



ALL SAINTS PARISH

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JUNE 24, 2018

THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

4:00 PM

Sunday

8:30 AM

11:00 AM

Weekdays

Please check for schedule
in bulletin

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday

3:00 to 3:50 PM

or by appointment

Religious Education

Grades K – 8

Sunday

9:45 AM – 10:45 AM

Parish Mission Statement

We, All Saints Parish, are drawn together by the power of the Holy Spirit to be a living and convincing sign of God's unconditional love. We are gifted to build bonds among ourselves and others in order to live the Gospel in word, worship, community and service for the salvation of all and the building of God's kingdom.



Think about it: John spends thirty years in the desert preparing to announce Christ's coming. Despite growing up in the same general area, John meets Christ only once - when he baptized him at the Jordan River - only to remain behind as Jesus recruited others to be his apostles and disciples! John never sees his cousin again before dying in prison at the hands of one of King Herod's executioners. John was faithful to the role God wanted him to play in the plan of salvation: John played that role supremely well. Listen to what Jesus himself said: "I tell you the truth: among those born of women there has not risen anyone greater than John the Baptist." (Matthew 11:11) "Yet," Jesus continues, "Anyone who is least in the kingdom of heaven is greater than he." John shows us that being faithful to God's will often requires that we deprive ourselves of the desire to "have it all" and to dedicate ourselves to discerning - and embracing - our unique roles in God's plan of salvation. In ways unique to our states and stages of life, God calls us, too, to be "a light to the nations." Are we prepared to practice the discipline that being that light may require? Are we prepared to follow Christ by staying right where we are?

A COMMUNITY WHO WORSHIPS **MASS SCHEDULE**

Sunday, June 24th

8:30 AM William H. Mooney (Rosemary Volinsky)

11:00 AM For all Parishioners

Monday, June 25th

NO MASS

Tuesday, June 26th

12:05 PM Helen Jones (Grandson, Matthew & Jennifer Balun)

Wednesday, June 27th

12:05 PM Kathleen Novak (Sister, Dorothy)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION FROM 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Thursday, June 28th

12:05 PM Father's Day Intentions

Friday, June 29th

12:05 PM Father's Day Intentions

Saturday, June 30th

4:00 PM Julia Butcher (Barbara & Edward Zabraiegalski)

Sunday, July 1st

8:30 AM Chester Leonard & Marie Leonard Davis
(Korus & Mustick Families)

11:00 AM For all Parishioners

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 30, 2018

4:00 PM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – T. Bradley, R. Coates,
A. Brunick, R. Heck

Lectors – M.J. Wojtowicz, M. Kopko

Altar Servers – P. Pritchard, R. Young, Abigail Young

Sunday, July 1, 2018

8:30 AM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – P. Motyka, R. Motyka,
D. Prutzman, T. Kirby

Lectors – Jonathan Korus, J. Gabriel

Altar Servers – N. Powell, T. Marchlenski, M. Marchlenski

11:00 AM:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion – J. Karnes, A. Mizzer,
K. Narcum P. Roan

Lectors – C. Mihoch, E. Koons

Altar Servers – Jacob Rokosz, N. Rokosz, Jonathan Rokosz

June 24th **The Nativity of** **St. John the** **Baptist**

Is 49:1-6

Acts 13:22-26

Lk 1:57-66, 80
(587)

June 25

2 Kgs 17:54-8,
13-15a, 18Mt 7:1-
5 (371)

June 26

2 Kgs 19:19b-11,
14-21, 31-35a, 36
Mt 7:6, 12-14
(372)

June 27

St. Cyril of

Alexandria

2 Kgs 22:8-13,
23:1-3

Mt 7:15-20 (273)

June 28

St. Irenaeus

2 Kgs 24:8-17

Mt 7:21-29 (374)

June 29

Sts. Peter & Paul

Acts 12:1-11/2

Tm 4:6-8

17-18/

Mt 16:13-19 (591)

June 30

Lam 2:2, 10-14,
18-19

Mt 8:5-17 (376)

July 1

13th Sunday in
Ordinary Time

Wis 1:13-15,

2:23-24

2 Cor 8:7-9, 13-15

Mk 5:21-43or

5:21-24, 35b-43

(98)

If you are unable to fulfill your obligation, please find a replacement

PARISH EVENTS

Baptism Class – Wednesday, July 11th, 7:00 PM, at Holy Child Faith Formation Center.

CATECHISM STUDY GROUP

*The Catholic Catechism study group will **NOT** be held during the Summer. Please watch the bulletin in August for the next session.*

Eucharistic



Adoration

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Eucharistic Adoration, Wednesday, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

If you are able to schedule a time, please call Joan Kaye at 570-779-2998.

PARISH LOTTERY

Winners for the week of June 11th: \$50.00: #987 Aiden Romanoski, #579 Carol J. Krulick, #834 Kathleen Kennedy, #451 Edward Mizzer, #801 Monica Chulvick.
\$100.00: #819 Mary Ann Stavetski.

USHERS CLUB – 50/50 LOTTO

Winner for June 9th: #822 Gary Kochinski, \$100.00.

SCHEDULING MASSES FOR THE YEAR 2019

We are now accepting Mass intention for 2019. We would like to review our Mass scheduling policy. Presently, we will be scheduling Mass intentions for the entire year. Mass availability is on a first-come, first serve basis. We have only two Mass intentions per weekend available, one weekend Mass must be said for the intention of the parishioners. In order to give as many families as possible the opportunity to have a Mass, only one weekend Mass intention per family can be scheduled per year. There is no limit to the number of Mass intentions per family scheduled for daily Masses. If you have any questions, please call the parish office at 570-779-5323. Thank you.

SCHEDULE YOUR PHOTO FOR OUR PARISH DIRECTORY

Photographers will be here on the following days: July 31, August 1,2,3,4,6,7,8 (session hours during weekdays are 2:00 PM through 9:00 PM; and on Saturdays will be from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. All photography sessions will be held in the church basement/chapel.

PETER'S PENCE

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Please always remember to pray for those in our nation's military; for firefighters, police and EMT's. Please also pray for all in the Parish who are ill or in any way distressed, especially those who have asked for prayers: Nathan Grey, Eugene, Mark, Emma, George, Joseph, John, Danielle, Joseph, Rose Mary, Leah, Ed Harenza, George, Michelle, Stanley, Tom, Raina, Seth, Dorothy, Dave, Ray, Anthony Yuscavage, Anna Regan, Kubik & Rudnik Families, Kathleen K., Edmund Havira, John Brunick, Rose Mahoney, Joel Rivera, John S. Nowak, Joseph M., Donna, Frank, Daniel, Rosalie, Al, Marge Demarco, Theresa Kopko, Paul & Marilyn Irzinski, Joe, Audrey, Mollie & Louise. If you or a loved one would like to be on the parish prayer list, please notify the office. If you are calling for someone else, please make sure you have that person's permission to publish their name in the bulletin.



PARISH MINISTRY

CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTER

Next food distribution, **Thursday, June 28th**, 9am – 11am. The Christian Service Center is in dire need of canned fruit, dried pasta, peanut butter, jelly, cereals & juices.

ALTAR SERVERS

Anyone wishing to become an altar server can call Ed Bozek at 570-472-1474 or the parish office.

Our parish gratefully acknowledges the following donation:

~ In memory of *Joseph Wrazen* by Felicia Perlick

SCHOOL SUPPLY PROGRAM

The Social Concerns Committee of All Saints Parish will be sponsoring a School Supply Program. This program will be opened to families that are struggling financially, not only in our parish but from within our local communities. This program will be opened to children from Kindergarten through Grade 6. Our goal is to supply each child with a new backpack which will be filled with necessary school supplies. Our committee will supply the backpacks and we will be asking our parishioners to help by purchasing school items from the itemized list below. All school items purchased can then be dropped off in the ramp area of the church before all the weekend masses during the months of **JUNE** and **JULY**. There will be a designated container set up in the ramp area for the donated items.

School Supply List

Crayons	Safety Scissors	Washable markers
#2 Pencils	Folders	Composition notebooks
Colored Pencils	12 inch rulers	Glue sticks
Pencil sharpeners	3 Ring Binders	Antibacterial hand sanitizer
Erasers	Pencil Pouches	Tissues

DIOCESAN EVENTS

MASS IN REMEMBRANCE OF VICTIMS OF VIOLENT OR TRAGIC DEATH

The Diocese of Scranton is offering the annual Mass in remembrance of victims of violent or tragic death. This Mass is offered for the families and friends of those who have died in tragedy, especially through murder, suicide and accident. The Mass is scheduled for **Thursday, July 12, 2018 at 7:00 PM, in the Diocesan Pastoral Center, 330 Wyoming Avenue, Scranton.** All persons who have lost a loved one through tragic and traumatic death are invited to this liturgy. We ask that the names of deceased loved ones are registered on registration forms which are available in the parish office or accessed on the Service and Social Concerns webpage on the Diocese of Scranton's website, www.dioceseofscranton.org. Questions concerning this Mass may be directed to the Office for Parish Life at 570-207-2213.

VIRTUS TRAINING

A training for adults in the Protecting God's Children program (PGC-Virtus) is scheduled for Thursday, July 19th, at 6:30 PM, at Gate of Heaven Parish, Dallas. If you are an adult employee or volunteer who has direct contact or routine interaction with children, please make every effort to participate in this training. Your attendance is important. For more information contact Heather Betts at Diocese of Scranton Heather-Betts@dioceseofscranton.org.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2019

World Youth Day will be held in Panama City, Panama from January 22-27, 2019. World Youth Day is an initiative from St. John Paul II to gather young Catholics of the world every two to three years in a celebration of faith and culture. The world Youth Day events gather millions, including Pope Francis, young Catholic, clergy and religious brothers and sisters. The Diocese of Scranton is sponsoring two separate pilgrimage packages for young adults ages 18-35. If you, or a young adult you may know, are interested in learning more about the world Youth Day Pilgrimage, contact Shannon Kowalski, Coordinator for Youth and Young Adult Ministry at 570-207-2213x1155 or email Shannon-Kowalski@dioceseofscranton.org.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY PLACES OF ITALY, OCTOBER 2 – 12, 2018

Join Father Christopher Manuele and the Easter Churches of Scranton on an extraordinary motor-coach adventure through Italy this October! On this trip you will visit some of the most spectacular places in the world, such as Venice, Ravenna, Florence, Siena and Rome. You'll enjoy private tours through the most celebrated of Italy's churches, squares and monuments and experience the joy of Italian cuisine. Most importantly, Father will celebrate the divine liturgy at the tombs of many great saints and martyrs, such as St. Peter, St Athanasius and St. John Chrysostom. For only \$2995.00 you can enjoy this incredible trip. The price is based on a double occupancy room and includes round trip airfare, lodging, tours, transportation and daily breakfast and dinner. Contact Joe Long at jlong@prorome.com or 570-309-1346 for more information or sign up. For more information, visit website at www.prorome.com.

"The greatest love story of all time is contained in a tiny white Host."

Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: Adult preparation for the Sacrament of Initiation. If you know of anyone who might be interested in inquiring about the Catholic Faith, call the parish office or Maureen Dillon at (570) 779-9874. Classes are generally held on Sunday mornings after the 8:30 AM Mass.



Baptism of Infants: Parents requesting Baptism for their children should make an appointment with the Pastor to begin the process. Also, parents seeking Baptism must attend a Baptism preparation class prior to their child's Baptism.



Catholic Marriage: Diocesan Policy states that those considering celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage must meet with the pastor at least six months before any desired wedding date. Please call the office to schedule an appointment with the Pastor.



Communion for the Homebound: Homebound parishioners who wish to receive Holy Communion please call the office at 570-779-5323.

Hospital Visitation: Please notify the Parish Office if you or a loved one is hospitalized as the hospital no longer notifies the parish. If a patient would like to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation or Anointing of the Sick or if he or she would just like a visit, please call the office to make arrangements.

Prayer for Life

Father and maker of all, you adorn all creation with splendor and beauty, and fashion human lives in your image and likeness.

Awaken in every heart reverence for the work of your hands, and renew among your people a readiness to nurture and sustain your precious gift of life.

Grant this through Our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God Forever and ever. Amen.

If you would like to purchase Altar Breads or Sanctuary Candles for a week in memory or in honor of a loved one, contact Jackie Karnes at 570-332-1176 (**Monday thru Friday only**) for available dates. Altar Breads are \$25.00 per week and Sanctuary Candles are \$15.00 per week.



If anyone is interested in donating flowers for the altar in memory of someone, please contact the office at 570-779-5323



Ads - \$5.00



WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

June 9th & June 10th

Offertory: \$5015.75

Loose Collection: \$172.00 Insurance: \$31.00

Cemetery: \$15.00 Energy: \$564.00

Ascension: \$2.00

Catholic Home Missions: \$1.00*

Peter's Pence: \$1.00* Clergy Care: \$113.00*

\$5914.75

Thank you! Your stewardship and generosity toward your parish is greatly needed and appreciated.

**Last week's Diocesan Collections amounted to \$115.00 which is sent directly to the Diocese of Scranton.*



*Miraculous Medal Novena
Prayed on Tuesday after
Mass*

*Novena to St. Jude
Prayed on Thursday*

*First Friday Prayer to
The Sacred Heart*

