

# Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

## MASS INTENTIONS

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| <b>Saturday</b> |  | <b>Dec. 28<sup>th</sup></b> |
| 5:00 p.m.       | Curt Elliott, Ernest Colvin (A),<br>Dolores Leinenbach, Alice Matthews |                             |
| <b>Sunday</b>   |  | <b>Dec. 29<sup>th</sup></b> |
| 8:00 a.m.       | Patty (Larkin) Thompson  |                             |
| 10:00 a.m.      | Bob & Virginia Toy, Jo Ann Toy,<br>Gary Williams, Russ Jones           |                             |
| <b>Monday</b>   | <b>St. Mary</b>  | <b>Dec. 30<sup>th</sup></b> |
| 9:00 am         | For the People.  |                             |

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| <b>Tuesday</b>   |  | <b>Dec. 31<sup>st</sup></b> |
| 4:00 p.m.        | J W & Belle Carrico, Ed & Hattie Green |                             |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>Solemnity of Mary</b>               | <b>Jan. 1<sup>st</sup></b>  |
| 9:00 a.m.        | Jack Larkin                            |                             |
| 4:00 p.m.        | John T. & Millie Jones                 |                             |

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| <b>Thursday</b> |  | <b>Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup></b> |
| 12:00 noon      | Robert & Virginia Toy  |                            |
| <b>Friday</b>   |  | <b>Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup></b> |
| 12:00 noon      | Morris Dean Trowbridge   |                            |
| <b>Saturday</b> |  | <b>Jan. 4<sup>th</sup></b> |
| 12:00 noon      | Ann Arvin  |                            |
| 5:00 p.m.       | James E. Burch, Carl Livers,<br>John W.(Bill) Bowling, Jane Ann Gates  |                            |
| <b>Sunday</b>   |  | <b>Jan. 5<sup>th</sup></b> |
| 8:00 a.m.       | Robert Adams   |                            |
| 10:00 a.m.      | Maxine Jones, Russ Jones, Virginia<br>Toy, George & Mary Kay Patterson |                            |

## Ministers for Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> /29<sup>th</sup> 2019

### SACRISTANS

|            |                          |
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| 5:00 p.m.  | Chuck and Carolyn Buxton |
| 8:00 a.m.  | George Erler             |
| 10:00 a.m. | Noel Harty               |

### SERVERS:

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| 5:00 p.m.  | Jamison Hennette, Cassidy Esch,<br>Madison Esch, Noah Esch      |
| 8:00 a.m.  | Craig Lubbehusen, Ashley Green,<br>Matthew Green, Brendan Green |
| 10:00 a.m. | Xavier Todd, Declan Todd, Volunteers                            |

### GREETERS:

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| 5:00 p.m.  | FD: Judy Blackwell<br>SD: Linda Bledsoe, Barbara Stoll |
| 8:00 a.m.  | FD: Chris Bratton<br>SD: Annette Taylor, Rita Poirier  |
| 10:00 a.m. | FD: Lonnie Hawkins<br>SD: Abbie Williams, Volunteer    |

### LECTORS:

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| 5:00 p.m.  | Elaine Wade, Francie Doyle  |
| 8:00 a.m.  | George Erler, Bruce Hawkins |
| 10:00 a.m. | Lynn Bateman, Mary Ringwald |

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

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| 5:00 p.m.  | Inger Johnson, Chuck and Carolyn Buxton,<br>Janet Matthews, Linda Wickman, Donna Ader, Volunteer       |
| 8:00 a.m.  | Jerry Huelsman, Jerry Padgett, Tom Peter,<br>Peg Neidigh, Jerry Lubbehusen, George Erler, Bernie Smith |
| 10:00 a.m. | Karen McAtee, Dani Jeffers, Chris Burch,<br>Gayle Strange, Greg Rasico, Bill Boyd, Volunteer           |

## From Our Pastor .

We were most grateful to have had Santa Claus with us for the Children's Mass and the Midnight Mass. A very special "thank you" to Patrick Allbright, who has a special "in" with Santa Claus! Patrick is pretty great, too!

We were blessed at Christmas with the participation of Paula Ringwald, Catechetical Leader, the ministers of the altar which included Deacon Consley, the sacristans, servers, greeters, lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, ushers, and all who helped to make our Christmas Masses so prayerful. Brandon Eckerle was our master of ceremonies for the Children's Mass and the Midnight Mass, for which I am very grateful. He is working well with our altar servers. Also, I am appreciative to our church musicians, including the organists, cantors and choir members for their outstanding music. At the Children's Mass we had the added gift of our Praise Choir who did a splendid job. This choir continues to grow under the direction of Jackie Esch, director, Krista Sims, organist, along with the ongoing promotion by Bobbie Sue Nonte. These three leaders have greatly motivated our youth to participate.

The Senior Choir once again did a splendid job under Gina Armstrong, director, and Lynn Gee, organist. Every year their music seems to get better. Midnight Mass was certainly a musical gift to us all.

This Sunday, December 29<sup>th</sup> we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family which gives us the opportunity to appreciate the many gifts that God has given us to build up our families. One of the greatest opportunities we have is to pray together as a family; as an example, before meals and at night before bed.

As we welcome the New Year 2020, we celebrate the Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God on Wednesday, January 1<sup>st</sup> which is a Holy Day of obligation and the Principal Patroness of our diocese. This day encourages us to have devotion in our daily life to the Blessed Mother.

Mary, The Holy Mother of God, pray for us.

Please note the Mass schedule for next week. Since a number of our people are on vacation this week, we thought a 12:00 noon Mass on Thursday, and Friday might be appreciated!

Happy New Year to All of You!! You and your families are being remembered in my Masses of the New Year..

I would like to wish all of you a Blessed and Happy New Year 2020! May the Lord bless and keep you, Father Walker.

This Week at St. John Parish Dec. 29th

Sunday Rosary- after the 8:00 Mass No 2ND GRADE RELIGION CLASS- No Liturgy of the Word- Euchre Party- 1:00 to 4:00 - Center Adult Bible Study ( cancelled)

Monday Dec. 30th

Youth Trip to Vertical Escape-Dec. 30th (B) St. Joseph Eucharistic Adoration 9:00 am - 12:00 Mass at St. Mary- 9:00 am Quilters - cancelled No Elem. Religion-

Tuesday - OFFICECLOSED Dec. 31st

Morning Rosary: Cancelled Wednesday- OFFICE CLOSED Jan. 1st

No (W) St. Martin Eucharistic Adoration- No Jr. /Sr. High Religion Classes

Thursday Jan. 2nd

No Morning Rosary: No(L) Eucharistic Adoration

Friday Jan. 3rd

No Morning Rosary: Quilters - cancelled Patriotic Rosary- 3:00 p.m.

Saturday Jan. 4th

Marian Devotions- 11:15 Confessions, Mass at 12:00 No CONFESSIONS from 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Sunday Jan. 5th

Rosary- after the 8:00 Mass No 2ND GRADE RELIGION CLASS- Liturgy of the Word- Adult Bible Study-cancelled

Save the Date

Religion Teacher Meeting—January 8th Marriage Enrichment Dinner-Feb. 15th from 6-8 We have a guest speaker coming from Evansville.

Sunday Collection Dec. 21st /22nd 2019

St. John 200 envelopes(869 families) \$9,864.00 Christmas Masses 179 envelopes 8,586.00

Religious Education & Youth News with Paula

FA ITH FORMATION pringwald@evdio.org

Please turn in the papers that were sent home with the children.

Classes will resume: Jan. 13th for Elem. and Jan. 15th for Jr. Sr. High., and Jan. 19th for 2nd grade

Ministers for Jan. 4th /5th 2020

SACRISTANS

5:00 p.m. Brady Lents 8:00 a.m. George Erler 10:00 a.m. Glenn McAtee

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Jamison Hennette, Brady Lents, Alex Guinn, Noah Hager 8:00 a.m. Briana Eckerle, Dax Lee, Curtis Merkley, Volunteer 10:00 a.m. Nathaniel Hart, John Paul Hart, Bryant Eckerle, Clayton Miller

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. FD: Judy Blackwell SD: Linda Bledsoe, Volunteer 8:00 a.m. FD: John/Diane Vaupel SD: Doug/Peg Neidigh 10:00 a.m. FD: Dan/Barbara Gregory SD: Gayle Strange, Carolyn Norris

LECTORS:

5:00 p.m. Inger Johnson, Cassidy Esch 8:00 a.m. Greg Potts, Jerry Padgett 10:00 a.m. Andy Ringwald, Kay Summers

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m. Elaine Wade, James Hager, Seth Taylor, Brenda Dant, Helen Acton, Pat Daugherty, Volunteer 8:00 a.m. Donna Heshelman, Bernie Smith, George Erler, Jerry Lubbehusen, Peg Neidigh, Tom Peter, Rita Divine 10:00 a.m. Lori Flynn, Tom and Stephanie Mcaatee, Greg and Lynn Bateman, Brenda Mathias, Vicky Williams

Diocesan policy: Report and inform

The Diocese of Evansville has in place a policy that requires that any allegation of child abuse must be reported to civil authorities. If an allegation involves the sexual abuse of a minor by diocesan personnel, the Victim Assistance Coordinator must also be informed.

Sexual misconduct violates human dignity and the mission of the church. The spiritual well-being of all victims, their families, and others in the community is of particular concern to the church.

Report child abuse Every allegation of child abuse must be reported to Child Protection Services, an agency of Indiana state government. CPS Toll-free: (800) 800-5556 Local law enforcement: 9-1-1

Report and inform In the event of an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor (a person under 18) by diocesan personnel, report the allegation to authorities, and inform the Victim Assistance Coordinator for the diocese: Toll-free: (866) 200-3004 Local: (812) 490-9565

Interested in learning more about the Catholic Church. Call the parish rectory -812-295-2225

## *Sick List for St. John the Evangelist Parish*

|                                  |                             |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Robert Allen                     | Debbie Dyal                 |
| Vicky Allen                      | June Eckerle                |
| Sarah Appel                      | Mike Erler                  |
| Rita Ash                         | Betty, John, & Mike Ervin   |
| Sarah Attel                      | Ken Fleming                 |
| Bob Bach                         | Mary Gabbert                |
| Dee Bechtel                      | Anne Gebhardt               |
| John Blanton                     | Dianna Gottwalles           |
| Charles Blessinger               | Eli Grafton                 |
| Michael Bowers                   | Beth Ann and Clara Grafton  |
| Patty Bowling                    | Manfred Groemminger         |
| Barbara, Jr., Larry & Wyatt Boyd | Jeff Grube                  |
| Nona Bradley                     | Joan Haag                   |
| Wanda Bradley                    | Shanna and Shirley Harding  |
| Avaley Braun                     | Carol Harder                |
| Chuck Bries                      | Michael, Pat, & Roy Hawkins |
| Laura Ann Brown                  | Jenny Hembree               |
| Jane Bruner                      | Kathy Henninger             |
| John Bullock                     | Rozanne Hogan               |
| Phil Bullock                     | Mila Hornstein              |
| Mary Charlene Burr               | Paul Hornstein              |
| Don Cave                         | Nancy Hopkins               |
| Joyce Conlon                     | Pauline Hotz                |
| Tim Consley                      | Jane Hovis                  |
| Jerry Craney                     | Linda Hunter                |
| Carol Crays                      | David Johnson               |
| Linda Cresgy                     | Megan Johnson               |
| Mary Jane Crew                   | Dana (Tow) Jones            |
| Vic Crew                         | Janet Jones                 |
| Dennis Cropp                     | JJ (Jim) Jones              |
| Georgia Cunningham               | Jeff & Mona Jones           |
| Ed David                         | Lisa Jones                  |
| Sr. Lorraine Devault             | Fr. Leo                     |
| Debbie Dills                     | Kara Landgrebe              |
| Joe and Vicky Doyle              | Clifford Lannan             |
| Cindy Dwyer                      | Norma Lannan                |
| Mary Jo Dyer                     | Patty Lannan                |

Mark Lehmkuhler  
Ryan Lents  
Kay Love  
Nancy (Miller) Marlow  
Devon Marner  
Ann McAtee  
Bob McGuire  
Lisa Miller  
Sue Morrison  
Alice Myrum  
Jennifer Neumann  
George Nolan  
Mary Norris  
Austin O'Connor  
Riley Osmon  
Emil Oster  
Pam Owens  
Susie Page  
Jim Pankey  
Deb Parsons  
Teresa Pevlor  
Jiggs Pieper  
Georgia Anna Ragsdale  
Charles Rasico  
Larry Rayman  
John Richardson  
Jackie Robertson  
Barbara Robinson  
Marilee Sargent  
Mary Grace Schnarr  
Patty Schnarr  
Sarah Schoenbaechler

Edel Traut Schubert  
Linda Schwager  
Marie C. Seifert  
Bill, Carson, Jonah, Kenley, & Terry  
Shaw  
Eddie Sims  
Rob Smith  
Adam Sorensen  
Leo Sorensen  
Dale Sorrells  
Susie Stemle  
Delphi Streete  
Freda Stringer  
Rosemary Stuckey  
Bonnie and Joe Summers  
Camilla Summers  
Daniel Taylor  
Tony Taylor  
Maureen Thomas  
Chelsea Tinkle  
Kevin and Liz Tinkle  
Troy Tow  
Bill Vaughan  
William Wagoner  
Brittany Walker  
Rob Webster  
Ruby Wilcoxon  
Roberta Williams  
Vickie Williams  
Bill Wolf  
Rodney Wright

# ***January Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish***

## **January 1:**

Tenlee Mathias  
Ameila Mudd  
Peggy Padgett  
Tracy Smith  
Adam Wittmer

## **January 2:**

Stacey Bowling  
Richard Colvin  
Casey Hamilton  
Nickolis Milligan  
Kallin Trambaugh

## **January 3:**

Jule Beltz  
Virginia Cooper  
Abigail Letterman  
Jerry Padgett  
Alecia Wagner

## **January 4:**

Darrah Holder  
Trista Strange  
Freda Stringer  
Tylen Williams

## **January 5:**

Brianna Eckerle  
William Lannan  
Bob Miller  
Bruce Rahman  
Sebastian Toy

Diane Vaupel

## **January 6:**

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

## **January 7:**

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

## **January 8:**

Delmar Mathies

## **January 9:**

Wendy Colgaizer  
Andrew Kluesner  
Madonna Mathies  
Nancy Meyer  
Paula Ringwald

## **January 10:**

Brooklyn Carrico

Tina Dalrymple

## **January 11:**

Jennifer Williams

## **January 13:**

Alice Boyd  
Suzettea Jones  
James Niemeyer  
Mary Norris  
Elaine Wade

## **January 14:**

James Bratton  
Michele Erler  
Willow Graber  
Haley Ann Hager  
Emily Thomas

## **January 15:**

Grace Arvin  
Linda Jones  
Delores Padgett  
Elijah Winger

## **January 16:**

Richard Asbell  
Sue Carrico  
Beverly Miller  
Douglas Strange

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**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  
Eula Traylor  
Jeff Truelove  
Larry Wininger

**January 24:**

Agnes Cooper  
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