

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Rogation Mass Kenneth Crane, Becky Bullock, Tony Elliott, Margaret Walton	Apr. 13th
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	Rogation Masses Melaine Burch Patrick Delaney, Charles "Chuck" O'Connor, Margaret & Loran Walton Vonda Elliott	Apr. 14th
Monday 5:00 p.m.	Deceased Members of the Jerome & Dorothy Williams Family (at St. Joseph)	Apr. 15th
After 5:00 Mass Eucharistic Adoration at St. Joseph		
Tuesday 7:00 p.m.	Adrian & Maggie Arvin	Apr. 16th
Wednesday 12(Noon)	Penny Toy	Apr. 17th
Thursday 9:00 a.m. 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. 1:30 p.m.	For The People Eucharistic Adoration at St. John Nursing Home Mass - Brent Kreinop	Apr. 18th
Friday 9:00 a.m.	Chris Rahman	Apr. 19th
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Anthony & Pauline Hotz, Ruth Ann Norris, Kenneth Sanders	Apr. 20th
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	Frank & Alice Matthews First Communion Ethan Fields Michael Elliott, Jr., Tony Elliott, Connie McAtee, Clara Bradley	Apr. 21st

Ministers for SACRISTANS Apr. 13th/Apr. 14th, 2024

5:00 p.m.	Rachel Doyle
8:00 a.m.	Dax Lee
10:00 a.m.	Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m.	Brady Lents, Natalie Willoughby
8:00 a.m.	Dax Lee, Curtis Merkley, Alex Merkley
10:00 a.m.	Josie Mathies, Mason Mathies, Elin Wade
4:00 p.m.	Volunteers

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m.	FD: Elsie Horsting SD: Volunteers
8:00 a.m.	FD: Bruce/Lynn Hawkins SD: Jerry/Betty Huelsman
10:00 a.m.	FD: Jeff/Micky Crew SD: Dan/Barbara Gregory

READERS:

5:00 p.m.	Francie Doyle
8:00 a.m.	Bruce Hawkins
10:00 a.m.	John A. Walker

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m.	James Hager
8:00 a.m.	Bernie Smith
10:00 a.m.	Dani Jeffers



From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

This weekend we will have our Rogation Masses. We ask God's blessing on our tools, fields, flocks, seeds and those who will work with them. We offer prayers of thanksgiving for the farmers of our parish asking the Lord Jesus to keep them safe and prosperous during this year. The children are encouraged to bring a packet of seeds for the blessing.

The Most Reverend Joseph M. Siegel will ordain Nicholas Biever, Aaron Herrenbruck, Keith Hart, and Clint Johnson to the Sacred Order of Deacon Saturday, April 20th, 2024, 10:00 a.m. (CDT) at St. Benedict Cathedral. Everyone from the parish is welcome to celebrate this joyous event.

Congratulations to twelve of our young children who will celebrate their First Holy Communion next Sunday. We are privileged to have 8 girls and 4 boys to receive this transforming grace through the Holy Eucharist. Let us pray for these First Communicants and their families.

Michael Holzmeyer will make his First Communion and Confirmation at the 4:00 Mass on April 21st.

We remind those going to the prom on Saturday, April 13th to attend Mass at the 4:00 p.m. on Sunday. All of you are in my prayers!!

Our Parish Rosary is on our web site. This is an opportunity for us to reflect on our Lord's life, death, and Resurrection and the important role of the Blessed Mother in salvation history.

Let us to continue to pray for the good health of our parish.

May the Lord bless and keep you,

Father Walker

5:00 p.m. Susan Ackerman
8:00 a.m. Volunteer
10:00 a.m. Brady Lents

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Alex Guinn, Volunteer
8:00 a.m. Matthew and Brendan Green
10:00 a.m. Noah Esch, Elin Wade, Isaac Lagree,
Grayson Kluesner, Liam Kluesner
4:00 p.m. Elena Lyon, Volunteer

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. FD: Anne Marie Crays
SD: Volunteers
8:00 a.m. FD: Annette Taylor
SD: Greg/Dottie Potts
10:00 a.m. FD: Brenda Mathias
SD: Faye Holland, Volunteer

READERS:

5:00 p.m. Francie Doyle?
8:00 a.m. Greg Potts
10:00 a.m. Judy Kluesner, Elaine Wade

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m. Janet Matthews
8:00 a.m. Jerry Lubbehusen
10:00 a.m. Shirley Jeffers

Save the Date

Altar Society Meeting - No April Meeting
Rogation Mass - All Mass Times on April 13th & 14th
First Communion Practice - Apr. 14th, 11am
K of C 3rd Degree Meeting - Apr. 15th, 7pm
Grief Share Meeting - Apr. 17th, 5pm
K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting - Apr. 17th, 7 pm
Parish Council Meeting - Apr. 18th, 6pm
Women's WELCOME Meeting - Apr. 20th, 9am
First Holy Communion - Apr. 21st, 10am Mass
K of C 4th Degree Meeting - Apr. 22nd, 7pm
Catholic Home Missions Appeal - Apr. 28th
Confirmation Practice - Apr. 28th, 11am
Confirmation - May 5th, 12 (Noon)
May Crowning - May 12th, 10am

Sunday Collection Apr. 6th/Apr. 7th, 2024

St. John 186 envelopes \$8,815.25



Confessions

Apr. 20th: 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Or by appointment

Religious Education & Youth News with Jackie FAITH FORMATION

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This time of year is definitely my busiest couple of months, but it is also the two months that bring me the most joy. Twelve of our students will receive their First Holy Communion on April 21st and thirteen will celebrate their Confirmation on May 5th. In May we will honor our Blessed Mother Mary and have the May Crowning on May 12th followed by our Senior Recognition Mass on May 19th when we will send our graduates out into the world to make a difference and be Jesus for others! It is truly a blessing to prepare and experience these special moments. Please, join me in praying for all of our students!

Mark your calendars for our 2024 Vacation Bible School Program. This program will take place from Wednesday, July 31st through Saturday, August 3rd. We will have educational programs from 6pm - 8pm Wednesday through Friday and end with a closing Mass at the 5pm Vigil Mass on Saturday, August 3rd. We have reserved the city pool for a parish pool party after the Mass from 6pm - 8pm. It should be tons of fun! If you are interested in volunteering and helping, contact me. It definitely takes a village to put this program together.
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MOTHER'S DAY MASS INTENTIONS

There is not a limit for the Mass intentions which are allowed for Mother's Day. Therefore, we may have multiple intentions listed for each of the 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 Adam.

Safe Environment Program Diocese of Evansville Diocesan Report and Inform Policy.

Children are the most important gifts God has entrusted to us. The Diocese of Evansville is committed to safeguarding minors, who are persons under eighteen (18) years of age. Immediately report the suspected abuse or neglect of a minor to the Department of Child Services (DCS) or to a local law enforcement agency. • State of Indiana DCS Hotline: 1-800-800-5556 • Local law enforcement: 9-1-1 * * * * * If a bishop has (a) performed sexual acts with a minor or a vulnerable person; (b) forced someone to perform or to submit to sexual acts through violence, threat, or abuse of authority; (c) produced, exhibited, possessed, or distributed child pornography, including by electronic means, or recruited or induced a minor or vulnerable person to participate in pornographic exhibitions; or (d) executed actions or omissions intended to interfere with or avoid a civil or Church (canonical) investigation into allegations of sexual abuse committed by a cleric or religious: after reporting to DCS or to a local law enforcement agency, inform the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting service, which is a third-party reporting service for gathering and relaying such reports to the appropriate Church authorities. • Make a report online at www.reportbishopabuse.org or call 1-800-276-1562 * * * * * If the sexual abuse of a minor involves a priest, deacon, candidate for ordination, pastoral minister, administrator, staff person, or volunteer: after reporting to DCS or to a local law enforcement agency, inform the diocesan victim assistance coordinator. • Toll-free: 866-200-3004 • Local: 812-490-9565 * * * * * The sexual abuse of a minor also includes: • A vulnerable person is any person in a state of infirmity, physical or mental deficiency, or deprivation of personal liberty which, in fact, even occasionally limits their ability to understand or to want or otherwise resist the offense. • Child pornography, which is any representation of a minor, regardless of the means used, involved in explicit sexual activities, whether real or simulated, and any representation of sexual organs of minors for primarily sexual purposes.

MONTH OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

The month of April is traditionally dedicated to devotion to Jesus in the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. The Catholic Church teaches that the Blessed Sacrament is the real and living presence of Christ—His Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity—received into our souls with every reception of Holy Communion. Our Eucharistic Lord is the source and summit of our Christian life, the ultimate proof of His infinite love for us. - [The Catholic Company](http://TheCatholicCompany.com)

Please join the Diocesan Choir for the **Diaconate Ordination** for Nicholas Biever, Aaron Herrenbruck, Keith Hart, and Clint Johnson at St. Benedict Cathedral on **Saturday, April 20th, at 10:00 a.m.** (CDT). The Choir is open to singers from all the parishes of the Diocese of Evansville. Members are typically in 8th grade and older. Practices are held in the Cathedral (enter on the East side), except the practice on April 14th will be in the basement of the Cathedral School (enter through main parking lot). Contact [Jeremy Korba](mailto:Jeremy.Korba@evdio.org) at **812-589-3886** or jkorba@evdio.org if you have any questions. The practice schedule is as follows:

Sunday, April 14th: 2pm - 3:30pm (CDT)
Tuesday, April 16th: 6pm - 7:30 pm (CDT)

April Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

April 1st:

Chad Chandler
Melinda Hunter
Jack Inman

April 2nd:

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

April 3rd:

Zane Jones

April 4th:

Grace Bledsoe
Jordan Dant
Tandy Gibson
Heather Harshaw

April 5th:

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

April 6th:

Susan Frye
Jerry Helderman
Alyssa Mathies

April 7th:

Greg Hamilton
Roger Quinn
Bernard Smith
Michael Smith

April 8th:

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

April 9th:

Patrick Bradley
Jayven Brocksmith
Lisa Mathias

April 10th:

Matthew Bradley
James Tedrow
Brian Whitney

April 11th:

Meah Dalrymple

April 12th:

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

April 13th:

James Ackerman
Mike Smith

April 14th:

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

April 15th:

Philip Hart
Karen Inman
Connie Jones
Ashlee Murphy
Luke Williams

April 16th:

Helen Acton
Margaret Flinn
Megan Nonte
Mallorie Sutton

April Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

April 17th:

Boone Fuhrman
Pat Strange

April 18th:

Scott Callison
Max Christmas
Sheldan Christmas

April 19th:

John Bouvy
Kenny Bradley
Patti Byrd
Soham Shishodia

April 20th:

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

April 21st:

Addalyn Bradley
Jacob Bowman
Lee Jones
James Nolan

April 22nd:

Jeffery Eckerle
Kayden Honeycutt
Kenzley Inman
Richard Mathias
Audra Seals
Deacon Strange

April 23rd:

Barb Gregory
Jarrod Lents
Michael Mathies
Mary Muessig
Lindsey Nolan
Mike Ringwald
Hadley Tinkle
Anastasia Toy

April 24th:

Abby Ackerman
Milo Bowman
Roberta Burch
Donna McGuire
Adleen Nolley
Jeff Wildman

April 25th:

Jeff Berry
James Hart
Audrey Whitney

April 26th:

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

April 27th:

Ashton Hager
Mya Harmon
Lila Williams

April 28th:

James Kidwell
Derek Sipes
Declan Todd

April 29th:

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

April 30th:

Trenton Arvin
AJ Blankenbaker
Nancy Huebner
Everlye Jeffers
Skip O'Brien
Bonnie Summers