

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday		Sept. 24 th
5:00 p.m.	Harry & Edith Ellis, Curt Elliott, Vonda Elliott, James E. Burch	
Sunday		Sept. 25 th
8:00 am	Rich Kluesner	
10:00 am	Frank & Alice Mathews, Bill & Pat Daily, Joanne Knoblock, Tom Mudd	
4:00 pm	Roxanne Lents	
Monday		Sept. 26 th
12:00 noon	Bob Lannan	
Tuesday		Sept. 27 th
7:00 p.m.	Carolyn Jane Norris	
Wednesday	St. Mary	Sept. 28 th
12:00 noon	For the People	
Thursday		Sept. 29 th
9:00 am	Bob VanWinkle	
1:30 pm	Mass at Nursing Home on Poplar St.	
Friday		Sept. 30 th
9:00 am	Mary Gabbert	
Saturday		Oct. 1 st
9:30 a.m.	Ann Wallace	
5:00 p.m.	Dr. & Mrs. Floyd Gates, Jane Ann Gates, Melinda Gates, Vonda Elliott, Viktor Svensson	
Sunday		Oct. 2 nd
8:00 am	Lester Padgett	
12:00 noon	Patrick Delaney, Norbert Steiner, Frank & Alice Matthews, Carolyn Jane Norris	
4:00 pm	Jack & Ruth Ann Norris	

Ministers for Sept. 24th / 25th 2022

SACRISTANS

5:00 p.m.	Brady Lents
8:00 a.m.	Volunteer
10:00 a.m.	Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m.	Brady Lents, Alex Guinn, Matthew Vaal
8:00 a.m.	Dax Lee, Brianna Eckerle, Curtis Merkle, Alex Merkle
10:00 a.m.	John Paul Hart,
4:00 PM:	Kamila and Kamren Wilson, Grayson Kluesner

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m.	FD: Elsie Hortsing	SD: Volunteers
8:00 a.m.	FD: Jerry/Betty Huelsman	SD: Rita Poirier
10:00 a.m.	FD: Carolyn Norris	SD: Denny Smith, Gayle Strange

READERS:

5:00 p.m.	Francie Doyle
8:00 a.m.	Betty Huelsman
10:00 a.m.	Kay Summers

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m.	Janet Matthews
8:00 a.m.	Jan McDowell
10:00 a.m.	Vicky Williams

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

Sunday Collection Sept. 17th / 18th 2022
St. John 164 envelopes (805 families) \$8,210.00

From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

A special thank you to Brenda Mathias and the other 16 team members who have prepared for the past 7 months to host our Women's Welcome Retreat. It was held last weekend at St. Martin Hall and was a tremendous success. There were 19 who participated, some of whom, had life changing moments. It truly was a grace-filled encounter for all who attended.

This weekend I will be speaking about the Catholic Parishes Campaign. There are various ministries and offices which are administered through the Catholic Center that are funded by the CPC. These areas are guided by Bishop Siegel, along with those who assist him, to help us with our work here at St. John. You will be receiving a letter from me concerning the campaign this week. Every parish has its source of income from the weekly collections whereas the diocese receives its funding to operate from the Catholic Parishes Campaign. The assessment for our Parish is: **\$150,696.00**. The spring golf-cart raffle this year made \$13,000.00 with other donations \$7,000.00. Therefore, we were able to lower the amount that we need to cover the Catholic Parishes Campaign \$20,000 which leaves **\$130,696.00**. We are asking each family to donate **\$400.00** to meet this amount. If you are in the position to do so, please go over that amount as many of you have done in the past. This helps those who are unable to pay the full amount. All checks are to be made payable to the **Catholic Parishes Campaign (CPC)**. I appreciate very much your ongoing support and generosity.

Interested in joining the Catholic Church? I have begun giving instructions on Thursday evenings, at 7:00p.m. If you or someone you know is interested, please call the rectory.

Our annual Pet Blessing will be taking place on Saturday, October 1st at noon. We will meet in the parking lot of the Upper Level

of the Parish Center. Prizes will be awarded for the pets determined to be the largest, smallest, cutest, most unique, and scariest. We will also be recognizing winners in the "Father's Choice" and "Pet and Owner Looking the Most Alike" categories. It is sure to be a really fun time!

**May the Lord bless and keep you,
Father Walker**

Ministers for Oct. 1st / 2nd 2022

SACRISTANS

5:00 p.m. Brady Lents
8:00 a.m. Volunteer
12:00 noon. Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Noah Hager, Brady Lents
8:00 a.m. Matthew, Ashley, Brendan, & Savannah Green
12:00 noon Josie Mathies, Mason Mathies, Hailey Thomas
4:00 PM: Kamila and Kamren Wilson, Grayson Kluesner

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. FD: Rachel Doyle SD: Volunteers
8:00 a.m. FD: Chris Bratton SD: John/Diane Vaupel
12:00 noon FD: Dan/Barbara Gregory SD: Jeff/Micky Crew

READERS:

5:00 p.m. Elaine Wade
8:00 a.m. Judy Kluesner
12:00 noon Tom Walker

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m. Donna Ader
8:00 a.m. Tom Peter
12:00 noon Brenda Mathias

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

**Religious Education & Youth News with Jackie
FAITH FORMATION jesch@evdio.org**

As a reminder, there will not be Sunday class on 8/25. We hope our young women are planning to attend the Altar Society Communion Brunch. It will be a wonderful opportunity to gather together and celebrate our faith!

Our religion students are so blessed by the wonderful, kind servants in our parish! The funeral dinner committees are sweet to think of the Wednesday night kids when they have leftovers to share and the WELCOME Retreat team was generous in sharing the leftover treats and dinner foods to help nourish the kids' bodies while their catechists nourish their souls and hearts. These groups are a blessing to us and we are so very grateful!

I could use a few 5th-12th graders to help with the Pet Blessing that will take place on October 1st. If you are interested, let me know with a text, email, or phone call.



Saturday Confessions

Oct. 1st : 3:00 pm. – 4:00p.m.

Confessions by appointment

Save the Date

K of C 4th degree meeting- Monday Sept. 26th 7:00
Pet Blessing- Oct. 1 Saturday 12:00 at the Center
St. John Fall Festival- at St. John – Oct. 2nd
K of C 3th degree meeting- Monday Oct. 3rd -7:00

The Fall Festival committee is in need of a lawn mower and a driver to pull the train. This is a big hit for the younger kiddos and we hate not to offer it so if you have a mower and are willing to help out as the driver we will greatly appreciate it. Please contact Annette Taylor at 812-709-0857.

We are looking for acts for the Fall Festival to be held on Sunday October 2nd. If you would like to be part of the entertainment, please call or text Linda Wickman 812-296-0058 or Donna Ader 812-296-0226. We will have a special guest! Looking forward to hearing from you!

The **Funeral meal committee** could use a few more people to bring food for the funeral meals. If you could help, please call Barb Gregory (812-295-6544) or Leah Tolbert (812-295-6094)

The Altar Society Communion Brunch is today (Sunday September 25) after the 10:00 Mass. There are reserved pews at the front of the church for Mass, then we will enjoy brunch in the Lower Level of the Parish Center. Thanks to all who signed up to share our faith and fellowship.

Right to life Banquet- Thursday, October 6, 2022-6:30 p.m. Simon J Graber Building ,9164 E 875 N. , Odon, IN Main Speaker: Father Frank Pavone(*National Director of Priests for Life*) Adult/college students \$15.00- Students / children \$10.00. 4and under Free. For Ticket information, contact Alice Fuhrman at 486-9702 or Mary June Steiner at 486-3456.

The Wedding Anniversary Celebration is planned on Oct. 8th. Forms are at the Doors of the Church.

October Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

October 1:

Joey Allen
Jesse Horney
Molly Johnson

October 2:

Judith Blackwell
Ryan Letherman
Richard Lingenfelter

October 3:

Jamie Truelove
Leonna Hedrick
Linda Nolan
Andrea Nordhoff
Marie Ringwald
Sharon Williams

October 4:

Georgia Rose Elliott
Mary Rose Mangin
Trysten Stevens

October 5:

Elliot Graber
Michael Muessig
Greg Taylor

October 6:

Angela Berry
Mary Norris
Liam Todd
Mary Ann Wininger

October 7:

Richard Green
Erin Hawkins
David Wininger

October 8:

Brittany Salmon
Marcia Wagoner

October 9:

Michael Heshleman
Judith Smith
Ward Smith

October 10:

Kenneth Arvin
Brenda Coulter

October 11:

Calvin Erler
Hattie Kluesner
Emily Walton

October 12:

Chris Bateman
Sonja Boyd
Sharon Coppinger
Fara Fisher
Eric Thomas

October 13:

Laney McAtee
Ronald Merkel

October 14:

Frank Konieczka
Reid Nonte
Barbara Stoll
Debbie Truelove
Mark Wickman
Bob Willhite

October 15:

Corbin Berry
Patricia Daily

Bev Dupps

Keith Ellis

Rodney Hedrick

Fr. Leo

Casey Woods

Cody Woods

October 16:

Sharley Bateman

Tina Dant

Mila Marks

Lawrence Rayman

Dylan Street

October 17:

David Beasley

Patrick Ellis

Jennifer Guinn

Allan Harmon

Kristine Vander Vinn

Michael Krzesniak

Darlene Ridgway

October 18:

Adrian Arvin

James Cunningham

James Dunn

Joseph Fegan

Aspen Salmon

Christopher Smelser

Donald Taylor

MacKenzie Walker

Wayden Wagoner

October 19:

Gary Frye

Scott Johnson

Hazel Lannan

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Justin Wilcoxon

October 20:

Mark Anderson

Logan Jacobs

Aileve Parfitt

Mike Seals

David Strange

Carolyn Ziegler

October 21:

David Bledsoe

Patti Burch

Tom Carrico

Rachel Eaggleston

Nick Lett

Jan McDowell

Devon Roach

October 22:

Aaron Hudson

Erin Lyon

Kaleb Meyer

Vernita Williams

October 23:

Eric Killion

Kevin Matthews

Victoria McGuire

Peter Rahman

Skylar Raney

October 24:

Collier Dant

Steve Downey

James Hawkins

Brady Lingenfelter

Elizabeth Steiner

October 25:

Margaret Asbell

Jan Martin

October 26:

Jeffery Arvin

Garrett Mathies

Allie Walker

John Walker

October 27:

Jeremy Huebner

Carrie Williams

October 28:

Shawna Hart

Billie Jo Hollander

Tony Hollaway

Jennifer Lannan

Carolyn Ryan

October 29:

Mary Bradley

Holly Dant

October 30:

Jacob Arvin

October 31:

Susan Ackerman

Shelley Christmas

Diana Fegan

TJ McAtee