a new face of Jesus. We will continue our adult catechesis this summer. Take the opportunity to meet these new people in our adult religious education meetings. Let us allow Jesus to enter into our hearts. Let the truth take birth in your heart. Enjoy the summer. God bless you all. Fr. Tony

**July 1<sup>st</sup> is the Feast of the Precious Blood!  
The Month of July is dedicated to the Precious Blood of Jesus**



**WEEKDAY SERVERS: Mon. 8:00AM:** Kayleigh Halker, Emma Hoffman, Dereck Horstman, Megan Horstman;

**Tue. 8:00 AM:** Anthony Kahle, Justin Kahle, Averie Karhoff, Katelyn Kaufman; **Wed. 8:00AM:** Hayden Kaufman, Faith Kehres, Abbygail Klass, Austin Koch; **Wed. 6:00PM:** No Mass; **Thurs. 8:00AM:** Peyton Kuhlman, Kylee Lehman, Carson Leopold, Ross Maag;

**Fri. 6:00AM:** No Mass; **Fri. 8:00AM:** Brad Maag, Mallorie Maag, Morgan Maag, Emmitt Maag

**Sat. 8:00AM:** Grace Maag, Trevor Maag, Isaac Macke, Cole Morman

**WEDNESDAY 6:00PM LECTOR & DISTRIBUTORS – No Mass**

**NEXT SUNDAY – July 1**

**SUNDAY SERVERS:** **Sat. 4:30 PM:** Lexi Koch, Kerrie Ellerbrock, Clay Inkrott, Claire Inkrott; **Sun. 8:00 AM:** Hailey Morman, Madalyn Morman, Dylan Leopold, Marissa Maag; **Sun. 10:30 AM:** Carter Welch, Colin Welch, Lisa Hunt, Johnathon Utrup; **Sun. 6:30 PM:** Zachary Schmitz, Adam Schmitz, Jayla Balbaugh, Jacob Balbaugh

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**

**LECTORS**

4:30 Melida Bockrath Sharon Siebeneck	Cari Homan <b>Volunteer</b>
8:00 Mark Schroeder Tammy Schroeder	Nicole Ruhe Greg Ruhe
10:30 Jason Kleman Marlene Kleman	Chris Birkemeier Sharon Nussbaum
6:30 <b>Deb Leopold, Steve Leopold</b> Doug Karhoff, Kristen Heffner	Cari Homan Paula Siebeneck

**COMMUNION TO MEADOWS:** Darlene Miller, Linda Schroeder

**SUNDAY GIFT BEARERS:** **Sat. 4:30pm:** Roger Koch Family; **Sun. 8:00am:** Tom Morman Family; **Sun. 10:30am:** Leon Meyer Family

**JULY SUNDAY USHERS:** **Sat. 4:30 PM:** Roger Koch, Dave Schmitz; **Sun. 8:00 AM:** Linda & Dennis Moening; **Sun. 10:30 AM:** Don & Joyce Giesige; **Sun. 6:30 PM:** Louis Halker

**COUNTERS FOR SUNDAY:** 5

**VIDEOGRAPHER** –Sat. 4:30 PM – Austin Horstman (the new schedule has been e-mailed out to all on the schedule)

**ROSARY NEXT SUNDAY:** Rick & Jane Williams

**JULY FUNERAL ROSARY LEADERS:** Janet & Cliff Schroeder, Marilyn & Richard Siefker, Tom & Laurie Hageman, Fran Roof, Bob & Rita Maag

**RCIA - Interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith?** Whether you've been Catholic all your life or curious about possibly becoming Catholic, please contact DeVon Dunlap to sign up: 419-538-6897 or [stjohnshsccd@bright.net](mailto:stjohnshsccd@bright.net) More details later.

**CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL 2018-19-** Glandorf St. John's Catholic Preschool still accepting children for 2018-19 school year. Call Lori for more information- 419 538 6264.

On Sunday, July 1, 2108 at 2:30 p.m. there will be Eucharistic Adoration at the Sorrowful Mother Shrine (4106 State Route 269, 7 miles south of Bellevue). We will celebrate the Precious Blood of Jesus. It will be held in the Shrine Chapel and it has air conditioning.

**DID YOU KNOW?** George Schroeder will celebrate his 83<sup>rd</sup> birthday on June 27<sup>th</sup>. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY GEORGE!**

*"The will of God is the center of peace and comfort"*

*St. Gaspar del Bufalo*

**Adult Faith Information**

Jeanette Schroeder - Coordinator  
Diana Meyer, Jeanne Schram, Marlene Kleman,  
Deacon Don and Elaine Inkrott

**St. John's GIFT to YOU for a year!**  
**FORMED online CATHOLIC CONTENT**  
**Have you signed on YET?**  
**FORMED.ORG ACCESS CODE: 7MJPM6**

Sign on & check it out  
Note: Passwords must be minimum 8 characters with  
letters, numbers, and symbols like \$, #, @

**ST. JOHN'S COMMUNITY PAGE on FORMED**  
Click on "**COMMUNITY**" top line on FORMED home page.  
Theme for the Month of June "**THE EUCHARIST**"

**Just added these videos:**  
**"The Eucharist for Little Children"**

“Lectio; Eucharist” study by Brant Pitre

“Presence” study on the Eucharist

3 bonus sessions, one for children.

You can watch just the videos or print out the study materials and take your time.

Just added these Audios:

“Pure Fatherhood”

“Jesus the Bridegroom” by Brant Pitre

**Click on the picture of each banner. ENJOY**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ON THE FIRST SATURDAY** of the month, after 4:30 Mass on Saturday evening until 8:00 on Sunday mornings. Mark your calendars for Saturday/Sunday, July 7/8. Sign-up sheet is available on the register back in church this week. If you can't make it to church to sign in please call Ann Fortman 419-235-6734.

**WELCOME TO OUR NEWLY BAPTIZED IN CHRIST**

**Ella Grace** daughter of Zachary & Brandi Hempfling; **Easton Dominic** son Todd & Ashley Sigler  
**CONGRATULATIONS TO PARENTS & GODPARENTS!**


**BANNS: I Kimberly Verhoff** of this parish, daughter of Robert & Kathleen Verhoff and **James Buday III** of St. Ann, Dresden, OH, son of James Jr & Charlene Buday

**II Nicole Siefker** of this parish, daughter of Carl & Diane Siefker and **Tyler Karhoff** of St. Michael's Kalida, son of Nick & Janice Ricker

**III Shannon Cassidy** of this parish, daughter Dan & Connie Cassidy and **Ben Kister** of St. Pius X, Reynoldsburg, son of Jeffrey & Traci Kister

**GOD BLESS THE NEWLY WEDDED:** Mr. & Mrs. Jordan (Kathleen Brown) Alt

**WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARISH FAMILY:** Ryan & Janelle (Duling) Kleman

 **HOME TO GOD:** Please remember in your Masses and prayers the souls of **Everett “Ben” Freeze & Roger Schumacher**. Our sincere sympathy is extended to **Barb Freeze** on the death of her loving husband, Ben. Also, to Roger Schumacher's **family & friends**. Roger was born here in Glandorf in 1938 to Wilfred & Erma (Schetter) Schumacher who lived on Main Street, Glandorf. He moved to Dayton in November of 1948. Roger died on June 7 at the Maria Joseph Living Care Ctr in Dayton.

**Grade School CCD Information**

**COORDINATOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION-** Diane Utrup  
**Contact me in the Religious Ed Office** 419-538-6335 on school days 7:30am – noon.

**Kindergarten CCD Registration** – for those who missed the deadline, please have your child's forms in by the end of June. They were mailed to you. If you need a copy please call Diane at 419-538-6335. Thank you so much!!

**Jr. High & High School CCD Information**

**Message from DeVon Dunlap Coordinator of High School CCD:** If you have any questions or need to get a hold of me, please call the HS CCD office at 419-538-6897 or e-mail. [stjohnshsccd@bright.net](mailto:stjohnshsccd@bright.net) Thanks!

**Wednesday Adoration** - 6:30 – 7:30pm

**Message from Colleen Halker Youth Director**

**KADIE HEMPFLING** – Youth President **ALLISON SIEFKER** – President-Elect



**TODAY IS THE  
NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**

**OUR PATRON SAINT**

I am not He.  
Behold, one is coming after me;  
I am not worthy to unfasten the sandals of His feet.

**FR. RICK'S 40TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION** Sunday, July 22 at the 11:30 Mass at Sts Peter & Paul,

Ottawa. There will be a luncheon at the Ottawa K of C after Mass. Please RSVP for luncheon by calling the rectory 419-538-6928 or by e-mailing by July 2. We ask you to please bring a dessert that can be shared with the guests.

**ST. JOHN'S at the PUTNAM COUNTY FAIR**

**Stop in and see our booth June 25-30**

**Merchants Bldg.**

**Substitutes Needed-** Glandorf St. John's Preschool is looking for substitute teachers and substitute aides. Mornings only, called as needed to sub for teacher/ aide. Requirements: high school diploma/ equivalent and must love working with children! Call Lori for more information 419 538 6264.

**Important: Attention to all of Glandorf St. John's Engaged Couples who are getting marriage in 2019** - This is a mandatory, two-day program for engaged couples, offered here at Glandorf

St. John the Baptist on November 3/4, 2018. Use the link below to register here at St. John's if you haven't already:

<http://www.eventbrite.com/o/joy-filled-marriage-engagedcouple-workshop-7474823041> For more information contact:

Please contact Nick De La Torre with questions: [ndelatorre@toledodiocese.org](mailto:ndelatorre@toledodiocese.org) or (419) 244-6711

**"Dinosaurs never got a chance to see how beautiful the Glandorf Park is and now they are extinct.** Don't become extinct and never see what the volunteers of Glandorf have created in the park.

Become a volunteer and witness the full beauty of the park and its volunteer members. Volunteers meet at the Park Garage – 6:30 P.M. Thursday, June 28, 2018. Promise, no dinosaurs will be present."

**FERVORINO** – *Jesus says "Do not be afraid" and reminds us "all concealed secrets will be revealed." Do not be afraid to acknowledge problems in your family. If they remain "hidden in darkness" they will "destroy body and soul." Healing, understanding and hope are found only "in the light" of openness. "Do not be afraid."*

**Remember Those Who Have Gone Before Us –June 24-30**

Frances Stechschulte 6/24/00	Ruth C Gerdeman 6/28/14
Matthew Steffen 6/24/97	Robert Gerding 6/28/97
Brian C Kidd 6/25/13	Virgil Ellerbrock 6/29/00
Dorothy Maag 6/26/02	Edwin Birkemeier 6/29/97
John F Balbaugh 6/27/14	Philomena Recker 6/29/85
Clara M Langhals 6/27/04	Laura Recker 6/30/98
Marcella Maag 6/27/97	

**Maria Stein Country Fest** - On June 23 & 24

**2018 Diocesan Celebration of Wedding Jubilees Our Lady Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral October 28,** 3:00 P.M. Join Bishop Daniel Thomas and the Office of Marriage and Family to commemorate 25, 40, 50, 60, and 60-plus years of marriage for couples in the Diocese of Toledo. Mass includes the renewal of matrimonial vows, and registered couples will receive a commemorative certificate. To register: call Marsha Rivas, 419-214-4938 or go to <https://goo.gl/forms/WeDGCOu07b98bw092> , or call the rectory 419-538-6928. **Registration deadline is Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>.**

**Putnam County Habitat for Humanity** is looking to fill their part-time Construction Manager position. Next home build will begin Summer/Fall of 2018. Construction responsibilities, only. All volunteers will be coordinated by other HfH staff. Will be part-time salary or stipend. Perfect opportunity for an experienced retired construction/home builder. Call the Putnam County Habitat office at 419-523-9621 for more info.

**Putnam county Hospice** is seeking individuals to serve as spiritual counsel for the terminally ill of Putnam County. The individuals would perform home visits (wherever the person resides including nursing facilities) to assess patient and patient's family spiritual needs while on Putnam County Hospice. It would also involve developing and individualized spiritual care plan based on the initial assessment along with the Interdisciplinary team. The position is considered part time and includes mileage reimbursement. If you feel you would have time to pastor the terminally ill please contact Kris Bellman @419-523-4449

**Mustard Seed Gift Shop** business hours are Tues, Thurs, & Fri 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Wed 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.; Sat 8:00am - 1:00pm.  
**Store 419-538-7220 Brenda Maag 419-235-3106**  
**Julie Barlage 419-303-5366**

**A one-day bus pilgrimage to Blessed Solanus Casey Center and Sainte Anne de Detroit Church, Detroit, MI** on July 18, 2018 will leave Kalida K of C parking lot at 7am and return at 8:30pm. Cost is \$70. Included is a tour of the Center, Confession, Mass, lunch, a Healing Service followed by a tour of Sainte Anne de Detroit. Please contact Rita Borgelt at 419-532-3637 or [hborgelt@bright.net](mailto:hborgelt@bright.net) to register by July 1<sup>st</sup>.

**The STEEPLE CHASE BIKE TOUR,** will take place on Saturday June 30, 2018 starting at the St. Henry High School in St. Henry Ohio. This is in conjunction with the St. Henry Community Picnic and being offered by the St. Henry Cluster Mission Group. It starts at

8:00 AM with options of a 10-20- or 30 mile ride touring the Land of the Cross Tipped Churches, featuring the 5 parishes of the St. Henry Cluster. For registration or more information, visit the website at <https://www.sthenrycluster.com/datesevents> Preregistration deadline is postmarked by June 16 or at the day of tour at 7:AM

**Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima** - Marie Strauer is in charge of our parish's Pilgrim Virgin Statue, please call **419-538-6930** to reserve a week to have Our Lady come to your home.

**Bulletin and Parish Notification emails:** If you would like to receive the bulletin and other parish notifications via email, please let us know by sending an email to [stjohns@bright.net](mailto:stjohns@bright.net)

**The Franciscans Friars at Our Lady of Consolation Shrine, Carey, OH** invite you to attend Mass on June 30 at 5:30 pm and/or July 1, 8:00 am, 10:00 am & 12:00 noon Fr. Jim Sichko will be the celebrant. Fr. Jim will be sharing his reflections on "Consolation." Join us also at 2:30 pm for Devotions and outdoor rosary procession. All are welcome!

The 84th Annual Pilgrimage of the Knights of St. John will take place on Sunday June 24, 2018 at 1:00 starting at the St. John's parking lot in Maria Stein, Ohio with procession going to the Shrine of the Holy Relics on St. Johns Road in Maria Stein, Ohio. All are welcome to join us for the recital of the Rosary during the walk and for Benediction at the Shrine on our arrival. This is in conjunction with the Country Fest festivities at the Shrine following the Pilgrimage which you are all invited to enjoy with us as well.

**The 2018 Immaculate Conception Church Festival in Ottoville** will be Sunday, July 15th. Family style chicken and beef dinners with all the fixings will be served from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the air conditioned hall. There will be bingo, a baked goods booth, a lunch stand, kids games, inflatable bounce houses and an obstacle course, and live entertainment. Visit the general store and take a chance at the raffle booth on many great items donated by area businesses and Parishioners. The Parish Historical Room will be open for visitors from 10:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Purchase your Big Ticket for a chance to win the grand prize of \$1000!! For more information, call the Parish Office at (419) 453-3513.

The Friends of the Putnam County District Library in Ottawa are now accepting applications for the upcoming 11th Annual Autumn Harvest of Crafts Show. This will be held Saturday, October 27 at Ottawa-Glandorf High School, 630 Glendale Avenue, Ottawa, Ohio from 9AM-3PM. For more info e-mail [friendscraftshow@yahoo.com](mailto:friendscraftshow@yahoo.com) or phone Judy at 419-659-5478. Proceeds benefit all locations of the Putnam County District Library.

#### STEWARDSHIP

Adults \$6,078.00 Auto Electronic Giving \$778.00 Loose \$919.00 Children \$108.00 Total: \$7,883.00

June 10<sup>th</sup> – \$1,438.10

**HEARTBEAT SUPPLIES NEEDED** wipes and size 4 & 5 diapers. Heartbeat box is located in south vestibule of church.

**The OTTAWA FOOD PANTRY** items needed: jam & jelly, Mixed vegetables, kidney beans, creamed corn, boxed and bagged pasta (but not spaghetti), fruit cocktail, mandarin oranges, pineapple (all varieties), and cereal (all varieties) box is in the north vestibule of church.

**Thanks for sharing your treasure, time, & talent with your St. John's parish family! We are most grateful**

#### **St. John the Baptist**

Catholic Church

GLANDORF, OHIO

St. George Deanery

**Missionaries of the Precious Blood**

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**REGISTRATION** New members should register as soon as possible. Moving out? - please inform the rectory.

**INTERESTED IN SERVING YOUR PARISH?** If you are interested in becoming a Lector, Extraordinary Minister, Usher or in any other way please call the rectory 419-538-6928.

**PARENT SESSIONS** are required by the Toledo Diocese for Infant Baptism, Confirmation, First Eucharist, and First Penance.

**PARENTAL BAPTISM CLASS** – Classes are from 9:00 – 10:30 AM, The 2018 dates are May 13 & September 9, in room 15, in the parish center - presented by Deacon Don Inkrott. Pre-register by calling rectory.

**ROSARY & BENEDICTION 5:00pm** every third Sunday of the month.

**WEDDINGS** The Toledo Diocese requests all dates be set at the rectory at least 6 months in advance. *Pre-Marriage Class required.* Parties who recently joined our parish who do not live within our parish boundaries, or who do not belong to a family already registered in the parish; need to be aware that we cannot schedule a wedding date until six months after the time of registration. The normal six month preparation period would apply from that point. Normally only parishioners and those related to our parishioners marry here. Any other person needs prior permission of his/her pastor.

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASS** The Diocese of Toledo has a marriage preparation class, entitled "A Joy-Filled Marriage." This is a mandatory, two-day class. St John's class will be November 3-4, 2018

**DO YOU HAVE YOUR LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT COMPLETED? DID YOU REMEMBER YOUR PARISH, ST. JOHN'S?**

**SACRAMENTAL RECONCILIATION: PENANCE** Saturdays 8:30am & 4:00pm.

**For high school CCD perfect attendance** - in order to receive the \$50 award for *perfect attendance* at the end of your senior year you must attend every CCD class on time and the entire class with no excuses except attending a parish sponsored event.

**DIOCESAN POLICY FOR CYO SPORTS** – All players must be members of the sponsoring parish and/or educational system of the parish in order to play on the parish team.

**PARISH POLICY FOR CYO HIGH SCHOOL & PUTNAM COUNTY GRADE SCHOOL BOY'S & GIRL'S SPORTING TEAMS**

**ANNOUNCEMENT:** Playing any sports this year? You are expected to attend both the Fall & Winter sessions of High School Religious Education Groups or Grade School CCD Classes---plus weekend Saturday or Sunday Mass. This includes all players, coaches and their families. Attendance at these groups/classes will be monitored and reviewed. For each class missed (which is not an excused absence) you will be sitting out one game.—**To play CYO sports, the following are the only excused absences from CCD: sickness, death in family, college visitation day, parish sponsored event, sport tournament games only with O-G athletes/fans involved, and work (up to 3 missed CCD classes due to work). After the third absence due to work, the player is not permitted to play in a game until he/she returns to CCD class.** All other reasons are unexcused. Parents, if your child is sick, please call his/her teacher/leader before class. If necessary, the Parish Council will review attendance or unexcused absence issues on an individual basis. We kindly ask the cooperation of all concerned as we implement this church policy for the good of our parish.

(Fr. Tony— pastor & Jeff Ellerbrock – Council Pres.)