

Saint John the Baptist Roman Catholic Church

1282 Yardville - Allentown Road • Allentown, N.J. 08501

www.StJohnRomanCatholic.org



For there is one God.

There is also one mediator between God and men,
the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as ransom for all.

1 Timothy 2: 5-6



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Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost

September 21, 2025



Sacrament of Confession

Confession is offered on Wednesday from 6:00pm-6:45pm and on Saturday from 4:00pm-4:45pm. Confession is also available by request and as announced on our website. Please contact the Pastor by email at FrMikeWallack@gmail.com with any questions.

Contact Information

Parish Website

StJohnRomanCatholic.org

Parish Office

Tuesday - Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm

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Office Phone: 609-259-3391 Fax: 609-508-1407

**For an emergency requiring a priest,
please call (609) 538-4126**

Clergy and Parish Staff

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Holy Mass Schedule and Intentions

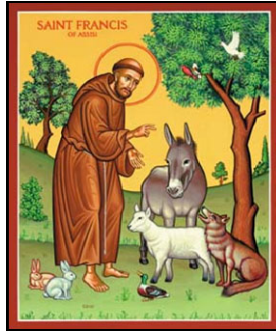
Saturday, September 20	8:00 AM 5:15 PM	Cynthia McIlwain (d), requested by Eileen Kelliher Thomas Brunner (d), requested by Rita Kocher
Sunday, September 21	9:00 AM 11:00 AM 12:30 PM	People of the Parish Kyle Lubeski (d), requested by Shane and Lily Duffy Mary Ann Borghi (d), requested by the Mannikus Family
Monday, September 22	7:00 PM	Marie Beruck (d), requested by Knights of Columbus Council 7333
Tuesday, September 23	8:00 AM	Kevin T. Colby (d), requested by Rhonda Colby
Wednesday, September 24	8:00 AM 7:00 PM	Vincent Pagano (d), requested by Beverly Fiore Deceased Members of the Colby Family (d), requested by Rhonda Colby
Thursday, September 25	8:00 AM	Edward J. and Virginia Marie Neary (d), requested by John and Emily Sparks
Friday, September 26	8:00 AM	The Bain Family (l), requested by Ann Burgess
Saturday, September 27	8:00 AM 5:15 PM	Patrick Dillon (d), requested by Jan and Joe Joel Clark (d), requested by the Tranosky Family
Sunday, September 28	9:00 AM 11:00 AM 12:30 PM	Marie Hagerman (d), requested by Rita Kocher People of the Parish Mary Ann Kelly (d), requested Joseph and Maria Schilare



Saint Michael the Archangel Novena

We will pray the novena to Saint Michael the Archangel after all Masses beginning on Saturday, September 20 in anticipation of his feast on Monday, September 29. The full novena prayer is included in this bulletin.

BLESSING OF ANIMALS ON THE FEAST OF SAINT FRANCIS



**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4
10:00AM
IN FRONT OF CHURCH**

In honor of Saint Francis (whose Feast day is October 4), we will have a very special blessing for all pets on Saturday, October 4 at 10:00am in front of the Church. Please bring your pets and join us as we honor Saint Francis, the Patron Saint of animals!

Saint John the Baptist Church Information

Sanctuary Lamp

Offerings for your intentions are available on a weekly basis for the Sanctuary Lamp, which burns night and day before Our Lord, truly present in the Tabernacle.

*The Sanctuary Lamp is offered this week
for the Holy Souls in Purgatory
requested by the Parish*

Weekly Collections

September 14, 2025 Collection: \$ 13,062.00

September Maintenance and Repair: \$ 3,121.00 (to date)

We are grateful for the generous donations received in the Mass collections, electronically through Online Giving, and through the mail and direct drop-off.

A Promise to Protect

The Diocese of Trenton is committed to the initiatives outlined in the U.S. Bishop's Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People in regard to the reporting and investigation of sexual abuse allegations involving minors. If you have been sexually abused as a minor by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or if you know of someone who was, you can report that abuse through the Diocese of Trenton Abuse Hotline: 888-296-2965 or via email at abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org.



A Note From Our Pastor

Very Rev. Michael Wallack

My Dear Parishioners,

"No servant can be the slave of two masters." Jesus doesn't give a third alternative. There are only two paths in life, the one that leads closer to Christ, or the one that leads away from Him. A few chapters earlier in Saint Luke's Gospel, he put it like this: "He who does not gather with me scatters" (Luke 11:23). In other words, we cannot be morally neutral in life. We can't sit on the fence. Either we live selfishly (this is symbolized by what Christ calls "mammon", or worldly riches, which enable us to exercise selfish desires), or we live for Christ. If we live selfishly, we actually contribute to the culture of selfishness; we extend the kingdom of money and follow the lord of selfishness - Satan. If we live for Christ, on the other hand, we help build up His Kingdom of justice and love - the eternal Kingdom. Those who pretend to stay neutral are fooling themselves. At the same time, Jesus reminds us that we don't make this choice just once. Every day, in "small matters" and "great ones", God gives us chances to exercise our love for Him, or our love for self.

The Christian life consists in an ongoing series of decisions in which we reinforce or undermine our basic choice to follow Christ. Jesus is warning us that we are just like the steward in the parable. We have all squandered the gifts God has given us, because we have all sinned and been affected by sin. And sooner or later we will have to face the music - we will die and face judgment. But in the meantime, we have a golden opportunity to put our lives and talents at the service of His Kingdom, instead of at the service of self.

Peace,
Fr. Mike

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament



**Mondays from Noon until 6:45pm Benediction
followed by 7:00pm Mass**

All are invited to come and spend some time with our Blessed Lord! **We are in need of additional Monday adorers, especially from 2pm to 6pm.** If you are able to help, please contact Margaret Longo at 609-259-2859.

PLEASE NOTE:

Adoration on Monday, September 29 will begin at Noon, but will end at 5:00pm due to the Solemn High Traditional Latin Mass for the Feast of St. Michael at 7:00pm.



Saint John the Baptist Catholic Church
Knights of Columbus Council 7333
Email: AllentownKnights@gmail.com

Brothers and Parishioners,

Holy Hour and Rosary

The next Holy Hour will be this Wednesday, September 24. Please join us at 5:45pm.

Soccer Challenge

Thanks to all the who turned out to assist in making this year's Soccer Challenge a success. We had 5 council champions who will move on to the District Soccer Challenge on October 4. Details to follow.

Golf Outing

The Knights of Columbus Golf Outing is this Monday, September 22. Registration starts at 9:00AM with a full buffet breakfast to follow. Shotgun start at 11:00AM. Cocktail hour and Buffet dinner start at 4:00PM.

Coffee and Donuts

Coffee and donuts will be offered this Sunday, September 21 after the 9:00AM and 11:00AM Masses.

Council Awards Dinner

This dinner is for brothers, family and friends, and will take place on Saturday, September 27 at 6:30PM in the Church Hall. The catered buffet menu is confirmed, and the price is set at \$25 per person. Please see the registration form in this bulletin; drop off registration forms and monies at the Parish Office or deposit in the collection basket at Mass. You can pay at the door with a credit card. Just let us know you will be attending in advance. Contact Bill O'Connor at boconnor1212@gmail.com or me at the following email: richardruff2010@protonmail.com to reserve your spot.

THAT MAN IS YOU (TMIY)

TMIY meets weekly on Saturdays at 6:30AM in the Knight's Hall. Bagels and coffee are served at 6:30AM with the presentation starting at 7:00AM. All Catholic gentlemen are invited.

FUTURE PLANNED ACTIVITIES

October is **COATS FOR KIDS** month. Look for information in the upcoming Parish bulk mailing and future bulletins for way to support this essential program.

OCTOBER COUNCIL MEETING will be on Monday, October 13 at 7:30PM.

PARISH BREAKFAST: We will be starting our monthly Parish Breakfast schedule on Sunday, October 19. Moving forward, the scheduled breakfasts will be on the second Sunday of each month except for December.

MOUNT CARMEL GUILD FOOD DRIVE will be November 8 & 9.

FRANCIS HOUSE OF PRAYER RETREAT: The retreat is scheduled for February 1 after the 11AM Mass, with the retreat starting with lunch at Noon. Please mark your calendars.

Vivat Jesus!

GK Richard Ruff
RichardRuff2010@gmail.com

The Sacred Music of the Mass **Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Entrance Antiphon:	I am the salvation	
Kyrie:	Mass XVI	100
Gloria:	Heritage Mass	192
Responsorial Psalm:	Praise the Lord	
Gospel Acclamation:	Though our Lord Jesus Christ	
Offertory Antiphon:	If I walk amid affliction	
Offertory Hymn:	Seek Ye First	
Sanctus:	Roman Missal Chant	
Memorial Acclamation:	Roman Missal Chant	
Agnus Dei:	Roman Missal Chant	
Communion Chant:	You have laid down your precepts	
Communion Hymn:	How Great Thou Art	569
Recessional:	Holy, Holy, Holy	562

The Antiphons of the Mass are in the Source and Summit Missal and the hymns are in the St. Michael Hymnal.

TMIY IS BACK !



Please join us in the Knights Hall in the Parish Office every Saturday !

- ♦ 6:30 AM - Breakfast and Fellowship
- ♦ 7:00 AM - Inspiring video
- ♦ 7:30 AM - Discussion

Please contact Jim Hannon at 609-577-4643 with questions about this spiritually-enriching opportunity for men.

Is God Calling You to the Fullness of the Roman Catholic Church?

If you or someone you know is thinking about entering the Catholic Church, or perhaps was Baptized Catholic but never had an opportunity to receive the Sacraments of Holy Communion and/or Confirmation, please **contact the Parish Office at 259-3391** for information about our **Parish Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)** Program.

Participants in our OCIA Program will meet through the upcoming fall and winter months to learn about the truths of the Catholic Faith, and will have the opportunity to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Communion and/or Confirmation during the Saturday, April 4, 2026 Easter Vigil Mass.

Local Food Bank Donations for the Poor

Monthly donations of nonperishable and non-expired food are collected on the first weekend of each month. **The next food collection weekend will be October 4-5, 2025.** Containers will be provided at all three Church entrances for your donations. Thank you for your continued generosity to those most in need.



Devotion to the Holy Family

**Holy Hour
Adoration
Confession
Holy Rosary**

Next Holy Hour: Wednesday, September 24, 2025

Our next Holy Hour (with Adoration, Confession, and the Rosary) will take place on Wednesday, September 24 from 5:45pm until Benediction at 6:45pm. The 7:00pm Traditional Latin Low Mass for Ember Wednesday will follow Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.



First Friday Divine Mercy Chaplet

**Friday October 3, 2025
3:00pm in the Church**

Please join us as we pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet in the Church at the hour of mercy.

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FIRST FRIDAY AND FIRST SATURDAY TWO HEARTS VIGIL OF REPARATION



Friday, October 3, 2025

9:00pm Traditional Latin Low Mass for the
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (First Friday)
10:00pm Adoration, Confession, Prayers, Rosary

Saturday, October 4, 2025

Midnight Traditional Latin Low Mass for the
Immaculate Heart of Mary (First Saturday)

The Diocese of Trenton 2025 Annual Appeal

The 2025 Diocese of Trenton Annual Catholic Appeal is in progress! Our 2025 Parish goal is \$37,000 and as of September 12, 120 families or individuals have already pledged \$24,723.25, which represents 67% of our goal. More information is available in our Church vestibules, on our Parish website, and at dioceseoftrenton.org/catholicappeal.



Save the Date, Save a Life!

9th Annual Joe-Bob Gruca Memorial Blood Drive

Saturday, December 6, 2025

10:00am until 3:00pm

Saint John the Baptist Church Hall

1282 Yardville-Allentown Rd Allentown, NJ 08501

Log on to: redcross.org/blood or
call 609-902-1972 to schedule a donation.



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SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Saint John the Baptist Conference

president1svdp@gmail.com

Anyone needing the support of the Saint Vincent de Paul Society or anyone wishing to donate, please call the Parish Office at 609-259-3391 or contact us through the SVdP email (president1svdp@gmail.com). Thank you for your prayers and continued generous support to those in need!



Saint John the Baptist 50 Plus Club

**Next Meeting: Wednesday, October 8, 2025
1:00pm in the Church Hall**

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, October 8, 2025 at 1:00pm in the Church Hall. AARP will present "Fraud Watch Network: The SCAM Landscape". The speaker will be Karen Polansky. Come and join us! There will be a sign-up sheet for the Pot Luck luncheon for our November meeting.



America Needs Fatima Public Square Rosary

**Second Saturday of the Month
Noon**

**In front of our outdoor
Blessed Mother Statue**

**Next Public Rosary:
Saturday, October 11, 2025**

For more information
please contact Aggie
at 609-501-3515



The Diocese of Trenton Celebration of the Traditional Latin Mass



Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost



High Mass

V. Rev. Michael Wallack, Celebrant

Mass Intention

Mary Ann Borghi (d)
requested by the Mannikus Family

Music Intention

In memory of John Burack (d)
requested by the Family

"Our Lord Jesus Christ has snatched us from eternal death, as He once snatched the young man of Nain from natural death. Doing this He shows the compassion which He feels for our mother the Catholic Church lamenting over sinners, just as He was moved by pity for the poor widow lamenting over her son."

- Angelus Press 1962 Missal, p. 767

The Sacred Music of the Mass

Processional:	Songs of Thankfulness and Praise	757
Sprinkling Rite:	Asperges Me	207
Introit:	<i>Inclina, Domine</i>	
Kyrie:	Mass XI	117
Gloria:	Mass XI	118
Graduale:	<i>Bonum est confiteri Domino</i>	
Alleluia:	<i>Quoniam Deus, magnus</i>	
Credo:	Credo I	212
Offertory:	<i>Expectans expectavi Dominum</i>	
Offertory Motet:	Oculi Omnium - Wood	
Sanctus:	Mass XI	119
Agnus Dei:	Mass XI	120
Communion:	<i>Panis quem ego dederō</i>	
Communion Motet:	Ave Verum Corpus - Stopford	
Recessional:	Holy, Holy, Holy	562

We are grateful to our Sacred Music Director Peter Carter and our Schola Cantorum for today's beautiful Sacred Music of the Mass.

Lunch Convivium Today After Mass

Please join us this afternoon after Mass for lunch downstairs in the Church Hall. There is no charge, and it is a great opportunity for fellowship and fun. We invite everyone to also visit our Traditional Latin Mass showcase where we offer mantillas, Mass missals, CDs, books and more.



2025 Autumn Ember Days

Ember days are special days of fasting for the sanctification of the four calendar seasons and also for requesting God's blessing on the clergy, for whose ordination the Ember Saturdays are especially set apart. The **Ember Days** fall on the Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday after the first Sunday in Lent, after Pentecost Sunday, **during the third full week of September**, and after the third Sunday of Advent.

We invite everyone to join us this Wednesday, September 24 at 7:00pm for our Ember Wednesday Low Mass and this Friday, September 26 at 8:00am for our Ember Friday Low Mass.

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FEAST OF THE DEDICATION OF SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2025 AT 7:00PM
SOLEMN HIGH MASS

**FOLLOWED BY AN OUTDOOR PROCESSION
TO THE STATUE OF SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL
AND A DINNER RECEPTION**



OHM Teresa of Ávila



With zeal have I been zealous for the Lord God of hosts. 1 Kgs 10:19



OHF John of the Cross

The Carmelite Corner

THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

READINGS:

GAL 5:25,26, 6:1-10
MT 6:24-33

Ÿ. Praised be Jesus Christ... R. Now and forever!

*Inclina, Dómine, aurem tuam ad me,
et exáudi me: saluum fac servum tuum,
Deus meus, sperántem in te: miserére mihi,
Dómine, quóniam ad te clamávo tota die.*

**Bow down Thine ear, O Lord, to me,
and hear me: save Thy servant,
O my God, that trusteth in Thee:
O, Lord, for I have cried to Thee all day.
[Ps 85:1, 2,3]**

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, the Introit reminds us of our human tendency to ‘bargain with God’ – I have given You this, so give me that. But God does not mind – He loves hearing from His children, and sincere prayer is pleasing to God. This shows that we long for God, and God will answer our trusting, continuous prayer.

In the Epistle, Paul admonishes the church at Galatia [also known as Gaul, an ancient area in the highlands of south-central of present-day Turkey] to abide in the Holy Spirit, and to act on this Spirit in all their affairs. Today, as then, normal living brings us face-to-face with pride and envy [and a whole host of associated sins], but Paul is clear. If one sees another acting against the Spirit by trafficking in these sins, that person is to fraternally correct the offender – what we would consider a Spiritual Work of Mercy. But do so in meekness, lest pride or arrogance come into us and spoil the whole thing. God can see if a person behaves badly and tends to reward people with the same measure as they give to others. Let us stay to the task of humbly looking out for the good of others.

In the Gospel of today, we see one of the earlier accounts of the mastery over death that Jesus has, prefiguring His own victory over it. Pity that poor woman, a widow who has lost her only child – what is left for her in this life? Jesus observes what is taking place, and He stops the funeral procession. We arrive at the expression: ὁ Κύριος [*ho Kyrios = the Lord*], the first time in the Gospel of Luke that this nature of Christ is expressly revealed. Jesus tells the poor woman not to weep, for He knows what He is going to do. In our lives, Jesus knows precisely what He is going to do – we just get uneasy, because WE don’t know what He is going to do. And this is a great study in the value of faith – Jesus makes all things well if we but wait on Him and let Him demonstrate this in our lives.

The Carmelite knows that God, Who is Himself perfection, Who has nothing but love for us, demands and deserves our complete trust. Yes, He requires of faithful souls an abandonment to His holy and adorable will, one that is frequently difficult for us to understand or to follow. As long as we are simple, upright, God-fearing, and departing from evil – placing our hope in God and not in the foibles of a changing world, He, who has care of His servants, will turn our hardships into blessings.

To Jesus Christ be all glory forever!

*“To lose always and let everyone else win is a trait of valiant souls, generous spirits, and unselfish hearts;
it is their manner to give rather than receive even to the extent of giving themselves.*

*They consider it a heavy burden to possess themselves
and it pleases them more to be possessed by others and withdrawn from themselves,
since we belong more to that infinite Good than we do to ourselves..”*

from Maxims and Counsels, #58

OHF John of the Cross [Juan de Yepes y Álvarez, 1542-1591] OCD, Pr., C., D.

Please join us in praying the Novena to Saint Michael the Archangel, whose Feast day we will celebrate on Monday, September 29. This nine-day Novena will begin on Saturday, September 20 and will end on Sunday, September 28. Saint Michael the Archangel is the Patron Saint of soldiers, police, first responders and doctors.

Novena Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel

(Pray daily from Saturday, September 20 to Sunday, September 28)

O glorious prince Saint Michael, chief and commander of the heavenly hosts,
guardian of souls, vanquisher of rebel spirits,
servant in the house of the Divine King and our admirable conductor,
you who shine with excellence and superhuman virtue,
deliver us from all evil, who turn to you with confidence
and enable us by your gracious protection
to serve God more and more faithfully every day.

Pray for us, O glorious Saint Michael, Prince of the Church of Jesus Christ,
that we may be made worthy of His promises.

I now invoke your powerful intercession, confident in the hope
that you will hear my prayer and obtain for me
the special grace and favor I earnestly implore (mention your request here...)

Almighty and Everlasting God, Who, by a prodigy of goodness
and a merciful desire for the salvation of all men,
have appointed the most glorious Saint Michael the Archangel,
the Prince of Your Church, make us worthy, we ask You,
to be delivered from all of our enemies,
that none of them may harass us at the hour of death,
but that we may be conducted by him into Your Presence.
This we ask through the merits of Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle,
be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him we humbly pray;
and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God,
cast into Hell Satan and all evil spirits
who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory Be...

NJ BISHOPS' *Mass for Life*

Thursday, September 25, 2025 • 9:30 a.m.

Cathedral of St. Mary
of the Assumption
151 N. Warren Street, Trenton



CELEBRANT
Cardinal Joseph W.
Tobin, C.Ss.R., D.D.,
Archdiocese of Newark



HOMILIST
Bishop Kevin J.
Sweeney, D.D.,
Diocese of Paterson



 **NEW JERSEY
MARCH FOR LIFE**

*The NJ Rally & March for Life will
begin at 11 am at the Statehouse Annex,
a short walk from the Cathedral



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For full information, visit: dioceseoftrenton.org/nj-march-for-life

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

COUNCIL #7333 AWARDS DINNER

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2025

6:30 PM in Church Hall



Attendee #1: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Contact Email: _____

Attendee #2: _____

Attendee #3: _____

Attendee #4: _____

TOTAL ATTENDEES _____ @ \$25.00 = _____

Mail Payments to:

St. John the Baptist Church

Knights of Columbus #7333

1282 Yardville Allentown Road

Allentown, NJ 08501

Payments may also be dropped off in the Parish Office

WINTER IS COMING!

**PLEASE HELP US PROVIDE COATS FOR
LOCAL AREA CHILDREN IN NEED.**

WE MAKE IT EASY!

A \$20 DONATION is all it takes.



Approximately eleven million American children are living in poverty. Many of these families cannot afford to provide the necessity of a warm winter coat. Each year our Knights of Columbus Council provides hundreds of coats to area children in need.

Will you help us in our mission? Any donation will help purchase one or more of our Coats for Kids.

St. John's Knights of Columbus will be collecting monetary donations at the doors of the Church before and after all Masses on the weekends of October 18 & 19 and 25 & 26.

Donations of cash or checks made out to K of C Council 7333 are acceptable. We will also accept credit cards. Donations can be placed in the collection basket at any time in an envelope marked "Coats for Kids". Please do not bring coats!

Support our Knights of Columbus in their efforts to help New Jersey Right to Life!



CAR RAFFLE



Tickets \$10.00 each

Be the Winner!

1st Prize | 2025 Volvo XC40 AWD SUV
Valued at \$44,595.00
2nd Prize | Shoprite Gift Card | Valued at \$1,000.00
3rd Prize | Shoprite Gift Card | Valued at \$750.00
4th Prize | Shoprite Gift Card | Valued at \$500.00

Winning ticket will be drawn on November 21, 2025 at Maggiano's Little Italy, 600 Commons Way, Bridgewater, NJ at 10:00pm. Winner need not be present. No one under the age of 18 years is permitted to participate. Car color subject to change. Winner is responsible for all federal and state applicable tax.

If gambling is a problem for you or someone in your family, Dial 1-800-GAMBLER.

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R.L. No. 5780

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PROCEEDS FOR BENEFIT OF
NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO LIFE

- ◆ **Our Knights have only 300 tickets available!**
- ◆ **Tickets are \$10 each and a book of 10 is \$100**
- ◆ **Simply fill out form below to request ticket(s).**
- ◆ **We will mail the tickets directly to you!**
- ◆ **Return your ticket stub(s) with payment by Monday, November 17 and you will be entered in the drawing!**
- ◆ **Drawing is at 10:00pm on Friday, November 21.**

Every year, our parishioners have supported NJ Right to Life by purchasing tickets for their annual raffle.

To purchase raffle tickets for this great cause, fill out the form below and mail it to us. We will send you the number of tickets requested. Tickets are \$10 each. Return the ticket stub(s) with your payment (checks payable to NJ RIGHT TO LIFE) and you'll be entered in the drawing! We have only 300 tickets available, so don't delay! All ticket stubs with payment must be returned to us by noon on Monday, November 17.

2025 New Jersey Right to Life Raffle: Ticket Request Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Number of Raffle Tickets requested: _____

Please complete, detach and place in the collection basket or mail this form to:

St. John the Baptist Church - NJ Right to Life Ticket Request
1282 Yardville-Allentown Rd, Allentown, NJ 08501

When we receive this ticket request, we will mail the ticket(s) to you. When you receive your ticket(s), fill out ticket stub(s) and return the stub(s) to us with payment (checks payable to **NJ Right to Life**) by November 17.

2026 Saint John the Baptist: Mass Request Form

Our 2026 Mass book is open! 2026 Masses dated up to 1 year from today's date can be requested. Post-dated forms will be returned.

1. We can accept ONE REQUEST FORM PER FAMILY PER MONTH.
2. Two 2026 Masses can be requested per Form. **Due to high demand, we can only schedule ONE 12:30PM SUNDAY TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS PER REQUEST FORM.** The suggested Mass stipend is \$10.
3. Due to the high demand for our weekend Masses, availability is on a first come, first served basis.
4. We are unable to accept any requests by phone or email.

Name of Person requesting the Mass(es): _____

Address of person requesting the Mass(es): _____

Best contact telephone number: _____

Number of Masses requested (limit 2): 1 2 (circle choice)

Mass #1: TODAY'S DATE: _____

2026 Date Requested: _____ Mass time _____

Please stop here: Is the 2026 date you are requesting within 1 year of today's date?

If yes, continue to the next line. If no, we are not yet able to offer the Mass date you are requesting.

Mass intention is for: Deceased Living (circle choice)

Do you need a Mass card? Yes No (circle choice)

Name(s) for Mass intention: _____

Mass #2: TODAY'S DATE: _____

2026 Date Requested: _____ Mass time _____

Please stop here: Is the 2026 date you are requesting within 1 year of today's date?

If yes, continue to the next line. If no, we are not yet able to offer the Mass date you are requesting.

Mass intention is for: Deceased Living (circle choice)

Do you need a Mass card? Yes No (circle choice)

Name(s) for Mass intention: _____

You are welcome to visit our Parish Office during business hours to request a Mass intention in person. If you are unable to visit our Office, please print and complete this form, enclose the Mass stipend (checks made payable to St. John's Church) and place in the collection basket or mail to:

St. John's Church: 2026 Mass Request
1282 Yardville-Allentown Road
Allentown, NJ 08501

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