



# St. John the Evangelist Church

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## KINDERGARTEN RECOGNITION

The Kindergarten Class will be recognized at the 9:15 a.m. Mass. Thank you to Mrs. Scherger, Mrs. Elwer and Miss Carder for their ministry to our students.



### DELPHOS ST. JOHN'S 105TH FALL FESTIVAL

*October 21 & 22, 2017*

Everyone is welcome to attend the Delphos St. John's 105th Fall Festival on October 21st and 22nd in the St. John's Cafeteria and Gymnasium. Enjoy food, games of chance and have some family fun. Home-cooked chicken and beef dinners with all the trimmings and even homemade cakes for dessert are available for \$8.50 for adults and \$6.50 for children (5th grade and younger). Carry-outs will be available from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday and from 3:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Sunday. Dinners in the Little Theatre will be served from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday and 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. on Sunday. Enter the west door of the Elementary School Building. There is also a Children's Festival on Wednesday, October 18th for Pre-K and younger 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Kindergarten to 1st Grade from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m. Grades 2nd to 3rd Grade 12:15 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. and 4th grade to 6th Grade from 12:45 to 2:00 p.m. 7th grade to 8th grade from 1:10 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. and High School Students 2:15 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. The event is open to the public! You will be helping to support the mission at St. John's School. We look forward to seeing you on October 21st and 22nd!

### CONGRATULATIONS TO CLASS OF 1967

The Class of 1967 will be celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> class reunion at the 4:30 Mass this Saturday. May God's grace be with you always and this weekend as you reunite with your Blue Jay family! Have a great time and be safe in your travels.

**201 N. Pierce St., Delphos, OH 45833 / (419) 695-4050 / Emergency after-hours: (419) 513-0425**

Eucharist  
 Monday-Saturday 8:00 a.m.  
 Wednesday 12:15 p.m.  
 Weekend Masses  
 Saturdays - 4:30 p.m.  
 Sundays - 7:30 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

Reconciliation  
 Weekdays 7:30 a.m.  
 Saturdays 7:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.  
 May be scheduled by appointment

Baptism  
 1st Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m.  
 3rd Weekend of the Month during any of the Masses.  
 Please contact the Ministry Center to schedule pre-baptismal instructions

Anointing of the Sick  
 Communal celebrations in May and October. Sacrament may also be administered by request.

Matrimony  
 Please contact the Ministry Center at least six months in advance to schedule your preparation and celebration.

**Liturgy Readings**  
 October 15th  
 Isaiah 25:6-10a  
 Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20  
 Matthew 22:1-14

**Pastor**

Rev. Dennis Walsh  
 frdenniswalsh@delphosstjohns.org

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Rev. Daniel Johnson  
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Fred Lisk, David Ricker, John Sheeran

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Lynn Bockey

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Jeff Swick

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Nathan Stant

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Preschool: (419) 692-9806

**Jr. High/High School Principal**

Adam Lee

(419) 692-5371

**Our Gift to God**

*October 1, 2017*

Adult Offering	\$19,703.05
Anonymous	673.50
Student Offering	<u>100.20</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$20,476.75</b>

*Thank you for your generosity!*

**CHURCH FESTIVAL - VOLUNTEER SOLICITORS**

The Volunteers who signed up to be solicitors are able to pick up their neighborhood packets at the Ministry Center. If you are unable to pick them up, please contact Ann Wrasman at 419-695-4050 to make other arrangements.

**A TWEET FROM THE POPE**

Our guardian angel is a friend we do not see, but whose presence we feel. He accompanies us on our earthly journey to heaven.

**SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS**

Did you know having a bachelor's degree can qualify you to be a substitute teacher? You can earn up to \$85.00 per day. We are looking for qualified substitute teachers for the 2017-2018 school year. If you are interested please contact the High School Office at 419-695-5371 for more information.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT BINGO**

Interested in helping keep tuition down? Wednesday night bingo is in need of some enthusiastic volunteers to do just that! We are looking for someone to call bingo 1 night a month and also floor workers willing to work 1 night a month. For details please call Jane Knebel at 419-695-2247.

**SEPTEMBER 2017 300 CLUB WINNERS**

9/6/17	84	Richard Clark	\$100.00
9/13/17	152	Mr. & Mrs. Dean Holdgreve	\$100.00
9/20/17	263	Mike & Joyce Schulte	\$100.00
9/27/17	126	Art & Mary Grothouse	\$100.00
9/27/17	75	Denny & Connie Klausung	\$300.00

**LYNN'S MUSIC NOTES**

Have you ever heard of FORMED? I think it's the best kept secret in our parish! It's a great resource for the entire family to learn more about the faith. Visit: <https://formed.org>. Our parish code is 0c5157. After using the parish code, you can then sign up with a user name and password. The site offers audiobooks, movies, bible studies and documentaries on countless topics including Sacramental Prep, Faith formation and the Saints. Many resources are also available in Spanish.

*Jesus said to them, "Did you never read in the Scriptures: The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; by the Lord has this been done, and it is wonderful in our eyes?"*  
 Matthew 21

**FAMOUS ST. JOHN'S CHILI COOK-OFF – FELLOWSHIP EVENT**

On Sunday October 8<sup>th</sup> after 11:30 a.m. Mass we are having our "Famous" St. John's Chili Cook-off in front of church on the Fellowship Plaza. School and parish organizations will compete for the "Golden Ladle". Join us, to welcome and meet our new Director of Institutional Advancement, Jeff Swick. There will also be Fall Festival Dinner tickets available to purchase. The event is free to the parish. For more information or to enter your award winning chili, please contact Sue Hempfling at 419-236-6429.

**YOUTH GROUP**

On Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, we will meet at St. John the Baptist Landeck from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. for a *Fall Extravaganza!* Please bring a pumpkin for painting. We will have a hayride and deliver the pumpkins to residents in Landeck. After the hayride, we will have a bonfire with hot dogs and marshmallows! Youth Group is for any student grades 7 - 12. All are welcome to attend! Come join the fun!

**CEMETERY CLEAN-UP**

Clean-up has begun at St. John the Evangelist and Resurrection cemeteries. If you have any summer flowers or other items that you would like to keep that you have placed at a loved one's grave, please be sure to pick them up before October 15<sup>th</sup>. If you have friends or relatives who do not live in town, but have a loved one at our cemeteries, please mention it to them so they are aware of the deadline.

*Please Pray For:*

**The Sick:** Braden Knebel, Kyle Mullenhour, Tim Thines, Sally McCall, Ashton Michael Smith, Kermit Minnig, Sharon Hines, Carl German, Linda Miller, Vivienne "Sue" Warnecke, Connie Wiegling, Patty Bridges, Tom Bridges, Joan Pulley, Duane Jacob Kuhlman, Sue Burnett Jettinghoff, Rose Kaverman, Alice Heidenescher, Barry Friemoth, Brad Friemoth, Carol Brinkman, Betty Osting, Paula German, Monica German, Dan Morris, Don (Lefty) Hoehn, John Williams, Larry Luersman, Veronica Luersman, Cheri Core, Carl Core, Ben Babcock, Judy Pohlman, Francis German, Mike Wrasman, Aria Nammour, Ed Zalar, Madonna Fischer, Steven Barkett, Jane Vermillion, Norman Hesselning, Ed Klima, Mike Gallmeier, John Phillips, Scott Schnipke, Henry Kaufman, Carol Kunz, Bert Haunhorst, Dorothy Fisher, Bob Weber, Carol Graham, Lillie "Tiny" Fischbach, Nikki Recker, Karen Burgess, Lois Blankemeyer, Mildred Minnig

**The Recently deceased:** Helen Bendele

**Those Serving in the Armed Forces:** Tyler Hayson, Christine Bemis Vermillion, Nate Vermillion, Mary Frances Bemis Sigler, Brian Huysman, John Zalar

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### COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID

A financial aid meeting has been scheduled for Monday October 9th, @ 7:00 p.m. in the Delphos Jefferson Senior High School Career Center. This program is sponsored by the Delphos St. John's and Jefferson guidance departments and will feature Mrs. Melanie Weaver, Director of Financial Aid at Ohio Northern University. Mrs. Weaver will explain the college financial aid process and how to fill out the various financial aid forms for all parents no matter where your child plans to attend college. Financial Aid is constantly changing. Mrs. Weaver will be discussing all of the changes in financial aid, as well as how to complete the FAFSA, for the 2018-19 school year. This program will be especially helpful for parents of seniors who will be attending college in the fall of 2018.

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### RALLY FOR THE ROSARY CRUSADE

Join the 2017 Rally for the Rosary Crusade Today! The Holy Rosary invites you to Lima Central Catholic on Saturday, October 14, 2017, at 12:00 p.m. Please bring a chair if you need to sit. If you have any questions, please contact Rita Gremling at 419-303-0447.

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### TRAIN DEPOT EXHIBIT

The Fort Jennings Train Depot Exhibit will hold its annual open house Sunday, October 15th from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Featured will be historic railroad displays, an operating model railroad layout, hand car rides, and a 1/3 scale riding train in addition to refreshments and snacks. The exhibit is located 1 mile north of St. Rt. 224 on Rd. 22-K in Cloverdale.

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### WEST OHIO FOOD BANK

The West Ohio food bank will be at the home football game on October 13th to collect non-perishable food items or monetary donations. Make a donation and win a prize.

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### LANDECK ST. JOHN'S

The Annual Public Square Fatima Rosary Crusade will be held at Landeck St. John's, Saturday, October 14th at 12:00 p.m. This will be held outside weather permitting, bring a chair. If you have any questions please contact Lou at 419-203-0878.

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### ADULT BIBLE STUDY

**Topic:** The Prophets: Messengers of God's Mercy

**Location:** Landeck St. John the Baptist Church, 14755 Landeck Rd, Delphos, OH 45833

**Date/Time:** The bible study will occur on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. There will be a total of 10 sessions beginning October 11th

**Cost:** Each session will include a video presentation from Ascension scholars, Thomas Smith and Sarah Christmyer. The video presentation will be followed by group reflection and interaction related to the prophet studied during our session. Study leaders are Matt Etkorn and Jane Bonifas. The cost of the study is \$28, which covers your workbook and materials.

To register, please call the Parish House at 419-692-0636.

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### TIE A BLANKET SUNDAY

Come join a Mission activity on Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. at the Trinity UMC Fellowship Hall, at 211 East Third Street, Delphos, Ohio.

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### CONGRATULATIONS TO THE RECENTLY BAPTIZED

Jayden Michael, son of Sam & Brittany Boehnlein  
Cora Grace, daughter of Justin & Kelsey Krendl  
Benjamin Robert, son of Ben & Kendra Norbeck  
Dawson Troy, son of Tony & Jena Reindel  
Camillia Rose, daughter of Derrick Vann & Chelsey Jackson  
Landon Albert, son of Ian & Kristen Weber

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### 100<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

On October 13th, as a Catholic school, we will be participating in the 15th Annual Worldwide Children's Holy Hour. This year is special because we will be celebrating the 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima's Miracle of the Sun. There will be prayers, adoration and the rosary. It will begin at 10:00 a.m. in church. Elementary students will sit in their regular seats, while junior high and high school will fill in around them. This should last approximately 45 minutes.

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### TRIP TO GERMANY

The Delphos/Verl Friendship Link is planning a trip to Germany to visit our sister city and tour the Northern part of Germany. Trip dates would be June 28 to July 12, 2018. Some of the cities to be visited would be Verl, Berlin, Wismar, Schwerin, Lübeck, Hamburg and Bremen. If you would be interested in more information and would like to join us, contact Rick Hanser at [friendshipink@roadrunner.com](mailto:friendshipink@roadrunner.com)

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday	October 14, 2017@ 4:30 p.m.	Sunday	October 15, 2017 @ 7:30 a.m.
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Jodi Bennett, Joyce Brinkman, Brian Buettner, Ed Collins Sr., Kara Davis, Keith Davis, Assisting Deacon, Kevin Dukes*, Ed Ezzelle, Sister Susan Faist, Annita Flanagan, Barry Friemoth*	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Ron Baumgarte, Jerry Brickner, Elaine Evans, Don Haggard, Pam Hanser, Wilma Humpert, Linda Martin, Elliot Mueller, Joe Pohlman*, Steve Recker, Becky Spieles*
<b>Servers</b>	Lydia Werts, Ashley Youngpeter, NOT FILLED, NOT FILLED	<b>Servers</b>	Nathan Gable, Lexie Merschman, Kevin Pohlman, NOT FILLED
<b>Lector</b>	Jim Wellmann	<b>Lector</b>	Regina McClure
<b>Greeters</b>	Rick Brinkman, Deb Fischer, Mark Fischer, Greg Miller, Lonnie Miller, Eugene Warnecke	<b>Greeters</b>	Baylee Lindeman, Jeff Lindeman, Anna May, Steve Warnecke, John Wittler, Mary Lou Wittler
<b>Cantor</b>	Contemporary Group	<b>Cantor</b>	Maribeth Gable
Sunday	October 15, 2017 @ 9:15 a.m.	Sunday	October 15, 2017 @ 11:30 a.m.
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Jan Bockey, Jeff Bockey (sub req.), Kathy Buettner, Teresa Burnett, Tim Drewyore, Jim Fischer, Cindy Grothouse, Kim Honigford*, Fred Kollsmith, Shelley Kreeger, Jeff Moorman, Tami Neumeier, Linda Noonan Craig Pohlman, Kathy Pugh*	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Karen Edelbrock, Mike Edelbrock, Janet Foust, Marjorie Jacobs, Jim Knebel, Samantha Kramer, Stacey Kramer, Sarah Miller*, Cheryl Pelasky, Jeff Will*, Patricia Williams
<b>Servers</b>	Halle Elwer, Landon Elwer, Adara Fuerst, Andrew Palte	<b>Servers</b>	Dillon Cross, Nicole Pohlman, Abby Shafer, Zane Wertenberger
<b>Lector</b>	Rosie Hedrick	<b>Lector</b>	Carl Wehri
<b>Greeters</b>	Faith Ezzelle, Aubrie Friemoth, Leah Hays, Jerry Hoersten, Patty Nixon, Justin Siefker	<b>Greeters</b>	Annette Brown, Madison Ellis, Patty Gerberick, Laura Hammons, Mark Hammons, Taylor Zuber
<b>Cantor</b>	Megan Joseph, Choir	<b>Cantor</b>	Haley Rode

## CALENDAR

<p><b>Sunday, October 8, 2017</b>  <i>27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>                      7:30 a.m. - Mass                      8:50 a.m. - Rosary                      9:00 a.m. - Early Childhood - Elementary School                      9:15 a.m. - Mass - Kindergarten Recognition                      10:20 a.m. - PSR - Elementary School                      11:30 a.m. - Mass                      12:30 p.m. - Chili Cook-off - Church Plaza</p>	<p><b>Monday, October 9, 2017</b>  <i>2-Hour Delay - Teacher In-Service</i>                      7:30 a.m. - Confessions                      8:00 a.m. - Daily Mass                      8:30 a.m. - Rosary for the Respect of All Life                      6:30 p.m. - Little Angels by MMP2 - School Basement                      7:00 p.m. - Band Boosters - Band Room                      7:00 p.m. - College Financial Aid Meeting - Delphos Jefferson                      7:00 p.m. - Eucharistic Adoration</p>
<p><b>Tuesday, October 10, 2017</b>                      7:30 a.m. - Confessions                      8:00 a.m. - Daily Mass                      7:00 p.m. - Cantors - Church                      7:45 p.m. - Adult Choir - Church</p>	<p><b>Wednesday, October 11, 2017</b>                      7:30 a.m. - Confessions                      8:00 a.m. - Daily Mass                      12:15 p.m. - Mass                      5:00 p.m. - Shepherds of Christ Prayer Group - Church                      6:45 p.m. - Bingo - Little Theatre                      7:00 p.m. - Adult Bible Study – Landeck Church                      7:00 p.m. - School Council Meeting - Ministry Center                      7:00 p.m. - Contemporary Group Rehearsal - Church</p>
<p><b>Thursday, October 12, 2017</b>                      7:30 a.m. - Confessions                      8:00 a.m. - Daily Mass                      7:00 p.m. - RCIA - Ministry Center</p>	<p><b>Friday, October 13, 2017</b>                      6:30 a.m. - Men’s Prayer Group - Ministry Center                      7:30 a.m. - Confessions                      8:00 a.m. - Daily Mass</p>
<p><b>Saturday, October 14, 2017</b>                      7:30 a.m. - Confessions                      8:00 a.m. - Daily Mass                      8:30 a.m. - Rosary for the Respect of All Life – Church                      9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. - High School Recycle - Elementary Lot                      3:30 p.m. - Confessions                      4:30 p.m. - Mass - Anointing of the Sick - After Mass                      7:00 p.m. - Bingo - Little Theatre</p>	<p><b>Sunday, October 15, 2017</b>  <i>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>                      7:30 a.m. - Mass - Anointing of the Sick - After Mass                      8:50 a.m. - Rosary                      9:00 a.m. - Early Childhood - Elementary School                      9:15 a.m. - Mass - Anointing of the Sick - After Mass                      10:20 a.m. - PSR - Elementary School                      11:30 a.m. - Mass - Anointing of the Sick - After Mass                      3:00 p.m. – Baptism Class – Landeck Church</p>