

## Welcome!

We welcome all visitors this weekend, and hope you will enjoy being part of our parish family. We invite you to continue joining us each week at our liturgical celebrations.

### Our Mission Statement

**The Faith Community of St. John The Baptist - Holy Angels Parish** believes that we are empowered by the Holy Spirit to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to celebrate God's abiding presence among us.

**We believe** that Sacramental Worship is the source and summit of our Christian life, and that worshipping Jesus in union with the Father and the Holy Spirit is our highest calling.

**We believe** that God's creation is sacred and beautiful. We accept the responsibility to be stewards of all that God has entrusted to us, especially the gift of life itself.

**We believe** that, as brothers and sisters of Christ, we are called to live in peace. It is our responsibility to work for peace by seeking justice for all people.

**We believe** that we are called to proclaim the Gospel, by word and example, to the faithful, to those who have given up active participation in the Catholic Church, to those who have no church community, and to those who are seeking full communion with the Catholic Church.

The fulfillment of this mission is challenged by the geographic distance we encompass, and our large and ever-increasing membership and the diversity of needs among us.

Through the grace of God, may we be strengthened to fulfill this mission.

### Mass Intentions for the Week

#### St. John Church

February 27	8:00 AM	Jack Cusack
	10:00 AM	James Danberg
February 28	8:00 AM	George Dalphon
March 1	8:00 AM	Sue Trembly
March 2	8:00 AM	People of the Parish
March 3	8:00 AM	James Danberg
March 4	8:00 AM	Pauline Molar
March 5	8:00 AM	Sue Trembly
March 6	8:00 AM	John Muller
	10:00 AM	John Muller

#### Holy Angels Church

February 26	5:00 PM	Cecelia Eksterowicz
February 27	9:00 AM	Raymond Civatte
	11:00 AM	Ann B. Druss
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias
March 5	5:00 PM	Katharina Klees
March 6	9:00 AM	Sodality Members, Living & Deceased
	11:00 AM	Ann B. Druss
	1:00 PM	Intenciones Comunitarias

### Preview of This Week's Readings

<b>Monday:</b>	Sirach 17:20-24	Mark 10:17-27
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Sirach 35:1-12;	Mark 1:28-31
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Sirach 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17;	Mark 10:32-45
<b>Thursday:</b>	Sirach 42:15-25;	Mark 10:46-52
<b>Friday:</b>	Sirach 44:1, 9-13;	Mark 11:11-26
<b>Saturday:</b>	Sirach 51:12cd-20;	Mark 11:27-35
<b>Sunday:</b>	Deuteronomy 11:18, 26-28, 32; Romans 3:21-25, 28	Matthew 7:21-27



### Eternal rest grant unto them...

Please remember in your prayers Fred Saindon and Earl Stiner. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

### Newly Baptized

#### February 19, 2011

Diego Brito Bernal, son of Maria Brito-Bernal.  
David Jorge Carrasco, son of Sylvia Ortiz and Jorge Carrasco.  
Ingrid Kamila Lucero, daughter of Rosa Isela Landeros-Bernal and Gelasio Lucero-Hernandez.

#### February 20, 2011

Riley Ann Lennon, daughter of Aileen Patricia McMonagle and Daniel Patrick Lennon.  
Alanna Marra Rhodes, daughter of Alicia Janine Wright and Alessandro Giovanni Rhodes.  
Layla Marie Soares, daughter of Jaclyn Oliveira Terrivel and Jose Fernando Soares.

### Priests' Mass Schedule

#### March 5/6

<b>St. John Church</b>	<b>Holy Angels Church</b>
8:00 AM Fr. Fiore	5:00 PM Fr. Cook
10:00 AM Fr. Fiore	9:00 AM Fr. Castelow
	11:00 AM Fr. Castelow
	1:00 PM Fr. Reyna

#### March 9

#### Ash Wednesday

<b>St. John Church</b>	<b>Holy Angels Church</b>
8:00 AM Fr. Fiore	10:00 AM Fr. Cook
12:05 PM Fr. Castelow	12:15 PM Fr. Fiore
7:00 PM Fr. Fiore	6:30 PM Deacon Schaubert
	8:00 PM Fr. Reyna

(Note: 10:00 AM and 6:30 PM are Liturgies of the Word.)

#### March 12/13

<b>St. John Church</b>	<b>Holy Angels Church</b>
8:00 AM Fr. Castelow	5:00 PM Fr. Cook
10:00 AM Fr. Castelow	9:00 AM Fr. Fiore
	11:00 AM Fr. Fiore
	1:00 PM Fr. Reyna



**February 27 – March 4, 2011**

<b>Sunday:</b>	9:00 AM	Religious Education – Holy Angels School
	6:00 PM	Religious Education – Holy Angels School
	6:15 PM	“The Great Adventure” Bible Study – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
<b>Monday:</b>	7:00 PM	Mary, Queen of Peace, Prayer Group – Parish Center Meeting Room 3
	7:00 PM	Liturgy Committee – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
<b>Tuesday:</b>	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Children Catechesis – Parish Center Meeting Room 3
	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Adult Catechesis – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
	7:00 PM	Knights of Columbus – Joan Muzzi Athletic Building
<b>Wednesday:</b>	6:00 PM	Religious Education – Holy Angels School
	7:00 PM	R.C.I.A. Team – Parish Center Meeting Room 2
	7:00 PM	Choir Practice – Holy Angels Church Music Room
<b>Thursday:</b>	7:00 PM	Charismatic Prayer Group – Holy Angels Church Conference Room
<b>Friday:</b>	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Eucharistic Adoration – St. John Church
	7:00 PM	Reconciliation for Confirmation Candidates – Holy Angels Church
<b>Saturday:</b>	6:30 PM	Monte Carlo Night – Holy Angels Gym

**Our Weekly Offertory**

**February 19/20, 2011**

Parish Collection .....	\$14241
Restoration for Today/Vision for Tomorrow .....	970
Building & Maintenance .....	5
Total .....	\$15216

**February 20/21, 2010**

Parish Collection .....	\$21999
Restoration for Today/Vision for Tomorrow .....	284
Building & Maintenance .....	1380
Total .....	\$23663

**Ash Wednesday, March 9**

**St. John Church**

8:00 AM	Mass
12:05 PM	Mass
7:00 PM	Mass

**Holy Angels Church**

10:00 AM	Liturgy of the Word
12:15 PM	Mass
6:30 PM	Liturgy of the Word
8:00 PM	Mass (Spanish)

**Youth Box**

**Blessing of New Drivers**

There will be a Blessing of New Drivers for those who have received their license or permit within the past 12 months. This blessing will be at all Masses on the weekend of March 5/6.

To have a new driver you know included in the blessing, please email their name to sbrown633@comcast.net, or call Annie Adams at the Parish Office, 731-2200, to have their name added to the list.

**Lenten Prayer Sampler Workshop**

How is your prayer life? Is it all it could be? Do you feel you might be called to a deeper prayer experience? Are your present practices feeling a little dry?



On March 15, from 9:30 AM to 2:00 PM, we will be offering a Lenten Retreat to explore a few of the prayer practices offered regularly here in the parish. We will focus on Lectio Divina (praying with Sacred Scriptures), Centering Prayer (praying with silence), and Charismatic Prayer (praying with the Spirit). There will be time for learning about, as well as participating in, these prayer forms. The day will conclude with the source and summit of our prayer life, Eucharistic Liturgy.

All are welcome. Please bring your Bible, a notebook, and your lunch. There is no charge for the day, but a free will basket will be available for Lenten almsgiving to the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Please pre-register by calling Mary (453-9613).

**Lenten Fish Dinner**

Our Parish Fish Fry is Friday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, from 5:30 – 7:00 PM in Fremont Hall. Keep an eye out on the parish website and in next week’s bulletin for menu and ticket information.

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## SCHOOL NEWS

**Congratulations to Christopher Riegner**, who won the School Spelling Bee and Geography Bee! He will advance to the national level in both categories.

### February 28<sup>th</sup>

Holy Angels School Re-Registration materials/fees are due in to the School Office today. Claire's Gourmet fundraiser proceeds are also due today.

### Applications are still being accepted for new students.

There are openings in our early childhood program (Pre/K 3 yr. old and Pre/K 4 yr. old). Spots are also available in Grades K-8. Holy Angels School is accredited by the Middle States Association of Elementary Schools and provides a challenging curriculum that adheres to both diocesan and state guidelines.

**Trimester 2** ends of March 4<sup>th</sup>. Report cards will be issued on March 10<sup>th</sup>.

### Coming Soon – the Trimester 2 “Holy Angels Inquirer”

The student newspaper will be available in the Gathering Space. Great way to see the wonderful happenings within our great School.

### Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> Monte Carlo Night

Please come and join your Holy Angels friends for a night of fun and festivities from 6:30 PM – 11:30 PM. Tickets are still available. Information is on the School Website at [www.holyangelschool.org](http://www.holyangelschool.org). Proceeds benefit school programs for 2011-12!

**Monte Carlo Night: Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup>  
6:30 PM – 11:30 PM**

Come out and enjoy a night of fun with your Holy Angels' friends!  
(Call the School Office for tickets.)

**Scrip Cards** can be purchased every Wednesday and Friday from 2:15 – 2:45 PM in the Gym. Most local retailers, grocery stores, and gas stations participate in this program.

**Box Tops for Education and Campbell Soup Labels** may also be sent to the School Office.

## Annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner Dance March 12<sup>th</sup> Fremont Hall



Holy Angels Knights of Columbus will host a St. Patrick's Day Dinner Dance on Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30 PM – 10:30 PM in Fremont Hall. This fun event features traditional Irish food (corned beef/cabbage and salmon) and a performance by dancers from the McAleer School of Irish Dance. Tickets are \$30 per adult, \$15 per child (under age 15) and \$200 for a table of 8 people. Dinner, beer, wine, soda, DJ dancing and door prizes are all included. Please contact Bob Genau ((302) 774-1468, Paul Keely (302) 540-6648, or Bob Sassa (302) 234-2368 for tickets or more information. Tickets will also be available after Mass on February 26/27 and March 5/6. Get your tickets early because seating is limited!



## The Sports Box

### Fall Sports Coaches:

Football, Cheerleading, Soccer, Cross Country & Volley ball – Please attend the April 12<sup>th</sup> Athletic Association meeting with a brief resume.

### Registration for Spring Sports: Feb. 1 – March 3

Late fees apply March 4<sup>th</sup>. Register online at

[www.eteamz.com/holyangels](http://www.eteamz.com/holyangels).

Baseball: 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade

Softball: 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade

Track: K – 8<sup>th</sup> grade

Questions, contact Lyn Wolfe at [wolfe@comcast.net](mailto:wolfe@comcast.net)

**Holy Angels Athletic Association Meeting** is on Tuesday, March 8, at 8 PM in the Athletic Building. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

**Teen Dance** – March 11<sup>th</sup> Holy Angels Gym \$10/person  
Open to all students in Grades 6 – 7 – 8

### Basketball Scores

Varsity C1 Boys, 34 vs. **St. Peter's Cathedral, 37**

Varsity C2 Boys, 30 vs. **St. Joseph on the Brandywine, 35**

**Varsity Y Boys, 43** vs. Our Lady of Fatima, 17

Varsity Y Boys, 20 vs. **St. John The Beloved, 42**

**Varsity C Girls, 32** vs. St. Mary's, 26

**Varsity O Girls, 22** vs. Christ The Teacher, 16

JV Girls (St. E's League), 31 vs. **St. Mary Magdalen, 35**

JV Girls C, 18 vs. **St. Catherine's, 22**

**JV C Boys, 41**, vs. St. Mary Magdalen, 33

**JV Y Boys, 28** vs. Immaculate Heart of Mary, 20

## Sacrament of Matrimony

The following couples will celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage on March 5<sup>th</sup>.



**Maria Santos & Manuel Torrez**

**Ashley Simmons & Jordan Tulowitzski**

God's blessings from St. John-Holy Angels Parish.

## Welcome, New Parishioners

We are pleased to welcome the following newly registered members to our parish community:

Nicole & Jeff Colmery & Family

## Silent Prayer Community

Our parish has a group of people who will earnestly pray for any needs that you might have. This is done anonymously via a telephone prayer chain. If you have a special need about which you need prayer, please call 894-0726, 731-4297, or 369-3330, and our members will pray for you. Please let us know when your prayer has been answered, so we too may give thanks.

## Snow Cancellations



In the event of poor weather and dangerous driving conditions during the winter season, sometimes it is necessary to cancel parish activities, meetings, and liturgies. Weather-related information will be on the parish website, [www.stjohn-holyangels.com](http://www.stjohn-holyangels.com), and also available by calling the Parish Center, 731-2200.

The following radio stations will be contacted if the 8:00 AM Daily Mass, Weekend Masses, and parish activities are canceled.

WILM 1450 AM      WSTW 93.7 FM

WDEL 1150 AM      WJBR 99.5 FM

**Please note:** Parish Offices follow the School Closing Policy. If the Diocesan Catholic Schools are closed for inclement weather, the Parish Offices will be closed that day also.

### Parish Safety Concern

Over the past few weeks we have noticed a number of parishioners falling due to chair kneelers being left in the "down" position while going to receive communion or when leaving Mass.

**For safety reasons, we are asking that anytime you leave your seat to receive communion or when leaving after Mass, please have consideration for other parishioners by placing all kneelers (chairs and pews) in the "up/raised" position.**

This will prevent anyone exiting from or returning to their seat from tripping over the kneeler. Your help would be greatly appreciated and may save someone from being seriously hurt.

### Visitors for Christ

Visitors for Christ are men and women commissioned by the Office Of Worship at St. John's-Holy Angels' Church to serve and minister to the sick, the convalescing, the elderly and the homebound of our parish family.

We make short visits to homes, hospitals, and nursing homes bringing the prayers of the Parish and the Eucharist when requested. We also offer the opportunity to pray the rosary with you for your personal intentions and the needs of our community.

If you or someone you know would like a visit from the Visitors For Christ, please call the Parish Center, 731-2200, or June, 366-0711.

### Lenten Bible Studies at Neighboring Parishes

A Bible Study will be conducted by Father John Hynes on Thursday evenings of Lent, beginning March 17<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 8:30 PM at **St. Catherine of Siena Church**, near Prices Corner. The "Reading – Reflection – Action" model will be followed. Bring your Bible and a notebook. For more information, please call 633-4900.

"Journey with our Biblical Sisters" will be held at **St. Joseph-on-the-Brandywine Church** in Greenville. Sessions are on Monday afternoons, 12:45 – 2:45 PM, on March 14, 21, 28, April 4 and 11. We will look at stories of women in scriptures and discern how their stories link with our own. Facilitator is Mary Louise Chesley-Cora. For more details and to register, please contact Loretta Carlson at [carlson@tree-tech.com](mailto:carlson@tree-tech.com) or (302) 836-5883 by March 10<sup>th</sup>.

## Congratulations!

The following students were on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Honor Roll at Salesianum School. Keep up the good work!

### Principal's List

William Holler	Kevin Shectman
Sean Peden	Sean Tullier

### First Honors

John Bowden	Ryan Hancharick
William Brown	James Luck
Daniel Crisona	Matthew Pappas
Kyle Evans	Ryan Patterson
Matthew Evans	Nicholas Piser
Ryan Feely	Craig Snively
Christian Guidash	Ryan Vietri

### Second Honors

Vincent Antenucci	Josef Klees
Stephen Bryson	Arthur Migdalski
Ryan Burns	Troy Reeder
Andrew Clark	Michael Schietroma
John Gravatt	Thomas Webster
Matthew Hill	William Whallon

### Supermarket Gift Card Program

Our parish participates in a Gift Card Program with Pathmark, Superfresh, ShopRite, and Acme Markets. You use the gift cards you purchase from us rather than your own money at the grocery store. Please call the Parish Center, 731-2200, if you have questions.

There are two ways to purchase the gift cards.

**Method I:** You may stop in at the Parish Center and purchase Gift Cards during office hours.

**Method II:** A Supermarket Gift Card envelope is included in your monthly packet of offertory envelopes. Each month, you can order Supermarket Gift Cards by filling out that envelope, placing your check inside, and putting it in the collection basket. Your order will be filled and mailed to you the next day.

### Longaberger Basket & Vera Bradley Bingo

St. Margaret of Scotland Church, Glasgow

Saturday, March 5      6:00 PM

Tickets: \$15 Advance, or \$20 at the door

Doors open at 5:30 PM. Also available is dinner, drinks, desserts, 2 specials and raffles. For more information, contact Nicole Woodham at [woody13del@comcast.net](mailto:woody13del@comcast.net) or 832-3138.

### Bring Us Your Old Newspapers!

Please support our Athletic Association by participating in the Abitibi Paper Retriever program. Bring all your used catalogs, magazines, newspapers, office paper, fax paper, school paper, notebooks and folders to the green and yellow containers next to the Athletic Building. (Note: no cardboard, telephone books or trash!)

Tell all your neighbors, friends and family! The more we fill the containers, the more money we can make! For more information, contact Lyn Wolfe at 420-8659 or email [wolfelyn@comcast.net](mailto:wolfelyn@comcast.net).