

# ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH



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May 10, 2026  
Sixth Sunday of Easter

## Pastor

Rev. Jeff Walker

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## Associate Pastors

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## Mass Times

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

Monday 7:00 p.m.

## Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday

9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

## Reconciliation

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

Anointing of the Sick

419-695-4050

## Baptism

Please call the parish office three months prior to your child's baptismal date to schedule pre-baptismal instructions.

## Matrimony

Please contact the Parish Office at least six months in advance to schedule your wedding preparation and celebration.

**Please pray for...**Anita Bertsch, Eileen Bonifas, Sam Bonifas, Jon Brenneman, Myra Carpenter, Janice Etzkorn, Marilyn Heitz, Mike Hiatt, Linda Hoffman, Tom Klausung, Joan Mason, Brody Miller, Gerry Mueller, Jodi Parsons,



### **MOTHER'S DAY: A TIME TO GIVE THANKS**

Today we celebrate all our Mothers-- those here on earth and those who are enjoying Easter life in eternity.

We also celebrate all the women in our lives –godmothers, sponsors, sisters, aunts, cousins, friends who love us, care for us, inspire us, share joy and suffering with us. In other words, we remember and give thanks for the women in our lives and world who love us. All women will receive a small but meaningful gift today after Mass. It was ordered many months ago by Sister Immacolata, (well before she died) who chose it for this year's

Mother's Day. We might consider it her legacy gift! Its message is simple yet profound. Look at life through the lens of your heart. Look at life with love. This is the call of God to women. Blessed Mother Pauline urged her Sisters to let love shine on their faces, sparkle in their eyes, radiate from their lips, guide their conversation and behavior at all times and places. This love she called "holy charity." May we give thanks today for all the graces that we receive to live in this spirit and for all the women, especially Moms, who do it so well.

### **Bishop Daniel Thomas has made the following clergy appointments effective July 1, 2026:**

**Rev. Vincente "Tony" Vera** is appointed Pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Fort Jennings.

**Rev. Thomas Hunyor** is appointed Pastor of St. Mary of the Assumption in Van Wert.

**Rev. Jason Dsouza, SAC** is appointed Associate Pastor of St. John the Evangelist in Delphos, St. John the Baptist in Landeck, and St. Patrick in Spencerville.

Father Jason is a priest of the Society of the Catholic Apostolate, commonly known as the Pallottines. Father Jason was ordained a priest of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Province in Bangalore, India on May 5, 2016. He was sent on mission to the United States and he arrived in the Diocese of Toledo in September 2022, becoming associate pastor of St. Mary and St. John parishes in Defiance. He has served as associate pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Sylvania since July 2025 and he begins his time with us here in Delphos, Landeck, and Spencerville this summer. We look forward to welcoming Fr. Jason to our parish families.

### **CLC**

Landeck CLC will meet at 6:30 pm on May 12 at the CFO Hall in Landeck for their Carry-In, please bring a side dish. We will also have a Mass for all the living and deceased members of our Landeck CLC on May 17 at the 8:30 am Mass in Landeck.

### **The Mustard Seed**

The Mustard Seed at St. John's is NOW OPEN! The Catholic gift and book store is located at 150 Church St in Glandorf. All old gift certificates dated Jan-June 2025 and old loyalty cards expire May 30, 2026. Store hours: Tues, Thurs, Fri 9-5, Wed 10-6, Sat 8-1. Phone 419-538-7220.

## Last Weekend's Gifts

May 3, 2026

**Total: \$2,928.00**

Sunday Envelopes: \$ 1,145.00

Maintenance: \$ 1,464.00

Loose Offering: \$ 278.00

Catholic Home Missions: \$ 20.00

Central & Eastern Europe: \$ 1.00

Landscaping: \$ 20.00

### Capital Campaign

\$ 110.00

**Thank you for your generosity!**

## Mass Intentions

**Sunday ~ May 10<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 a.m.** Amy Geary  
Marvin Brenneman  
Intentions for all mothers

**5:30 p.m.** Intentions for all mothers

**Monday ~ May 11<sup>th</sup>**

**7:00 p.m.** – Norm Liebrecht  
Jackie Looser

**Sunday ~ May 17<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 a.m.** Leo Wrasman  
Living & Deceased  
members of CLC

**5:30 p.m.** Joan Minning  
Marlene Brand  
Intentions for all mothers

## Ministry Schedule

**Monday ~ May 18<sup>th</sup>**

Sunday, May 10, 2026		Sunday, May 17, 2026	
<b>Sunday</b>	Dorothy Bonifas	<b>Rosary</b>	Keith & Julia Kleman
<b>Lectors</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Reading – Diane Bonifas 2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading – Dan Kill	<b>Lectors</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Reading – Eric Kerner 2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading – Joe Rode
<b>Gift Offering</b>	Amy Geary Family	<b>Gift Offering</b>	Leo Wrasman Family
<b>Commentator</b>	Sue Honigford	<b>Commentator</b>	Raleigh Rahrig
<b>Communion Distributors</b>	Frank Minnig Mike Berelsman Ed Paxton Andy Miller (choir)	<b>Communion Distributors</b>	Linda Martin Jeff Martin Terry Knebel Julie Schroeder (choir)
<b>Servers</b>	Isabelle Miller Isaiah Miller Isaac Miller	<b>Servers</b>	Megan Kerner Luke Rode Kolten Arnold
<b>Usher</b>	Dick Heitz	<b>Usher</b>	Dick Heitz
<b>Cantor</b>	Kids Choir	<b>Cantor</b>	Melanie Mueller
<b>Mass Set-Up</b>	Martha Miller	<b>Mass Set-Up</b>	Ken Miller
<b>Projector</b>	Chelsie Brotherwood	<b>Projector</b>	Josh Mueller

<b>Money Counters</b>	Duane & Linda Schulte Randy & Nancy Bonifas	<b>Money Counters</b>	Duane & Linda Schulte Randy & Nancy Bonifas
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### Worship Schedule

<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter, May 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Seventh Sunday of Easter, May 17<sup>th</sup></b>
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
<b>Monday, May 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Monday, May 18<sup>th</sup></b>
4:00 p.m. - 6:40 p.m. – Adoration	4:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. – Adoration
6:00 pm Confessions, 6:45 p.m. -Benediction	6:00 pm Confessions, 6:45 p.m. -Benediction
7:00 p.m. Mass	7:00 p.m. Mass

#### **Serra Club**

The Serra Club of Lima Area, which exists to promote and support vocations to priesthood and religious life, will be meeting Thursday May 14 at Lima Central Catholic High School. We will begin with mass at 5:45pm in the chapel, followed by dinner and a program. This month's speaker will be Mr. Nicholas Cech, Students for Life Ohio Regional Coordinator sharing about his ministry with Students for Life. Persons who have an interest in this topic or the mission of the Serra Club are welcome to attend as guests. If interested in attending, please respond to Kathy at 419-303-0339 no later than Tuesday, May 12.

#### **Café Team**

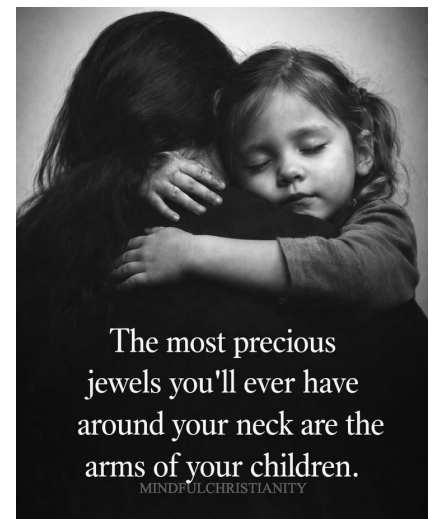
Landeck cafe team would like to invite all parishioners to a meal on Sunday May 10th, after the 5:30pm Mass, in the Landeck Church Basement. Come and enjoy a Mother's Day meal with family. Pasta meal, lasagna, manicotti, baked spaghetti and more, also will be sides like salads, fruit, and homemade desserts including fresh pies and ice cream. Because life is better with a slice of motherly love! (and pie!) Happy Mother's Day to the ones that gives away the biggest slice.

#### **Ottoville Parish Job Opening: Part-Time Coordinator of Religious Education**

We are seeking a faith-filled and organized individual to serve as a part-time Coordinator of Religious Ed. This role is a vital ministry dedicated to forming our youth and supporting families in their journey of faith, along with some adult faith formation. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Ottoville Parish at 419-453-3513 or [icbusiness@icchurchottoville.org](mailto:icbusiness@icchurchottoville.org).

#### **Upcoming Events:**

- Mother's Day ~ May 10
- Mulching ~ May 16
- 2026 High School Graduation Mass ~ May 24
- Memorial Day Mass ~ May 25 at 9:00 am



The most precious  
jewels you'll ever have  
around your neck are the  
arms of your children.

MINDFULCHRISTIANITY

Due to the amount of rain we have received and cold weather, mulching will be May 16 starting at 9:00 am. Please come and help out if you can. Thank you!