

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 22nd

5:00pm Ralph Melton, Kathye Henninger ,
Fr. Forrest William Strange, Fred A & Rose Doyle

Sunday, August 23rd

7:30 am. Luke Love
10:30 am. Mary Walker Lockhart, Jane Ann Gates,
David R. Davidson, Melinda Gates

Monday St. Mary August 24th

(S) 6:00 pm Reese Boyd

Tuesday, August 25th

8:15 am. Carl & Louise Livers

Wednesday, August 26th

6:15 pm. For the People

Thursday, August 27th

8:15 am Victor & Terry Beckman

Friday, August 28th

8:15 am. Linda Hays

Saturday, August 29th

5:00pm Becky Bullock, Wanda Colvin,
Jenny Strange, Donnie Wininger

Sunday, August 30th

7:30 am. Dr. Steve Downey

10:30 am. Margaret A. Smith, James Bowling,
Chester Lee Harding, Jim Love

Ministers for August 22nd /23th

SACRISTANS

5:00 pm. Chuck and Carolyn Buxton

7:30 am. Bud Erler

10:30 am. Glenn McAtee

SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Patrick Allbright, Emily Wade,
Caden Chandler, Maelee Hawkins

7:30 am. Brandon and Bryant Eckerle,
Jason and Craig Lubbehusen

10:30 am. Nathaniel Hart, Logan Jacobs,
Jody and Nathan Seals

GREETERS:

5:00 pm. FD- Rachel Doyle
SD- Volunteer, Mary Lou Harding

7:30 am. . FD- Tom/Chris Peter
SD- Greg/Dottie Potts

10:30 am FD- Kara/Jarrett/Ashlee Arvin
SD- Sue Morrison, Lonnie Hawkins

LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Jace Toy, Cassidy Esch

7:30 am. Tom Peter, Greg Potts

10:30 am. Gil Toy, Jessica Browder

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm. Elaine Wade, Donna Ader, Janet Matthews,
Linda Wickman, John Crays, Charles and Carolyn Buxton

7:30 am. Bernie Smith, George Erler, Jerry Lubbehusen,
Peg Neidigh, Rita Divine, Kathy Wittmer, Annette Taylor

10:30 am. Kenny Inman, Andy Ringwald,
Greg/Lynn Bateman, Tom/Stephanie McAtee, Brenda Mathies

From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

It is with great pleasure that I announce that Pauline Hotz was nominated by our parish council for the Simon Bruté Award which is given by the diocese for outstanding service and dedication. This award will be presented on All Saints Day (Nov. 1st) by Bishop Thompson at St. Benedict Cathedral in Evansville.

As you know, Pauline has lived an exemplary life dedicated to her family, the church, and our community. She is a renowned artist and has helped in our merger process with her beautiful painting depicting the individual church steeples coming into the new St. John Parish which has become our logo. Pauline also did a painting of the old St. John School which so many of our parishioners attended. Pauline's most recent painting was of Fr. Louis Gueguen who built the present St. John the Evangelist Church, St. Mary Church in Shoals, and St. Martin Church in Whitfield, all of which also has great meaning to us. I know that I am very proud of Pauline and believe her to be an outstanding choice as the first recipient of the Bruté Award from our new St. John the Evangelist Parish.

This past Wednesday marked the beginning of our religious education classes for this year. We began the afternoon classes at the Loogootee Elementary School from 3:30 to 4:40 which was a tremendous start with over 100 students attending. I am very thankful to Dr. Keller and the Loogootee School System for giving us this opportunity to be able to reach so many of our students. We are equally thankful to our religious education teachers who are giving their time to go to the Loogootee school to share their faith and knowledge with our students. The evening classes for the high school program were held at the St. John Center and they, too, have gotten off to a good start. We are making a change in the Wednesday Mass schedule from 6:00 to 6:15 to encourage our students from grades 7 to 12 to attend Mass before religion class. This will give our youth the opportunity to have full participation in the Mass. A special thank you to Paula Ringwald, our teachers, Cam Ackerman and the parish staff for working in harmony to share our faith so that our children may know more about the Lord and what it means to have a personal relationship with Him.

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

This Week at St. John Parish

Monday, August 24th

(B) St. Joseph Eucharistic Adoration-9:00 am to 1:00
Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm
Youth Group-3:30 Prayer Group
(S) Confessions at St. Mary- 5:15 to 5:45pm
(S) Mass at St Mary - 6:00pm
Retreat Meeting 7:00at the Center
Cemetery Board Meeting- 7:00 at the Center

Tuesday, August 25th

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am
Folk Group Practice: Tuesday at 7:30 pm.

Wednesday, August 26th

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

Thursday, August 27th

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-
Christian Mothers- 6:00 at the Center

Friday, August 28th

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am
Quilters 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Saturday, August 29th

Private Confessions-4:00 pm

Religious Education News with Paula Ringwald

FAITH FORMATION pringwald@evdio.org

Elementary K-6

Religious Ed. Classes: Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30
at the Loogootee Elementary, had a great first week.
Over 100 kids showed up. **Teachers and helpers
are still needed.**

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

Religious Ed. Classes: Wednesdays from 7:00 -8:15.

Sunday Collection Aug. 15th / 16th 2015

St. John 261 Envelopes (877 families) \$ 9,858.00
Assumption of Mary 481.00

Golden Jubilee Celebration-Bishop Charles C. Thompson invites couples married 50 years and longer to celebrate with a Mass of Jubilee and reception following The Golden Jubilee is Sunday, October 18, 2015 at one o'clock pm EDT at St Joseph Church, 1029 Kundek Street, Jasper. If you have not yet responded and want to register, contact Kathy Wilkerson at 812-423-5456 or email her at kwilkerson@evdio.org. by September 10, 2015. The Celebration is sponsored by Catholic Charities.

Save the Date

St. Martin Hog Roast- August 30th
Catching Fire Becoming Flame Retreat-Sept.19

Fall Festival- Oct. 4th

**Christian Mothers Society and Altar Society
members are encouraged to start crafting for the
Country Store at the Fall Festival!**

Cursillo Retreat - Men's Oct. 8-11,

Youth News with Mark Potts

Youth Prayer Group is continuing on Monday's at 3:30 right after school. Meet at the Center!

The annual Men's Club Hog Roast will be on Sunday, August 30th at St. Martin's Hall. We are looking for student volunteers to come and help out. There will be two shifts: 1) 11:00 AM -12:15 PM, 2) 12:15- 1:30 PM. If you would like to volunteer, please let me know!

We will be having a euchre tourney on Thursday, September 3rd in the upper level of the St. John Center at 6:00 PM for anyone who wants to participate. We will have prizes for 1st place, 2nd place, 3rd place, and a prize for most lones. Please try to come in pairs so we do not have an odd number!!

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Ministers for August 29th / 30th 2015

SACRISTANS

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

SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Patrick Allbright, Ethan Todd,
Jamison Hennette, Sebastian Toy
7:30 am. Olivia Winniger, Grace Foddrill,
Adie Nolley, Bryant Eckerle
10:30 am. Kaylin Harris, Maddie Strange,
Kylie VanHoy, India Arvin

GREETERS:

5:00 pm. FD- Joe and Vicky Doyle
SD- Donna VanWinkle, Barbara Stoll
7:30 am. FD- Doug/Peg Neidigh
SD- Jerry/Betty Huelsman, Kathy Wittmer
10:30 am. FD- Dan/Barbara Gregory
SD- Nancy Consley, Brenda Mathies

LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Tom Walker, Allyson Mudd
7:30 am. Brandon Eckerle, Jerry Padgett
10:30 am. Lynn Bateman, Linda Cropp

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm. Patrick Allbright, Alice Weisheit, Inger Johnson,
Tom Walker, Pat Daugherty, Julie LaMar,
7:30 am. Richard Kluesner, Jan McDowell, Jill Winger,
Tom/Chris Peter, Sue David, Bernie Smith
10:30 am. Gary Rasico, Peter McDowell, Gayle Strange,
Karen McAtee, Dayne Holder, Curt Johnson, Volunteer

