

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Mar. 5th

5:00 pm Marjorie Arvin, Alma Walker,
Dewey Weaver, Anna Lou Mathias

Sunday, Mar. 6th

7:30 am Raymond Jerome Williams
10:30 am Sue Strange, Stanley Hodges
Dick Walker, Louis & Cora Lents & family

Monday St. Martin Mar. 7th

(W)6:00pm Anna Lou Mathias

Tuesday, Mar. 8th

8:15 am. For the People

Wednesday, Mar. 9th

6:15 pm. Dorothy Acker

Thursday, Mar. 10th

8:15 am Joseph L. Mattingly

Friday, Mar. 11th

8:15 am Rochelle Lents

Saturday, Mar. 12th

5:00 pm Iva Lundy, Bill Feagans
Catherine M. Wildman, Derek Arvin

Sunday, Mar. 13th

7:30 am. Mae Norris
10:30 am Margaret A. Smith, Eugene Wilcoxon,
Dorothy Crouse, Jim Larkin

Ministers for March 5th /6th 2016

SACRISTANS

5:00 pm. Rachel Doyle
7:30 am. George Erler
10:30 am. Samantha Nelson

SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Caden Chandler, Maelee Hawkins,
Jamison Hennette, Maddie Strange, Cameron Burns
7:30 am. Grace Foddrill, Olivia Wininger,
Olivia Dant, Matthew Green
10:30 am. John Wagoner, Lindsey Rasico,
Euan Graves, Carson Rayhill

GREETERS:

5:00 pm. FD- Mary Lou Harding
SD- Anne Marie Crays, Judy Blackwell
7:30 am. FD- John/Diane Vaupel
SD- Jerry/Betty Huelsman
10:30 am. FD- Dan and Barbara Gregory
SD- Denny Smith, Sue Morrison

LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Jace Toy, Allyson Mudd
7:30 am. George Erler, Greg Potts
10:30 am. Kay Summer, Lindsay Burch

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm.	Charles/Carolyn Buxton, Patrick Allbright, John Crays, Linda Wickman, Janet Matthews, Donna Ader
7:30 am.	Jerry Lubbehusen, Peg Neidigh, Kathy Wittmer, Jill Wininger, Jan McDowell, Richard Kluesner, Annette Taylor
10:30 am.	Tom/Stephanie McAtee, Greg/Lynn Bateman, Linda Cropp, Brenda Mathias, Andy Ringwald

SundayCollection Feb. 27th / 28th 2016

St. John 244 Envelopes (739 families) \$10,062.01

From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

Last weekend I spoke about our Catholic Parish Campaign at all the Masses. By now you should have received a letter concerning this campaign. The theme is *"Together let us walk in faith and charity, ever trusting in the Lord's mercy....."* As you know, every parish has its source of income from the weekly collections, whereas the diocese receives its funding to operate from the Catholic Parish Campaign. Many wonderful services are provided to us from the CPC which are administered through the Catholic Center. The bill for our parish this year is **\$157,142.00** and we ask each family to contribute **\$350.00** which is based on the number of those who gave \$50 or more last year to the parish (458), divided into the total bill. If you are in the position to do so, please go over and beyond that amount as many of you have in the past. All checks are to be made payable to the Catholic Parish Campaign. *Any funds that are raised over and beyond the required amount will stay in the parish.* I appreciate very much your ongoing support and generosity.

We will again have the Way of the Cross this Sunday at 4:00. It only takes about 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.

Let us open our hearts more each day to allow the Lord Jesus to be a greater part of our lives.

May the Lord bless and keep you,
Father Walker.

<p>Background Checks- As part of its Safe Environment program for the protection of children and youth, the Diocese of Evansville has contracted with a new company for conducting background checks on employees and volunteers. If you have worked with minors in our diocese in the last several years, you may receive an e-mail or letter informing you that a new background check has been run on you. The new company is called Selection.com. If you have any questions, feel free to contact diocesan Vice-Chancellor Mike Roesch at mroesch@evdio.org, or your Youth Protection Coordinator.</p>

This Week at St. John Parish

Sunday, Mar. 6th

Catholic Relief Services Collection
Liturgy of the Word during 10:30 Mass

Way of the Cross- 4:00 pm

Adult Bible Study: at 5:30 / Doors of Mercy

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

Monday, Mar. 7th

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

(B) St. Joseph Eucharistic Adoration- 9:00 am to 1:00
 Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm
 Circle of Peace Prayer Meeting- 1:00 pm
 Youth Group-3:30 Prayer Group
 (W) Confessions at St. Martin- 5:15 to 5:45pm
 (W) Mass at St Martin- 6:00pm
 Adult Spiritual Formation - 6:00

Parish Penance Service -7:15

K of C 3rd Degree- 7:00pm

Tuesday, Mar. 8th

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

Guitar Practice: 7:30

Wednesday, Mar. 9th

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

Religion Classes: Elem. Classes at 3:30 / 7:00

Thursday, Mar. 10th

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

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

Parish Council – 6:00 pm

Senior Choir- 6:00 pm

Friday, Mar. 11th

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Saturday, Mar. 12th

Private Confessions-3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

Adult Retreat:“Keeping the Fire Alive” 9:00-4:00

Anointing of the Sick (at all Masses)-March 12th/13th

Save the Date

- **Fish Fry-**March 18th Helpers and Desserts are needed

Sign-up table after mass on March 5th & 6th

- **Parish Penance Service:** March 21st at 7:15

-**First Communion Practice with students & parents-**

April 7 at 7:00pm in church

-**First Communion Mass-** April 10th at 10:30

-**Confirmation Practice w/students & sponsors-**

April 13th at 7pm in church

-**Confirmation-** April 17th at 10:30

Religious Education News with Paula Ringwald

FAITH FORMATION pringwald@evdio.org

Elementary K-6

Religious Ed. Classes: 3:30

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

Religious Ed. Classes: 7:00

NOTICE: In preparation for mowing season, spring cleanup of St. John Catholic Cemetery will take place on Saturday 19 March 2016. All grave blankets and other ground decorations as well as obviously outdated gravestone decorations (e.g. Christmas) must be removed prior to that time. Any ground or outdated decorations remaining will be removed by the cleanup crew on the 19th.

SACRISTANS: for March 12th / 13th 2016

5:00 pm. Judy Ader

7:30 am. George Erler

10:30 am. Noel Harty

Ministers for March 12th /13th 2016

SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Cassidy/Madison Esch,

Heather/Hannah Harshaw

7:30 am. Brandon/Bryant Eckerle,

Craig/Jason Lubbehusen, Addie Nolley

Rachel Robinson, Aaron Dant,

Cora/Conner Hedrick

GREETERS:

5:00 pm. FD- Rachel Doyle

SD- Chuck and Carolyn Buxton

7:30 am. FD- Kathy Wittmer

SD- Rita Poirier, Alice Boyd

10:30 am. FD- The Robinson Family

SD- Lonnie Hawkins, Abbie Williams

LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Elaine Wade, Jamison Hennette

7:30 am. Tom Peter, Peg Neidigh

10:30 am. Gil Toy, Jessica Browder

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm. Diane Schutte, Pat Daugherty, Tom Walker, Inger Johnson, Alice Weisheit, Patrick Allbright, Volunteer

7:30 am. Bruce/Lynn Hawkins, Rita Divine, Bernie Smith, Jerry/Betty Huelsman, Volunteer

10:30 am. Karen McAtee, Curt Johnson, Dayne Holder, Gayle Strange, Peter McDowell, Greg Rasico, Volunteer

Youth News with Mark Potts

The Youth Group will be traveling to **St. Mary of the Woods on Thursday, March 31st** to take a tour of the grounds, participate in Mass, and have lunch with the Sisters. Among the places we will be visiting is the new Shrine of St. Mother Theodore Guerin who founded the Sisters of Providence. I think it will be great to hear about Saint Mother Theodore Guerin's life in that she was named a Saint just a few years ago by our Holy Father in 2006. The tour lasts from 9 AM – 2:30 PM. We will be leaving the St. John Center at 7 AM and return around 4:30 -5:00 PM. If you are interested in going on this trip with us, **please be sure and sign up in the back of church and take a permission slip home.** The permission slip may be returned the day we leave. We are looking forward to having a fun trip during your Spring Break!

The Youth Prayer Group will continue to be right after school on Monday at 3:30. During the season of Lent, we will be doing the Way of the Cross so our students will have the opportunity to participate. Report to the center for drinks and snacks! Any student is welcome and encouraged to come!

The winner of the Euchre tourney on Thursday was Barbara Stoll with a score of 38. She took home the \$15 Dairy Queen gift card, followed by 2nd place winner Pat Daily with a 36 (\$10 Dairy Queen gift card), and 3rd place winner Sheila Clark also with a score of 36 (\$5 Dairy Queen gift card). Rachel Doyle took home the most lones and a \$10 Dairy Queen gift card, as she tied with Joyce Conlon for the honor but won on the tie breaker. Thanks to all who came to play and donated their money to the Youth Group!

We will be going to Ketcham Memorial Center on Tuesday, March 15th. We will leave the Center at 6:00 PM and return roughly around 8:00 PM. For Confirmation students, it will be a great way to pick up a couple hours of service time! Any student volunteers are welcome to come! Be at the Center by 6:00 PM!

Sick List for St. John the Evangelist Parish

Robert Allen
 Lynette Arvin

Marilyn Arvin
 Vivian Beard

Dee Bechtel
John Blanton
Dorothy Blessinger
Claudia & Jim Bennett
Michael Bowers
Barbara, Jr., Larry & Wyatt Boyd
Wanda Bradley
Clarence E. Bradley
Avaley Braun
Laura Ann Brown
Jane Bruner
Mary Charlene Burr
Don & Paul Cave
Brian Consley
Jerry Craney
Virginia Craney
Wesley Crays
Linda Cresgy
Mary Jane Crew
Sr. Lorraine Devault
Jim and Ruth Durlauf
Cindy Dwyer
Debbie Dyal
Curt Elliott
Julia Elliott
Patricia Ellis
Philip Erler
Joyce, Betty, John, & Mike Ervin
Jill Ernst
Kent Fellers
Dorothy Flynn
Anne Gebhardt
Candy Gootee

Dianna Gottwalles
Amanda Grafton
John Griggs
Manfred Groemminger
Jeff Grube
Shanna, Shirley & Wanda Harding
Michael, Pat, & Roy Hawkins
Clyde and Helen Hawkins
Jenny Hembree
Kathye Henninger
Mila Hornstein
Paul Hornstein
Jane Hovis
David Johnson
Megan Johnson
JJ (Jim) Jones
Jeff & Mona Jones
Irene Kaiser
James Lannan
Patty Lannan
Paula Lengacher
Mark Lehmkuhler
Kelly LeTourneau
Betty Lindley
Ryder Nolan Mason
Nancy (Miller) Marlow
Devon Marner
Bob McGuire
Jim & Sue Morrison
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
Mary Grace Schnarr
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
Doris Traylor
Frances Trout
Duane Thomas
Bill Vaughan
Tom Wagner
Rita Weaver
Rob Webster
Bobbie White
Gerald & Ruby Wilcoxon
Alvin & Martha Wilhelm
Rodney Wright

March Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

March 1:

Nick Bechtel
Beth Mathies
Joe Matthews

March 2:

Mary Anderson
Shirley Jeffers

March 3:

Joyce Bowman
Whitney Eller
Mary Ritchey
Travis Summers

March 4:

JD Graves
Donald Ritchey
Melinda Walker

March 5:

Steven Crays
Ann Wallace

March 6:

Nicholas Arvin
Mark Fields
Alexander Guinn
Katie Sims
Andrea Vaupel

March 7:

Ryan Gerkin

March 8:

Jamie Browder

Carolyn Crays
Jessica Downey
Evan Hager
Jeremy Holland
Nancy Jones
Robert Lannan
James Pankey

March 9:

Mark Bauer
Jennifer Combess
Wanda Harding

March 10:

Gary Burris
Jonathan Hager
Leah Lottes
Megan Lottes
James Tompkins
Keaton Smith

March 11:

Stephen Bradley
Luc Burch
James Salmon

March 12:

Mike Acker
Ben Blackwell
Josh Hager
Tammy Ritchey
Ange Salmon
Anna Sward

March 13:

Hailey Heshleman
Mary Lentz
John Lythgoe

Gil Toy
Donna Van Winkle

March 14:

George Abel
Matthew Green
Darin Holder
Sarah Todd

March 15:

Melanie Burch
Won Niemeyer
Brittany Walker

March 16:

William Cox
Gabriel Shinn
Clayton Thomas

March 17:

Patrick Arvin
Allison Graber
Barbara Holder
Patrick Holland
Curtis Johnson
Aaron Lents
Rick Taylor
Laura Wathen

March 18:

Madison Esch
Gerri Schnaus

March 19:

Karla Eckerle
Allen Henninger
Eva Ringwald

Lynette Smith
Daniell Summers
Amy Todd
Emmaline Toy

March 20:

Tom Strange
David Sutton
Donald Traylor

March 21:

Jamison Hennette

March 22:

William Arvin
Austin Bradley
Jennifer Clark
Harry Ellis
Margaret Krzesniak
Beverly Spaulding

March 23:

Max Blackwell
Pamela Clark
Cami Crays
Julia Sutton

March 24:

Adalyn Arvin
Ashlee Arvin
Allison Braun
Rita Elliot
April Sutton

March 25:

Terry Bradley
Mary Bowling
Chrislynn Holland
Rose Queen

Shelly Ringwald
Ashley Steiner
DeeDee Street

March 26:

Norman Bratton
Mary Jane Hovis

March 27:

John Arvin
Rose Bradley
Jacquelin Esch
Gabriel Nolley
Karen Norris

March 28:

Gene Colvin
Ronald Daugherty
Waynessa Franklin
Connie Norris
John Strange

March 29:

Kensleigh Carrico
Nicolette Smelser

March 30:

Deidre Bechtel
Robert Woods

March 31:

Lisa Taylor
Harper Tinkle