## Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTEN				
Saturday	Apr. 9 <sup>th</sup>			
10:30 a.m	Mass for 1 <sup>st</sup> Communion Retreat-			
	Dolores Walker			
5:00 p.m.	Vonda Elliott, Helen Ellis			
	Curt Elliott, Ed Lents			
Sunday	Apr. 10			
8:00 am.	David Strange			
10:00 am	Tom Mudd, Mrs.Lynn Harshaw,			
	Bryan & Alice Walker, Liz Walker			
4:00 pm	Harry & Edith Ellis			
Monday	Apr. 11 <sup>th</sup>			
5:00 p.m.	For the People			
6:00 to 8:00	Confessions			
Tuesday	Apr. 12 <sup>th</sup>			
<u>5:30 p.m</u> .	_Chrism Mass at St. Benedict Cathedral			
Wednesda				
<u>12:00 noon</u>	Vonda Elliott			
Thursday	Holy Thursday Apr. 14 <sup>th</sup> Patrick Fonyou			
6:00 p.m Friday	Good Friday Apr.15 <sup>th</sup>			
12:00 noon	Way of the Cross			
	Solemn Service of the Passion of the Lord			
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Saturday	Easter Vigil Apr. 16 <sup>th</sup>			
<u>6:00 p.m.</u>	See program			
Sunday	Easter Sunday Apr. 17 <sup>th</sup>			
7:30 a. m.	See program at St. John Cemetery			
10:00 a.m.	See program			
4:00 p.m.	See program			
Ministers for April 9 <sup>th</sup> /10 <sup>th</sup> 2022				
SACRISTANS				
5:00 p.m.	Susan Ackerman 8:00 a.m. Volunteer			
10:00 a.m.	Noel Harty			
<b>SERVERS:</b>				
5:00 p.m.	Noah Hager, Noah Esch, Matthew Vaal,			
	Natalie Willoughby			
8:00 a.m.	Matthew, Ashley, Brendan, &Savannah Green			
10:00 a.m.	John Paul Hart, Clayton Miller, Liam Todd,			
	Sarah Todd. Ethan Todd			
4:00 PM:	Kamila and Kamren Wilson, Grayson Kluesner			
<b>GREETERS:</b>				
5:00 p.m.	FD: Chuck/Carolyn Buxton			
	SD: Volunteers			
8:00 a.m.	FD: Greg/Dottie Potts SD: Doug/Peg Neidigh			
10:00 a.m.	FD: Denny Smith			
	SD: Carolyn Norris, Gayle Strange			
<b>READERS:</b>				
5:00 p.m.	Francie Doyle			
8:00 a.m.	Betty Huelsman			
10:00 a.m.	Lynn Bateman			
<b>EUCHARIST</b>	IC MINISTERS:			
5:00 p.m.	Seth Taylor			
8:00 a.m.	Betty Huelsman			
10:00 a.m.	Stephanie McAtee			

\*\*All ministers for 4:00 Mass will be volunteers.

## From Our Pastor

## My dear friends in Christ,

Today is Palm Sunday which begins the solemn observance of Holy Week. Let us take advantage of our Holy Week services. We will have the Way of the Cross and Benediction this Sunday at 2:00 pm Mass and are reminded of the tremendous love our Lord Jesus has for us, reflected in the Holy Eucharist.

We will have Confessions Monday, from 6:00-8:00p.m. The Chrism Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Siegel and the priests of the diocese, at St. Benedict Cathedral in Evansville, on Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. CDT.

We enter into the Easter Triduum with the Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper at 6:00 p.m., followed on Good Friday with Way of the Cross at **12:00 noon** and then with the Solemn Service of the Passion of the Lord at 6:00 pm.

Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence. Abstinence means we do not eat meat. The obligation to abstain on the appointed days begins the day after your fourteenth birthday.

Fasting means that we eat only one full meal on the fast day. Two other light meals are permitted, but eating between meals is not permitted. You are obliged to observe the fast from the day after your eighteenth birthday until the day after you fifty-ninth birthday.

The Easter Vigil will be celebrated at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday. The Easter Sunrise Mass at 7:30 a.m. (St. John Cemetery) will be followed by the 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. John. Our Easter egg hunt will be after the 10:00 Mass. There will also be an afternoon Easter Mass at 4:00 p.m.

Please join us for this grace filled week as we celebrate our Lord's death and Resurrection and the new life he made possible.

Way of the Cross & Benediction :Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 Way of the Cross :Good Friday 4/15/22 at 12:00

May the Lord bless and keep you,

**Father Walker** 

Fr. Leo would appreciate guests in the morning, afternoon or evening. Your visits are helping his

recovery. Fr. Leo Kiesel's new address:

The Villages at Oak Ridge

Room 202 1694 Troy Road Washington, IN 47501

There will be an Anointing after all the Masses on April 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>



Monday Confessions, April 11<sup>th</sup>: 6:00-8:00 pm

Confessions by appointment

The Chrism Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, April 12, 5:30 PM CDT, at Saint Benedict Cathedral. This is the Mass where the holy oils used throughout the year are blessed and consecrated, and the priests of the diocese make a public renewal of their priestly promises to serve Christ and the Church. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will also be available prior to the Mass. All are invited to attend, show your support for the service of our priests, and pray together as a diocese in those holy days leading up to Easter.

We will soon celebrate First Communion and Mother's Day on May 8<sup>th</sup> with a spring raffle on that day. The **First** prize is a **silver E-Z-GO GOLF CART** (valued at \$7,494.99 - - with a 150CC gas motor, windshield, & a backseat), which will be on display; the **Second** prize is a Quilt; and the **Third** prize is \$150.00. Each family will be asked to sell 8 raffle tickets. The drawing will be held after the 4:00 Mass. The proceeds from the raffle will be used to lower the amount that each family will be asked to contribute for the CPC (Catholic Parish Campaign). -Fr. Walker.

#### Save the Date

**Praise Choir practice**- April 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30

**Altar Society** – April 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30

**Cancer Support-**April 13<sup>th</sup> – 6:00-7:30

Catholic War Veterans-April 14<sup>th</sup> -6:00 at the Center

**Praise Choir practice-** April 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:30

Euchre- April 24 & May15th -1pm

#### Blood Drive-

**Shoals Christian Church,** Apr. 13-2:00-7:00 PM

Loogootee United Methodist Church Apr. 14-1:00 - 6:00 PM

Sunday Collection Apr. 2<sup>nd</sup> /3rd 2022

**St. John 208 envelopes (869 families)** \$10,178.00

# Religious Education & Youth News with Jackie FA ITH FORMATION jesch@evdio.org

This time of year is always busy with wonderful levels of spiritual renewal and rebirth. Our next exciting celebration will take place at the Easter Vigil Mass. Three of our young parishioners will be joining the church and receiving the Sacramental blessings of Baptism(in one case), First Holy Communion, and Confirmation. Our candidates are Zoey Harder, Adalyn Lents, and Lucas Helderman. Please keep them in your prayers and ask that Our Lord help them to feel His love and presence as they complete their training and enter into a new journey of spiritual living.

On Saturday morning, we had the pleasure of gathering with our First Communion students for a retreat focusing on our Lord's instructions at The Last Supper and the sacredness of the Blessed Sacrament. What a pleasure it is to see the Eucharist through their eyes! This amazing group of kids does everything with a level of enthusiasm rarely seen. Please continue your prayers for them as they complete their last month of preparations for their First Holy Communion on May 8th.

Ministers for	Apri	1 16 <sup>th</sup> / 17 <sup>th</sup>	2022	
<b>SACRISTANS</b>				
6:00 p.m.	Rachel Doyle	7:30 a.m.	Volunteer	
10:00 a.m.	Noel Harty			
<b>SERVERS:</b>				
6:00 p.m.	Natalie Willoughby, Alex Guinn			
7:30 a.m.	Dax Lee, Brianna Eckerle,			
	Curtis Merkley, Alex Merkley			
10:00 a.m.	Xavier Todd, Declan Todd,			
	Lucy Rahman, Isaac Lagree			
4:00 PM:	Kamila and Kamren Wilson, Grayson Kluesner			
<b>GREETERS:</b>				
6:00 p.m.	FD: Rachel Doyle			
	SD: Linda Bledsoe, Volunteer			
7:30 a.m.	FD: Tom/Chris Peter			
	SD: Annette Taylor			
10:00 a.m.	FD: Dan/Barbara Gregory			
	SD: Jeff/Micky	Crew		
<b>READERS:</b>				
6:00 p.m.	Elaine Wade			
7:30 a.m.	Judy Kluesner			
10:00 a.m.	Gil Toy			
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:				
6:00 p.m.	James Hager			

**Easter Mass Intentions-** There is not a limit for the Mass intentions which are allowed for Easter. Therefore, we may have multiple intentions listed for each of the Easter Masses. If you would like a Mass offered for your deceased loved one, please call the parish office at 812-295-2225 and speak to Vicki.

Annette Taylor

10:00 a.m. Greg Bateman

7:30 a.m.

## April Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

## April 1:

Chad Chandler Melinda Hunter Jack Inman

#### April 2:

Wyatt Campbell Daniel Crowley Olivia Dant Betty Garrett Evan Hand Jaymie Toy

### April 3:

**Zane Jones** 

## April 4:

Grace Bledsoe Jordan Dant Tandy Gibson Heather Harshaw

## April 5:

Sarah Bratton
Emily Crane
Charles Divine
Fanessa Harmon
Jarrod Helderman
Diana O'Connor
Bennett Smith
Sharon Sutton

## April 6:

Susan Frye Jerry Helderman Alyssa Mathies

## April 7:

Greg Hamilton Roger Quinn Bernard Smith Michael Smith

#### April 8:

James Ader
Danny Berry
Hunter Brown
Trish Carrico
Chris Holland
Brandon Parker
Pete Smith

## April 9:

Patrick Bradley
Jayven Brocksmith

#### April 10:

Matthew Bradley James Tedrow Brian Whitney

### **April 11:**

Meah Dalrymple Lynn Harshaw

## <u> April 12:</u>

Mykle Bateman Tina Crane John Fegan Erin Stoll Andrew Ringwald Abbie Williams

## <u>April 13:</u>

James Ackerman Mike Smith

## **April 14:**

JD Flynn
Cale Green
Kianna Harmon
Wilmer Lundy
Sarah Mullen
Rose Walker

## April 15:

Phillip Hart Karen Inman Connie Jones Ashlee Murphy Luke Williams

## April 16:

Helen Acton George Carrico Margaret Flinn Mallorie Sutton

## **April 17:**

Boone Fuhrman Pat Strange

#### **April 18**:

Scott Callison
Max Christmas
Sheldan Christmas

## April 19:

John Bouvy Kenny Bradley Patti Byrd Soham Shishodia

## **April 20:**

Bradley Berry
Mary Burr
Logan Dant
Tyler Greene
Mary Lou Matthews
Valerie Griffin

## <u> April 21:</u>

Addalyn Bradley Jacob Bowman Lee Jones James Nolan

## April 22:

Jeffery Eckerle Kayden Honeycutt Audra Seals Deacon Strange

## April 23:

Barb Gregory
Mya Hedrick
Jarrod Lents
Michael Matheis
Mary Muessig
Lindsey Nolan
Mike Ringwald
Hadley Tinkle
Anastasia Toy

#### April 24:

Milo Bowman Roberta Burch Donna McGuire Adleen Nolley Jeff Wildman

Abby Ackerman

## **April 25:**

Jeff Berry James Hart Margaret Walton Audrey Whitney

## April 26:

Ashley Arvin
Richard Arvin
Nona Bradley
Tracey Hayes
Rebecca Franklin
Kate Lagree

#### **April 27:**

Ashton Hager Mya Harmon Ruth Mills Heather Smith Lila Williams

#### **April 28:**

James Kidwell Derek Sipes Declan Todd

#### April 29:

Scarlett Cambell Christopher Hager Glenda O'Connor Colin Parker Kristin Ridgway

#### April 30:

Molly Anderson Trenton Arvin AJ Blankenbaker Nancy Huebner Everlye Jeffers Skip O'Brien

**Bonnie Summers**