

St. John the Baptist Church

14755 Landeck Rd. Delphos, OH 45833

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 9, 2020



Pastor

Rev. Dennis Walsh

Associate Pastors

Rev. Scott Perry Rev. Tony Vera

Parish Manager

Sister Immacolata, SCC
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Parish Office Hours

Monday–Friday
9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

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Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Monday: 7:00 p.m.



Reconciliation

Sunday:
8:00 a.m.-8:15 a.m.

Anointing of the Sick

Call: (419) 695-4050
(419) 302-4497

Baptism

Please call four months prior to your child's Baptismal date.

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule pre-baptismal instructions.

Matrimony

Please contact Sister Immacolata at least six months in advance to schedule your wedding preparation and celebration.

Communion Calls

Parishioners unable to attend Church and wish to have Communion brought to them, please call Sister Immacolata

Exciting News!!

We would like to welcome Sister Mary Edward Spohrer to the family of Saint John the Baptist. Sister Mary Edward was born in Pittston, PA and like Sister Immacolata; she is a Sister of Christian Charity. Sister will live in our Landeck parish house/convent and will be in charge of the music ministry at Saint Patrick Church.

She holds a Bachelor of Music degree from Fontbonne University and a Master of Arts in Music from Washington University, both in St. Louis. She also did graduate studies in Theology at Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ.

At present, Sister is the provincial of the North American Eastern Province. Sister's term of service ends as provincial on August 21st and will arrive in Landeck on August 23rd.

Fun Fact: Sister Mary Edward was in charge of Sister Immacolata's religious formation program for 7 out of her 9 years.

Remembrance

Flowers in front of the altar and ambo are in memory and thanksgiving for the life of Arnold and Calista Miller. These flowers were donated by Jim and Martha Miller.

Catholic Young Adult Group

The next meeting for the Catholic Young Adult Group will be on Wednesday, August 12, from 7-8:30 p.m. at the Rectory Courtyard. We will be practicing social distancing throughout the meeting. The group is for those post-high school through those in their 20's and 30's and meets on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the month. Please join us for socializing and faith-sharing with other young adults around the area! Check us out on Facebook: Catholic Young Adult Group or contact Kirstie Schroeder (schrokm@gmail.com) or Fr. Scott (frscottperry@delphosstjohns.org) for more information.

School Shopping

If anyone is going school shopping and would like to donate some items to our parish religion classes, we would greatly appreciate your help. We know this is the time that there are many sales on school items. Also, if you would like to give a monetary gift, that is also wonderful. The items that we need are...

Washable markers	Crayons
Boxes of tissues	Bottled glue/glue sticks
Paper Towels	Finger paint (washable)
Water paints	Baby Wipes
Scotch tape	Quart zip lock bags

We will have a box in the back of the Church for any donations. Thank you!

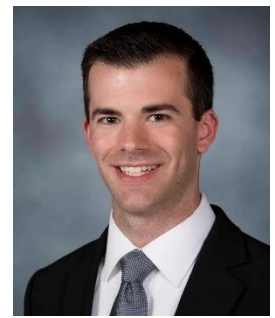
Meet Seminarian Brad McNeal

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, Hello! My name is Brad McNeal and I am a seminarian for the Diocese of Toledo. I am also pleased to share with you that I am the seminarian that will be spending the next year with all of you as part of my pastoral internship year! I am very much looking forward to spending the next year with all of you and to be immersed into parish life! Before I begin my time with all of you near the end of August, let me share with you a little bit about myself. I was born and raised in Toledo and my home parish is Most Blessed Sacrament Parish in Toledo. I am the youngest of three boys in my family and am the proud uncle of three nieces and another baby due in October. I attended Cardinal Stritch Catholic High School and it was during my time there that the thought of priesthood began to go through my mind. I graduated from Stritch in 2012 and was also awarded the Bishop's Cross. After high school, I attended the University of Toledo and earned my undergrad in special education. After graduating from UT in 2016, I then officially began my seminary studies at Mount St. Mary's Seminary of the West in Cincinnati. In 2018, I earned my M.A. in Catholic studies from the seminary and have recently completed my fourth year of seminary studies. If it is truly God's, will for my life, I would be ordained a transitional deacon in spring of 2022 and a priest in spring of 2023. As a seminarian, I have spent previous summers at the parishes in Paulding, Columbus Grove, and Shelby. In addition, I spent a summer doing mission work in the Appalachian region of Eastern Kentucky, which is one of the poorest areas in the United States. I have learned various things from each of those assignments and I look forward to learning much more about parish life and the priesthood this next year in Delphos, Landeck and Spencerville. While things at the parishes will definitely be a little different for some time, it is my great hope to be able to get to know as many of you as I possibly can as it is you who make these parishes and school what they are! Please know of my prayers for all of you and please keep me in your prayers as well. The power of prayer is amazing and must never be underestimated! I look forward to meeting you all soon.

In Christ,
Brad McNeal

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) for our three parishes will be beginning to meet on a weekly basis starting this month. Our RCIA group is for any non-Catholic adult who is interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the faith. If you or someone you know would be interested in more information or would like to sign up, please contact Sister Immacolata or Fr. Scott.



A Student's Prayer for a New School Year

Lord Jesus, I ask for Your help as I begin this new school year. Allow me to experience Your presence in the many blessings You put before me. Open my eyes to the new challenges and exciting opportunities that this new school year brings. Open my heart and mind to new friends and new teachers. Give me a generous spirit to be enthusiastic with my studies and courage to accept new opportunities. Help me to be attentive to my teachers and let me experience Your presence in my new friends. Jesus, inspire me to do my best this year! Amen

Mass Intentions

(Sunday) August 9th

8:30 a.m. – Helen Renner
Arnold and Calista Miller
Norma Etzkorn (7th day)

5:30 p.m. –Tim Trentman

(Monday) August 10th - Lisa Soboleski

(Sunday) August 16th

8:30 a.m. – Bea Kaverman
Eugen and Margaret Lause

5:30 p.m. – Pete and Leona Pohlman

(Monday) August 17th – Marie Etzkorn

Ministry Schedule

Sunday, August 9, 2020		Sunday, August 16, 2020	
Sunday Rosary	Ken and Kathy Miller	Sunday Rosary	Martha Miller
Lectors	1 st Reading – Terry Knebel 2 nd Reading – Joe Rode	Lectors	1 st Reading – Jennifer Carpenter 2 nd Reading – Diane Bonifas
Commentators	Penny Kill	Commentators	Martha Miller
Communion Distributors	Jane Bonifas, Nancy Kroeger, Shelly Kroeger Choir- Barry Stirn	Communion Distributors	Ron Bonifas, Karen Bonifas, Melany Knippen Choir- Blake Fischbach
Servers	Emily Rode Luke Rode	Servers	Olivia Bloom Breanna Pohlman
Cantor	Rick Fortener	Cantor	Kathy Miller
Usher	Jim Miller	Usher	Ed Paxton
Mass Set-Up	Pat Flanagan	Mass Set-Up	Ken Miller
Money Counters	Mike and Becky Berelsman Carl and Diane Bonifas	Money Counters	Mike and Becky Berelsman Carl and Diane Bonifas

~If there is something you would like placed in the parish bulletin, please contact the Parish Office no later than **Wednesday at 12:00 p.m.** prior to the weekend you want your information published.

Worship

19 th Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 9 th	20 th Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 16 th
8:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. – Confessions	8:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. – Confessions
8:30 a.m. – Mass	8:30 a.m. – Mass
5:30 p.m.- Mass	5:30 p.m.- Mass
Monday, August 10th	Monday, August 17th
4:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. – Adoration	4:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. – Adoration
6:45 p.m. -Benediction	6:45 p.m. -Benediction
7:00 p.m. Mass	7:00 p.m. Mass

Diocesan Important Information

Day Retreat Opportunities

Are you looking for a respite from the pandemic, the politics, and the news reports? Come away for a day at Our Lady of the Pines Retreat Center in Fremont, Ohio. Individual day retreats are available from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. on any of the following dates:

August 14	September 9
August 25	September 28

The cost of each day is \$13/person/day, with use of all amenities available (labyrinth, meditation deck, library, chapel, grotto, walking paths, sitting rooms, reflection benches, art room, etc.). Lunch is available for an additional \$10; reservations must be made ahead of time. Come by yourself or bring a friend or your spouse. Allow the peacefulness of our holy grounds restore your spirit.

If these dates do not work for you and you would enjoy a day away, call the retreat center to arrange a different time (419-332-6522). Visit www.pinesretreat.org for a full list of amenities.

Night of Healing (Join us In-Person)

WORSHIP | WITNESS | ADORATION | WORD | HEALING

TUESDAY: AUG. 11 from 7:00-8:30

Fr. Anthony Coci
Fr. Tom Oedy
Fr. Jim Brown
at St. Jerome, Walbridge.
300 Warner St.,
Walbridge, OH 43465

YOUR PRAYER PETITIONS can be submitted NOW
- at the MCCR email: mccrholyspirit@gmail.com
- or trusting that God knows your prayer needs and we will lift up all your intentions.

Last Weekend's Gifts

Sunday, July 2nd

Total: \$4,527.00

Sunday Envelopes: \$2,160.00

Maintenance: \$2317.00

Loose Offering: \$50.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Capital Campaign for this week:

\$574.00