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#### SATURDAY, February 22: VIGIL OF SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**5:00 p.m. MASS** – † Jean DeVecchis by Donald and Cheryl Voytck

SUNDAY, February 23: SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 a.m. MASS – Living and Deceased Members of Saint Catherine of Siena Parish

Monday, February 24: Weekday

8:00 a.m. - † Don McCartney by Joe and Maria

Tuesday, February 25: Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † Toni Hancock by Family

Wednesday, February 26: Weekday

**8:00 a.m.** – † For Vocations

Thursday, February 27: Saint Gregory of Narek, Abbot and Doctor of the Church

8:00 a.m. - † Bernardine Witychak by Bob and Ann Gilliland

Friday, February 28: Weekday

8:00 a.m. – †People of the Parish

#### SATURDAY, March 1: VIGIL OF EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Magdaline Szczerba by Lisa and Donald Matson

SUNDAY, March 2: EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 a.m. MASS – Living and Deceased Members of Saint Catherine of Siena Parish

If you know of *Prayer Requests for a sick parishioner:* Write the name or petition in our Parish Prayer Request Book located in the vestibule of our church. The Prayer Request Book is brought into the church at each weekend Mass and all the intentions are included in the General Intercessions.

#### Marian Devotions:

Approximately 30 minutes before each Mass begins with the recitation of the Holy Rosary.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD)** –Regularly scheduled classes will be held every Sunday from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.

## Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick:

Request the Anointing of the Sick when you know the date of an upcoming medical procedure or the beginning of the medical treatment by calling the Parish Office. The peace that the Sacrament offers can be yours during the days you prepare for the medical appointment.

Schedule of Liturgical Ministries for March 1/2, 2025						
MASS	Lectors	Altar Servers	Hospitality Ministers (Greeters)	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Cathy Wilson	Ann Bonson	Volunteer	Maria Danish Andrea Christoff		
Sunday <b>9:00 a.m.</b>	Suzanne Brown	Kasen Gipe Branson Gipe	Volunteer	Beth Lear Volunteer		

## **Stewardship Reflections**

February 23, 2025 – 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel, taken from the sixth chapter of Luke, Jesus offers a very challenging, seemingly impossible approach to daily life. "Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you. To the person who strikes you on one check, offer the other one as well, and from the person who takes yours cloak do not withhold even your tunic.... Give to everyone who asks of you, and from the one who takes what is yours do not demand it back."

It seems so unfair. Unless, that is, we look at this way of life from a stewardship point of view. Then, not only does it seem doable (though challenging), but it also actually makes perfect sense. A steward understands clearly that all he has, and all that he is a gift from God given to him from an unfathomable abundance of love. This changes everything!

This means that "my" cloak, "my" tunic, "my" money and "my" time – all of it

"my" money and "my" time – all of it ultimately belongs to God. He has entrusted these things to each of us in love to use for His purposes and His glory.

## Pro Life

**February 23** -It's easy to love life when it's beautiful and perfect. But the real test of our love is to love, respect, and defend all human life from beginning to end; young and old; born and unborn.



#### SANCTUARY CANDLE:

The Sanctuary Candle acknowledging
The Real Presence of Christ in the
tabernacle is burning this week for
Poor souls



# COLLECTION COUNTING SCHEDULE for:

Sunday, February 23, 2025: Will Crouse Sunday, March 2, 2025: Mary Secrest



Ellen Booher, Lewis Bellucci, Frank Miller

LIVE MASS aired Every Sunday from Saint John Gualbert Cathedral in Johnstown on WATM-TV ABC Channel 23 If you are homebound and not able to attend the Sunday Mass, please watch our Diocesan Program Proclaim at 10:30 a.m. and the live telecast of Sunday Liturgy at 11:00 a.m.

# DEPRESSED OR ANXIOUS? NEED SOME HELP AND SUPPORT?

Catholic Charities, an agency of the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown offers professional, confidential counseling for individuals, children and youth, families, and couples. Please call them at 944-9388 for more information.

Dutc/Mass	Redders	Titul Del vels	Willisters
5:00 p.m. Saturday February 22, 2025	Ed McGarvey	Guy Kumpf	Mary Lyons Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday February 23, 2025	Beth Lear	Jax McCartney Dane Varner Nolan Starr	Will Crouse Marcia Slates
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 1, 2025	Cathy Wilson	Ann Bonson	Maria Danish Andrea Christoff
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 2, 2025	Suzanne Brown	Kasen Gipe Branson Gipe	Beth Lear Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 8, 2025	Maggie Stiffler	Volunteer	Maggie Stiffler Ann Bonson
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 9, 2025	Dennis Drake	Maria Mellott Bella Starr	Will Crouse Marcia Slates
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 15, 2025	Louise Ketner	Maggie Stiffler	Louise Ketner Kevin Muha
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 16, 2025	Beth Lear	Quinn Weirich Abe Weirich Julian Weirich	Volunteer Will Crouse
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 22, 2025	Dayton Shugarts	Volunteer	Mary Lyons Maria Danish
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 23, 2025	Suzanne Brown	Nolan Starr Jax McCartney Dane Varner	Marcia Slates Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 29, 2025	Ed McGarvey	Guy Kumpf	Andrea Christoff Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 30, 2025	Louise Ketner	Branson Gipe Kasen Gipe	Louise Ketner Beth Lear
March 30, 2025  Sacrament of Baptism of Inf By appointment, preferably	ants:		l

**Altar Servers** 

Ministers

February/March 2025 Schedule for Liturgical Ministries at Saint Catherine Readers

Date/Mass

By appointment, preferably celebrated within the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass, families, regardless of religious affiliation, are encouraged to attend and participate in Baptismal Sacramental Preparation and Celebration. Sponsor certificate must be received at the Parish Office if the sponsors are not members of Saint Catherine of Siena Church.