

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,		May 6th
5:00 p.m.	Patty Day, John Hunt, Dr. Steve Downey, Gary Thompson	
Sunday,		May 7th
8:00 a.m.	Richard Green	
10:00 a.m.	Whitey & Helen Hawkins, Sally Roseberry, Bonnie & Billie Bledsoe, Donald S. Lannan	
Monday	St. Joseph	May 8th
12:00 noon	For the people	
Tuesday,		May 9th
8:15 a.m.	Deceased members of James & Emma Gootee family	
Wednesday		May 10th
5:30 p.m.	Margaret A. Smith	
Thursday,		May 11th
8:15 a.m.	Geneive "Jenny" Lents	
Friday,		May 12th
8:15 a.m.	Eric Miller	
Saturday,		May 13th
5:00 p.m.	Logan W. Craney, Helen Ellis, Becky Bullock, Walter & Anna M. Todd	
Sunday,	Mother's Day	May 14th
8:00 a.m.	See Insert	
10:00 a.m.	See Insert	

Ministers for May 6th/7th 2017

SACRISTANS

5:00 pm.	Chuck and Carolyn Buxton
8:00 am.	George Erler
10:00 am.	Samantha Nelson

SERVERS:

5:00 pm.	Jamison Hennette, Brandon Eckerle, Bryant Eckerle, Leighton Jeffers
8:00 am.	Jason/Craig Lubbehusen, Wayden Wagoner, Olivia Dant
10:00 am.	Aaron Dant, Logan Jacobs, Max/Seth Blackwell, Alex Bowling

GREETERS:

5:00 pm.	SD- Rachel Doyle SD- Mary Lou Harding, Anne Marie Crays
8:00 am.	FD- Leo Padgett Family SD- Tom and Chris Peter
10:00 am.	FD- JD and Lori Flynn SD-Denny Smith, Faye Holland

LECTORS:

5:00 pm.	Brenda Dant, Inger Johnson
8:00 am.	Judy Kluesner, Tom Peter
10:00 am.	Lynn Bateman, Jill Toy

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm.	Charles and Carolyn Buxton, Linda Wickman, Janet Matthews, Donna Ader, Tom Walker, Patrick Allbright
8:00 am.	Jill Wininger, Bernie Smith, George Erler, Jerry Lubbehusen, Peg Neidigh, Jerry/Betty Huelsman
10:00 am.	Karen McAtee, Curt Johnson, Dayne Holder, Gayle Strange, Peter McDowell, Greg Rasico, Volunteer

From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

This past Friday we celebrated the life of Virginia Rose Pankey, who was a faithful member of our parish. This is a prayer that Virginia prayed every day. – *“Lord -Please let me be the best person that I can be today- don't let me do or say anything to hurt anyone's feelings.”* Virginia was a loving mother, grandmother and friend. She will be missed. May she rest in peace. Amen.

We will have our May Crowning at the 10:00 Mass with full participation by our children who recently made their first communion. The May Crowning helps remind us to have great devotion to our Blessed Mother. Mary seat of wisdom, pray for us!

The Altar Society will be sponsoring a mother-daughter banquet this Monday at 6:00 pm in the lower level of the parish Center. Please try to attend this wonderful event.

At this writing we have received **\$145,908.40** which means we still need **\$9,059.60** to pay our amount for the Catholic Parish Campaign. All checks are to be made payable to the Catholic Parish Campaign. If you have not responded to this campaign I ask that you please do so, so that we will not have to pay this from the parish checking account. Thank-you to those who have already responded to this important campaign. I appreciate very much your ongoing support and generosity!

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

May, The Month of Mary

During May at St. Martin, as a special devotion to the Blessed Mother, we will be reciting the Rosary each Tuesday evening at 6:00 p.m. in front of the Shrine of Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Whitfield (rain or shine). Please bring your lawn chairs and join us in this special devotion to our Lady.

This Week at St. John Parish**Sunday, May 7th**

Liturgy of the Word- CANCELED

May Crowning at 10:00 MassAdult Bible Study-5:30 *Last one for the summer.*

Fish Fry Wrap-Up Mtg.-4:30 Upper Level of Center

Men's Club- St. Martin 7:00 pm

Monday, May 8th**(S) St. Mary Eucharistic Adoration** 9:00 am to 12:00

Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 p.m.

(B) Mass at St. Joseph 12:00 noon**Religion Classes for Elementary**-3:30-4:30 at Loog. Elem.**LAST CLASS FOR THIS SCHOOL YEAR!****Altar Society Mother's Day Banquet**- 6:00 at St. John- Please bring a covered dish and a \$1 bingo prize.**Tuesday, May 9th****(L)Rosary:** 7:45-8:15a.m.**Rosary** – Our Lady of Perpetual Help -at St. Martin -6:00**Guitar Practice**-7:30**Wednesday, May 10th****Stephen Ministry training** – 2:00**(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, May 11th**Rosary:** 7:45-8:15am**(L) Eucharistic Adoration** after 9:00 Mass to 4:30 pm.**Youth Prayer Group**-3:30**Parish Council**- 6:00 pm at the Center**Friday, May 12th****Rosary:** 7:45-8:15a.m .**Quilters**, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm.**Saturday, May 13th****Private Confessions** – 3:15 PM to 4:00 pm**END OF RELIGION CLASS WRAP-UP PARTY-****St. Martin's 6:00-8:00****Sunday, May 14th**

Liturgy of the Word- CANCELED

Youth News with Mark Potts

Our next Euchre tourney will be Thursday, May 18th at 6:00 PM in the upper level of the Parish Center. Please try to come in pairs if possible. As usual, we will have prizes to be awarded and snacks!

In the next bulletin, we will have a list of activities planned during Summer Break!

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

Religion Class Wrap-Up Party will be at St. Martin's on May 13th from 6:00-8:00. Students and families are encouraged to attend, meal included.

Sunday Collection Apr. 29th / 30th 2017

St. John 245 envelopes (869 families) \$9,659.01

Catholic Home Missions Appeal \$226.00

Save the Date

- **Matthew 5:16 Day 2017-** May 13th 9:00 to 1:00
- **Adult Book Club**-May 15th at 6:00
- **Disaster Planning Meeting**-May 18th at 6:00
- **Euchre Tourney** – May 18th at 6:00
- **Senior Mass**-May 21st at 10:00 Reception to follow
- **Confirmation**-Saturday June 3rd at 5:00 Mass

Ministers for May 13th/14th 2017**SACRISTANS**

5:00 pm. Rachel Doyle

8:00 am. George Erler

10:00 am. Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Jamison Hennette, Cameron Burns,

Caden Chandler, Alex Guinn

8:00 am. Adie Nolley, Grace Foddrill,

Matthew Green, Volunteer

10:00 am. Rachel Robinson, Jody/Nathan Seals,

Kylie VanHoy, Ashlee Arvin

GREETERS:

5:00 pm. FD- Sue Morrison

SD- Barbara Stoll, Volunteer

8:00 am. FD- Helen Dearwester

SD- Bruce and Lynn Hawkins

10:00 am. FD- Robinson Family

SD- Jeff and Micky Crew

LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Cassidy Esch, Jamison Hennette

George Erler, Peg Neidigh

10:00 am. Bobbi Sue Nonte, John Walker

EUCARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm. Elaine Wade, Diana Schutte, Inger Johnson,

Patrick Allbright, John Crays, 2 Volunteers

8:00 am. Tom Peter, Rita Divine, Bruce/Lynn Hawkins,

Annette Taylor, Richard Kluesner, Donna Heshelman

10:00 am. Tom/Sephania McAttee, Greg/Lynn Bateman,

Brenda Mathias, Lori Flynn, Andy Ringwald

Religion Class Wrap-Up Party

Our Religion Class Wrap-up Party will be on Saturday May 13th at St. Martin's Church from 6:00-8:00. A meal will be included and reservation forms can be found at the doors of the church. Our theme is Carnival with a Catechism twist. We could use donations of: individual bags of chips, individual fruit cups, bottles of water, iced cupcakes and juice boxes. All religion students and their families are welcome to come and join in on the fun!!!!!! Reservation forms can be found at the doors of the church.

Mass Intentions: If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for a deceased love one or for a special intention, please contact Vicki at 812-295-2225.

Sick List for St. John the Evangelist Parish

Robert Allen	Jill Ernst
Lynette Arvin	Ken Fleming
Marilyn Arvin	Dorothy Flynn
Dee Bechtel	Mary Fowler
Kenneth Bingemer	Anne Gebhardt
John Blanton	Dr. Jean Walker Godfrey
Charles Blessinger	Dianna Gottwalles
Dorothy Blessinger	Amanda Grafton
Claudia & Jim Bennett	Eli Grafton
Michael Bowers	Manfred Groemminger
Barbara, Jr., Larry & Wyatt Boyd	Jeff Grube
Wanda Bradley	Joan Haag
Jim Bradley	Shanna and Shirley Harding
Avaley Braun	Michael, Pat, & Roy Hawkins
Laura Ann Brown	Jenny Hembree
Jane Bruner	Kathye Henninger
Bernice Bullock	Mila Hornstein
Mary Charlene Burr	Paul Hornstein
Don Cave	Nancy Hopkins
Roberta Cooper	Pauline Hotz
Tim Consley	Jane Hovis
Jerry Craney	David Johnson
Virginia Craney	Megan Johnson
Wesley Crays	Dana (Tow) Jones
Linda Cresgy	JJ (Jim) Jones
Mary Jane Crew	Jeff & Mona Jones
Sr. Lorraine Devault	Irene Kaiser
Joe and Vicky Doyle	Mary Evelyn Lankford
Jim and Ruth Durlauf	James Lannan
Cindy Dwyer	Patty Lannan
Mary Jo Dyer	Mark Lehmkuhler
Debbie Dyal	Mary Louise Lentz
Doyle Elliott	Kelly LeTourneau
Philip Erler	Betty Lindley
Betty, John, & Mike Ervin	Kay Love

Nancy (Miller) Marlow
Devon Marner
Ann McAtee
Bob McGuire
Jim & Sue Morrison
Alice Myrum
Colin Nelson
Jennifer Neumann
George Nolan
Phyllis Norris
Riley Osmon
Emil Oster
Pam Owens
John Padgett
Deb Parsons
Teresa Pevlor
Meg Pew
Jiggs Pieper
Georgia Anna Ragsdale
Charles Rasico
Judy Rasico
Larry Rayman
John Richardson
Jackie Robertson
Mary Grace Schnarr
Linda Schwager
Marie C. Seifert
Bill, Carson, Jonah, Kenley, & Terry
Shaw
Eddie & Tony Sims

Mary Lou Sims
Rob Smith
Adam Sorensen
Leo Sorensen
Dale & Inez Sorrells
Margaret Spalding
Peggy Spalding
Thomas Strange
Marcia Stemle
Susie Stemle
Kephon Stevens
Freda Stringer
Rosemary Stuckey
Bonnie and Joe Summers
Carolyn Taylor
Daniel Taylor
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
Ruby Wilcoxen
Bill Wolf
Rodney Wright

May Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

May 1:

Beth Ann Arvin
Katie Callison
Roxie Hunt
Lacy Jeffers

May 2:

Jean Bell
Mary Jane Colbert
Jane Lents
Brock Rayhill
Brenda Rutherford
Kelsy Seals
Isabel Toy

May 3:

Justin Byrd
Tiffany Lingenfelter

May 4:

Nancy Consley
Sandy Divine
Ed Summers

May 5:

David Bowman
Kashten Burch
Nelson Elliott
Jake Lagree

May 6:

Greg Bateman
Liz Burch
Lee Christmas
Lance Mathies

May 7:

Michael Elliott Jr.
Mindy Fields
Leslie Summers

May 8:

Becky Bradley
Logan Carrico
Frances Doyle
Chastity Sward

May 10:

William Beltz
Sydney Blankenbaker
Edward Bullock
Sheri Seals
Dennis Smith

May 11:

Larry Craney
Elizabeth Krzesniak
Gretchen Smelser

May 12:

George Erler
Jessica Shinn
Rita Weaver

May 13:

Beverly Hedrick
Mark Jeffers
Helen Trowbridge
Izabella Wininger

May 14:

Jeremy Braun
Karin Chandler
Jerry Lubbehusen

May 15:

Knox Jeffers
Lenora Larkin
Carolyn Norris
Owen Smelser
Paul Steiner
Benjamin Wilson

May 16:

Michael Breeden
Janara Morrison
Edward Nolley
Brent Nonte
DeAnna Smith

May 17:

Alyn Burch
Joseph Doyle
Breanna Hollaway
Jeremy Holt
Rose Ann Morris
Kelli Potts
Nick Strange

May 18:

Linda Brown
Brenda Burch
Linda Lett
Waylon Matthews

May 19:

Brett Bradley
Peggy Bridgewater
Joyce Conlon
Conner Hedrick
Gary Mathies
Christina Peter
Greg Potts
Fred Wagler

May 20:

Eugenia Davidson
Aaron Hedrick
Corbin Henninger

May 21:

Ava Fuhrman
Ava Jeffers
Sheila Lents
Kylie VanHoy

May 22:

Bonnie Dant
Josie Hawkins
Andrew Ochs
Brian Williams

May 23:

Avaley Braun
Lee Henninger
Brynleigh Mullen
Lawrence Sorrells
Anderson Toy
Emily Wade

May 24:

Steven Jones
Traci LeTourneau
Charles Parfitt
Gabrielle Ritchey

May 25:

Kimberly Blackwell
Brittany Parker
Carol Staab
Bethany Tinkle
Fannie Trout
Jaybe Wagoner
Kristen Waggoner

May 26:

Rozanne Hogan
Teresa Nolley

May 27:

Patti Parsons
Xavier Todd

May 28:

Michael Morris
Agnes Wilcoxon

May 29:

Michael Elliott
Patricia Paul

May 30:

Gianna Armstrong

Corey Arvin
Ryken Chandler
Toni Craney
Jeff Crew
Betty Huelsman
Diana Schutte

May 31:

Tommy Flynn
Benjamin Hogan
Kendra Lythgoe

St. John News– May

We will be having a **Disaster Committee Meeting** on May 18th at St. John Parish upper level at 6:00. Please call Paula at the rectory if you would be interested in being on this committee. This committee, with Father's help, will draw up procedures for how St. John's, as a Red Cross Shelter, can help people in dealing with a disaster in Martin County.

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 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.

Vacation Bible School

Our theme this year is "Living in God's Kingdom". It will be held from June 19th through June 22nd from 6:00-8:00 at St. John's Center. It will only last four days this year due to some scheduling conflicts. Our children will be dressed as knights and princesses and learn about being children of the King of Kings. Kids ages 4 years old through 4th grade are invited to attend. Adults are needed to fill the positions of Arts & Crafts, Games, Music and classroom teachers. The teachers will just lead the children from one activity to another. Anyone interested in helping please call the office at 812-295-2225. Reservation forms can soon be found at the doors of the church.

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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.

Monte Cassino Shrine-

St. Meinrad Archabbey's pilgrimages to honor the Blessed Mother at the Monte Cassino Shrine have been scheduled for the Sundays in May. The pilgrimages begin with an opening hymn and a short sermon, followed by a rosary procession. The service ends with the Litany of the Blessed Virgin and a hymn. Topics for the pilgrimages are: May 7th "Our Lady of Perpetual Help", May 14th "Mary, Our Mother", May 21st "Holy Lady, Chosen by the Father", May 28th "Mary, Consoler of the Sick". Services begin at 2pm CT. The public is invited. For Information, call (812)357-6501 or (812)357-6611. To visit the shrine, follow Indiana 62 east from Saint Meinrad Archabbey (located in St. Meinrad, IN) for about a mile. A sign on the left marks the entrance to the shrine.

The small chapel of Monte Cassino is located on a hill near the Archabbey. The history of Monte Cassino Shrine tells how a novena to Our Lady of Monte Cassino is credited for saving the village of St. Meinrad from a smallpox epidemic in 1871. The faith that God's people placed in the intercession of Mary more than 140 years ago has not waned. Since the chapel's dedication in 1870, thousands of people have visited the sandstone chapel to offer their prayers and petitions.



Library News
May

Adults:

Book of the Month: **Those who Saw Her: Apparitions of Mary**
Movie of the Month: **The Holy Rosary with Mother Angelica**

Upcoming Events: Our Adult Book Club will meet on Monday May 15th at 6:00 in the church library, upper level of the center. We will be discussing the book The Living Wood: Saint Helena and the Emperor Constantine written by Louis de Wohl. Light snacks will be served.

Children:

Book of the Month: **The Rosary**
Movie of the Month: **The Day the Sun Danced: The True Story of**

Fatima

Upcoming Events: Our Summer Reading Program Kick-off will be June 6,7,8 from 9-12. During the months of June and July the kids will be asked to read 3 books, watch 1 movie, and participate in 1 program from our church library.

Super Hero Story Hour will be June 6th and 8th and July 25th and July 27th from 10:00-11:00am in the upper level of the center. We will be learning about Samson, Ruth, Daniel in the Lion's Den and Deborah.

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.

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.

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.

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. They 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.