

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Dec. 2nd

12 Noon Rochelle Lents
5:00 p.m. Fr. Albertus Lutterbach, Linda Trambaugh,
William T. "Bill" Consley, Walter & Anna M. Todd

Sunday, Dec. 3rd

8:00 a.m. Leo & Catherine Arvin
10:00 a.m. Whitey & Helen Hawkins, Tim Strange,
Charles & Oenone Bradley, Katie Yarnell

Monday St. Joseph Dec. 4th

12:00 Noon Jacob Bradley

Tuesday, Dec. 5th

8:15 a.m. Mike Taylor

Wednesday Dec. 6th

5:30 p.m. Geneive "Jenny" Lents

Thursday, Dec. 7th

8:15 a.m. No Morning Mass

6:00 p.m. For the people

Friday, The Immaculate Conception Dec. 8th

8:15 a.m. Patrice Bullock

6:00 p.m. Carl Livers

Saturday, Dec. 9th

5:00 p.m. Ann Burch, Walter & Anna M. Todd,
Charles & Oenone Bradley, Jacob Bradley

Sunday, Dec. 10th

8:00 a.m. Jean & Steve Ellis

10:00 a.m. David Decker, Ellen Smith, Terry Bowling,
George "Tony" Sims

Ministers for Dec. 2nd /3rd 2017

SACRISTANS

5:00 p.m. Chuck and Carolyn Buxton

8:00 a.m. George Erler

10:00 a.m. Samantha Nelson

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Jamison Hennette, Brady Lents, Noah Esch,
Cassidy Esch, Madison Esch

8:00 a.m. Jason/Craig Lubbehusen, Grace Foddrill,
Volunteer

10:00 a.m. Logan Jacobs, Alex Bowling, Nathaniel Hart,
John Paul Hart, Abbi Nonte

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. FD: Mary Lou Harding

SD: Volunteers

8:00 a.m. FD: Bruce/Lynn Hawkins

SD: Tom and Chris Peter

10:00 a.m. FD: Brenda Mathias

SD: Carolyn Norris, Volunteer

LECTORS:

5:00 p.m. Elaine Wade, Pat Daugherty

8:00 a.m. Jill Winingar, Judy Kluesner

10:00 a.m. Andy Ringwald, Mary Ringwald

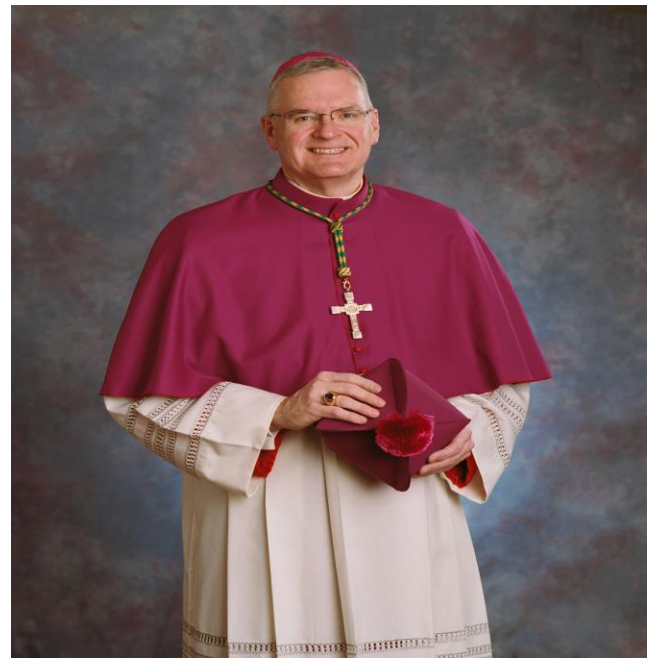
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m. Charles and Carolyn Buxton, Linda Wickman,
Janet Matthews, Donna Ader, Tom Walker, Patrick Allbright

8:00 a.m. Jerry Lubbehusen, Peg Neidigh, Tom Peter,
Jerry/Betty Huelsman, Rita Divine, Annette Taylor

10:00 a.m. Karen McAtee, Curt Johnson, Dayne Holder,
Gayle Strange, Peter McDowell, Greg Rasico, Volunteer

From Our Pastor



Pope Francis has named **Bishop Joseph M. Siegel, D.D., S.T.L.** Auxiliary Bishop of the Diocese of Joliet, as our new Bishop. Bishop Siegel's installation as the sixth Bishop of the Diocese of Evansville will be on Friday, December 15th at 2:00 (CST) at St. Benedict Cathedral in Evansville. Please join me in wishing Bishop Siegel a warm welcome to our diocese!

Bishop Siegel's Episcopal Motto:

"In you Lord, I have placed my hope."

Thank you for your generous support of the **Stewards of God's Grace** Capital Campaign. To date we have pledges and or cash totaling **\$979,101.76**. We now have achieved over 182% of the goal which means anything over \$669,555.00 will be returned to the parish 100%. I appreciate everyone's cooperation and involvement. We continue to work together to make our Lord more present in our community and the diocese. We do plan to contact every household of the parish. Please pray about your gift as we thank Almighty God for all that He has given us!

On Friday of this week we will celebrate the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is the Patronal Feast Day of the United States of America and is a **holy day of obligation**. We honor the fact that at the moment of her conception, the Blessed Mother was conceived without original sin. Our Mass schedule at St. John will be Thursday at 6:00 pm and Friday at 8:15am and 6:00pm.

May the Lord bless and keep you, Father Walker.

Campaign Corner -Pledged \$979,101.76
Make checks payable to Stewards of God's Grace

This Week at St. John Parish

Sunday, Dec. 3rd

Confirmation- 9:45 at the Center

Liturgy of the Word- 10:00 Mass

Blest Art after the Masses

Praise Choir Practice- 4:00p.m.

Christmas Parade -6:00 p.m.

Men's Club- 7:00 at St. Martin Hall

Monday, Dec. 4th

(S) St. Mary Eucharistic Adoration 9:00 am to 12:00

Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm.

(B) Mass at St. Joseph at 12:00 Noon

Elem. Religion- 3:30 to 4:30 at Loog. Elem. School

Cub Scouts Meeting-7:00 at the Center

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Tuesday, Dec. 5th

(L)Rosary: 7:45-8:15a.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 6th

(W) St. Martin Eucharistic Adoration-3:00 pm to 6:00

Jr. /Sr. High Religion Classes- 6:45 to 8:00 at the Center -

Supper at 6:15

Thursday, Dec. 7th

Rosary: 7:45-8:15a.m.

(L) Eucharistic Adoration after 9:00 Mass - 4:30 pm.

Youth Prayer Group-3:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 8th

Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm.

Saturday, Dec. 9th

No Private Confessions –

Sunday, Dec. 10th

Confirmation- 9:45 at the Center

Liturgy of the Word- 10:00 Mass

Senior Choir Practice- after 10:00 Mass

Catholic War Veterans- 2:30 We will be voting. Please come!

Religious Education News with Paula Ringwald

FAITH FORMATION pringwald@evdio.org

Penance Services still going on with youth.

The St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry is asking for your assistance in helping to provide food for over 200 families in Martin County. Boxes will be at the **St. John Center** on Saturday Dec. 9th through Sunday Dec.17th. Non-perishable food items are needed. Thank-you in advance for your generosity. Please drop your non-perishable items at the **St. John Center**.

Here are some up-coming Masses & events:

- * Anointing of the Sick- Dec.16th & 17th
- Advent Penance Services- December 17th Sunday 4:00 & Dec. 21st at 6:00
- Christmas Quilt raffle- Dec. 17
- Regular Weekend before Christmas- Saturday Dec. 23rd at 5:00 p.m. Sunday Dec. 24th at 8:00a.m. and 10:00 p.m.
- Christmas Masses-** Dec. 24th - 4:00 p.m. & 12:00 Midnight, - Dec. 25th at 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Sunday Collection Nov. 25th /26th 2017

St. John 235 envelopes (869 families) \$9,140.01

Save the Date

-Anointing of the Sick after all Masses: Dec. 16 & 17

-Parish Penance Service: Dec. 17 at 4:00 / Dec. 21 at 6:00

-NO CONFIRMATION RELIGION CLASS on Dec. 24

-LAST ELEM RELIGION CLASS-Dec.18

-LAST JR. SR. RELIGION CLASS-Dec. 20

-Story Hour: Dec. 27 from 10-11:00 “Baby Moses”

Christmas Mass Intentions- There is not a limit for the Mass intentions which are allowed for Christmas. Therefore, we may have multiple intentions listed for each of the Christmas 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.

Ministers for Dec. 9th /10th 2017

SACRISTANS

5:00 p.m. Rachel Doyle

8:00 a.m. George Erler

10:00 a.m. Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Jamison Henette, Brady Lents, Brandon Eckerle, Bryant Eckerle, Alex Guinn
8:00 a.m. Adie Nolley, Matthew Green, Ashley Green, Volunteer

10:00 a.m. Rachel Robinson, Kylie VanHoy, Jody/Nathan Seals, Ashlee Arvin

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. FD: Anne Marie Crays

SD: Joyce Conlon, Volunteer

8:00 a.m. FD: Jerry and Betty Huelsman

SD: Annette Taylor, Alice Boyd

10:00 a.m. FD: Robinson Family

SD: Abbie Williams, Denny Smith

LECTORS:

5:00 p.m. Tom Walker, Allyson Mudd

8:00 a.m. Peg Neidigh, Jerry Lubbehusen

10:00 a.m. Kay Summers, Gil Toy

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m. Elaine Wade, Diana Schutte, Pat Daugherty, Inger Johnson, Patrick Allbright, John Crays, Volunteer

8:00 a.m. Bruce/Lynn Hawkins, Richard Kluesner, Jan McDowell, Donna Heshelman, Jill Winger, Bernie Smith

10:00 a.m. Tom/Stephanie McAtee, Greg/Lynn Bateman, Brenda Mathias, Lori Flynn, Andy Ringwald

If you or a loved one are experiencing a difficult time – grieving, emotional crisis, etc. – you don’t have to suffer alone. Our Stephen Ministers are trained caregivers, ready to listen, care for and encourage you, pray with and for you, and provide Christian care to help you through whatever it is that you are facing. It’s free and confidential. Call Deacon Bob Consley at [812-295-4244](tel:812-295-4244) or the [parish office: 812-295-2225](tel:812-295-2225) to find out more for you or someone you know who might benefit from having a Stephen Minister.

Youth News with Mark Potts

Upcoming Events for the Youth Group:

Toy Store (Possible Confirmation Hours) – Dec 16th

Pizza and A Movie: December 28th

Sick List for St. John the Evangelist Parish

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| Helen Acton | Cindy Dwyer | Jeff & Mona Jones |
| Robert Allen | Mary Jo Dyer | Irene Kaiser |
| Lynette Arvin | Debbie Dyal | Mary Evelyn |
| Marilyn Arvin | Doyle Elliott | Lankford |
| Dee Bechtel | Philip Erler | James Lannan |
| Kenneth Bingemer | Betty, John, & | Kenny Lannan |
| John Blanton | Mike Ervin | Patty Lannan |
| Charles Blessinger | Jill Ernst | Mark Lehmkuhler |
| Dorothy Blessinger | Ken Fleming | Ryan Lents |
| Claudia & Jim | Dorothy Flynn | Mary Louise Lentz |
| Bennett | Mary Fowler | Betty Lindley |
| Michael Bowers | Anne Gebhardt | Kay Love |
| Barbara, Jr., Larry | Dr. Jean Walker | Nancy (Miller) |
| & Wyatt Boyd | Godfrey | Marlow |
| Wanda Bradley | Dianna Gottwalles | Devon Marner |
| Jim Bradley | Amanda Grafton | Ann McAtee |
| Avaley Braun | Eli Grafton | Bob McGuire |
| Laura Ann Brown | Manfred | Jim & Sue |
| Jane Bruner | Groenminger | Morrison |
| Bernice Bullock | Jeff Grube | Alice Myrum |
| Mary Charlene | Joan Haag | Colin Nelson |
| Burr | Shanna and Shirley | Jennifer Neumann |
| Don Cave | Harding | George Nolan |
| Roberta Cooper | Michael, Pat, & | Phyllis Norris |
| Tim Consley | Roy Hawkins | Riley Osmon |
| Jerry Craney | Jenny Hembree | Emil Oster |
| Wesley Crays | Mila Hornstein | Pam Owens |
| Linda Cresgy | Paul Hornstein | John Padgett |
| Mary Jane Crew | Nancy Hopkins | Deb Parsons |
| Ed David | Pauline Hotz | Teresa Pevlor |
| Sr. Lorraine | Jane Hovis | Meg Pew |
| Devault | David Johnson | Jiggs Pieper |
| Joe and Vicky | Megan Johnson | Georgia Anna |
| Doyle | Dana (Tow) Jones | Ragsdale |
| Ruth Durlauf | JJ (Jim) Jones | 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
Marcia Stemle
Susie Stemle
Kephon Stevens
Freda Stringer
Rosemary Stuckey
Bonnie and Joe
Summers
Carolyn Taylor
Daniel Taylor
Tony Taylor
Maureen Thomas
Chelsea Tinkle

Kevin and Liz
Tinkle
Troy Tow
Karcyn Trambaugh
Frances Trout
Bill Vaughan
William Wagoner
Tom Wagner
Brittany Walker
Rita Weaver
Rob Webster
Bobbie White
Ruby Wilcoxon
Georgia Wininger
Bill Wolf
Rodney Wright

December Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

December 1:

Ron Boyd
Christina Bratton
Corey Jacobs
Audrey Robinson
Jalen Wildman
Jordan Wildman

December 2:

Gayle Berry
Adam Graber
William Hunt
Jerry Kemp
Brenda Mathies
David Ramsey
Susan Strange
Anderson Williams

December 3:

Ann Ackerman
Michael Wade

December 4:

Lisa Arvin
Rex Arvin
Scott Arvin
Savannah Harmon
Bobbi Sue Nonte
Jessica Padgett

December 5:

Jake Blackwell
William Boyd
James E. Burch
Noah Hager
Lonnie Hawkins
Tim Miller
Alice Strange
James Vance

December 6:

Jake Carrico
Justin Clark
Cameron Hedrick
Donna Strange

December 7:

Lathen Letterman
Josie Mathies
Chris Mattingly
Clare Ringwald
Rachel Robinson
Caleb Sward

December 8:

Ann Holland

December 9:

Marie Sue Jones
Brogan Parker
Nancy Smith

December 10:

Nicholas Bowling
Timothy Dant
Isabella Hager
Chelsea Lannan
Inez Sorrells

December 11:

Debbie Christmas
Shirley Fellers
Susan Jacobs

December 12:

Lynn Bateman
Noel Harty
Ethel McGuire
Thomas Michaels
Lori Wininger

December 13:

Jim Ellis

December 14:

Liam Kluesner
Roger Slaven
Kay Summers

December 15:

Kevin Lents
Katherine Love
Charles Rasico
Whitney Wagoner

December 16:

Charles Bridgewater
Michael Coulter
Kyle Wade

December 17:

Talan Hayes
Georgette Sutton
Seth Taylor

December 18:

Sandra Burch
Ryan Mathias
Brooklyn Summers

December 19:

Grace Foddrill
Susie Hager
Meagan Holder
Justin Horney
Martin Lannan
Mary Lannan
Sharon Sims

December 20:

Maddelyn Dalrymple
Isaac Lagree
Emily Sutton
Gina Toy

December 21:

Mitch Jeffers
Makenzie VanHoy

December 22:

Mattie Milligan
Donna Rayhill
Morris Trowbridge

December 23:

Aaron Dant
Barb Hyllested

December 24:

Dola Francyne Fegan
Betty Wessel

December 25:

Jessie Carter
Falicia Hollaway
Marilyn Horsting
Amy Williams

December 26:

Cathy Arvin
Marty Arvin
Angie Brookshire
Patrick Wagler
Rosie Wininger

December 27:

Andrew Burch
Luke Jones
Mary Evelyn
Lankford

December 28:

James Bradley
Megan Miller
Kristine Southard

December 29:

Marie Hawkins
Mary Sue Sterling
Sandy Woods

December 30:

Carolyn Buxton
Luke Callison
Erika Fellers
Amber Furhman
Melissa Hedrick
Landon Marks
Clint Williams
Julie Wittmer

December 31:

Julie Lagree
Garrett Williams