

# Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup>**

5:00pm Norman & Donna Arvin, Sue Strange  
Alma Walker, Joseph L. Mattingly

**Sunday, Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup>**

7:30 am. John D. Stoll  
10:30 am Dorothy Acker, Donald Greene,  
Anna Lou Mathies, Gary Thompson

**Monday St. Martin Jan. 4<sup>th</sup>**

(W) 6:00pm. Pearl McCann

**Tuesday, Jan. 5<sup>th</sup>**

8:15 am. Carl & Louise Livers

**Wednesday, Jan. 6<sup>th</sup>**

6:15 pm Bertha L. Bruner

**Thursday, Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>**

8:15 For the people

10:00 am Mass at MCNC

**Friday, Jan. 8<sup>th</sup>**

8:15 am Jerry Bradley

**Saturday, Jan. 9<sup>th</sup>**

5:00pm Pat Bowling, Marjorie Arvin,  
Joseph Rayman, Walter & Emily Strange

**Sunday, Jan. 10<sup>th</sup>**

7:30 am. Janette Farley  
10:30 am James R. Tewell, Dr. Steve Downey,  
Special Mass intentions for  
Karen Inman and Kathy E. Henninger

**Ministers for Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup> /3<sup>rd</sup> 2016**

### SACRISTANS

5:00 pm. Rachel Doyle  
7:30 am. George Erler  
10:30 am. Glenn McAtee

### SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Jamison Hennette, Cassidy Esch,  
Madison Esch, Ethan Todd, Cameron Burns  
7:30 am. Brandon/Bryant Eckerle,  
Craig/Jason Lubbehusen, Addie Nolley  
10:30 am. Carson Rayhill, Rachel Robinson,  
India Arvin, Logan Jacobs

### GREETERS: :

5:00 pm. FD- Donna Van Winkle  
SD- Mary Lou Harding, Anne Marie Crays  
7:30 am. FD- Leo Padgett Family  
SD- Alice Boyd, Rita Poirier  
10:30 am. FD- The Robinson Family  
SD- Denny Smith, Faye Holland

### LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Tom Walker, Elaine Wade  
7:30 am. Bruce Hawkins, Maureen Thomas  
10:30 am. Jessica Browder, Linda Cropp

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm	Diane Schutte, Pat Daugherty, Tom Walker, Inger Johnson, Alice Weisheit, Patrick Allbright, Volunteer
7:30 am. .	Rita Divine, Volunteer, Bernie Smith, George Erler, Jerry Lubbehusen, Peg Neidigh, Kathy Wittmer
10:30 am	Karen McAtee, Curt Johnson, Dayne Holder, Gayle Strange, Peter McDowell, Greg Rasico, Volunteer

## From Our Pastor

**My dear friends in Christ,**

On Tuesday of this past week we celebrated the life of Dorothy R. Crouse. She was an outgoing and loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother who had a zest for life. Dorothy certainly had a strong faith and shared that with her family. She will be missed by all of us. May Dorothy rest in peace. Amen.

A special thank-you to Paula Ringwald for her co-ordination of the Christmas Eve Children's Mass which was very joyous and prayerful. Our Midnight Mass had a wonderful turn out of choir members and their music, too, was inspirational. We were privileged to have the 7:30 choir at that Mass on Christmas Day who led us in joyous song. Having our young children and older youth fully involved in these liturgies was a **True Gift**. I am most thankful to Deacon Bob Consley, Mark Potts, Lynn Gee, Connie McAtee, Carolyn Arvin, Leslie Doyle, Sandy Woods, our choirs, the altar servers and ministers of the altar.

With special appreciation to Brenda Dant for making the red scapulars for the server's albs. The scapulars added to the dignity of our Christmas services. Also, we are most grateful to Sue Morrison and Jeff Kidwell for their help in the parish office.

A special thank-you to Stephanie McAtee and Becky Summers who have done a spectacular job as church decorators. Peggy Lyon and Donna Graber have generously agreed to assume this new role. Stephanie and Becky will continue to be a support system to Peggy and Donna for which I am most grateful.

I am most appreciative to all of you for the good wishes, cards, candy, cakes, and other gifts. It is truly an honor for me to be here as your pastor and I am most thankful for your prayers and ongoing support.

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

**Sunday Collection Dec. 26<sup>th</sup> /27<sup>th</sup> 2015**

St. John 238 Envelopes (739 families)	\$ 14,831.00
Christmas	9,162.01

**This Week at St. John Parish**

**Sunday, Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Men's Club- Meeting canceled

**Monday, Jan. 4<sup>th</sup>**

(B) St. Joseph Eucharistic Adoration-9:00 am to 1:00

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

Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Youth Group-3:30 Prayer Group

Women's Cursillo Grouping: 5:00

(W) Confessions at St. Martin- 5:15 to 5:45pm

(W) Mass at St Martin- 6:00pm

K of C 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree -7:00 pm

Adult Spiritual Formation Mtg: 7:00

**Tuesday, Jan. 5<sup>th</sup>**

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

Guitar Practice: 7:30

**Wednesday, Jan. 6<sup>th</sup>**

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

**Religion Classes: 3:30 & 7:00**

**Thursday, Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>**

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

(L) Eucharistic Adoration after 9:00 Mass to 5:00 pm-

unless there is a funeral, then Adoration is from

12:00(Noon) to 5:00pm

**Friday, Jan. 8<sup>th</sup>**

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

**Saturday, Jan. 9<sup>th</sup>**

Private Confessions-3:00 pm

**Bishop Charles C. Thompson will hold a series of listening sessions in early 2016 concerning a Diocesan Pastoral Plan that is in development. Each session will last approximately two hours. The series includes:**

- 6 p.m. CT on Wednesday Jan. 6 at Good Shepherd Parish, Evansville
- 6 p.m. CT on Monday Jan. 11 at St. Francis of Assisi Parish, Dale
- 6 p.m. ET on Monday Jan. 13 at St. Francis Xavier Parish, Vincennes
- 6 p.m. ET on Monday Feb. 1 at St. Joseph Parish, Jasper
- 6 p.m. CT on Tuesday Feb. 2 at Resurrection Parish, Evansville
- 6 p.m. ET on Monday Feb. 8 at St. John the Evangelist Parish, Loogootee
- 6 p.m. CT on Tuesday Feb. 9 at Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, Haubstadt

During each session, Bishop Thompson will discuss the work to date in developing a Diocesan Pastoral Plan. He will share elements of the plan, answer questions and accept input regarding the plan and its ongoing development.

Sessions open to Catholics from any of our 12 counties.

**Religious Education News with Paula Ringwald**

**FAITH FORMATION** [pringwald@evdio.org](mailto:pringwald@evdio.org)

**Elementary K-6**

Religious Ed. Classes: **Wednesday at 3:30**

**Jr. Sr. High (Grades 7,8, 9, 10,11,12)**

Religious Ed. Classes: **Wednesday at 7:00**

**Save the Date**

-Adult Bible Study: Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:30

**-Catechist and Helper Meeting: Jan. 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 at Center**

**Youth News with Mark Potts**

The Youth Prayer Group will continue to be right after school on Monday at 3:30. Meet at the center for drinks and snacks! Any student is welcome and encouraged to come!

Our movie night last Wednesday has been postponed to a later date. We had some conflicts arise and we will be looking for a later date!

Thanks to all the students who helped with the Christmas Masses and the New Year's Masses. We appreciate your time and effort to the parish!

On Saturday January 16<sup>th</sup>, we are looking for some volunteers to help out at the 4-H Community Building for the Martin County State Community Day. We need two shifts of students: 1<sup>st</sup> shift from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM and the 2<sup>nd</sup> shift from 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM. In each shift, we are looking for 5 students. If you would like to volunteer, please contact me ASAP. It is a good opportunity for Confirmation students to get their volunteer hours!

**Diocesan-wide Planning Study Update Thank You!**  
Thank you to everyone who filled out a planning-study survey. Over the next few weeks, the Steier Group will prepare recommendations for Bishop Thompson as to how the diocese should proceed with a capital campaign along with its fundraising potential. Once the bishop reviews the report and decides how to proceed, he will communicate the results to all parishioners.

**Ministers for Jan. 9<sup>th</sup> /10<sup>th</sup> 2016**

**SACRISTANS**

- 5:00 pm. Chuck and Carolyn Buxton
- 7:30 am. George Erler
- 10:30 am. Noel Harty

**SERVERS:**

- 5:00 pm. Heather/Hannah Harshaw, Rachel Lents, Jace Toy, Sebastian Toy
- 7:30 am. Grace Foddrill, Olivia Winger, Olivia Dant, Matthew Green
- 10:30 am. Sean/Brady Lents, Max/Seth Blackwell, Alex Bowling

**GREETERS:**

- 5:00 pm. FD- Linda Wickman  
SD- Rachel Doyle, Judy Blackwell
- 7:30 am. FD- Volunteer  
SD- Darin/Jane Holder
- 10:30 am. FD- Dan and Barbara Gregory  
SD- Volunteers

**LECTORS:**

- 5:00 pm. Pat Daugherty, Maddie Strange
- 7:30 am. Jerry Padgett, John Vaupel
- 10:30 am. Lynn Bateman, John A. Walker

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:**

- 5:00 pm. Charles/Carolyn Buxton, Patrick Allbright, John Crays, Linda Wickman, Janet Matthews, Donna Ader
- 7:30 am. Jill Winger, Jan McDowell, Richard Kluesner, Annette Taylor, Bruce/Lynn Hawkins, Donna Heshelman
- 10:30 am. Tom/Stephanie McAtee, Greg/Lynn Bateman, Linda Cropp, Brenda Mathias, Andy Ringwald

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

Robert Allen	Joyce, Betty, John, & Mike Ervin
Lynette Arvin	Jill Ernst
Marilyn Arvin	Dorothy Flynn
Marjorie Arvin	Anne Gebhardt
Vivian Beard	Candy Gootee
Dee Bechtel	Dianna Gottwalles
Theresa Berry	Amanda Grafton
John Blanton	John Griggs
Dorothy Blessinger	Manfred Groemminger
Claudia & Jim Bennett	Jeff Grube
Michael Bowers	Shanna, Shirley & Wanda Harding
Barbara, Jr., Larry & Wyatt Boyd	Michael, Pat, & Roy Hawkins
Wanda Bradley	Helen Hawkins
Clarence E. Bradley	Jenny Hembree
Avaley Braun	Kathye Henninger
Laura Ann Brown	Mila Hornstein
Jane Bruner	Paul Hornstein
Mary Charlene Burr	Jane Hovis
Don & Paul Cave	David Johnson
Bobbie Cherry	Megan Johnson
Brian Consley	JJ (Jim) Jones
Brenda Cooper	Jeff & Mona Jones
Wesley Crays	Irene Kaiser
Linda Cresgy	Daniel Lannon
Mary Jane Crew	James Lannan
Sr. Lorraine Devault	Patty Lannan
Jim and Ruth Durlauf	Paula Lengacher
Cindy Dwyer	Mark Lehmkuhler
Debbie Dyal	Kelly LeTourneau
Curt Elliott	Betty Lindley
Patricia Ellis	Ryder Nolan Mason
Philip Erler	Nancy (Miller) Marlow
Bill Feagans	Bob McGuire
Kent Fellers	Jim & Sue Morrison
Anna Fields	Alice Myrum

Jennifer Neumann  
Lucas, Pam and Rob Niemeyer  
George Nolan  
Phyllis Norris  
Riley Osmon  
Emil Oster  
Pam Owens  
John Padgett  
Teresa Pevlor  
Meg Pew  
Betty and Jiggs Pieper  
Georgia Anna Ragsdale  
Charles Rasico  
Judy Rasico  
John Richardson  
Kirk Sanders  
Gerri Schnaus  
Linda Schwager  
Bill, Carson, Jonah, Kenley, &  
Terry Shaw  
Eddie & Tony Sims  
Mary Lou Sims  
Rob Smith

Adam Sorensen  
Dale & Inez Sorrells  
Marcia Stemle  
Susie Stemle  
Freda Stringer  
Rosemary Stuckey  
Bonnie and Joe Summers  
George Templin  
Maureen Thomas  
Chelsea Tinkle  
Kevin and Liz Tinkle  
Troy Tow  
Karcyn Trambaugh  
Frances Trout  
Duane Thomas  
Bill Vaughan  
Tom Wagner  
Rita & Dewey Weaver  
Rob Webster  
Bobbie White  
Gerald & Ruby Wilcoxon  
Alvin & Martha Wilhelm  
Rodney Wright

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

### **January 1:**

Tracy Burch  
Peggy Padgett  
Adam Wittmer

### **January 2:**

Stacey Bowling  
Richard Colvin  
Casey Hamilton  
Nickolis Milligan  
Kallin Trambaugh

### **January 3:**

Jule Beltz  
Virginia Cooper  
Jerry Padgett

### **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  
Geneive 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 12:**

Jean Ellis

### **January 13:**

Alice Boyd  
Suzettea Jones  
James Niemeyer  
Mary Norris  
Elaine Wade

### **January 14:**

James Bratton  
Michele Eler  
Haley Ann Hager  
Emily Thomas

### **January 15:**

Grace Arvin  
Linda Jones  
Delores Padgett

### **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  
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  
Renee Burch  
Sharon Fiabane  
Linda Green  
Brenda Jones  
Lorissa Medina  
Marsha Street

**January 30:**

Christopher Hogan  
Natalie Willoughby

**January 31:**

Rick Bauer  
Tyler Bratton  
Stephanie Nolan  
Jill Wininger  
Ted Yarnell

2015 Christmas Flowers  
(2<sup>nd</sup> Batch)



Kara Sue Arvin

Kevin Brady Boyd

Joe & Ira Boyd

Joseph Bernard Burris

Virgil & Alberta Burris

Robert T. & Helen L.  
McAtee

Betty (Burris) McDonald

Vincent & Dorothy  
Williams

Jim Williams

