

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

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Established December 31, 1906



THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

APRIL 17, 2022

EASTER SUNDAY

the
Resurrection
of the
Lord



PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Active parish membership is both necessary and helpful to all involved when seeking sponsorship certificates, Marriage or Baptism preparations. Please call the rectory at 610.432.0034 or email stjohnbaptistpa@gmail.com to register or to report address or phone number changes.

MARRIAGE: Engaged couples must contact a priest at least 6 months in advance of the requested wedding date in order to make proper arrangements for the Diocesan Marriage Preparation Program.

BAPTISM: Parents please email the Rectory Office at stjohnbaptistpa@gmail.com 3-4 months prior to expected birth of your child to register for the Baptism and Baptism Prep Class.

HOSPITAL VISITS: Please have someone notify the Rectory when you or a family member is hospitalized.

PAST PASTORS:

Rev. Msgr. Robert F. Kozel

Rev. Dominik P. Kalata

Very Rev. Dr. Robert B. Kosek, C.R.S.P. (Barnabite)

Rev. Gregory R. Karpyn

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday –9:00AM—2:00PM

Office Closed - Saturday, Sunday, Holy Day and Holidays

DIOCESE OF ALLENTOWN:

Please visit website at www.allentowndiocese.org/

Please read St. John's current and past bulletins online by just logging on to: WWW.PARISHESONLINE.COM

VICTIM ASSISTANCE COORDINATOR

Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC

To speak directly to the V.A. Coordinator please call:

DIRECT LINE ~ 1-800-791-9209

SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATOR

Ms. Pamela Russo, M.S.W., M.S.

610-871-5200 Ext. 2204

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday, April 17, 2022~ The Resurrection of the Lord
9:00AM +**Easter Remembrances**
+**Anatol** by *Father Kamanzi*

NO EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday, 18, 2022
8:00AM +**Theresa Gierula** by *Gierula & Timmer Family*

Tuesday, April 19, 2022
8:00AM +**Agnes Kohler** by *Julie Shupp & Family*

Wednesday, April 20, 2022
8:00AM + **Anna Pavlick** by *Rose Mrazik*

Thursday, April 21, 2022
8:00AM + **Easter Remembrances**

Friday, April 22, 2022
8:00AM +**Michal Klucar & Anton Semjan** by
M/M Michael Klucar

Saturday, April 23, 2022
4:00PM +**William Drauch,Jr.** by *Alice, Joan, Dee & Gail*

Sunday, April 24, 2022 ~Second Sunday of Easter
9:00AM ~ **Health & Blessings for Anne Crabtree** by *Parents*

Eucharistic Adoration

SANCTUARY LIGHT OFFERINGS

\$5 Mary & Stephen Panik by *Children*
\$5 Paul & Margaret Kolomber by *daughter, Paulette*

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Family of St. John the Baptist Catholic Community called by God and redeemed by Jesus Christ to be holy through the celebration of Mass and the Sacraments; to be faithful through Prayer, Scripture and Worship; to be Ministers and Witnesses with our Time, Talent, and Treasure; seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit in all things as we move forward on our journey to Eternity."

DO NOT FORGET TO PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SUFFERING OF THE PARISH
Especially those in the hospitals and nursing facilities. Also, for those confined to their homes with an illness or disability.

MASS SCHEDULES:

8:00AM ~ Daily (Monday to Friday)
4:00PM ~ Saturday
9:00AM ~ Sunday
Vigil 7:00PM & Noon— Holy Days of Obligation

CONFESSIONS:

Before 8:00AM Mass ~ Monday to Friday or
Saturday 3:15 - 3:45 PM

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



SUNDAY

8:00AM-8:40AM

BENEDICTION AT 8:45AM

MASS AT 9:00AM

Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service

If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 1-800-276-1562

PARISH STAFF

PASTOR: *Rev. Speratus Kamanzi, AJ*
BUSINESS MANAGER: *Karen Feiller*
SECRETARY: *Mrs. Pat Noga*
HOMEBOUND MINISTRY: *Mrs. Lisa Capece*
PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON: *Miss Amy Zvitkovitz*
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT: *Mr. William Drost*
WELCOMING MINISTRY: *Mrs. Pat Noga*
SEXTON: *Judith Smith*
LECTOR COORDINATOR & SAFE
ENVIRONMENT COORDINATOR: *Mrs. Michele Mrazik Grasso*

WE WELCOME ALL VISITORS TO OUR CELEBRATION



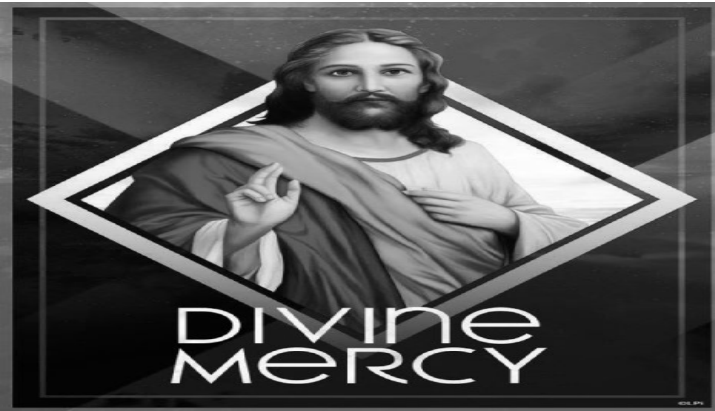
While Holy Communion may only be received by prepared Catholics, our non-Catholic guests are welcome to receive a blessing from the priest or deacon during Communion. Join the Communion line with your arms crossed over your chest to receive your blessing. **GOD BLESS!**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM.

"This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad."

A REPORT ON OUR STEWARDSHIP

TOTAL SUNDAY COLLECTION	April 10, 2022	July 1, 2021 to Date
	\$3,752	\$139,431



**Divine Mercy Sunday
April 24, 2022
Benediction
3:00PM**

\$500 In Loving Memory of Joseph & Rosalie Marrah by Joan Marie & Allan Keller

**PORK & SAUERKRAUT DINNER
SATURDAY, MAY 14, 2022
3:00PM - 6:00PM
\$13.00**

Purchase tickets in the main vestibule before and after masses. Tickets are also available in the Rectory during business hours Monday-Thursday 9AM-2PM and Friday 9AM-Noon or call 610-432-0034. Take out will also be available.

MENU - Pork & Sauerkraut, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable, Roll & Butter and Dessert and choice of beverage: coffee, tea or water.

PARISH EVENTS/UPDATES

April 21 - Knit & Crochet - 11AM-1PM
May 7 - Dance "Chasband" 7PM-10PM

Lottery Calendar Winners

April 3 - Unsold Ticket
April 4 - Unsold Ticket
April 5 - Rosella Mrazik
April 6 - Crystal Young
April 7 - Unsold Ticket
April 8 - Al & Laurie Mink
April 9 - Richard Anewalt

EASTER RAFFLE RESULTS

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Easter Raffle drawing. We raised \$ 2,390. After paying the winners, our net profit is \$1,390 . This money will be used for any unforeseen problems that may arise during the year.

Winners are as follows:

1st Prize \$500 - William Noga
2nd Prize \$225 - Dennis Sommer
3rd Prize \$125 - Paul Gackenbach, Sr.
4th Prize \$100 - Pat Meleski
5th Prize \$ 50 - Sean Quilal-lin

Congratulations to the winners!!

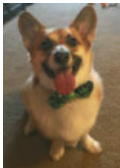
**We Are Remembered 31st Easter Mass
Wednesday, April 20, 2022
7:00PM**

Reverend Stanley Moczydlowski will celebrate Mass on Wednesday, April 20th at 7PM at **St. Elizabeth of Hungary Church in Whitehall**. "We minister and welcome all who mourn the death and passing of a loved one," says the ministry.

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	ALTAR SERVER
April 23, 2022	MaryJo Rosenberger	Leon Sostak	
April 24, 2022	Lisa Capece	Ed Marth	
April 24, 2022 - 3 PM	Michele Grasso	Rose Mrazik	

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