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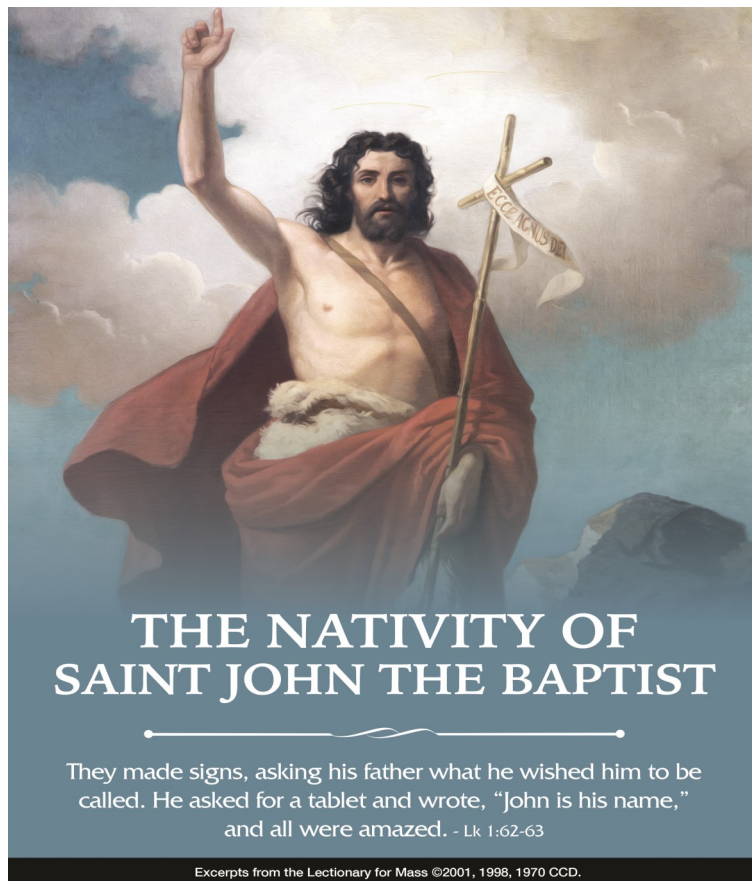
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THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

They made signs, asking his father what he wished him to be called. He asked for a tablet and wrote, "John is his name," and all were amazed. - Lk 1:62-63

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM
Sunday Morning: 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
Holy Days: 8:00 AM; Vigil: 6:30 PM

WEEKDAY Schedule: Monday—Friday

6:30 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
6:45 am Vigils
7:15 am Lauds (Morning Prayer)
7:35 am Holy Rosary
7:50 am Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
8:00 am Holy Mass
8:30 am Confession

SAT, JUN 23	WEEKDAY
5:00 PM	Dick & Jane Harmon † (55+ Club)
SUN, JUN 24	THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST
8:00 AM	The Parishioners
10:30 AM	Michael Brown † (Bill Cotter)
MON, JUN 25	WEEKDAY
8:00 AM	Robert Walshak † (Walshak Family)
TUE, JUN 26	WEEKDAY
8:00 AM	Raymond F. Schneider † (Rhoda Schneider)
WED, JUN 27	SAINT CYRIL OF ALEXANDRA
8:00 AM	Sharon Wolf †
THU, JUN 28	SAINT IRENAEUS
8:00 AM	Barbara Molnar † (husband)
FRI, JUN 29	SAINTS PETER & PAUL
8:00 AM	John & Elisabeth McGuire † (Bey Family)
SAT, JUN 30	WEEKDAY
5:00 PM	Jane Moyers † (Moyers Family)
SUN, JULY 1	13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8:00 AM	Parishioners
10:30 AM.	Louise Barton † (Eileen Clemente)

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS **BULLETIN DEADLINE**
Monday-Thursday 9AM—3PM BY 3:00 PM, Monday
CLOSED FRIDAY

RECONCILIATION
Saturday 3:30—4:30 PM, or by request

ANOINTING OF THE SICK
Please phone the Church Office if you have family members in the hospital, or who are seriously ill, or elderly, and are confined to their homes. It is important that all of our sick be anointed by a priest, on a regular basis. I am always available to anoint our Sick

SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE & BAPTISM
Call Parish Office for information.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP
Call the Parish office (form on back of bulletin)

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):
Individuals interested in learning about the Catholic Church and/or becoming Catholic, please contact the Parish office. Inquiries welcomed at any time. Sessions begin September of each year.

SISTER PARISH
St. Anthony of Padua, Tekit, Yucatan, Mexico
St. Isidore, Ochil
Our Lady of the Assumption, Mama
St. John the Baptist, Sabacche

The Week Ahead June 24 thru June 30, 2018

TUES, Jun 26 | 6PM Book Club, Silver Shores Restaurant

Next week, **June 29th** we will take the **Peter's Pence Collection**, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. **Peter's Pence** also helps our Holy Father support seminaries and religious houses, orphanages, AIDS treatment centers, and other medical and social facilities in developing nations. Thank you for standing in solidarity with the Holy See's charitable works through your generosity. Please continue to pray for our brothers and sisters in faith who are facing adversity.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico, JCL, Bishop of Erie
For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence

Peter's Pence Collection
Be a Witness of
Charity

"A LITTLE MERCY MAKES THE WORLD LESS
COLD AND MORE JUST."
—Pope Francis, Angelus, March 17, 2013


Holy Smoke
BBQ DINNER

SUNDAY
AUGUST 5, 2018

Ticket sales for the prizes at this year's BBQ Dinner begin after all masses on the weekend of **July 7 & 8**. Not only do we have your favorites, the Gas Grill, \$100 Sheetz Gas Card, and a Mountain Bike, but for our youngsters, a Lego Star Wars Fighter, Coleman Sundome Tent, Game Time Pittsburgh Steelers Watch, Pittsburgh Pirates Theme Basket, and More.

High school boys invited to four-day retreat,
QUO VADIS DAYS
Registration Forms at both doors of the Church

The Diocese of Erie and the Diocese of Greensburg are teaming up for their first annual **Quo Vadis Days** (QVD) at St. Philip Church and Retreat Center in Linesville July 8-11. This retreat/camp is designed for high school boys who are considering seminary formation and the priesthood, and who are striving to follow God's call in their lives. Erie Bishop Lawrence T. Persico and Greensburg Bishop Edward C. Malesic will celebrate Masses. Other visiting priests will give talks and seminarians will be on hand throughout the week. **"Quo Vadis" is the Latin phrase for "Where are you going?"** The legend is that St. Peter was fleeing the persecution of Nero and leaving Rome, when he saw Jesus heading into Rome. Peter asks Jesus, **"Lord, where are you going?"** Jesus responds, **"To Rome to be crucified."** Then Jesus disappeared. At that moment Peter headed back into Rome to face martyrdom.



In keeping with our 50 years of commitment to vocations, K of C Council # 6037 will defray the cost of registration to "Quo Vadis" for any interested young men from this parish.

OFFERTORY, June 17th = \$4810.20



2018 Campaign
Feb 11, 2018 thru Jan 31, 2019

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL
Diocesan Goal: \$42,508.00
Pledged to date: \$62,446.00
Amount Received to Date: \$37,330.00



Congrats .. JOHN LAUFFER was the lucky winner of week #44 of our "300 Club" for \$100, #108. Congratulations, John!

We are happily planning **S'More Fun** here at OLQA,
We invite you to bring your entire family and join us here on Sunday, August 12, 2018



Food, games and more.....save the date


SURVEY
 Question #1
 Question #2
 Question #3

COMING SOON

LECTORS
Beginning with the **July** schedule we will be scheduling only one lector to do both readings.
Thank you for your cooperation.


TRY SOMETHING NEW

OLQA Book Club is now reading,
In The Unlikely Event, by Judy Blume.
Meeting on Tuesday, June 26, 6:00 PM, Silver Shores Restaurant
ALL are welcome



31 Club—Please pray for vocations...

25th: M A Shay	29th: R A Cooper
26th: M Staahl	30th: R A Cooper
27th: D Thomas	1st: P Taylor
28th: R A Cooper	



If you would like to join the 31 Club, call Terry Conlin @ 814-720-6041.

PLEASE REMEMBER YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR FINDING YOUR OWN REPLACEMENT

JULY		ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	USHERS	GREETERS Side Door
SAT	5:00 PM	McKenna Longoria Matt Longoria	C Waldron	B Bazylak, Jr K Bazylak M B Jacobs	B Bazylak, Sr P Greco B Greco B Irwin	P Greco
SUN	8:00 AM	G Byler A Wurdock	M Hornfeck	H Biemer S Treacy K Barton	R Barton H Lewis K Novosel J Treacy	R Barton
SUN	10:30 AM	J Burchard Sam Burchard S Burchard	M Comer	K Jacobs P Jacobs S Ragozine	J Arnett E Gross T Bost D Perfett	E Gross
OFFERING COUNTERS		Jul 1 L Helch P Gilfoyle	July 8 K Ittel J Elwell	July 15 P Hilton R Bullock	July 22 J Smock A Andres	July 29 M Staahl R Jezak

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:

Jun 24: Walker Irwin, Barbara Mulligan
 Jun 25: Calie Biase
 Jun 26: Margaret Staahl
 Jun 27: Pamela Humes
 Jun 28: Robert Conlin, Jr, Louise Descutner, Jacqueline Gildea, Samantha Simonetta
 Jun 29: Hannah Grove
 Jun 30: Luke Hans, Sheila Ledford

ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS THIS WEEK TO:

Jun 24: David & Elizabeth Gilligan (46)
 Jun 25: Thomas & Mary Beth Lemak (41)
 Ryan & Theresa Panuski (2)
 Jun 26: Robert & Paula Hilton (47)
 David & Vicki White (19)
 Jun 27: William & Senta Karastury (21)
 Jun 29: Michael & Barbara Greil (38)

If you find an error in any of these listings, please call the office to update your records. Thank you



FAITH FORMATION NEWS

For more information, or to make an appointment contact **Amanda Darke**
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HAVE A GREAT SUMMER



ANNUAL BANQUET
 FRIDAY, AUGUST 17, 2018
 HOTEL CONNEAUT

Full-time Middle School Position - Seton Catholic School

ELA (7th-8th) / American History (7th-8th) / Religion (6th & 8th) Interested PA certified teachers should complete the necessary applicant paperwork. Required documentation can be found at <https://www.eriercd.org/schools/teachingforms.html>.

Interested applicants should send application packet to:
 Seton Catholic School
 Mrs. Laura Blake, Principal
 385 Pine Street, Meadville, PA 16335
 Application deadline: July 6, 2018

For questions email lblake@seton-school.com



Serving Others in God's Love
 Religious Freedom Week
 June 22-29, 2018

We are called to follow Christ as missionary disciples by serving others and living our faith in all that we do. Let us take a few moments each day from June 22 - June 29 to pray, reflect, and act on religious liberty, both here in this country and abroad.

People of faith are committed to **servicing others in God's love** in healthcare, child welfare, migration and refugee resettlement, education, and more. **Religious freedom protects the space** in which we can continue to serve. Religious Freedom Week begins June 22, the Feast of Sts. Thomas More & John Fisher. Join Catholics across the country to **pray and act** for the freedom to serve faithfully and with integrity. **Learn more at [www.usccb.org/ReligiousFreedomWeek!](http://www.usccb.org/ReligiousFreedomWeek)**

EARLY PUBLICATION DATE



Just a reminder that the July 8th bulletin will be sent for publication on Thursday June 28th at Noon.

If you have any items for the bulletin please submit them to the office before Wednesday, June 27th.

Thank you.

K of C Council # 6037 has been sponsoring a Red Cross blood drive at St. Philip Social hall for over twenty years. Our last drive on June 4th netted 20 units (pints). We would like to thank everyone that took an hour to help save a life. We also would like to thank fellow parishioner Dr. Tom Allison for chairing this worthy endeavor.

Our next blood drive will be July 30th from 2pm till 7pm.



Readings for the Week

<http://www.usccb.org/bible/books-of-the-bible>

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