

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 11th

5:00 pm. Dick Walker, Wallace E. Mitchell,
Rose O'Connor, Gary Thompson

Sunday, April 12th

7:30 am. Barbara Prentice
10:30 am. Paul Wittmer, Stanley Hodges,
Betty Rasico, Lewis & Betty Pendleton

Monday, **at St. Joseph** April 13th

(W) 6:00 pm. Guy Padgett

Tuesday, April 14th

8:15 am. Paul Sweckard

Wednesday, April 15th

8:15 am. **Communion Service**

Thursday, April 16th

10:00am Parkview
6:00 pm Jim Bowling

Friday, April 17th

8:15 For the People

Saturday, April 18th

5:00 pm. John Stoll, Mary Ann Mitchell,
Paul J. Burch, Wanda Colvin

Sunday, April 19th

7:30 am. Anna Lou Mathias
10:30 am. Dolores Walker(A), Gary Williams,
Jeanne Esch, Jack Steiner

Ministers for April 11th/12th

SACRISTANS

5:00 pm Judy Ader
7:30 am George Erler
10:30 am Glenn McAtee

SERVERS:

5:00 pm Patrick Allbright, Jamison Henette,
Cassidy Esch, Emily Wade
7:30 am Jason and Craig Lubbehusen, Grace Foddrill,
Lindsey Rasico
10:30 am Rachel Robinson, Collin and Aaron Dant,
Sean Lents

GREETERS:

5:00 pm FD- Chuck and Carolyn Buxton
SD- Judy Blackwell, Rachel Doyle
7:30 am FD- Bruce and Lynn Hawkins
SD – Alice Boyd, Volunteer
10:30 am FD- Robinson Family
SD- Nancy Consley, Brenda Mathies

LECTORS:

5:00 pm Francis Doyle, Jill Wininger
7:30 am Brandon Eckerle, Tom Peter
10:30 am Lynn Bateman, Linda Cropp

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm Elaine Wade, Diane Schutte, Julie LaMar, Pat Daughtery, Tom Walker, Lynn Hawkins, Inger Johnson
7:30 am Darin/Jane Holder, Jerry Betty Huelsman, Rita Divine, Kathy Wittmer, Bruce Hawkins
10:30 am Andy Ringwald, Kenny Inman, Mark Bauer, Curt Johnson, Dayne Holder, Karen McAtee, Alan Lagree

From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

A special thank-you to all those who made our Holy Week and Easter Masses so prayerful and beautiful. I am most appreciative to Deacon Consley, Mark Potts, Paula Ringwald, Vicki Strange, Cam Ackerman, Tom McAtee, Noel Harty and Clara Bradley for all their hard work and attention to detail which are the hallmarks of well-planned ceremonies. So often we forget all the work that goes on behind the scenes which help to coordinate well-planned liturgies. Stephanie McAtee and Becky Summers did a beautiful job on decorating the church which lifted our minds to the new life and joy of Easter. Also, we are most grateful to Sue Morrison for all of the volunteer work she does each week at the rectory. In addition, our parish choirs, organists, cantors and musicians certainly added to the dignity of the Holy Week and Easter liturgies. I am most thankful to our servers, lectors, greeters, Eucharistic ministers, sacristans, ushers, and collection counters. A very special thank-you to Patrick Allbright, the Easter Bunny, and the youth group who assisted with the Easter Egg Hunt. All of this helped the “little ones” to be a part of our Easter celebrations!

We continue to make great progress with our Pictorial Directory. You still may sign up for the directory on line. The web site is www.stjohnloogootee.com. Please take advantage of these opportunities as we look forward to everyone's full participation. If you need help with signing up on line or you are unable to do so, please call the rectory and we will assist you.

May the Lord bless and keep you,
Father Walker.

We are looking for a couple Sacristans for Saturday night Mass at 5:00 PM. If you would like to do this, please call Mark at the office at 295-2225. Thanks.

Ministers for**April 18th/19th****Ministers for****SACRISTANS**

5:00 pm Julie LaMar
 7:30 am George Erler
 10:30 am Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 pm Patrick Allbright, Heather and Hannah Harshaw,
 Sebastian Toy
 7:30 am Olivia Wininger, Adie Nolley,
 Bryant Eckerle, Grace Foddrill
 10:30 am Bryce Boyd, Max and Seth Blackwell,
 Kylie VanHoy

GREETERS:

5:00 pm FD- Donna Van Winkle
 SD- Joyce Conlon, Joe/Vicki Doyle
 7:30 am FD- Mike and Roseann Morris
 SD- Annette Taylor, John/Diane Vaupel
 10:30 am FD - Kara, Jarrett, Ashlee Arvin
 SD- Sue Morrison, Gayle Strange

LECTORS:

5:00 pm Amy Todd, Maddie Strange
 7:30 am Jerry Padgett, Greg Potts
 10:30 am Bryce Boyd, John Walker

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm	Alice Weisheit, Charles/Carolyn Buxton, John Crays, Jill Wininger, Linda Wickman, Janet Matthews
7:30 am	Annette Taylor, Richard Kluesner, Jan McDowell, Donna Heshelman, Sue David, Bernie Smith, George Erler
10:30 am	Gayle Strange, Peter McDowell, Tom/Stephanie McAtee, Linda Cropp, Greg/Lynn Bateman

Youth News**with Mark Potts**

Thanks to those students who helped with the Easter Egg Hunt last Sunday. Those who helped out were **Patrick Allbright (Easter Bunny), Jessica Browder, Justin Clark, Brandon Eckerle, Cassidy Esch, Jonathon Hager, Corbin Henninger, and Rachel Robinson.**

The next Euchre Party will be Thursday, April 30th at 6:45 PM after the 6:00 PM Mass. Anyone is welcome to come and play! There will be prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places along with most lones. Thanks to all who have come in the past and donated to the Youth Group. Any student wanting to come and help out (pass out drinks, set up tables, count scores, give out prizes) may do so. Be at the Center at 6:15 to help set up!! Thank you!

We will be calling Bingo at Ketcham Memorial Center starting back in May. Look in the bulletin the upcoming weeks to see the date and time we will be leaving.

Sunday Religion Class Helpers

April 12 th	Shannon Burch & Jill Toy
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Sunday Collection April 4th/5th 2015

St. John:	263 Envelopes (877 families)	\$ 13,095.01
Holy Places		\$1,286.26
Rice Bowl		\$3,081.76

Letters for our Catholic Parish Campaign have been mailed out to all the households. The theme this year is "**Whatever is taken up...becomes an instrument of the Spirit.**" 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 **\$147,470.00** and we ask each family to contribute **\$330.00** which is based on the number of those who gave \$50 or more last year to the parish, 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! – Fr. Walker.

Religious Education News with Paula Ringwald**FAITH FORMATION**

pringwald@evdio.org

Elementary K-6 & 9th Grade (Confirmation Class)

Religious Ed. Classes: 8:45-10:15

Breakfast will be provided. **Last class for elem. April 12th.**

We will be reciting the Divine Mercy Chaplet at the beginning of class.

Vacation Bible School: June 22-26 at 6-8:00pm (More info to follow. If you would be interested in helping, please call Paula at 812-295-2225.)**First Communion Practice:** April 15th after school.**Confirmation Practice:** April 22nd at 8:00pm**Grades 7,8,10,11,12)**

Religious Ed. Classes: 7:00-8:15 pm

Adult**Rosary:** recited every Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 7:45-8:15am**Adoration:** Thursday unless there is a funeral-
Babysitting from 1:00-3:00.**Bible Study:** Off for summer break. Resume Sept. 13th**Divine Mercy Sunday Prayer Service:** April 12th @ 2:00**Retreat Team Meeting:** April 20th at 7:00 upper level**RCIA Inquiry Session:** April 20th**Fish Fry Wrap-up Meeting:** Sunday April 12th at 5:00**Family****First Communion:** April 19th @ 10:30 mass**Confirmation:** April 26th @ 10:30 mass**May Crowning:** May 10th @ 10:30 mass**Senior Mass:** May 17th @ 10:30 mass**MUSIC MINISTRY****Children's Choir:** Has ended for the season. We will start up again Sept. 8th**Folk Group Practice:** Tuesday at 7:30 pm.**Adult Choirs and Musicians:**

April 11/12	5:00 Musician-Lynn	Cantor-Gianna
	7:30 Musician-Sandy	Cantor-Carolyn
	10:30 Musician-Julie	Cantor- Alan

April 18/19	5:00 Musician-Rick	Cantor-Mary
	7:30 Musician-Sandy	Cantor-Carolyn
	10:30 Musician-Lynn	Cantor- Choir

Up-Coming Events

This Week at St. John Parish

Sunday, April 12th

Divine Mercy Sunday-2:00 pm
Fish Fry Wrap-Up Meeting-5:00pm

Monday, April 13th

(S) St. Mary Eucharistic Adoration-9:00am to noon
Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm
Circle of Peace Prayer Meeting- 1:00 pm
(B) Confessions at St. Joseph - 5:15 to 5:45pm
(B) Mass at St. Joseph - 6:00pm
Altar Society meeting-7:00 pm

Tuesday, April 14th

Kof C 4th degree- 6:30 pm

Wednesday, April 15th

(W) St. Martin Eucharistic Adoration-3:00 pm to 7:00pm
First Communion Practice: April 15th after school.

Thursday, April 16th

(L) Eucharistic Adoration 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Friday, April 17th

Quilters 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Saturday, April 18th

Private Confessions- 4:00 pm

Sunday, April 19th

First Communion students will be having their own family parties following their Eucharistic celebration.

Parishioners are invited to a reception, hosted by our Hospitality Committee, following the Confirmation and Senior Masses.

St Joseph Cemetery- In preparation of the mowing season, St. Joseph Cemetery committee asks that you please remove all worn/dated flowers and decorations on the headstones and on the ground before the mowing season. What is not removed will be removed by the committee. Thank you for your help in keeping our cemetery beautiful!

Baby Bottle Boomerang for the Washington Pregnancy Care Center:

The Annual Baby Bottle Boomerang Campaign will soon be underway here at St. John. Starting April 11 and the next 2 weekends the baby bottles will be available at the doors of the church for anyone who would like to take one home and fill it with your loose change. It should be noted that the Baby Bottle Boomerang is their major fund raising project for the year. So please be as generous as possible and return your bottles in the baskets in the back of the church before or after the Saturday or Sunday masses.

If you choose to take a bottle home, please return the bottle to the back of the church even if you are not able to contribute.

Any questions, feel free to contact Denny Smith at 259-5593 or 636-4852 for additional information.

Missed Flowers- Agnes Taylor, Maureen Guy, Maureen Baxter

Yard Sale-Loogootee is having its first annual town wide yard sale this year the weekend of May 1st. It's \$10 to host a yard sale which will pay for signs and newspaper advertisements. Any funds left over from the fees will go to the Loogootee Pool Fund. Anyone who would like to host a sale may contact Julie Lagree at 812-630-0174 or julielagree@gmail.com for more info.

Terri Sullivan Callaway Scholarship: America is facing a critical shortage of nurses of all categories due to the aging population of baby boomers. Salary and benefits are rising to encourage people to enter this field. In addition nursing qualifies as one of the most personally fulfilling of all occupations. To address this crisis, Tom and Sue Strange established a nursing scholarship endowment fund with the Martin County Community Foundation to financially assist aspiring young people to pursue the nursing profession. This scholarship is open to one graduating senior this year that will enroll at a university to pursue an education in the field of nursing. The student must be registered member of St. John Catholic Church. Applications will be available at the back of the church. Please, return by April 22, 2015. Applications should be mailed to Community Foundation Partnership, PO Box 1235, Bedford, IN 47421. For more information call Dan Gregory Interim Director of the Community Foundation at 812-295-1022 or email mccf@rtccom.net. Martin County

DIRECTORY UPDATE

Several people have signed up for their portrait session for the directory. If you have not signed up yet, please do so. Remember that you can still sign up online. If you need help, please call the rectory and we will assist you.

Every effort will be made to include shut-ins & Military in the directory. If you know of a shut-in and those who are serving in the Military who would like to be included in the directory please call Stephanie McAtee at 812-295-3835 and she will work with you.

We are currently collecting pictures to include in the activity pages of our parish directory. If you have any pictures from any parish events since July 1, 2014 (Including Baptisms, youth group events, etc.) that you would like to share, please email them to julielagree@gmail.com

INQUIRY SESSION

If you are a non-Catholic who is curious about our beliefs, practices, or teachings, or if you know someone who is, please encourage them to attend the next Inquiry Session on April 20th at 6:00pm.

Remember Them in Prayer

Prayer Line Contacts: the office at 812-295-2225

Betty Huelsman 812-636-4465 email: gbhuel@gmail.com

Rachel Doyle 295-2740 Rita Ash 295-2619

Please pray for all the sick of our parish.



Peggy Arvin, Mary Charlene Burr, Vivian Beard, Dee Bechtel, Marilyn Beemblossom, John Blanton, Dorothy Blessinger, Linda Blessinger, Michael Bowers, Barbara, Jr., Larry & Wyatt Boyd, Clara Bradley, Wanda Bradley, Avaley Braun, Laura Ann Brown, Marilyn Burch, Don & Paul Cave, Scott Dye, Anne Gebhardt, Bobbie Cherry, Linda Cresgy, Fred Doyle, Jim Durlauf, Breana Dules, Georgia Elliott, Curt Elliott, Patricia Ellis, Jean Ellis, Jim Ellis, Philip Erler, Kent Fellers, Lynn Gee, Joyce, Betty, John, Mike Ervin, Jill Ernst, Dorothy Flynn, Jay and Margaret Garrett, Candy Gootee, Dianna Gottwalles, Amanda Grafton, Keith Greenwell, John Griggs, Manfred Groemminger, Jeff Grube, Shanna, Shirley and Wanda Harding, Ellie Hassfurther, Clyde, Helen, Michael, Pat, and Roy Hawkins, Marlin Holt, Reagan Hopf, Paul Hornstein, Pauline Hotz, Jane Hovis, JJ (Jim) Jones, David Johnson, Kathleen and Keith Johnson, Megan Johnson, Irene Kaiser, James Lannan, Norma Lannan, Patty Lannan Louise Lee, Paula Lengacher, Kelly LeTourneau, Mark Lehmkuhler, Betty Lindley, Nancy (Miller) Marlow, Bob McGuire, Wally Mitchell, Jim and Sue Morrison, Alice Myrum, Robin Myers, Jim, Pam, Lucas and Rob Niemeyer, Don & Pam Olson, Jon Orth, Riley Osmon, Emil Oster, Pam Owens, John Padgett, Teresa Pevlor, Meg Pew, Betty and Jiggs Pieper, Georgia Anna Ragsdale, Charles Rasico, Judy Rasico, Hyla Richter, 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, Freda Stringer, Rosemary Stuckey, Marcia Stemle, Susie Stemle, Bonnie & Joe Summers, Ed Summers, Maureen Thomas, Troy Tow, Karcyn Trambaugh, Frances Trout, George Templin, Duane Thomas, Tom Wagner, Rob Webster, Rita & Dewey Weaver, Joe Wehr, Bobbie White, Gerald and Ruby Wilcoxon, Alvin & Martha Wilhelm & family, Bryan & Kristi & Baby, Brooklyn, & Katie Wilhelm, Rodney Wright.

If you would like to have your name or a loved one's name listed for prayer, please call 812-295-2225.

Happy Birthday

April 12

Bryce Baker
Mykle Bateman
Brandon Bledsoe
Tina Crane
John Fegan
Edward Lents
Erin Nelson
Gary Rasico
Andrew Ringwald
Abbie Williams

April 13

Michael Smith
Nancy Smith

April 14

Ashlee Byrd
Linda Divine
Cale William Greene
Wilmer Lundy
Sarah Mullen

Ilene Walker

April 15

Bertha Bruner
Phillip Hart
Colin Hoffman
Karen Inman
Connie Jones
Ashlee Kender
Philip Poirier
Ellen Smith
Luke Williams

April 16

Helen Acton
Geroge Carrico
Margaret Flinn
Judy Pankey
Mallorie Sutton

April 17

Patrick Strange
David Taylor

April 18

Mark Arvin
Jason Bradley
Scott Callison
Maxwell Lannan Christmas
Sheldan Lee Christmas
Anna Lou Mathias

April 19

Marjorie Arvin
Kenneth Bradley
Patti Byrd
Soham Shishodia
Brittani Truelove

