



St. Catherine Church

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SATURDAY, February 8: VIGIL OF FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Steve J. Holesa by Patty

SUNDAY, February 9: FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

Monday, February 10: Saint Scholastica, Virgin

8:00 a.m. – † Richard Gergel by Joe and Maria Danish

Tuesday, February 11: Our Lady of Lourdes

8:00 a.m. – † Mary Brenneman by Antonio Magliere and Family

Wednesday, February 12: Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † For Vocations

Thursday, February 13: Weekday

8:00 a.m. – † People of the Parish

Friday, February 14: Saints Cyril, Monk, and Methodius, Bishop

8:00 a.m. – † Kim Cowher by Family

SATURDAY, February 15: VIGIL OF SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. MASS – † Michael Kowalski by Melissa

SUNDAY, February 16: SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

Catholic Daughters Meeting Wednesday, February 12 at 4:00 p.m. in the Holy Family Hall.

Knights of Columbus Meeting Sunday, February 16 at 10:00 a.m. in the School Hall. All Knights are encouraged to attend.

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.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: One half hour before Saturday evening Mass or anytime by appointment/request.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 9, 2025

Schedule of Liturgical Ministries for February 15/ 16, 2025

MASS	Lectors	Altar Servers	Hospitality Ministers (Greeters)	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Maggie Stiffler	Volunteer	Volunteer	Maggie Stiffler Ann Bonson
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	Dennis Drake	Abe Weirich Julian Weirich Quinn Weirich	Volunteer	Beth Lear Volunteer

Stewardship Reflections

**February 9, 2025 –
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Our readings today remind us of the great privilege we have in calling ourselves children and disciples of the Most High God.

While we can approach Him with the confidence of a child before his father, we must also remember the deep reverence and awe that we owe to Him.

When we truly embrace a stewardship way of life, putting our talents, time and treasure at the service of the Most High God, we will be astonished at what God will do. Our lives may take a direction beyond our wildest imaginings.

But Just as Jesus reassured Simon in our Gospel today, “Be not afraid,” He reassures us too. We need not fear a stewardship way of life. Rather, we should embrace the adventure it presents us and prepare to be astonished by what our awesome God will do. “Here I am Lord, send me!”

Pro Life

February 9 - “Find the courage to proclaim Christ, and the unchanging truths which have their foundation in Him. These are the truths that set us free!

They are the truths which alone can guarantee respect for the inalienable dignity and rights of each man, woman and child in our world - including the most defenseless of all human beings, the unborn child in the mother's womb.”-

Pope Benedict XVI.

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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 9, 2025: Dennis Drake

Sunday, February 16, 2025: Kathy Lantz



Sybil Miller, Mary Secrest, Ann Bielski, Kynneddy Miller, Christine Feather

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.

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.

February 2025 Schedule for Liturgical Ministries at Saint Catherine			
Date/Mass	Readers	Altar Servers	Ministers
5:00 p.m. Saturday February 1, 2025	Cathy Wilson	Ann Bonson	Maria Danish Andrea Christoff
9:00 a.m. Sunday February 2, 2025	Louise Ketner	Kasen Gipe Branson Gipe	Louise Ketner Beth Lear
5:00 p.m. Saturday February 8, 2025	Dayton Shugarts	Maggie Stiffler	Kevin Muha Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday February 9, 2025	Suzanne Brown	Maria Mellott Bella Starr	Will Crouse Marcia Slates
5:00 p.m. Saturday February 15, 2025	Maggie Stiffler	Volunteer	Maggie Stiffler Ann Bonson
9:00 a.m. Sunday February 16, 2025	Dennis Drake	Abe Weirich Julian Weirich Quinn Weirich	Beth Lear Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday February 22, 2025	Ed McGarvey	Guy Kumpf	Mary Lyons Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday February 23, 2024	Beth Lear	Jax McCartney Dane Varner Nolan Starr	Will Crouse Marcia Slates

Sacrament of Baptism of Infants:

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.

Becoming Catholic:

This is an ongoing journey of preparation. We invite all who are interested to contact the Parish Office or drop a note into the collection basket with your intention to become a Catholic, your name, address and telephone number to contact you for further information. Sacrament of Baptism or Reception into the full communion of the Catholic Church will be celebrated at Easter Vigil.