Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

| Saturday | | Jan. 16^{th} |
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| 5:00 p.m. | Vonda Elliott, Joe Williams, | , |
| 1 | Bud Lents, Jerry Lents | |
| Sunday | | Jan. 17 th |
| 8:00 a. m. | Dorothy Williams | |
| 10:00 a.m. | Carl Livers, Louise Livers, | |
| | Tom Strange, Pally Walker | |
| 4:00 p.m. | Bill & Helen Bradley | |
| Monday | St. John | Jan. 18 th |
| 12:00 noon | For the People | |
| Tuesday | | Jan. 19 th |
| 9:00 am. | Mr. & Mrs. George Mullen | |
| Wednesda | | Jan. 20 th |
| 12:00 noon | Harold & Rita Schnarr | |
| Thursday | | Jan. 21 st |
| 9:00 am | Carl Livers | |
| Friday | | Jan. 22 nd |
| 9:00 am | Bryan Walker | |
| Saturday | | Jan. 23 rd |
| 5:00 p.m. | Vonda Elliott, Mike Burris, | |
| | Rich Kluesner, Curt Elliott | |
| Sunday | | Jan. 24 th |
| 8:00 a. m. | Delmar Mathies | |
| 10:00 a.m. | Paul Tanoos, Mary & James Mos | scato, |
| | Nicolette Smelser, Edwin Schaef | fer |
| 4:00 p.m. | Larry Farrell | |

| Ministers for | Jan. 16 th /17 th 2020 | |
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| SACRISTANS | | |
| 5:00 p.m. | Brady Lents | |
| 8:00 a.m. | Bud Erler | |
| 10:00 a.m. | Noel Harty | |
| 4:00 p.m. | Volunteer | |
| SERVERS: | | |
| 5:00 p.m. | Noah Hager, Noah Esch | |
| 8:00 a.m. | Dax Lee, Brianna Eckerle, | |
| | Curtis Merkley, Alex Merkley | |
| 10:00 a.m. | Bryant Eckerle, Josie Mathies, Hailey Thomas | |
| 4:00 p.m. | Volunteer | |
| LECTORS: | | |
| 5:00 p.m. | Inger Johnson | |
| 8:00 a.m. | Tom Peter | |
| 10:00 a.m. | Kay Summers | |
| 4:00 p.m. | Volunteer | |
| EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: | | |
| 5:00 p.m. | Donna Ader | |
| 8:00 a.m. | Jerry Lubbehusen | |
| 10:00 a.m. | Greg Bateman | |



Volunteer

4:00 p.m.

Confessions anytime by appointment

Confessions: 1/23/2021

Confessions: 1/23/2021 3:00-4:00 pm

From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

This Sunday, is Sanctity for Life Weekend in anticipation of the anniversary of Roe vs. Wade which legalized abortion in the United States on January 22, 1973. May our prayers overturn this terrible legislation and once again institute a culture that values life at all stages, from conception to natural death.

Archabbot Kurt Stasiak, O.S.B., asked that I speak to you next weekend about Saint Meinrad Archabbey and Seminary since I am a graduate of St. Meinrad College and School of Theology. Our diocese and this parish have been greatly blessed by the monks of St. Meinrad as they have trained most of our priests and a number of our permanent deacons since St. Meinrad was founded in 1854.

There are 49 active and retired priests of the diocese (including Bishop Siegel and Bishop Emeritus Gettelfinger), 52 permanent deacons, 15 religious and 345 lay people who are alumni of St. Meinrad.

This week Archabbot Kurt will be sending a letter asking for your prayers and financial support. I am very thankful for the excellent education and spiritual formation that I received from the monks at St. Meinrad and I ask you to join me in helping them.

May the Lord bless and keep you, Father Walker.

We will continue to livestream our Masses.

The daily Mass and Rosary is available on

Facebook at:

St John Catholic Parish Loogootee

Religious Education & Youth News with

FA ITH FORMATION

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Religion

There are so many exciting things going on in our religious education programs. It is a blessing to meet with your kids each week. We can see them growing spiritually and hope you are able to observe the growth as well. Please, continue to pray for our First Communion and Confirmation classes as they continue their formation programs and prepare to receive their important Sacraments in April and May.

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| Ministers for | Jan. 23 rd /24 rd 2020 |
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| SACRISTANS | |
| 5:00 p.m. | Susan Ackerman |
| 8:00 a.m. | Bud Erler |
| 10:00 a.m. | Noel Harty |
| 4:00 p.m. | Volunteer |
| SERVERS: | |
| 5:00 p.m. | Natalie Willoughby, Cameron Burns |
| 8:00 a.m. | Matthew, Ashley, Brendan, & Savannah Green |
| 10:00 a.m. | John Paul Hart, Clayton Miller |
| 4:00 p.m. | Volunteer |
| LECTORS: | |
| 5:00 p.m. | Pat Daugherty |
| 8:00 a.m. | Betty Huelsman |
| 10:00 a.m. | Gil Toy |
| 4:00 p.m. | Volunteer |
| EUCHARISTIC | <u>C MINISTERS:</u> |
| 5:00 p.m. | Elaine Wade |
| 8:00 a.m. | Peg Neidigh |
| 10:00 a.m. | Lynn Bateman |

Sunday Collection Jan. 9th /10th

Volunteer

4:00 p.m.

St. John 142 envelopes (805 families)

\$8,047.00

Confirmation Save the Date

Confirmation Dates to Remember Feb. 7th **Student / Sponsor meeting** April 16th Bishop letters turned in May 2nd **Confirmation Practice** May 8th **Confirmation Ceremony**

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. • Tollfree: 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.

1st Communion Save the Date

1st Communion Retreat Jan. 30. -- 10:00

to 1:00

No Class on Jan. 31st.

1st Communion Practice (Mandatory)–

April 11th -- 11:00-12:00

First Communion Mass (Mandatory) –

April 18th 9:30 Mass at 10:00

It's important that at least one parent attend these different activities with your child.

First Communion kits will be purchased for your child which contains; a rosary, rosary pouch, Mass prayer book, purse or bag to keep it in and a scapular.

January Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

January 1:

Tenlee Mathias Ameila Mudd **Peggy Padgett Tracy Smith** Adam Wittmer

Bob Miller Bruce Rahman Sebastian Toy Diane Vaupel

Nancy Meyer Paula Ringwald January 10:

Brooklyn Carrico Tina Dalrymple

January 2:

Stacey Bowling Richard Colvin **Casey Hamilton** Nickolis Milligan Kallin Trambaugh

Daniel Lents Magdalene Mattingly Macy McAtee Stephanie Norris Reuben Ritchey Zayne Roach Jackie Swanson Bob Toy

January 11:

Jennifer Williams

January 3:

Jule Beltz Virginia Cooper Abigail Letterman Jerry Padgett Alecia Wagner

January 6:

Jace Toy

January 13:

Alice Boyd Suzettea Jones James Niemeyer Elaine Wade

Hallie Bratton Darrah O'Brian Trista Strange Freda Stringer Tylen Williams

January 7:

Michael Gates Mike Guy Cheri Kebert Richard Lemmon Michael Strange Brian Walker

January 14:

James Bratton Michele Erler Willow Graber Haley Ann Hager **Emily Thomas**

January 4:

Brianna Eckerle

January 9:

Wendy Colgaizer **Andrew Kluesner** January 15:

Grace Arvin Linda Jones **Delores Padgett** Elijah Wininger

January 5:

Madonna Mathies

January 16: Richard Asbell Sue Carrico Beverly Miller Douglas Strange

January 17:

Joan Dunning Lynn Gee John Lents

January 18:

Sue David
Mary Lou Harding
Jessica Parker
Ashley Roach
Terry Street
Hailey Thomas

January 19:

Greg Bechtel

January 20:

Craig Burch
Brayden Horsting
Ryan Johnson
Nicholas Toy

January 21:

Donna Lottes Kylie Murray Miranda Rehl

January 22:

Kevin Mathies Carol Saul

January 23:

Ada Hager Ryan Templin Eula Traylor Jeff Truelove Larry Wininger

January 24:

Agnes Cooper Kathy Fromme Jo Ann Greenwell Kaylin Harris Maddie Strange Adam Wallace

January 25:

Kevin Downey Brenda Lythgoe

January 26:

Deborah Bledsoe Richard Bowling Terry Craney Emily Johnson Alan Toy

January 27:

James Hager

Dave Milligan Emma Letterman Whitney Pendleton

Jocelyn Strange

January 28:

Leela Franklin

January 29:

Cole Bartley
Lorissa Burch
Renee Burch
Sharon Fiabane
Linda Green
Brenda Jones
Marsha Street

January 30:

Lyrika Franklin Christopher Hogan Natalie Willoughby

January 31:

Rick Bauer Tyler Bratton Stephanie Nolan Jill Wininger Ted Yarnell