

September 13, 2026 – Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Approximately 15 minutes before the Saturday & Sunday Masses when possible.			MASSSES FOR THE WEEK		FEASTS & MEMORIALS	
Monday, Sept. 14	7:45 AM	SJ -	Frank Bopp, Sr.		<i>St. Matthew</i>	
	7:45 AM	SB-	Jerry Phillips, requested by St. Ann Soc.			
Tuesday, Sept. 15	7:45 AM	MHT –	Paul Ballet, requested by Alice Nale			
	6:30 PM	IC -	Glenn Wirfel			
Wednesday, Sept. 16	7:45 AM	IC -	Grace & Jack Heinlein			
	7:45 AM	SJ -	Deceased St. John’s Parishioners		<i>St. Pius Pietrelcina</i>	
Thursday, Sept. 17	7:45 AM	SB-	Carol Ronan, requested by Rick, Joyce & Fam.			
	7:45 AM	MHT –	Joan Ggaulton, requested by Alice Nale			
	<u>3 to 8 PM IC Exposition & Adoration – Immaculate Conception</u>					
Friday, Sept. 18	7:45 AM	IC -	June Wess			
Saturday, Sept. 19	4:00 PM	MHT-	Del Rummel, requested by Rita Butterbaugh			
	4:00 PM	IC -	Gary Schrift & For the Parish		<i>Sts. Cosmas & Damian</i>	
	5:30 PM	SB -	Robert & Irene Minor, requested by Minor family			
	5:30 PM	SJ -	Albert & Cleo Shope & For the Parish			
Sunday, Sept. 20	7:00 AM	IC -	Ed, Caroline & Brett Dombrosky			
	8:30 AM	SJ -	Larry & Margaret McCormick & Bob Baynham			
	9:00 AM	SB -	Jerry Lynn Phillips, requested by Tony & Linda Mastaler			
	10:30 AM	MHT-	Dick Vivian, requested by Sue			

Sanctuary Candles	St. Bartholomew	MHT	St. John	Immaculate C.
Sept. 13-19	Robert & Irene Minor	Special intention	Brian Lawton	Eric Gregorich

Liturgical Minister Schedule				
Sept. 19/20		Lector	EMHC	Altar Servers
IC	4:00PM	Mary Sue Long	Deacon Rick	
MHT	4:00PM	Volunteer	D Yonkoski	
St. J	5:30PM	Scott Curtis	Deacon Rick	
St. B	5:30PM	M Branas	M Branas	
IC	7:00AM	Steve Pappas	Deacon Rick	
St. J	8:30AM	Brian Bernard	Deacon Rick	
St. B	9:00AM	K Miller	K Miller	
MHT	10:30AM	E Myers	R Gramling	V Myers
M/B Count-Sept. 14		B Rosmus	StB-Sept. Church cleaning	Tim & Laurie Harshberger

Offertory Collections											
Sept. 6	Reg	Votive		Roof	Spec.	CCD		Diocese	Cem.	Build	Total
MHT	\$2370	\$286			\$417	\$20		\$140	\$16	\$90	\$3339
St. B	\$2209.06	\$250			\$699	\$20		\$45	\$20	\$20	\$3263.06
IC	\$2721									\$2110	\$4831
SJ	\$2139									\$816	\$2955

Catholic Ministry Drive 2026 Envelopes are in the vestibules of the churches. Please support these ministries.

M-goal	M-pledge	B-goal	B-pledge	SJ-goal	SJ-pledge	IC-goal	IC-pledge
\$9,700	\$3,585	\$11,400	\$1,345	\$11,000	\$3,690	\$13,500	\$10,500

IC & SJ WEBSITE: In some churches, members of the congregation hold hands during the Lord’s Prayer; sometimes they raise their hands. What is the proper hand gesture when praying the Our Father during Mass? Find out at stjic.org.
TUESDAY EVENING MASS will be in Immaculate Conception Church, New Germany starting September 15 at 6:30 PM.
SEPTEMBER PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR SICK: Susan Poldiak, Peter Gerko, Mary Lou Mandichak, Regina Erzal, John Zaramba, Yvonne, Fran Mehall, Becky Gregovich, Lowell Seabolt, Addilyn Fenchak Kutzner, Bernie Baumgardner, Samilda

Huber, Francis Girard, Ray Bodenschatz, Alyse Crownover, Marlene Rummel, Ethan Racicot, Mary Ann Weinzierl, John, Susan & Mary Jo, Debbie Smay/Moyer, Roseann Subich, Mary Domidica, Eddie Werfel, Trinity, Rose, Adam, Seth Georg, Mary Giallonardo, George & Cathy Fetsko, Maria Felix, Mary Ann Penatzer, Karen Y, shut-ins, special intentions.

M/B-SECOND COLLECTION: next weekend is for our cemeteries.

SJ & IC: Next weekend, the special collection is for our Religious Education Program.

(M/B)CEMETERY CLEAN-UP: Please be advised that all flowers, decorations, stones, borders, and personal items be removed from all graves no later than Oct. 17. Any items remaining after that date will be removed and disposed of by cemetery personal. We respectfully ask that all family and visitors comply with this deadline to help maintain the appearance and grounds of the cemetery. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding. For more information: St. B-Andy Hutsky 935-6679 or St. James/Anthony Frank Rosmus 270-4103

PAM WILL BE ON VACATION this week, Sept. 14-18. IC/SJ Parish Office will be closed.

IC FINANCE & PARISH COUNCILS will meet on **Monday, Sept. 14 at 6:30 PM** in Marian Hall.

MHT FINANCE & PARISH COUNCILS will meet on Monday, Sept. 14 at 6PM in the hall.

ST. MARY'S CEMETERY Association will have a meeting on **Tuesday, Sept. 15 at 6 PM** in Marian Hall.

SJ/IC Religious Education Classes begin today & Sept. 27. Schedules are available in the back of both Churches and online (website info). Grades 1 & 2 will be in Marian Hall in IC Church and Grades 3,4,5 & 6 will be in the Grove Hall 9:30 AM to 10:45 AM. Grades 7,8 & 9 will be in the rectory basement and Grade 10 will be in SJ Church Hall from 9:30 AM to 11 AM. Students in grades 9 & 10 are asked to have 1 parent attend class with them on Sept. 13 to receive information on Diocesan changes to Confirmation Program.

MHT Religious Ed classes begin today, Sept. 13 at 9AM. Parents are asked to attend to register their students.

ST.B Religious Ed: Registration is in the church today after the 9 a.m. mass. Anyone who wants to be confirmed this year and is in 9th grade or older can sign up, also.

IC ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY meeting will be **Monday, Sept. 21** with Rosary at 6:30 PM and meeting at 7 PM.

SJ: Making **sauerkraut** Sunday, Sept. 13 at 6 PM in the Church basement kitchen for the Nov. 1 Sauerkraut Supper.

MHT PUMPKIN ROLLS: Forms are in the vestibules at all the churches or call Rita Gramling 495-5169 & leave a message. Rolls are \$15 each, and orders are due by Sept. 11. Pick up Friday, Sept. 18 from 9-noon or after masses at MHT hall.

Help is needed. All volunteers are welcome. Mary & Joseph Society will bake pumpkin rolls- Sept. 15, 16, 17 at 9am.

SJ ALTAR ROSARY Soc will sponsor their annual Pie Social on **Sunday, Sept. 27 at 1 PM** at St. John's Church Social Hall. Admission is \$3. A few games of Bingo will be played. Will need donated prizes for Chinese Auction & donation of pies. Call Mary 814-495-9092 if you can donate a pie. There is also a sign-up sheet in the back of SJ Church to donate a pie.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S Pinochle Card Party, Monday nights at 6PM until Oct 19. Admission \$5. Drinks provided. Weekly top scores awarded. Come on down and have some fun. Benefits St. Bartholomew's Cemetery Fund.

ST. B MERCHANDISE-forms are in the vestibule to order St. Bartholomew t shirts and sweatshirts, featuring a new design. Order forms and payment are due in the collection or office by Thursday, Sept. 17

WALKING WITH PURPOSE: The Bible Study options this year are: *Opening Your Heart – recommended for first time participants. *Rooted and Radiant – discusses how to abide in the wisdom of Christ. *Passionate Discipleship – focuses on equipping women to know Christ and to make Him known. All courses will be held at St. John Church, Summerhill. Regular weekly meetings will be held on Tuesday mornings at 10 AM and evenings at 6:30 PM. No previous Bible experience is needed. Information and registration sheets are available in the back of all four Churches. Last chance to register before Our Kick-Off Social on Tuesday, Sept. 22 at 6 PM at St. John Church.

GALLITZIN CROSS AWARDS- Friday, Oct 9, at Bishop Carroll at 5p.m. Tickets are \$30. Suzanne 814-695-5579-pay by check or online/credit card, <https://www.dioceseaj.org/2026-gallitzin-cross-awards/>. by 9/25

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS are sponsoring a Holy Hour in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Deacon Rick will lead the devotions on **Wednesday, Sept. 23 at 6 PM at St. Bartholomew's Church**. This Holy Hour will be within the context of Adoration/Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and will include readings from Scripture & Pope Francis. We will pray together the Divine Mercy Chaplet, the Litany of the Sacred Heart, and other Sacred Heart Devotions. All are welcome.

DIOCESAN FAMILY CONFERENCE: Sat, Sept. 19 at Bishop Carroll. Register: dioceseaj.org; booklets in vestibules

PA MARCH FOR LIFE: A Pro-Life bus will go to Harrisburg on Monday, Sept. 21, leaving from St. Benedict's Church, Carrolltown at 6:30 AM; Giant Eagle parking lot in Ebensburg at 7 AM; arrive Harrisburg 10:30 AM; arrive home between 4-5 PM. To make reservations or more info contact Patti Frederick 814-344-6521. Adults \$20 and students \$10.

800TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATH OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI, 6PM, Sept 17 at St. John Vianney Parish, Mundy's Corner. Plenary Indulgence granted. Call 814-322-4789 or THarris@dioceseaj.org if attending so chairs are available.

HOLY NAME PARISH, EBENSBURG On **Mon, Sept 21 at 7PM** in collaboration with the **Catholic Speakers organization, Independent Catholic Foundation, and St. Benedict Parish, Carrolltown, Holy Name Parish** is sponsoring from the **Archdiocese of Miami, Fr. Rafael Capo**. He is known as the "bodybuilding priest".

ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION WALK TO END ALZHEIMER'S is Saturday, September 19, at UPJ, Johnstown. Our Walk helps raise awareness and funds raised are used for Alzheimer care, support and research. We're recruiting participants, donations, and baskets for our raffle at the Walk. Please let one of us know if you can help us create a world free of Alzheimer's. Ruth Ferchalk 814-244-5594, Vivian Hogue 814-421-8387, Kathy Long 814-243-0979. Thank you!

CRESSON CATHOLIC COMMUNITY FESTIVAL: Sept 12/13 on the St. Aloysius church grounds. Come out and have a great time with family and friends while supporting the Cresson Catholic churches and All Saints Catholic School!

ST CLARE OF ASSISI SPAGHETTI DINNER: Sun, Sept 13, from 11-2pm. Homemade Sauce and Meatballs! \$15- includes: Spaghetti with Sauce, 2 Meatballs, Salad, and Dessert. Italian Cookies are sold separately. Hope you can join us!

HOLY FAMILY HUNGARIAN PICNIC: Sat Sept 19 at 5PM at the Fireman's Grove, Hooversville; gulyas, fire roasted pork chops, kolbasz, potato pancakes, hurka sausage, Hungarian style pickles, and wine from Hungary, domestic, import beer, spirits. Live Hungarian music and Hungarian folk dance. Outdoor Mass at 4PM with Hungarian hymns.

HOLY FAMILY PARISH: Portage, is currently seeking a DRE. St. Mary and St. Michael the Archangel Parishes, Hollidaysburg, are currently seeking an Assistant DRE. Submit resumes to Melony at mporada@dioceseaj.org.