

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Feb. 18th

5:00 pm. Ann Burch, Fred Dupps,
Don Lents, Patty Green Dixon

Sunday, Feb. 19th

8:00 am. George & Clara Padgett
10:00 am. Clarence Bradley, Pat Pankey,
Carl Livers, Louise Livers

Monday, Feb. 20th

12:00 noon **No Mass**

Thomas Gallagher funeral at 10:00 am at St. Peter

Tuesday, Feb. 21st

8:15 am **No Mass**

6:00 pm Charles Bradley

Wednesday, Feb. 22nd

8:15 am. Jack Walker

Thursday, Feb. 23rd

8:15 am. Jacky Baker

Friday, Feb. 24th

8:15 am. For the people

Saturday, Feb. 25th

5:00 pm. Eric J. Miller, Alice Walker,
Richard Green, Doris Ryan

Sunday, Feb. 26th

8:00 am. Millie Kanik

10:00 am. Dee Ann Nolan, Patrick Delaney,
Eva Catherine McAtee, Gary Thompson

Ministers for Feb. 18th /19th 2017

SACRISTANS

5:00 pm. Judy Ader
8:00 am. George Erler
10:00 am. Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Jamison Hennette, Madison Esch,
Cassidy Esch, Hannah Harshaw
8:00 am. Bryant Eckerle, Grace Foddrill,
Adie Nolley, Matthew Green
10:00 am. Alex Bowling, Nathan/Jody Seals,
Kylie VanHoy

GREETERS:

5:00 pm. FD- Rachel Doyle
SD- Barbara Stoll, Judy Blackwell
8:00 am. FD- Alice Boyd
SD- Rita Poirier, Helen Dearwester
10:00 am. FD- Gayle Strange
SD- Jarrett Arvin, Denny Smith

LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Francie Doyle, Amy Todd
8:00 am. Tom Peter, Peg Neidigh
10:00 am. Kay Summers, Sarah Wagler

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm.	Elaine Wade, Diana Schutte, Pat Daugherty, Inger Johnson, Patrick Allbright, John Crays, Volunteer
8:00 am.	Donna Heshelman, Jerry/Betty Huelsman, Annette Taylor, George Erler, Jan McDowell, Jerry Lubbehusen
10:00 am.	Tom/Stephanie McAtee, Greg/Lynn Bateman, Brenda Mathias, Lori Flynn, Andy Ringwald

From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

Last Friday we celebrated the life of Katherine Guy-Pendleton. She and her first husband, Charles, had 14 children and were married for 53 years. After the death of Charles, Katherine married Lewis Pendleton who preceded her in death in 2014. Katherine's whole life was her faith and the children that God gave her. She was a wonderful wife to both of her husbands and a tremendous mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. Katherine had a deep and abiding faith and the ability to light up a room with her outgoing personality. She will be greatly missed by those who knew her. May Katherine rest in peace. Amen.

Monday afternoon until Tuesday Noon CDS, I will be attending our Diocesan Priest Assembly at St. Meinrad. From what I understand, there will be about 60 priests in attendance along with Bishop Thompson and Bishop Gettelfinger. This is always a wonderful time for us to spend in prayer with the opportunity to socialize. **Since I will be away at St. Meinrad overnight, we will have Mass on Tuesday evening at 6:00 and Wednesday morning at 8:15.**

One of the most important ministries within the parish is our funeral dinners that are provided for the family and friends of the deceased. This ministry has spanned multiple years and has been the source of pride for our parish. Recently, with the increase of funerals, the same individuals are being called to fix food and help with the dinners. We are blessed to have Sarah Spaulding overseeing this ministry along with Judy Ader and others. We are in need of additional individuals to help with preparing the food for the dinners. If you would be willing to be placed on the list to be called upon to provide food for our funeral dinners it would be greatly appreciated. Please call Sarah Spaulding at 812-295-3626 to offer your assistance. God Bless you for your generosity.

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

Sunday Collection Feb. 11th /12th 2017

St. John 241 Envelopes (869 families) \$ 9,876.00
Society for the Propagation of Faith mem. \$335.00

ACCTS Winter Banquet is Saturday, February 25 at St. John's Center at 6:30pm - lower level. Set-up and bagging groceries will be Friday evening, Feb. 24 at 5:00. St. John's donation this year will be desserts and pasta salad. **We are expecting a large crowd so we could use lots of help and donations. Donations may be dropped off after 2:00 on Saturday. If you can help, please be there at 6:00. Door prizes are still needed.**

This Week at St. John Parish**Sunday, Feb. 19th****Liturgy of the Word** at the 10:00 Mass**Adult Bible Study**-5:30**Catholic War Veterans**- 2:30 to 3:30 at Center**Monday, Feb. 20th****(B) St. Joseph Eucharistic Adoration** 9:00 am to 12:00**(S) St. Mary Eucharistic Adoration** 9:00 am to 12:00**Quilters**, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm**(S) Mass at St. Mary** – no Mass**Blood Drive**- at St. John Center- 2 to 7:00**Religion Classes for Elementary**-3:30-4:30 at Loog. Elem.**RCIA Inquire** - 6:00 pm at St. John Center**Adult Book Club**- 6:00 Church library**K of C 3rd degree meeting**-7:00**Tuesday, Feb. 21st****(L)Rosary**: 7:45-8:15am**Guitar Practice**-7:30**Wednesday, Feb. 22nd****Stephen Ministry training** – 2:00 pm at St. John Center**(W) St. Martin Eucharistic Adoration**-3:00 pm to 6:00**Religion Classes for Jr. Sr. High**-Supper served from

6:15-6:45 Classes begin at 6:45-8:00

Thursday, Feb. 23rd**Men's Cursillo Weekend** at Sarto in Evansville**Rosary**: 7:45-8:15am**(L) Eucharistic Adoration** after 9:00 Mass to 4:30 pm.**Youth Prayer Group**-3:30**Friday, Feb. 24th****Rosary**: 7:45-8:15am .**Quilters**, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm.**ACCTS Winter Banquet Set-Up** -5:00 pm**Saturday, Feb. 25th****Private Confessions** – 3:15 PM to 4:00 pm**ACCTS Winter Banquet**- 6:30 Lower level- Desserts and Pasta Salads may be dropped off from 2:00 to 6:00.**Sunday, Feb. 26th****Liturgy of the Word** at the 10:00 Mass**Adult Bible Study**-5:30**Youth News with Mark Potts**

Thank you to all the students who donated their time Saturday morning and afternoon helping serve drinks and soup at the Community Safe Day Event at the 4-H grounds. Evan Hand was very complimentary of our students with their work and great attitudes as he said "I once again am pleased to report that the St. John Youth Group participants continue to impress! While you were there helping in the morning you saw for yourself the hard work and will do attitude of our amazing youth. Please be assured that once you left their attitudes remained in focus and you should be very proud of them."

Those students that helped were **Alex Bowling, Jacob Bowman, Liz Burch, Brandon Eckerle, Ariana Gomez, Nathaniel Hart, Conner Hedrick, Adie Nolley, Rachel Robinson, Nathan Seals, Jalen Wildman, and Jordan Wildman**. If I have left anyone off the list that was helping, please let me know!

On Tuesday, February 21st, we will be helping pack meals for the RSVP Volunteer Center out of Washington. **We need 8-10 students** to come over after

school to the Fellowship Hall at the Methodist Church in Loogootee. This is another great opportunity for Confirmation Students to get more service hours completed. The shift would be right after school until about 6:00 PM. If you are interested or want to help, contact me so I can get you on the list!

Plans for the New Year

- Bingo at Loogootee Healthcare and Rehab – **February 28th @ 6:30.**
- Euchre at the Center – **will start in March**
- Going to "The Promise" play **March 16**
- Bible Series DVD (4 week series meet once a week) – **during Lent**
- Trip to St. Meinrad - **summer**
- Trip to the "Garden of the Gods" - **summer**

Save the Date

- **2nd Grade Retreat**-March 4th
- **Anointing of the Sick** after all Masses-March 4 & 5th
- **Fish Fry Meeting**-Sunday March 5th at 5:00
- **Irish Family Fun Night**-March 18th
From 6-8, meal included
- **Penance Services**: March 23 & April 3rd at 6:00pm
- **Spring Break Story Hour**-March 28 & 30, 10-11

Religious Education News with Paula Ringwald**FAITH FORMATION** pringwald@evdio.org

Reservation forms for the **Irish Family Fun Night** can be found at the doors of the church.

Blood Drive – Monday Feb. 20th at St. John Center
Sponsored by the K of C- 2:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Ministers for Feb. 25th /26th 2017**SACRISTANS**

5:00 pm. Rachel Doyle
8:00 am. George Erler
10:00 am. Glenn McAtee

SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Jamison Hennette, Sebastian Toy,
Jace Toy, Brandon Eckerle
8:00 am. Jason/Craig Lubbehusen, Wayden Wagoner,
Olivia Dant
10:00 am. Nathaniel/John Paul Hart,
Jaybe Wagoner, Euan Graves

GREETERS:

5:00 pm. FD- Mary Lou Harding
SD- Joyce Conlon, Volunteer
8:00 am. FD- Jerry and Betty Huelsman
SD- Leo Padgett Family
10:00 am. FD- Abbie Williams
SD- Sue Morrison, Volunteer

LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Pat Daugherty, Inger Johnson
8:00 am. John Vaupel, George Erler
10:00 am. Rhi Graves, Lori Flynn

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm. Charles/Carolyn Buxton, Linda Wickman,
Janet Matthews, Donna Ader, Patrick Allbright, Volunteer
8:00 am. Bruce/Lynn Hawkins, Bernie Smith,
Peg Neidigh, Rita Divine, Jill Winger, Tom Peter
10:00 am. Karen McAtee, Curt Johnson, Dayne Holder,
Gayle Strange, Peter McDowell, Greg Rasico, Volunteer

Sick List for St. John the Evangelist Parish

Robert Allen	Dorothy Flynn
Lynette Arvin	Anne Gebhardt
Marilyn Arvin	Dianna Gottwalles
Vivian Beard	Amanda Grafton
Dee Bechtel	Eli Grafton
Kenneth Bingemer	Linda Green
John Blanton	Manfred Groemminger
Charles Blessinger	Jeff Grube
Dorothy Blessinger	Joan Haag
Claudia & Jim Bennett	Shanna and Shirley Harding
Michael Bowers	Michael, Pat, & Roy Hawkins
Barbara, Jr., Larry & Wyatt Boyd	Jenny Hembree
Wanda Bradley	Kathye Henninger
Jim Bradley	Mila Hornstein
Avaley Braun	Paul Hornstein
Laura Ann Brown	Jane Hovis
Jane Bruner	David Johnson
Bernice Bullock	Megan Johnson
Mary Charlene Burr	JJ (Jim) Jones
Don & Paul Cave	Jeff & Mona Jones
Roberta Cooper	Irene Kaiser
Jerry Craney	Donald Lannan
Virginia Craney	James Lannan
Wesley Crays	Patty Lannan
Linda Cresgy	Mark Lehmkuhler
Mary Jane Crew	Mary Louise Lentz
Sr. Lorraine Devault	Kelly LeTourneau
Joe and Vicky Doyle	Betty Lindley
Jim and Ruth Durlauf	Nancy (Miller) Marlow
Cindy Dwyer	Devon Marner
Debbie Dyal	Ann McAtee
Philip Erler	Bob McGuire
Betty, John, & Mike Ervin	Ethel McGuire
Jill Ernst	Jim & Sue Morrison
Ken Fleming	Alice Myrum

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Colin Nelson
Jennifer Neumann
George Nolan
Phyllis Norris
Riley Osmon
Emil Oster
Pam Owens
John Padgett
Teresa Pevlor
Meg Pew
Betty and Jiggs Pieper
Georgia Anna Ragsdale
Charles Rasico
Judy Rasico
John Richardson
Jackie Robertson
Kirk Sanders
Mary Grace Schnarr
Linda Schwager
Bill, Carson, Jonah, Kenley, &
Terry Shaw
Eddie & Tony Sims
Mary Lou Sims
Rob Smith
Adam Sorensen

Leo Sorensen
Dale & Inez Sorrells
Margaret Spalding
Thomas Strange
Marcia Stemle
Susie Stemle
Kephon Stevens
Barbara Stoll
Freda Stringer
Rosemary Stuckey
Bonnie and Joe Summers
Maureen Thomas
Chelsea Tinkle
Kevin and Liz Tinkle
Troy Tow
Karcyn Trambaugh
Frances Trout
Bill Vaughan
William Wagoner
Tom Wagner
Rita Weaver
Rob Webster
Bobbie White
Gerald & Ruby Wilcoxon
Rodney Wright

February Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

February 1:

Lisa Gates
John Lents
Lauren Matheis

February 2:

Emily Bateman
Kristin Berry
Matt Burch
Emily Kluesner
Kenneth Sanders
Scott Schutte
Vicki Strange

February 3:

Marina Lents
Vicki Mattingly
Timothy Winger

February 4:

Madonna Heshleman
Feonia Lannan
Ethan Todd

February 5:

Marilyn Arvin
Audree Carrico
Josh Franklin
Reese Gibson
Rylee Gibson
Jonathon Heshleman
Laura Holland
Roy Holland
Penny Toy

February 6:

John Hickman
Cindi Lents
Emma Lingenfelter
Brooks Mathies
William Toy

February 7:

Bailey Esch
Alana Hedrick
Courtney Sims

February 8:

Michael McAtee
Tom Mudd
Aden Summers

February 9:

William Bradley
Annabelle Carrico
Julie Johnson
Ryder Parker
Alayna Toy

February 10:

Kevin Johnson
John McGrath

February 11:

Emma Lou Engleman
Rosalie Riggins

February 12:

Olivia Abel
Adam Arvin
Clara Bradley

February 13:

Wanda Bradley
Jessica Browder
Shannon Burch
Brittany Eckerle
Jamie Salmon
Theresea Swayze
Jaycobson Wagoner
Jayleigh Wagoner
Jaymison Wagoner

February 14:

Rita Butcher
Royden Graber
Sam Lannan
Tom Peter
Dorlisa Ann Quinn
Ryan Spurgeon
Rebecca Vair
Kathleen Walker

February 15:

Bernadette Abel
Allison Boyd
Ashley Boyd
Colleen Trambaugh
Dianna Wilson

February 16:

Ashley Bullock
Sheila Clark
Cyrus Ellis
Kelsie McGuire
Richard Summers
Kathy Truelove
Dorothy Williams

February 17:

Luke Arvin
David Cropp
Charles Fields
Heather Hager
Nolan Lottes
Chase Miller
Mark Strange

February 18:

Lynn Ziegler

February 19:

Kyla Greene
Jeffrey Kidwell
Sara Lubbehusen
Judith Rasico
Bruce Wade

February 20:

Rita Ash
Scott Bartley
Patricia Bledsoe
Brandi Hennette
Alice Jones
Kenadee McGuire

February 21:

Menirva Ellis
Mackenzie Johnson
James Morrison

February 22:

Jessica Green
Gary Kebert

Lauren Nolan
Nancy Spalding
Joe Summers

February 23:

Clifford Brown
Fallyn Graber
Derek Jones
Macy Knepp
Alan Lagree
Alice Weisheit

February 24:

Kori Arvin
Dirk Fahey
Janice Feagans
George Mathies
Jamie Wildman

February 25:

Theresa Berry
Harold Dant
Cassidy Esch
Prestin Hart
William Wilson

February 26:

Carson Rayhill
Carol Rayhill
Juanita Taylor

February 27:

Angela Bratton
Linda Kaiser
Mason Mathies
Beth Milligan
Amanda Nolan

Becky Summers
Dorothy Tedrow
Mary-Grace Todd

February 28:

Jill Toy
Jeremy Wildman

February 29:

Dwight Crane
Lucy Rahman
Taylin Trambaugh
Donald Williams

St. John News– February

Bequest- Providing a gift to St. John the Evangelist in your “**Will**” is a way to leave a legacy of helping others. Your gift will support our work with religious education, upkeep of our buildings, with feeding the hungry, housing the homeless, helping others, and more. Thank you for remembering St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church.

Are you *engaged* and searching for an in-depth and personal marriage preparation experience? Join us for an Engaged Encounter weekend on *FEBRUARY 11-12, APRIL 29-30, or SEPTEMBER 16-17, 2017*, at the Sarto Retreat Center in Evansville! Engaged Encounter is a weekend retreat with other engaged couples that affords time alone together to plan for marriage. Trained facilitators lead the program. For more information and to register, please visit www.charitiesevv.org/engaged-encounter.html or call Catholic Charities at 812-423-5456.

You’re Invited to Adoration-Jesus invites YOU to visit Him in the Blessed Sacrament. Thursdays 9:00 -4:30 (hourly increments) at St. John Church. Are you being called to take time from your daily routine to sit quietly with Jesus? He wants to hear from you. Come share your joys, needs and thankfulness with Him. “Remain here and keep watch.” Mark 14:34. If interested, call: St. John’s Rectory 812-295-2225, Karen Inman 709-0894 or Delores Padgett 295-2720.

St. Vincent DePaul is looking for a person or a couple, to manage their food pantry in Loogootee. We have many wonderful volunteers who help each month, and find the time spent helping others which is very rewarding. If you are interested or have questions, please call Sarah Spalding at 812-295-3626.

Funeral Meals- We are in need of ladies to prepare food and to help serve at the funerals meals. If anyone is interested in volunteering, or if you are already on a team and not receiving calls because of new or cell phone numbers, please contact Sarah Spalding at 812-295-3626.

Breakfast and a Movie / The Six Miracles of Calvary February 17th after 8:15 Mass

Almost 2,000 years ago, extraordinary things happened at Calvary that modern science and human reasoning consider impossible. A midday sky turned dark; the veil in the temple suddenly spilt; and earthquake shook the land; grave clothes were found undisturbed; and saints rose to life and walked the streets of Jerusalem.

The Six Miracles of Calvary looks historically and reflectively at these remarkable events surrounding the death and resurrection of Christ. In interviews with leading scholars, the meaning and purpose of each occurrence is examined, highlighting its significance to Christ’s suffering and relevance to the challenges face by those who follow Him.

Filmed on location in Israel and featuring singer-songwriter Shannon Wexelberg, this absorbing program recaptures the Easter story and increases awe for God, His power, and His unfailing love. The film lasts about 65 minutes.

Ladies Altar Society & Christian Mothers- No meeting in February

St. John's Quilters are again asking for assistance on Monday's and Friday's from 11-3:00 for those that like to quilt. The money raised from these quilts help support our parish activities. If you are not able to make these times but would like to participate, please call the rectory at 812-295-2225 and a convenient time can be arranged.



Library News February

Adults:

Book of the Month: **I Love Jesus in the Night: Teresa of Calcutta**

Movie of the Month: **"Everyone Has A Vocation"**

Upcoming Events: Our Adult Book Club will meet on Monday February 20th at 6:00 in the church library, upper level of the center. We will be discussing the book Pierced by a Sword written by Bud MacFarlane Jr. Light snacks will be served. All are invited and if you have any questions please call Mary Ringwald at 812-295-6302. Our book for March will be: **Saying**

Yes by Albert Haase, OFM

Children:

Book of the Month: **Therese of Lisieux: Little Flower of Love**

Movie of the Month: **"Saints for Kids- St. Valentine"**

Upcoming Events: Spring Break Story Hour will be held on Tuesday March 28th and Thursday March 30th from 10-11:00 in the church library. We are beginning our year of "Heroes from the Bible" and we will start off with David and Goliath and Queen Esther. Children ages 1-10 are invited to come and participate.

*Mary could also use more volunteers to help with the library,
as well as more donations of Catholic or Christian books.*

The library is open whenever the center is open so feel free to browse and check out books anytime. There are printed instructions in the library on how to check out books. The library will be manned not only on Wed. mornings from 9-12, but also some Wed. evenings from 6:30-8:00.

What is a Cursillo Weekend?

Approximately thirty-two men or women (the weekends are not co-ed) meet from Thursday evening until Sunday evening with a team of two priests, one religious (deacon or nun), and twenty laypeople. Fifteen talks are given, ten by laypersons and five by the spiritual directors. The talks lead to lively discussions in small groups. The three days are interspersed with music, sharing, laughter, prayer, reflection and silence as you discover what

it means to say, "We are the body of Christ." Mass is celebrated each day (except Thursday) as well as morning and evening prayers. There is nothing dull about a Cursillo weekend. It is a joyous workshop in the fundamentals of our encounter with Jesus Christ. The next Cursillo weekends available are Men-Oct. 5-8 and Women-Nov. 2-5. If you are interested in going on a Cursillo weekend please call Paula Ringwald at 812-295-2225.

The Truelove United Methodist Church will be having their Annual Soup Supper on Saturday, Feb. 11th with serving from 4:00 to 7:30 PM. Everyone Welcome!

Anyone interested in being on a **Disaster Committee** for St. John Parish please call Paula at the rectory. This committee, with Father's help, would draw up procedures for how St. John's can help people in dealing with a disaster in Martin County.

Blood Drive – Wed. Feb. 8th at Shoals Christian Church 2 to 7