

# MARCH 01, 2026 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

## *Transfiguration of the Lord*

### **Saint John Gualbert Cathedral**

PO Box 807 Johnstown, PA 15907-0807  
Office: 814-536-0117 <http://www.stjohngualbert.org>  
[johnstowncathedral@dioceseaj.org](mailto:johnstowncathedral@dioceseaj.org)

Most Rev Bishop Mark L Bartchak, JCD  
V. Rev Matthew Baum, Rector  
Fr. Canice McMullen, OSB  
Deacon Rick Messina



**Mass Times:** Saturday 6PM  
Sunday 7AM, 11AM, 5PM  
Weekday Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri 7AM Sat 8AM  
Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri 12:05PM  
**Confessions:** 8:30AM Sat & 3PM Sun  
3PM Thurs before 1st Friday

### **Saint Patrick Church**

P.O. Box 806, Johnstown, PA 15907-0806  
Office: 814-539-2186 <http://stpatricktjtown.com>  
[stpatricktjtown@dioceseaj.org](mailto:stpatricktjtown@dioceseaj.org)

V. Rev Matthew Baum, Pastor  
Fr. Canice McMullen, OSB  
Deacon Rick Messina



**Mass Times:** Saturday 4PM  
Sunday 9AM  
Thursday 8AM  
**Rosary:** 30 minutes before all Masses  
**Confessions:** Saturday 3PM



# Week of March 01, 2026



**1st Reading:**  
Genesis 12:1-4a

**2nd Reading:**  
2 Timothy 1:8b-10

**Gospel:**  
Matthew 17:1-9

## ST JOHN GUALBERT

**Saturday 8:00AM** **Feb 28th Saturday of the 1st Week of Lent**  
St. Anne Society

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**6:00PM** **Vigil—Second Sunday of Lent**  
Robert Antesberger (Brigid Starchok)

**Sunday 7:00AM** **March 1st Second Sunday of Lent**  
Louis Schellhammer (Son & Daughter-in-Law: Terry & Rose Ann Schellhammer)  
**11:00AM** James V. "Jim" Piro, Jr. (Larry & Jean Wehner)  
**5:00PM** St. Anne Society

**Monday 7:00AM** **Mar 2nd Monday of the 2nd Week of Lent**  
Rose Concannon *Birthday Remembrance* (Brigid & Philip Starchok)  
**12:05PM** **No Mass**

**Tuesday 7:00AM** **Mar 3rd Tuesday of the 2nd Week of Lent**  
Walter Leonard *Birthday Remembrance* (Sharon & the Leonard Family)  
**12:05PM** Pauline Pappas *Anniversary* (Ray & Andrea Ritter)

**Wednesday 7:00AM** **Mar 4th Wednesday of the 2nd Week of Lent**  
St. Anne Society  
**12:05PM** Louise Aust (Lou & Lea Aust)

**Thursday 7:00AM** **Mar 5th Thursday of the 2nd Week of Lent**  
**No Mass**  
**12:05PM** Robert Antesberger (Brigid & Philip Starchok)

**Friday 7:00AM** **Mar 6th Friday of the 2nd Week of Lent**  
St. Anne Society  
**12:05PM** John H. Wise (Patricia Barrett)

**Saturday 8:00AM** **Mar 7th Saturday of the 2nd Week of Lent**  
Lois McCullough (Family & Friends)

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**6:00PM** **Vigil—Third Sunday of Lent**  
People of the Parish

**Sunday 7:00AM** **March 8th Third Sunday of Lent**  
St. Anne Society  
**11:00AM** Vindy Kohan (McCort Friends)  
**5:00PM** Norma McIntire (Grandson: Lonnie Rietscha & Family)



Mar. 2nd at St. Peter in Chains Parish, behind the walls of SCI Somerset:  
St. Anne Society

## ST PATRICK

**Saturday 4:00PM** **Feb 28th Vigil—Second Sunday of Lent**  
People of the Parish

**Sunday 9:00AM** **Mar 1st Second Sunday of Lent**  
James Ozbold *5yr. Anniversary* (Wife: Mary Ann & Family)

**Thursday 8:00AM** **Mar 5th Thursday of the 2nd Week of Lent**  
Charles Holtzman (Judy Jacobs)

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**Saturday 4:00PM** **Mar 7th Vigil—Third Sunday of Lent**  
Kathy Stolar (Connie & Ray Cassidy)

**Sunday 9:00AM** **Mar 8th Third Sunday of Lent**  
Karen Starchok (Philip Starchok)

### Parish Staff & Volunteers

**Finance:** Gerald Foust [gfoust@dioceseaj.org](mailto:gfoust@dioceseaj.org)  
**Secretary:** Brigid Starchok [bstarchok@dioceseaj.org](mailto:bstarchok@dioceseaj.org)  
**Cemetery:** Kristen Caddy [kcaddy@dioceseaj.org](mailto:kcaddy@dioceseaj.org)  
**St. John Gualbert Music:** Evonne Yanzetich-Homway (814)659-6240  
**St. Patrick Music:** Jean Arcurio (814)241-9972  
**St. John Maintenance:** Mike Amenti (814)536-0117 ext. 207  
**St. Patrick Maintenance:** Dan Schofield (814)792-5891

### Faith Formation /Sacramental Prep

Christine Babik—Resurrection Parish  
(814)539-5788 / [cbabik@dioceseaj.org](mailto:cbabik@dioceseaj.org)

### RCIA

Lonnie Rietscha: (814)244-6681  
Harry Mangus: (814)525-9943

### Prayer Chain

Dr. Joyce Werner: (814)288-1186

### Catholic Outreach

#### St. Vincent de Paul

**John Gualbert SVdP** - (Mon or Fri) 814-421-4344  
**SVdP Human Needs Office** - (Tues - Thurs) 814-535-8521  
**SVdP Family Kitchen:** 814-539-7811

### Catholic Charities

**Altoona:** 814-944-9388 **Johnstown:** 814-535-6538

### Crisis Pregnancy/Pro-Life:

Birthright of Johnstown: 814-535-8231  
Gabriel Project- Gail Bala: 814-418-1813  
**Rachel's Vineyard:** 1-877-467-3463  
Website - [www.RachelsVineyard.org](http://www.RachelsVineyard.org) -  
the world's largest ministry for healing after abortion.

**Diocesan Family Life Office:** 814-695-5579

**Diocesan Website:** [www.dioceseaj.org](http://www.dioceseaj.org)

### Physical locations:

**St. John Gualbert Cathedral**  
117 Clinton Street  
Johnstown, PA 15901

**St. Patrick Church**  
609 Park Avenue  
Johnstown, PA 15902

# COLLECTIONS

# Shared Parish Information:

Collection St John Gualbert 2/22/2026	
Weekly Envelopes	\$3,752.33
Loose Cash	1,068.21
Online	205.00
Maintenance	25.00
SVdP	136.00
Black & Indian Mission	898.15
Ash Wednesday	2,091.25
Easter Flowers	245.00
Jamaica Mission Trip	1,330.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$9,770.94</b>

Collection St Patrick 2/22/2026	
Envelopes	\$2,651.00
Loose Cash	288.00
Online	35.00
Children's Envelopes	13.00
Maintenance	20.00
Fuel & Air	20.00
SVdP	80.00
Ash Wednesday	882.00
Votives	46.00
Mandeville	314.00
Black & Indian Missions	497.00
Easter Flowers	110.00
Solemnity of Mary	10.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,966.00</b>

**Office Hours:** Monday through Friday 9AM - 3PM.

**Parishioner Registration:** If you would like to join either of our parishes, please contact the rectory/church office. Registration, the practice of stewardship and regular participation in the sacraments, indicates that a person is an active member of the parish and is eligible to act as a godparent or a sponsor. As a church community seeking to be faith-filled disciples and good stewards, the sacrifice of our time, talent, and treasure is essential for the common good.

**Moving or joining a different parish:** Please remember to notify us if you have a change of address or will be leaving either of our parishes so we can update our records and notify the diocese of the change.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Upon request for the sick or homebound.

**Infant Baptism & Christian Initiation of Adults:** Call the church office, (814)536-0117.

**Marriage:** 9-month notice; pre-marital preparation required.

**Mass Intentions:** ALL mass intentions are handled through the St. John Gualbert office. If you would like to have a mass offered, please fill out the form in the churches or available on the parish website, put it in an envelope with the mass donation (\$10) and drop it off in the collection basket or at the parish office. A copy of the rules and policies for Mass intentions are also available in the churches.

**Do you know anyone who can't make it to mass?** If you have a family member who is sick or infirmed and unable to attend mass, please let us know. Father makes periodic rounds to visit the sick. In time, we would also like to find Eucharistic Ministers to do the same. If there is ever an emergency, call the parish number and leave a message for Fr. Matt. It is very important that those who are seriously ill or in danger of death are able to receive the sacraments, but we don't know unless you tell us. Don't be afraid to call.

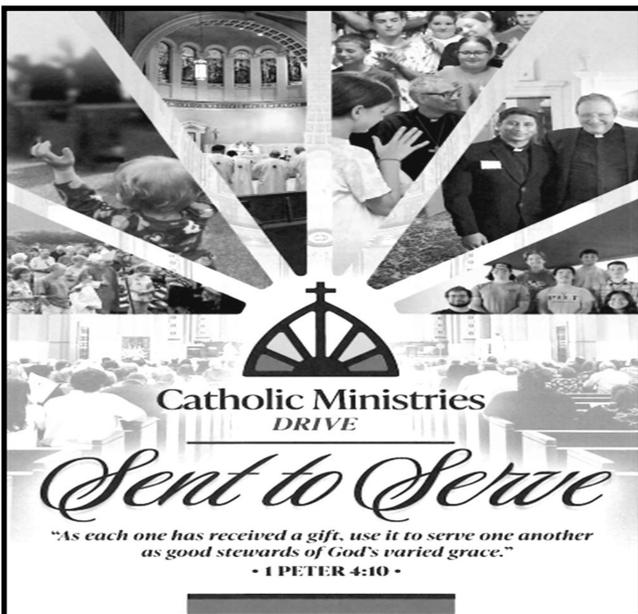
**Weekly Contributions:** If you would like your cash gifts to be reflected on your giving statement, please use an offering envelope. Be sure to write your name and the amount given clearly on the offering envelope to insure proper credit. If you attend at another parish, please use your envelopes as they will be returned to us.

**Taking up the Gifts:** If the mass intention is for your family and you would like to take up the gifts at that mass, please let the ushers know about 10 minutes before mass. We have had a few families ask at the last minute and we would rather not ask someone to take up the gifts and then tell them not to because the family of the mass intention has just showed up.

**Daily Mass Missals**—If you would like a copy of “the Word Among Us” daily missal that includes daily mass readings, antiphons, and reflections, please stop or call the St. John parish office. A subscription costs \$20 per person per year.

**Bulletin Deadline:** ALL submissions for the bulletin need to be submitted no later than Tuesday 12:00 PM in order to be listed in the following Sunday edition and must include the name of the submitter. Also, when there are multiple layers to an event, bulletin announcements need to be coordinated through the primary event planner to prevent conflicting submissions.

**Flocknote:** Flocknote enables us to send large group emails and text messages. If you would like to receive the general notices and reminders about upcoming events in the parish, requests for help/volunteers, the bulletin published to the website, and other updates, use these instructions to sign up if you have not already done so.



Catholic Ministries Drive - 2026			
St. John Gualbert	Goal:	\$30,700.00	
	Receipts	0.00	
St. Patrick	Goal:	\$22,500.00	
	Receipts	0.00	

**Keep in touch with us!**

TEXT SJGC TO 84576

OR CONNECT WITH US ONLINE AT:

stjohngualbert.flocknote.com

**Religious Education**  
**Questions - contact DRE - Christine Babik at**  
**814-539-5788, or email cbabik@dioceseaj.org.**

**Sunday, March 1, 2026:** Religious education 9:00-10:15 am Resurrection Parish Center and Confirmation mentor meeting Oratory Hall and Oratory.

**Sunday, March 8, 2026:** Religious education 9:00-10:15 am Resurrection Parish Center.

**Saturday, March 14, 2026:** First Communion Retreat 9-11AM at Resurrection Parish Center and Oratory.

**Sunday, March 15, 2026:** Religious Education 9:00- 10:15 am Resurrection Parish Center and Oratory Hall

**Sunday, March 22, 2026:** Religious Education 9:00- 10:15 am Resurrection Parish Center and Oratory Hall

Confirmation Candidates who are still in need of Discipleship events there are many opportunities during Lent;

March 8, 2026 at 4:00pm -presentation on the Holy Face of Jesus at Resurrection Church

March 15-17, St Patrick's Triduum 7:00 pm nightly at St. Patrick  
 March 18-20-St. Joseph's Triduum 7:00 pm nightly at St. John Gualbert  
 March 15, 2026 at 3:00 pm presentation on the Shroud of Turin at Resurrection Church

**Confirmation Service Projects:** We have 3 different groups this year, each with a service project to complete. All are requesting your help.

- Group A did the Winter Clothesline Project - Completed!

**Group B - Youth Sports Equipment Drive:**

Confirmation students from St. John Gualbert and Resurrection parishes are holding a Youth Sports Equipment Drive for their service project. Collection will start on February 22nd and run through March 22nd. There will be boxes in the churches to accept gently used sports equipment for children.

**Group C - Collecting Supplies for the Cambria County Humane Society:**

Starting the weekend of Feb. 28th/ March 1st, Confirmation students in this group will be collecting needed items for the Cambria County Humane Society - **this is continued on page 6.**

**OCIA/Basics of Faith - 2026**

**Sunday, March 1, 2026: Rite of Election is re-scheduled at 2PM and NO CLASS SUNDAY NIGHT**

**Sunday, March 8, 2026:** A Love that Lasts - Parts 1 & 2

**Sunday, March 15, 2026: NO CLASS - ST. PATRICK TRIDUUM**

If you have any questions or are interested in being a Sponsor for Candidates please contact Lonnie Rietscha (814)244-6681, or Harry Mangus (814)525-9943. All are welcome!

**St. Vincent de Paul Conference of St. John Gualbert Cathedral:**

As members of St. Vincent de Paul further explore the virtues of the organization, the following is a reminder of our ministry:

"I should not judge the poor peasants, men or women, by their exterior nor by their apparent mental capacities. All the more is this so since very frequently they scarcely seem to have the appearance or intelligence of reasonable beings...But turn the medal, and you will see by the light of faith that the Son of God, whose will it was to be poor, is represented to us by these people." St. Vincent de Paul

Our next standing meeting date of March 7 will be devoted to St. John cemetery clean-up. The exact timing will be in the March 1 bulletin. Bring a friend and remember the organization is not for Catholics only.

Jesus, the Good Shepherd. You seek me when I wander, you welcome me home. I will not be afraid, for you are with me. Amen



**Christian Life & Service:**  
**At SJG**

**Jamaica Mission Trip 2026:**

As in years past, members of St. John Gualbert Christian Life & Service Group will be traveling to our sister parish of St. Croix to perform Christian outreach service to aid in addressing the needs of the poor in St. Croix. We have not been able to go there on this type of mission since 2020 and the COVID pandemic. Our travelers are excited to be able to take up this outreach once again. There are printed envelopes in the pews at the Cathedral for anyone interested and able to donate toward the mission.

**THANK YOU!!**

We are sending a GREAT BIG THANK YOU to everyone who has donated dessert cakes for our Saturday's Kitchen day at St. Vincent de Paul on Bedford Street. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

*-St. John Gualbert Christian Life & Service Members*

**At SPJ**

**St Patrick's Day Triduum Social:**

Help us celebrate our St Patrick's Day social event on March 17, 2026, following the Mass and Procession by sharing your favorite dessert. We are inviting parishioners to donate a dessert for the event. If you can contribute or have any questions, please feel free to contact Lolly Kennedy at (814) 659-8717 or sign up on the form in the entrance of St. Patrick's church. Thank you for helping to make our celebration special!

*-St. Patrick Christian Life & Service Members*

**Cemetery Ticket Daily Winners for 2026!**

Day & Date	Winning #	Winner's Name	Payout
Sunday 02-15-2026	237	Kathy Solomon	\$ 50.00
Monday 02-16-2026	188	UNSOLD	\$ 25.00
Tuesday 02-17-2026	367	Carol Yeager	\$ 25.00
Wednesday 02-18-2026	434	Julie Baum	\$ 25.00
Thursday 02-19-2026	071	Pete Yeager	\$ 25.00
Friday 02-20-2026	566	Hannah Taylor	\$ 25.00
Saturday 02-21-2026	444	Lou Schaffer	\$ 50.00

**OFFICIAL RULES AS STATED ON ALL TICKETS:**

- The winning number is based on the PICK 3 PA Lottery drawing at 7:00PM.
- Sales are closed as of Dec. 31st, 2025 - any further unsold, outstanding tickets are NOT ELIGIBLE FOR PRIZE PAYOUTS.
- If any unsold tickets win, the winner for that day will be determined by a drawing from all the sold tickets on 01/15/2027.
- All winning numbers will be published in this box on the following Sunday's bulletin.
- All checks will be available in the Sacristy the weekend after the drawing, if not picked up, checks will be mailed the following Monday.

# MINISTERS SCHEDULES:

## ST JOHN GUALBERT CATHEDRAL Third Sunday of Lent

### **Sat Mar 7th, 6:00PM Mass**

Reader	Khloe Babyak
Reader	Elizabeth Rhoades
Eucharistic Minister	Dcn. Rick Messina
Eucharistic Minister	Susan Kamnikar
Eucharistic Minister	Anthony Kamnikar
Server	Steve Molnar
Audio Operator	Michael Stoskey
Sacristan	Steve Molnar
Cantor	Namita Gallo

### **Sun Mar 8th, 7:00AM Mass**

Reader	Christine Brothers
Reader	Deb McGraw
Eucharistic Minister	Rose Ann Schellhammer
Eucharistic Minister	Rich Ott
Eucharistic Minister	Gloria Stephens
Server	David Harteis
Audio Operator	Patrick McClain
Sacristan	David Harteis
Cantor	Rose Eckenrod

### **Sun Mar 8th, 11:00AM Mass**

Reader	Geoffrey Stumpo
Reader	Heather Jezeskie
Eucharistic Minister	Fr. Canice McMullen
Eucharistic Minister	Dcn. Rick Messina
Eucharistic Minister	Pam Sabol
Servers	Cora, Ileana & Sophie Messina
Audio Operator	Kevin Slonka
Sacristan	Lonnie Rietscha
Cantor	Deb McGraw

### **Sun Mar 8th, 5:00PM Mass**

Reader	Charlotte Amenti
Reader	Pat Loughlin
Eucharistic Minister	Dcn. Rick Messina
Eucharistic Minister	James Sandoval
Eucharistic Minister	Susan Sandoval
Server	Paige Titus
Audio Operator	Evonne Yanzetich
Sacristan	James Sandoval
Cantor	Sydney Petro

## ST PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

### Third Sunday of Lent

### **Sat Mar 7th, 4:00PM Mass**

Cantor	Lisa Stofko
Server	Jerry Stofko
Eucharistic Minister	Connie Cassidy
Eucharistic Minister	Kathy Kristofko
Eucharistic Minister	Cindy Stofko
Sacristan	Pat Burns
Reader	Pat Burns

### **Sun Mar 8th, 9:00AM Mass**

Cantor	Rita Redden
Server	Kevin Malloy
Eucharistic Minister	Charlotte Ecklund
Eucharistic Minister	Marge Sindleri
Eucharistic Minister	Mary Jo Podratsky
Sacristan	Marianna Glover
Reader	Michelle Chase

**If you are not available for your scheduled time, please reach out ASAP.**

**For Ministry scheduling questions contact:**

**At SJG** - Evonne Yanzetich - (814)659-6240

**At SPJ** - Jean Arcurio - (814)241-9972

## Deacon Rick's Corner:

### **Quote:**

*" THIS SAME JESUS THEN ACCOMPANIES HIS DISCIPLES BACK DOWN THE MOUNTAIN AND WALKS WITH THEM IN THE ORDINARY RHYTHMS OF THEIR LIVES. THIS IS THE CHRIST WHO WANTS TO REIGN AS LORD OF OUR LIVES in every detail."*



*-Bishop Robert Barron*

### **Book:**

Give up Worry for Lent: 40 Days to Finding Peace in Christ

*-Gary Zimak*

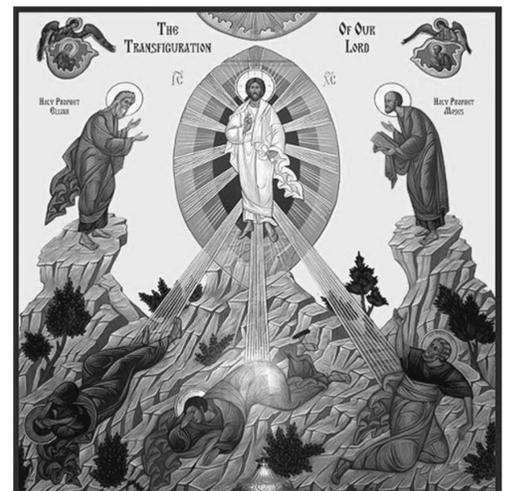
## **Fr. Canice's Thoughts:**

On the First Sunday of Lent our readings reminded us of the reality of sin as well as its consequence - death... Today, on the Second Sunday of Lent, Holy Mother Church reminds us that sin and death are not the end of the story. Death does not have the last word. Christ has conquered death! He rose from the dead and we will rise with Him too! Today's Gospel reading is meant to strengthen us in this hope. In the Transfiguration, Jesus gives us a glimpse of the Glory that awaits all of us if we pick up our cross daily and follow after Him to Calvary.

Finally, I'd like to share this icon of the Transfiguration with you. There are many details we could discuss, but I want to focus on one: the blue almond-shaped background that surrounds Jesus. In iconography, this shape is called a mandorla.

The mandorla represents a marriage bond (Picture two circles overlapping. The overlapping area naturally forms an almond shape). In the Transfiguration, this mandorla shows the union (or "marriage") between God's divine nature and our human nature. This union happens in the very Body of Jesus, the Body which has conquered the grave!

The mandorla of Christ thus becomes for us a symbol of the gate to Heaven. Through this gate of Christ, one day, in our own risen and glorified bodies, we will enter the Wedding Feast of Heaven.



## **\*\*\* ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR BOTH PARISHES \*\*\***

**Confirmation Projects Continued: Humane Society Project - Requested Dog Food-** PURINA ONE Sensitive Systems; PURINA ONE Chicken & Rice; PURINA ONE Healthy Puppy. **Other item for Dogs** - Greenie's Pill Pockets; Martingale Collars; Slip Leads & Clip Leashes; Kongs - all sizes; Nylabone chew toys; Canine Carry Out Treats; Pup-Peroni Treats; Kuranda Dog Beds.

**Announcements for Both Parishes Continued:**

**General Supplies** - Liquid Laundry Detergent; Bleach; Paper Towels; Scotch Brite Scouring Pads.

**Requested Cat Food** - PURINA Kitten Chow; PURINA Cat Chow Complete; PURINA Cat Chow-Gentle; Fancy Feast Wet Kitten/ Cat Food

**Other items for Cats** - Non-Clumping Cat Litter; KMR Formula; Cat Trees and Scratch Pads; Cat Litter Pans (small, plastic); Cat Carriers

**General Donations** - Gift cards for Amazon, Walmart, Petco, Tractor Supply, Lowe's, Home Depot.

**Stations of the Cross:**

Stations of the cross will continue to be held at both parishes on all Fridays during Lent starting at **3PM at St. John Gualbert** and **6PM at St. Patrick**.

Friday March the 20th will be cancelled due to the St. Joseph Triduum at the Cathedral and the final Stations liturgies will be held at both parishes on Friday, March 27th, which will take us to Palm Sunday weekend and Holy Week.

**Small Group Discussion:**

St. Patrick Small Group Discussion will continue this Monday, February 23rd at 6:30PM in the meeting room of the basement at St. Patrick Church, which can be accessed through the door near the garage in the rear of the Church on 609 Park Ave. Parking is available there as well. The group will follow the usual format of discussing the readings for the following Sunday's Mass. Sessions will continue through March 23rd - **skipping ONLY the 16th due to the St. Patrick Triduum Celebration**. If you have any questions, please reach out to Harry Mangus at (814)525-9943. Everyone is welcome and we hope to see you there - it is a great way to start and work towards Easter!

**St. John Gualbert  
Current Events:**

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**2-28 - Happy Birthday Fr. Canice**

**3-1 9AM** Religious Ed., Resurrection

⇒ **11AM** Vocations Awareness with Bishop Mark; Cathedral

⇒ **2PM** Rite of Election rescheduled from 2/22; Cathedral

⇒ **3PM** Reception for Rite of Election; AC-H

⇒ **NO OCIA CLASS**

**3-2 6:30PM** Small Group Discussion at SPJ - all are welcome; REC

**3-3 6PM** SJG Liturgy; RDR

**3-4 7PM** SJG Choir; Cathedral

**3-5 3PM** Eucharistic Adoration at SJG; Shrine

⇒ **6PM** Joint SJG/ SPJ Parish Council; AC-SJ

**3-6 3PM** SJG Stations; Cathedral

**3-7 9AM** Cemeteries Spring Cleanup; Cemetery

⇒ **9AM** SVdP at the Cemetery Cleanup

**3-8 9AM** Religious Ed., Resurrection

⇒ **6:30PM** OCIA; AC-SJ

**Easter Flowers for Sale!**

This year, St. John Gualbert Christian Life & Service Group will be selling Easter Flowers as a **Jamaica Mission Trip** fundraiser. The flowers for sale will be from Fosbrink's Nursery. Those who are interested can purchase a voucher at the Cathedral this weekend of Feb. 28th and March 1st, and again on March 7th & 8th.

The vouchers can be redeemed at Fosbrink's Nursery on March 26th, 27th or 28th. Decorate your home with the beauty of spring flowers (**Lilies, Hyacinths, Tulips, Daffodils & Spring Mums**) and donate to the church at the same time!



**St. Patrick Church**

**Current events:**

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⇒ **NO OCIA CLASS**

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**3-3 10AM** SPJ Funeral; Church

**3-4 4:30PM** SPJ Christian Life & Service; REC

**3-5 3PM** Eucharistic Adoration at SJG; Shrine

⇒ **6PM** Joint SJG/ SPJ Parish Council; AC-SJ

**3-6 6PM** SPJ Stations; Church

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**A Bus Trip is Coming!**

**SAVE THE DATE** for May 19, 2026. We are heading to Sight and Sound Theatre in Lancaster for the brand new production of JOSHUA. Registration and full trip details are coming soon.....

**Easter Candy Fundraiser for the Church:**

Next week, (March 7 & 8) the bulletin will feature an O'Shea's candy order. Please consider supporting our fundraising initiative by ordering Easter treats through the church. Orders will be filled and ready for pickup over the Palm Sunday weekend, (March 28 & 29). Additional information will be shared next weekend.

**\*\*\*\*\* Around the Area \*\*\*\*\***

**Divine Mercy Prayer Group:**

Our next get together will be Wed. March 11th 3pm or 6:30pm. Bring a Friend and join us as we journey through the life and spiritual relationship of St. Faustina and Jesus that she reveals to us in The Diary. We discuss some of the entries in her diary and pray the Chaplet.



We also discuss our plans for Service Projects that we perform showing Mercy out and about in our community. Come see what we're all about and feel the spiritual rewards for a Fruitful Lent!! Best 1 Hour spent! For more information: Cathy 814-288-1126 or Lolly 814-659-8717.

**Come to the Novena!**

The 69th St. Andrew Church Annual Novena to the Infant of Prague will begin on Sunday, March 1, 2026, at 4:00PM and will continue every evening until Monday, March 9th, 2026, at 4:00PM. Mass time Monday- Friday is 6:30PM, Saturday – Sunday is 4:00 PM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in the Church 1 hour before Mass begins. There will be Confessions after Mass every night. Please join us!

Saturday, March 7th, we will have a Spaghetti Dinner in our school hall from 2PM-6PM. The dinner will consist of Spaghetti, 2 meatballs, salad, roll and dessert. Price is \$10. Eat in/take out. Please join us before or after the Novena to the Infant of Prague.

# ST PATRICK TRIDUUM

St Patrick Catholic Church, Johnstown

7 PM Each Night

**SUNDAY MARCH 15TH  
MASS**

**FR. JOACHIM MORGAN O.S.B**



**MONDAY MARCH 16TH  
VESPERS AND  
ADORATION**

**FR. BRIAN NORRIS**



**TUESDAY MARCH 17TH  
MASS + BAGPIPE  
PROCESSION**

**FR. DAN WARUSZEWSKI**



**COOKIE SOCIAL TO FOLLOW TUESDAY**

Devotional Candles available  
at the Altar for \$7  
Take home candles available  
at the door \$10

St Patrick Catholic Church  
609 Park Ave  
Johnstown, PA

## St. Patrick Devotions

Mark appropriate box/boxes, bring to Service, drop in collection basket or mail.

Petition and Candle will be placed at the altar.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Holy Father       | <input type="checkbox"/> Recovery from Illness   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Happy Death       | <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Help          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Priests/Religious | <input type="checkbox"/> Recovery from Addiction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Poor Souls        | <input type="checkbox"/> Happy Marriage          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Family     | <input type="checkbox"/> Return to Sacraments    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Peace of Mind     | <input type="checkbox"/> Safe Pregnancy          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vocations         | <input type="checkbox"/> World Peace             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Good Health       | <input type="checkbox"/> Happy Family            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Respect for Life  | <input type="checkbox"/> Special Intention       |

Other Intentions: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: St Patrick's Church  
PO Box 806  
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**The Saint Patrick candles at the altar will be  
\$7.00 \_\_\_\_\_ Payment included  
(we will light candles)**

*Take home candles are \$10.00.*

**Saint Patrick candles for your home will be available for sale  
on March 15, 16, 17 - each night of the devotion.**

# ST JOSEPH TRIDUUM

## 7PM Each Night

**Wed March 18**

Vespers and  
Adoration

Fr. Barnabus O'Rielly O.S.B



**Thurs March 19**

Vespers and  
Mass

Fr. Stephen Waruszewski



**Fri March 20**

Vespers and  
Mass

Fr. Joachim Morgan O.S.B



St Joseph Table to follow at the St John  
Gualbert Activities Center on Thursday Night

Devotional Candles  
available at the Altar for \$7  
Take home candles  
available at the door \$10

St John Gualbert Cathedral  
117 Clinton Street  
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## St. Joseph Devotion

**Mark appropriate box/boxes, bring to Novena, or mail.  
Petition will be placed at the altar during the Triduum.**

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Thanksgiving</b>      | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Employment</b>              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Holy Father</b>       | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Recovery from Illness</b>   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Happy Death</b>       | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Financial Help</b>          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Priests/Religious</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Recovery from Addiction</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Poor Souls</b>        | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Happy Marriage</b>          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Parish Family</b>     | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Return to Sacraments</b>    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Peace of Mind</b>     | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Safe Pregnancy</b>          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Vocations</b>         | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>World Peace</b>             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Good Health</b>       | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Happy Family</b>            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Respect for Life</b>  | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Special Intention</b>       |

**Other Intentions:** \_\_\_\_\_

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## Visitation Parish

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Ash Wednesday, February 18<sup>th</sup>  
Every Friday during Lent (except Good Friday)

11:00AM to 6:00 PM

**DINNER INCLUDES:**

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## Spring Cemetery Cleanup

### March 7, 2026

(\*Rain Date: Mar. 21, 2026)

St. John Gualbert & St. Joseph Cemeteries  
St. Joseph Mausoleum

9:00 A.M. UNTIL COMPLETION  
VOLUNTEERS WELCOME!



**PLEASE REMOVE ALL DECORATIONS BY MAR. 1ST!**  
**(\*ANYTHING NOT CLAIMED WILL BE REMOVED.)**  
**\*DECORATING CAN RESUME APR. 1ST.**

## SS Gregory & Barnabas Fish Frys Fridays during Lent beginning Feb. 20th

**Dine-In & Take-Out Orders**  
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**St Gregory**  
120 Boltz St

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# Happy Birthday Fr. Canice!



Wishing you a year filled with the warmth of family, the joy of friends, and the love of the Father. May God bless you today with His peace-filled presence now and always.



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