

# Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 1<sup>st</sup>

5:00pm Mary Matthews Doyle, Sue Strange,  
Anna Lou Mathias, Kevin Sweckard

Sunday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>

7:30 am. Gloria Lehr  
10:30 am. Virginia Toy, Joe Ringwald,  
Jerry Bradley, Raymond S. Friedman

Monday St. Mary August 3<sup>rd</sup>

(S) 6:00 pm Wes Cooper

Tuesday, August 4<sup>th</sup>

8:15 am. Reverend William J. Wargel

Wednesday, August 5<sup>th</sup>

6:00 pm. Beverly Summers

Thursday, August 6<sup>th</sup>

8:15 am Kenny McCann (A)

10:00 am Mass at MCNC

Friday, August 7<sup>th</sup>

8:15 am. For the People

Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>

5:00pm Keith Yarnell(A), Buck & Afra Green,  
Robert Blackwell, Jennie Summers Boyd

Sunday, August 9<sup>th</sup>

7:30 am. Helen Ellis

10:30 am. Joseph L. Mattingly, Eugene Wilcoxon,  
Donald Greene, Darvin Holder

Ministers for August 1<sup>st</sup> /2<sup>nd</sup>

### SACRISTANS

5:00 pm. Rachel Doyle

7:30 am. Bud Erler

10:30 am. Glenn McAtee

### SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Patrick Allbright, Maelee Hawkins,  
Ethan Todd, Jamison Hennette

7:30 am. Jason and Craig Lubbehusen,  
Olivia Wininger, Grace Foddrill

10:30 am. Maddie Strange, Kylie VanHoy,  
India Arvin, Jody and Nathan Seals

### GREETERS:

5:00 pm. FD- Joe and Vicky Doyle

SD- Donna VanWinkle, Barbara Stoll

7:30 am. FD- Tom/Chris Peter

SD- Darin/Jane Holder

10:30 am. FD- Sue Morrison

SD-Nancy Consley, Brenda Mathies

### LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Pat Daugherty, Allyson Mudd

7:30 am. Maureen Thomas, Jerry Lubbehusen

10:30 am. Rhi Graves, Lynn Bateman

### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

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

7:30 am Jerry Lubbehusen, Peg Neidigh, Bernie Smith,  
Kathy Wittmer, Jill Wininger, Bruce/Lynn Hawkins

10:30 am. Gary Rasico, Peter McDowell, Gayle Strange,  
Karen McAtee, Dayne Holder, Curt Johnson, Mark Bauer

## From Our Pastor

**My dear friends in Christ,**

In the sanctuary you will notice the portrait of Father Louis Gueguen, which was recently painted by Pauline Hotz. As many of you will remember, Father Gueguen built the present St. John the Evangelist Church before the wings were added. Father Gueguen is important to our new parish as he also founded St. Mary in Shoals and St. Martin in Whitfield. He even supervised the building of both churches. It is our intention to hang the portrait above the entrance of the church in the vestibule. I have a special fondness for Father Gueguen as he is my great-great uncle and I am most appreciative to Pauline for her rendering of him.

Last weekend at all the Masses I spoke about the change in our religious education program for this new school year. We have decided to return our **religious education classes to Mondays & Wednesdays**. The young children will be meeting after school on Monday or Wednesdays at 3:30 to 4:30, while the high school students will continue to attend on Wednesday evenings 7:00 to 8:15. When we moved the classes to Sunday morning, we did lose a number of students. My desire is to have as many attending as possible and I do plan to continue to be directly involved in the Religious Education Program. This is an integral part of parish life; for that reason, Paula Ringwald and Mark Potts are key people who assist me in this most important vocation. Our public schools in the area have for some time now set aside Wednesdays for church services and I think it is wise that we once again take advantage of this opportunity. For those who are unable to attend on Monday or Wednesday after school we will make arrangements for them at another time. I will help instruct these students so they will not be left out.

There will be an opportunity at the end of each of the Masses to register your children for the religious education program. Please take advantage of this so that we will know the number of students to plan for in each class. I pray that Almighty God will bless our efforts and bring about good results.

**May the Lord bless and keep you,**

Father Walker.

**Ministers for August 8<sup>th</sup> / 9<sup>th</sup>**

**SACRISTANS**

5:00 pm. Judy Ader  
 7:30 am. Bud Erler  
 10:30 am. Samantha Nelson

**SERVERS:**

5:00 pm. Patrick Allbright, Cassidy Esch, Sebastian Toy, Jace Toy  
 7:30 am. Brandon and Bryant Eckerle, Adie Nolley, Olivia Wininger  
 10:30 am. Carson Rayhill, Mason Harder, Max and Seth Blackwell

**GREETERS:**

5:00 pm. FD- Anne Marie Crays  
 SD- Volunteer, Mary Lou Harding  
 7:30 am. FD- Alice Boyd  
 SD- Rita Poirier, John/Diane Vaupel  
 10:30 am. FD- Chuck Robinson Family  
 SD- Abbie Williams, Denny Smith

**LECTORS:**

5:00 pm. Helen Acton, Amy Todd  
 7:30 am. Judy Kluesner, Betty Huelsman  
 10:30 am. Kenny Inman, Mary Ringwald

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:**

5:00 pm.	Elaine Wade, Donna Ader, Janet Matthews, Linda Wickman, John Crays, Charles and Carolyn Buxton
7:30 am.	Richard Kluesner, Jan McDowell, Annette Taylor, Rita Divine, Jerry/Betty Huelsman, Donna Heshelman
10:30 am.	Kenny Inman, Andy Ringwald, Greg/Lynn Bateman, Tom/Stephanie McAtee, Brenda Mathies

**Youth News with Mark Potts**

We have started a prayer group for the Youth. It is held Mondays, at 3:30 PM. We plan on making this a weekly group. If you would like to come, please be at the Center at 3:30 on Monday.

Thanks to all the people who made our trip to the National Shrine of our Lady of Snows a success on Thursday. We had lunch at the Shrine, followed by a tour of the place, and ended with Mass with Father Walker and Father Clarence. It was a great time for all who came and enjoyed the day. **A big thanks to all the students who came and participated in the event. The students included Jake Carrico, Aaron Dant, Collin Dant, Bailey Dearwester, Christopher Hager, Jonathan Hager, Conner Hedrick, Cora Hedrick, Jamison Hennette, Macy McAtee, Carson Rayhill, Jace Toy, and John Wagoner.** Also, thank you to the chaperones who came and helped out including Patrick Allbright, Casey Hamilton, Noel Harty, Shirley Jeffers, Paula Ringwald, and Father Walker.

**Sunday Collection July 25<sup>th</sup> / 26<sup>th</sup> 2015**  
 St. John 251 Envelopes (877 families) \$ 9,739.00

**Religious Education News with Paula Ringwald**

**FAITH FORMATION** pringwald@evdio.org

**Elementary K-6**

*Religious Ed. Classes:* Will Resume on August 17<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> from 3:30-4:30. Arrangements will be made for those students in the outlying school systems that can't make it to the afternoon classes.

*Teacher Meeting:* August 10<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> at 3:30

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

*Religious Ed. Classes:* will resume on August 19<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 -8:15.

*Teacher Meeting:* August 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00.

We are asking all children to register for religious education classes this year. Forms can be found at the doors of the church. You can put completed applications in the collection basket, in the "other" mailbox at the parish office, or mail it to St. John the Evangelist Parish, 408 Church Street, Loogootee, IN 47553. Registration this year is very important because we are trying to work out transportation for these two afternoons with the school system.

**Adult**

*Bible Study:* Will resume Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>.

*Retreat Meeting:* Monday August 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 at St. John's Center- upper level.

The retreat committee will be repeating the spiritual experience "Catching Fire Becoming Flame" on Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> for 9:00 -3:00 at St. Martin's in Whitfield. Babysitting will be provided at St. John's for those needing this service. Reservation forms can be found at the doors of the church.

**Teachers are needed** for both Monday and Wednesday afternoon, and Wednesday evening. Please search your heart and see if God is leading you in that direction. We are adopting the Sadler Program this year instead of the Pflaum for grades K-9<sup>th</sup>.

**MUSIC MINISTRY**

*Children's Choir:* We will start up again Sept. 8<sup>th</sup>

*Folk Group Practice:* **Tuesday** at 7:30 pm.

*Adult Choirs and Musicians:*

Aug. 1 <sup>st</sup> /2 <sup>nd</sup>	Musician- Rick	Cantor-Leslie
	7:30 Musician- Sandy	Cantor-Carolyn
	10:30 Musician -Lynn	Cantor- Paula
Aug. 8 <sup>th</sup> /9 <sup>th</sup>	Musician- Lynn	Cantor-Gianna
	7:30 Musician- Sandy	Cantor-Carolyn
	10:30 Musician -Rick	Cantor- Paula

## Up-Coming Events

### This Week at St. John Parish

**Sunday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Men's Club Meeting-7:00pm- Whitfield Hall

**Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>**

(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

(S) Confessions at St. Mary- 5:15 to 5:45pm

(S) Mass at St Mary. - 6:00pm

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

**Tuesday, August 4<sup>th</sup>**

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

Folk Group Practice: Tuesday at 7:30 pm.

**Wednesday, August 5<sup>th</sup>**

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

**Thursday, August 6<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- **NO BABYSITTING**

**Friday, August 7<sup>th</sup>**

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

Quilters 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

**Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>**

Private Confessions-4:00 pm

**Blood Drive:** at the Christian Resource Center in Shoals on August 12<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 to 7:00pm

**Blood Drive:** at the United Methodist Church on August 13<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 to 7:00 pm.

The 2016 Engaged Encounter brochure for the Diocese of Evansville can now be found at the Catholic Charities Engaged Encounter webpage:  
<http://www.charitiesevv.org/engaged-encounter.html>

**Consecration dates for this fall:  
September 3<sup>rd</sup> – October 7<sup>th</sup> (Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary)**

*“In times of darkness, holding the Rosary Beads is like holding your Blessed Mother’s hand” – unknown*

*“Prayer is powerful beyond limits when we turn to the Immaculate who is queen even of God’s heart” – St. Maximilian Kolbe.*

### Save the Date

Religion Teacher Meeting :August 10<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 & Aug. 12<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 & 7:00

First Day of Religion: August 17<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>

St. Martin Hog Roast- August 30<sup>th</sup>

Catching Fire Becoming Flame Retreat-Sept.19

Fall Festival- Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>

Cursillo Retreat - Men’s Oct. 8-11,  
Women’s Nov. 5-8.

**Learn improved diabetes self-care** through a free program held from Sept. 10, 2015 through Oct. 8, 2015 held at St. Joseph’s Catholic Church, Jasper, IN. The Motivation program is open for those between 18-85 years of age with type 2 diabetes. The program is being held through faith communities and is open to people of all faiths. Participants will receive diabetes education and be part of a project to improve care for people with diabetes. This program is being held by certified diabetes educator, Janet Meyer MSN, RN as part of her doctoral research project. Those interested should register by calling 812-639-0318.

### Fresh-Squeezed Lemonade

**When Sunday:** August 2<sup>nd</sup>-1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

**Where:** 706 North Line Street

**Who:** LiLi Lukomski

**Why:** In celebration of her mom’s strokiversary and all that she’s learned about turning life’s lemons into lemonade. All proceeds go to benefit the MCHS because they help our communities animals turn life’s lemons into lemonade.

**Cursillo Retreat:** Men’s Oct. 8-11, Women’s Nov. 5-8. We currently have 2 or 3 attending. This is a wonderful opportunity to spend a quiet weekend getting closer to God. For more information please call Paula Ringwald at the rectory or leave a message on the answering machine. I will call you back.

If you are concerned with the condition of our world and have an hour on Monday afternoon, please join The Circle of Peace Prayer Group. They meet every other Monday at 1:00pm in church. The next meeting will be August 3<sup>rd</sup>.

## 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.



Lynette Arvin, Marilyn Arvin, Marjorie Arvin, Claudia & Jim Bennett, Theresa Berry, Mary Charlene Burr, Vivian Beard, Dee Bechtel, John Blanton, Dorothy Blessinger, Linda Blessinger, Michael Bowers, Barbara, Jr., Larry & Wyatt Boyd, Wanda Bradley, Clarence E. Bradley, Avaley Braun, Laura Ann Brown, Don & Paul Cave, Gretchen & Noah Childress, Wanda Cooper, Wesley Crays, Bobbie Cherry, Linda Cresgy, Mary Jane Crew, Sr. Lorraine Devault, Jim Durlauf, Debbie Dyal, Curt Elliott, Patricia Ellis, Philip Erler, Kent Fellers, Anna Fields, Joyce, Betty, John, Mike Ervin, Jill Ernst, Dorothy Flynn, Jay and Margaret Garrett, Anne Gebhardt, Candy Gootee, Dianna Gottwalles, Amanda Grafton, John Griggs, Manfred Groemminger, Jeff Grube, Shanna, Shirley and Wanda Harding, Ellie Hassfurther, Michael, Pat, and Roy Hawkins, Helen Hawkins, Jenny Hembree, Marlin Holt, Reagan Hopf, Paul Hornstein, Jane Hovis, JJ (Jim) Jones, David Johnson, Megan Johnson, Jeff & Mona Jones, Irene Kaiser, James Lannan, Patty Lannan Louise Lee, Paula Lengacher, Kelly LeTourneau, Mark Lehmkuhler, Betty Lindley, Nancy (Miller) Marlow, Bob McGuire, Jim & Sue Morrison, Alice Myrum, Jennifer Neumann, Lucas, Pam and Rob Niemeyer, Riley Osmon, Emil Oster, Pam Owens, John Padgett, Teresa Pevlor, Meg Pew, Betty and Jiggs Pieper, Georgia Anna Ragsdale, Charles 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, George Templin, Maureen Thomas, Chelsea Tinkle, Troy Tow, Karcyn Trambaugh, Frances Trout, George Templin, Duane Thomas, Bill Vaughan, Tom Wagner, Rita & Dewey Weaver, Rob Webster, Bobbie White, Gerald and Ruby Wilcoxon, Alvin & Martha 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**

The following are the birthdays of those who have registered in the parish.



### **August 2**

Michael Jones  
Troy Smith  
Jenner Strange  
Miranda Taylor

### **August 3**

Norbert Burch  
Gracelyn Byrer  
Faye Holland  
Jeffery Horney  
Holly Mathias

### **August 4**

Blake Lee Burch  
Jim Chandler  
Dan Christmas  
Kim Crowley  
Jody Hawkins  
Jonathan Krzesniak

### **August 4**

Ethan Mathias  
William Nonte  
Sophia Toy  
Taylor Truelove  
Summer Wade

### **August 5**

Allyson Arvin  
Hunter Crays  
Mark Jones  
Karen Mathias

### **August 6**

Kelli Mathias  
**August 6**  
Callie Browder  
Jarred Byrd  
Mary Fowler  
Rick Johnson  
Justin Killion

### **August 7**

Stacy Berry  
Brady Lents  
Kay Matthews

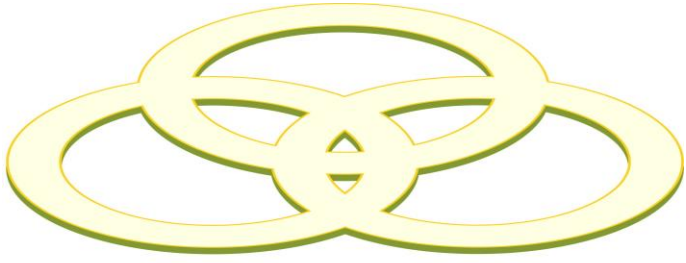
### **August 8**

Cary Bledsoe  
Andy Bruner  
Meghan Mathias  
Jeanette Templin

### **August 9**

Megan Ader  
Anthony Michael Arvin  
Bryant Eckerle  
Jeffery Farrell  
Jeff Hyllested  
Nicholas Spurgeon  
Waylee Wagoner  
Robert Lee Wathen  
Rhett Whitney





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