## Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTEN	TIONS		
Saturday		Feb. 29 <sup>th</sup>	
5:00 p.m.	James E. Burch, Bric Parke	r, Peggy	
Ĩ	Guinn, Eugene & Dolores Le		
Sunday		Mar. 1 <sup>st</sup>	
8:00 a.m.	Guy Padgett		
10:00 a.m.	Bryan Walker, Roberta Wil	liams,	
	Marilyn Arvin, Mae Butcher		
Monday	St. Joseph	Mar. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	
12:00 noon	For the People		
Tuesday		Mar. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	
<u>8:00 a.m</u>	Marilyn Arvin		
Wednesd	ay St. Martin	Mar. 4 <sup>th</sup>	
<u>5:30 pm</u>	Morris Dean Trowbridge		
Thursday	·	Mar. 5 <sup>th</sup>	
8:00 a.m	George & Mary Kay Patterso	n	
<u>10:00 a.m.</u>	Mass at MCNC		
Friday		Mar. 6 <sup>th</sup>	
<u>8:00 a.m.</u>	Gary Thompson		
Saturday		Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup>	
12:00 noon	Jaynie Gates		
5:00 p.m.	Betty Wessell, Mary Louise I	Lentz,	
	Peggy Guinn, Anne Arvin		
Sunday		Mar. 8 <sup>th</sup>	
8:00 a.m.	The deceased members of the	•	
	Raymond Jerome Williams f	amily	
10:00 a.m.	Rosalie Riggins, Bill & Janet Combess,		
	Andy & Dorothy Combess, Do		

Ministers for Feb. 29<sup>th</sup> /Mar. 1<sup>st</sup> 2020 SACRISTANS 5:00 p.m. Chuck and Carolyn Buxton George Erler 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. Glenn McAtee **SERVERS:** 5:00 p.m. Jamison Hennette, Cassidy Esch, Madison Esch, Noah Esch 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: Mary Lou Harding SD: Anne Marie Crays, Chuck/Carolyn Buxton 8:00 a.m. FD: Annette Taylor SD: Chris Bratton, Rita Poirier FD: Abbie Williams 10:00 a.m. SD: Lonnie Hawkins, Volunteer **LECTORS:** 5:00 p.m. Brenda Dant, Jamison Hennette 8:00 a.m. Peg Neidigh, Jerry Lubbehusen 10:00 a.m. Andy Ringwald, Kay Summers **EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** Elaine Wade, Brenda Dant, Helen Acton, 5:00 p.m. Volunteer 8:00 a.m. Jill Wininger, Peg Neidigh, Tom Peter, Rita Divine 10:00 a.m. Greg and Lynn Bateman, Brenda Mathias, Vicky Williams

#### **From Our Pastor**

Recently, we celebrated the life of Jane Lents. Jane was an identical twin who lived in our midst for 74 years. She and her sister, Jean, had a tremendous bond, a gift that our Lord gave them. Jane was a wonderful sister, wife and mother. As a loan officer in the bank, she was a steady worker and very kind to all. Jane was called to take up her cross the last five years of her life and follow the Lord. Unable to speak through these last years, Jane kept the faith with the help of her family and especially her twin sister. Jane gave us the example to let go and trust in the Lord. May eternal rest be granted to Jane, Oh Lord. May she rest in peace. Amen.

We will have the Way of the Cross this Sunday at 4:00. It only takes 30 minutes and I look forward to seeing you! When we pray the Stations of the Cross we are reminded of the tremendous love our Lord Jesus has for us which is reflected in the Holy Eucharist.

During Lent our Parish Rosary will be after the 8:00 Mass on Sunday. This is another opportunity for us to honor the Blessed Mother as we reflect on our Lord's life, death, and Resurrection and the important role of the Blessed Mother as she was open to God's will.

In the words of St. John the Baptist we are call to decrease so that the Lord Jesus may increase in our lives.

Friday is the Church's day of penance in memory of Jesus' passion. Some form of penance is especially encouraged on each Friday throughout the year.

During Lent we are called to Abstinence which means we do not eat meat. All the Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence. The obligation to abstain on the appointed days begins the day after your fourteenth birthday.

For your planning, once again the diocese will be observing "The Light Is On" Wednesday March 11<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. This is an opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation. At this time throughout the diocese at each designated

church we will have the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Penance. This year it will be at St.Martin Church in Whitfield for our parish.

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

Due to the flu virus we will continue to receive only the sacred host at Mass until further notice.

Thisi Week	at St. John Parish
Sunday	Mar. 1 <sup>st</sup>
<b>Rosary</b> - after the 8:00 Mass	
2 <sup>ND</sup> GRADE RELIGION CLASS	- 9:45 to 12:00 noon
Liturgy of the Word	
Adult Bible Study- Cancelled	
Praise Choir-6:30	a
Monday	Mar. 2 <sup>nd</sup>
(S) St. Mary Eucharistic Adora	tion 9:00 am - 12:00
<b>Quilters,</b> 11:00 am - 3:00 pm	
Mass at St Joseph – 12:00 noon	
<b>Circle of Peace Prayer Meeting</b>	- 1:00 pm
Elem. Religion-3:30-4:30	
K of C 3 <sup>rd</sup> degree Meeting-7:0	0
Tuesday	Mar. 3 <sup>rd</sup>
MorningRosary:7:30-8:00	
Wednesday-	Mar. 4 <sup>th</sup>
(W) St. Martin Eucharistic Add	oration-3:00 pm to 5:00
Mass at St. Martin- 5:30 p.m.	
Jr. /Sr. High Religion Classes a	t St. Martin Campus
	8:00 - Supper at 6:00
Thursday- Morning Rosary: 7	V:30 – 8:00 Mar. 5 <sup>th</sup>
(L) Eucharistic Adoration after	r 8:00 Mass - 4:30 pm
Friday	Mar. 6 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Morning Rosary</b> : 7:30 – 8:00	
<b>Quilters,</b> 11:00 am - 3:00 pm	
Patriotic Rosary- 3:00 p.m	
Saturday	Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup>
Marian Devotions- 11:15 Confe	ssions, Mass at 12:00
No CONFESSIONS from 3:00-	4:00 p.m
Sunday	Mar. 8 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Rosary</b> - after the 8:00 Mass	
2 <sup>ND</sup> GRADE RELIGION CLASS	- 9:45 to 12:00 noon
Liturgy of the Word	
Adult Bible Study- 5:30	
<b>Catholic War Veterans</b> -6:00	
Euchre winners for	Fob 23 <sup>rd</sup>
Most lones: Rachel Doyle, Joyce	
1 <sup>st</sup> place: Connie Nigg and 2 <sup>nd</sup> r	

3<sup>rd</sup> place: Joyce Conlon and Mike Summers.

## Sunday Collection Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> /23<sup>rd</sup> 2020

**St. John 192 envelopes(869 families)** \$9,067.00

#### LENTEN RETREAT

On March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2020 St. John's will host a Lenten Retreat at St. John Center upper level from 8-4. The theme this year is "*No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion*". This retreat will consist of short video's, group discussion questions and time for reflection. Dr. Edward Sri will guide us through the last hours of Christ's life. Filmed on location in the Promised Land. Please consider joining us as we prepare for Holy Week. Reservation forms are at the doors of the church.

#### Save the Date

**Irish Family Fun Night**-March 15<sup>th</sup> from 5-7:00 **International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima** -Mar. 15<sup>th</sup> at St. Francis Xavier in Vincennes starting at 2:00 **Lenten Retreat**-March 28<sup>th</sup> If you would like to help with the retreat then please call Paula 812-295-2225 Stay tuned for more info for times and location. **Vacation Bible School**-June 15-19 Helpers are needed to walk students from one station to another.

#### A Recreation/Games Leader is needed.

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Ministers for	Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup> / 8 <sup>th</sup> 2020			
SACRISTANS				
5:00 p.m.	Susan Ackerman			
8:00 a.m.	George Erler			
10:00 a.m.	Noel Harty			
<b>SERVERS:</b>				
5:00 p.m.	Jamison Hennette, Brady Lents, Alex Guinn,			
	Noah Hager			
8:00 a.m.	Matthew Green, Ashley Green, Brendan Green			
10:00 a.m.	Lindsay Rasico, Elizabeth Rasico, Xavier Todd,			
	Declan Todd, Britta Browder			
<b>GREETERS:</b>				
5:00 p.m.	FD: Judy Blackwell			
-	SD: Linda Bledsoe, Volunteer			
8:00 a.m.	FD: Doug/Peg Neidigh			
	SD: John Diane Vaupel			
10:00 a.m.	FD: Faye Holland			
	SD: Denny Smith, Brenda Mathias			
<b>LECTORS:</b>	<b>3</b> <i>i</i>			
5:00 p.m.	Elaine Wade, Francie Doyle			
8:00 a.m.	Betty Huelsman, Tom Peter			
10:00 a.m.	Gil Toy, John A Walker			
EUCHARISTIC				
5:00 p.m.	Inger Johnson, Chuck and Carolyn Buxton,			
5.00 p.m.	Janet Matthews			
8:00 a.m.	Jerry/Betty Huelsman, Bruce/Lynn Hawkins,			
10:00 a.m.	Andy Ringwald, Chris Burch, Dayne Holder,			
Course Drovers of	Greg Rasico			
	the Abortion Clinic in Bloomington: The 40			
	ganization is asking for your help in volunteering			
	e to pray at the Abortion Clinic in Bloomington.			
	we hope to change the hearts of these young			
women to give life to their unborn child rather than killing their				
	. They need your help on March 14 or March 21			
	rs of 9AM to 3PM to pray outside of the Abortion			
	an help, please call Liz Kavanaugh at 812-486-			
3658 or Pat Jone	es at 812-295-6525. If you can help, please call			

one of the numbers above.

# **Lenten Activities 2020**

Ash Wednesday



February 26 <sup>th</sup> Mass Times: (8:00 am) (5:00 pm) (Religious Ed Classes-grades:5-12 –Supper-5:30-6:30, then Mass at 7:00p.m. at St. Martin.) All parishioners are welcome to come to the Mass. Parish Rosary after the 8:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, around 9:00 a.m. Lenten Retreat March 28 <sup>th</sup> from 8-4 at St. John Center				
Thursday March 19 <sup>th</sup>	6:30pm	Penance Services Wednesday- at St. Martin- March 11 <sup>th</sup> "The Light is On" 6:00-8:00		
Sunday Mar. 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday Mar. 8 <sup>th</sup> Sunday Mar. 15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday Mar. 22 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday Mar. 29 <sup>th</sup> Saturday April 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday April 5 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 8:00 & 10	Way of the CrossWay of the CrossWay of the Crosss - Irish Family Fun Night @ 5:00Way of the CrossWay of the CrossWay of the CrossPalm Sunday:00Palm Sunday		
TuesdayApril 7thThursdayApril 9thGood FridayApril 10thSaturdayApril 11th		Anointing of the Sick1st & 22nd after all the Masses.Holy WeekChrism Mass in Evansville5:30 pm (CST)Holy Thursday Mass6:30 pmWay of the Cross12:00Celebration Of The Lord's Passion -St. John 3:00 pmEcumenical Service- 4H Building at 7:00Easter Vigil7:00 p.m.Easter Sunrise Mass (at the St. John Cemetery) 7:30 am		
Sunday Apr	1112	<ul> <li>Easter Sunrise Mass (at the St. John Cemetery) 7:30 am (if rain, the Mass will be at St. John Church)</li> <li>Easter Mass 10:00 a.m.</li> <li>Easter Mass 4:00 p.m.</li> </ul>		