

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

We give thanks and praise for our Holy Father, Pope Francis' visit this past week to the United States! His address to the Congress and indeed to all Americans was one of hope, reconciliation, and mercy. We are called to ponder our Holy Father's message and take his words to heart doing our very best to make this country a better place. Let us keep Pope Francis in our prayers that he will be safe and continue to impact our world. His visit to the United State was truly a historical moment!

A special thank-you to a generous couple of the parish who donated the beautiful Book of Gospels that we are using this weekend. Normally, the new Book of Gospels will be used for special liturgies but I wanted to give you an opportunity to see it this weekend. The couple who made this donation wishes to remain anonymous but I ask you to keep them in your prayers for their continued good health and happiness.

Next Sunday, October 4th, will be our first annual **Fall Festival**. This year we are highlighting the fall festival as a **2015 Homecoming!** We will begin with an outdoor Mass at 12 Noon (the 10:30 Mass will be cancelled) followed by fun, games, a country store, and lots of treats to eat. There is a flyer in the bulletin describing the day's activities along with a map of the various booths. I am very thankful to the fall festival committee for all their hard work in making this a reality. I look forward to seeing you on October 4th for our parish homecoming!

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

“Some people have been asking about donating items for the Country Store at the Fall Festival. Originally, it was decided to have only the members of the Christian Mothers and Altar Society to supply items as a fund raiser. Since others are interested, all items will be accepted from anyone but with the understanding that the proceeds will be going to the societies.” Thanks bunches.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Sept. 26th

5:00pm John Hunt, Bob Hart,
Bertha L. Bruner, Alma Walker

Sunday, Sept. 27th

7:30 am. Lester Padgett
10:30 am. Wallace E Mitchell, Margaret A. Smith,
Dorothy Acker, Downey & Dunning Families

Monday **St. Joseph** Sept. 28th

(B) 6:00 pm Andrew Kohler

Tuesday, Sept. 29th

8:15 am. Dr. Floyd & Patricia Gates

Wednesday, Sept. 30th

6:15 pm Carl & Louise Livers

Thursday, Oct. 1st

8:15 am Jerry Bradley

10:00am Mass at MCNC

Friday, Oct. 2nd

8:15 am. For the People

Saturday, Oct. 3rd

5:00pm Joe Ringwald, Jennie Summers Boyd,
Eugene Wilcoxon, Donald Greene

Sunday, Oct. 4th

7:30 am. Mary Jo Bradley

12:00 noon George Verlyn Norris, Dick Walker,
Anna Lou Mathies, Sue Strange

Ministers for Sept. 26th /27th

SACRISTANS

5:00 pm. Rachel Doyle

7:30 am. Bud Erler

10:30 am. Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Patrick Allbright, Jamison Hennette,
Sebastian Toy, Jace Toy, Ethan Todd

7:30 am. Brandon and Bryant Eckerle,
Olivia Wininger, Adie Nolley

10:30 am. Conner and Cora Hedrick,
Jody and Nathan Seals, Rachel Robinson

GREETERS:

5:00 pm. FD- Donna VanWinkle

SD- Volunteer, Mary Lou Harding

7:30 am. FD- Rita Poirier

SD- Alice Boyd, Doug/Peg Neidigh

10:30 am. FD- Nancy Consley

SD- Brenda Mathias, Abbie Williams

LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Helen Acton, Amy Todd,

7:30 am. Betty Huelsman, Jill Wininger

10:30 am. Mary Ringwald, Andy Ringwald

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

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

7:30 am. Tom/Chris Peter, Darin/Jane Holder,
Jerry/Betty Huelsman, Rita Divine

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

Sunday Collection **Sept. 19th/20th 2015**
St. John 239 Envelopes (739 families) \$ 9,920.01

This Week at St. John Parish**Sunday, Sept. 27th**

Bible Study- 5:30 to 7:00 pm

Monday, Sept. 28th

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

Quilters, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Circle of Peace Prayer Meeting- 1:00 pm

Youth Group-3:30 Prayer Group

(B) Confessions at St. Joseph- 5:15 to 5:45pm

(B) Mass at St Joseph - 6:00pm

Spiritual Formation Comm./Retreat 7:00

Tuesday, Sept. 29th

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

Folk Group Practice: 7:30pm

Wednesday, Sept. 30th

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

Religion Classes: 3:30 elementary, 7:00 jr. sr. high

7:00 Meeting of Parents of 1st Communion class/ ↓ level**Thursday, Oct. 1st**

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

Kevin Lents Presentation on the Faith: 6:00 pm**Friday, Oct. 2nd**

Rosary: 7:45-8:15am

Quilters 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Saturday, Oct. 3rd

Private Confessions-4:00 pm

Youth News with Mark Potts

We will continue with the Youth Prayer Group at 3:30 every Monday. Meet at the Center if you would like to come!

The Youth Group will be helping out with the Fall Festival – Family Homecoming event on October 4th at the Center. We will be holding an Euchre Tourney in the ↓level of the Center. We will need student volunteers to help with counting scores, setting up tables, etc. If you would like to help please let me know ASAP. Thanks!!

The next Euchre Tourney will be on October 29th. Again, we will need student volunteers. If you would like to help please let me know. Thanks!

For Nearly two centuries, the **Society of St. Vincent de Paul** has fed and clothed the poor. Here in the Martin County area, the Conferences of St. John and St. Joseph have worked for over 60 years to help people by providing food, housing and utilities assistance. We do these and other acts of charity because as Vincentians we see the face of Christ in those we serve! If you would like to know more about SVdP please call Joe Williams at 812-295-2418 or Chris Peter at 812-636-4909.

Save the Date*Fall Festival-* Oct. 4th*Cursillo Retreat - Men's* Oct. 8-11,*Wisdom Day 2015*-Oct. 26 (See Bulletin Board)*Halloween Party-* Sat. Oct. 31 young and old alike*Advent Wreath Making Party* –Nov. 15 at 5 to 7:00**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.

Children's Choir : Children's Choir has been cancelled due to lack of interest. We're thinking about having it just for the month of December so they can sing for the children's Christmas mass. If you would be interested in having your child involved for this short term commitment then please give me a call at the office.

Jr. Sr. High (Grades 7,8, 9, 10,11,12)*Religious Ed. Classes:* Wednesdays from 7:00 -8:15.**Ministers for Oct. 3rd /4th 2015****SACRISTANS**

5:00 pm. Rachel Doyle
7:30 am. George Erler
12:00 noon Samantha Nelson

SERVERS:

5:00 pm. Jamison Hennette, Cassidy Esch,
Madison Esch, Sebastian Toy
7:30 am. Matthew Green, Olivia Dant,
Grace Foddrill, Olivia Winingar
12:00 noon Carson Rayhill, Rachel Robinson,
Aaron Dant, Logan Jacobs, Cameron Burns

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
12:00 noon FD- The Robinson Family
SD- Denny Smith, Faye Holland

LECTORS:

5:00 pm. Brenda Dant, Allyson Mudd
7:30 am. Maureen Thomas, Bruce Hawkins
12:00 noon Kay Summers, Gil Toy

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 pm. Charles/Carolyn Buxton, Patrick Allbright,
John Crays, Linda Wickman, Janet Matthews, Donna Ader

7:30 am. Donna Heshelman, Sue David, Bernie Smith,
George Erler, Jerry Lubbehusen, Peg Neidigh, Kathy Wittmer

12:00 noon Tom/Stephanie McAtee, Greg Bateman,
Linda Cropp, Brenda Mathias, Andy Ringwald, Kenny Inman

The Right to Life Banquet will be held on Thursday October 1st at the Simon J. Graber Building off the Odon/Cannelburg Road. Because of the construction and closure of Co. Rd. 900 East you are advised to check alternate routes posted on the Right to Life web site at www.daviesscountyrtp.com **For Ticket information contact Van McAtee at 812-295-4251 or Delores Padgett at 812-295-2720.**

Sick List for St. John the Evangelist Parish

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

Nancy (Miller) Marlow
Bob McGuire
Jim & Sue Morrison
Alice Myrum
Jennifer Neumann
Lucas, Pam and Rob Niemeyer
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

September Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

Septmeber 1:

Brenda Bledsoe
Carl Cooper
Nolan Lents
Nicole Pendleton
Janice Taylor

Septmeber 2:

Karson Burch
Craig Lubbehusen
James Melton
Brenda Strange
Regina Sweckard

Septmeber 3:

Cam Ackerman
Rocky Boyd
Helen Gibson
Karen Wilson

Septmeber 4:

Margaret Arvin
Jason Fuhrman
Norma Lannan
Michelle Lents
Dennis Nolley
Richard Williams

Septmeber 5:

Anne Marie Crays
Herbert Lottes

Septmeber 6:

Brenda Smith

Septmeber 7:

James Burch
Don Lents
Connie McAtee
Michael Staab
Mark Trout

Septmeber 8:

Betty Kemp
Mary Salmon
Reis Whitney

Septmeber 9:

Shelly Elliott
Brett Robinson
Phillip Smith

Septmeber 10:

Patrick Allbright

Septmeber 11:

Barbara Lannan
Jeremiah Johnson

Septmeber 12:

Rebecca Bauer
Micky Crew
Mary Gates
Mary Guy
Kathryn Pankey
Roberta Williams

Septmeber 13:

Ryan Allen
Charles Duffroy
Landon Mathies
Rilyn Medina
Michael Milligan
Angela Ochs

Septmeber 14:

Dayne Holder
Robert Norris
John D. Stoll
Annette Taylor
Evan Williams

Septmeber 15:

Jack Butcher
Brian Esch

Septmeber 16:

Cameron Callison
Virginia Jacobs
Gary Norris
Faith Sward
Jason Tinkle

Septmeber 17:

James Hager
Robert Horsting
Carolyn McGrath
Margie Sherfick

Septmeber 18:

Webb Crane
Mark Guinn
Trina Hand
Courtney Kender
Edward O'Connor
Nancy Summers

Septmeber 19:

Ed David

Septmeber 20:

Bryant Ackerman
Christina Crane
Ruby Wilcoxon

Septmeber 21:

Mary Beth Adams
Patricia Cissell
Chris Cushman
Anna Fields
Donald Mattingly
Deidra Nolan

Septmeber 22:

Halo Harmon
Paul Hart
Jennifer Holt
Robert Lents
Sue Sims
Nancy Strange

Septmeber 23:

Brandon Eckerle
Patricia Konieczka
Jared Mathies
Kelly Matthews
Robert Smith

Septmeber 24:

Maruita Arvin
Brittney Bateman
Ashley Green
Michelle Ringwald

Septmeber 25:

Elise Elliott
Roy Grafton
Derrick Tinkle

Septmeber 26:

Collin Dant
Hannah Harshaw
Kelly Lents
Janson Sherer
Maureen Thomas
Kathy Wallace

Septmeber 27:

Martin Bradley
Britta Browder
Emily Marks
Don Nolan
Virginia Rose Pankey
Sue Ann Slaven

Septmeber 28:

Becca Hollaway
Matthew Mathies
Jacob Nonte

Septmeber 29:

Megan Anderson
Hank Dalrymple
Helen Dearwester
Carmen Houchins
Gina Nolley
Andrea Sutton

Septmeber 30:

Elyse Brown
Travis Craney
Peter McDowell
Lisa Smith
David Strange
Denise Strange
Jordan Toy