

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday		Aug. 23rd
5:00 p.m.	Eleanor Smith, Mary Lou Lockhart, Jason Bradley, Rick Hagerty	
Sunday		Aug. 24th
8:00 a.m.	Jan Marie Templin, Patrick Arvin, Rose Fenol, John & Ann McAtee	
10:00 a.m.	Donald Nolan	
4:00 p.m.	Michael Elliott, Jr.	
Monday		Aug. 25th
12(Noon)	Mary Healy (at St. Martin)	
Tuesday		Aug. 26th
7:00 p.m.	Jeanne Parsons	
Wednesday		Aug. 27th
12(Noon)	For The People	
6 p.m. - 9 p.m.	The Lights Are On	
Thursday		Aug. 28th
9:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of the Peter Family	
1:30 p.m.	No Nursing Home Mass	
Friday		Aug. 29th
9:00 a.m.	Robert T. & Helen Louise McAtee	
Saturday		Aug. 30th
5:00 p.m.	Ethan Fields, Gil Toy John Lannan, Ryan Burris	
Sunday		Aug. 31st
8:00 a.m.	Robert Jones	
10:00 a.m.	Donald Nolan	
4:00 p.m.	150th Anniversary St. Martin Mass Vonda Elliott, Rick Hagerty, Connie McAtee, Mr. & Mrs. John McAtee	

Ministers for **Aug. 23rd/Aug. 24th, 2025**

SACRISTANS

5:00 p.m.	Rachel Doyle
8:00 a.m.	Volunteer
10:00 a.m.	Angie Zins

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m.	Matthew Vaal, Keaton Smith
8:00 a.m.	Curtis Merkley, Alex Merkley
10:00 a.m.	Kamila Wilson, Karmen Wilson, Kendall Wilson, Kamden Wilson
4:00 p.m.	Grayson Kluesner, Liam Kluesner

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m.	FD: Anne Marie Crays SD: Volunteers
8:00 a.m.	FD: Rita Poirier SD: John/Diane Vaupel
10:00 a.m.	FD: Faye Holland SD: Brenda Mathias, Volunteer

READERS:

5:00 p.m.	Kenny Inman
8:00 a.m.	Judy Kluesner
10:00 a.m.	Stephanie McAtee
4:00 p.m.	Volunteer

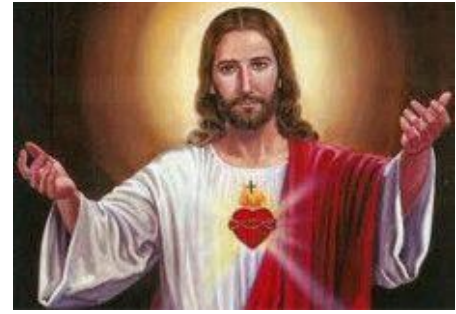
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Two Ministers needed - 1 assigned / 1 Volunteer if Deacon is not present

5:00 p.m.	Elaine Wade
8:00 a.m.	Lynn Hawkins/Bruce Hawkins
10:00 a.m.	Brenda Mathias

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR THIS WEEK

Thursday: 9am - 6pm - Eucharistic Adoration at St. John



My dear friends in Christ,

A special thank you Brian Esch, Mike Wininger, Tom Peter, and Bob Toy for their reflection on behalf of the Men's WELCOME team. The Men's WELCOME Retreat will be at St. Martin Hall from Saturday, September 20th to Sunday, September 21st. I highly encourage the men of our parish to consider attending the retreat to strengthen your relationship with God.

Today, August 24th, the Men's Club is sponsoring their annual Hog Roast at St. Martin Hall from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. You will get BBQ, Potato Salad, Baked Beans, a dessert, and a drink. The cost is \$10 per adult and \$6 per child. Dine-In and Carry-Out is available. Please plan to attend and enjoy the good food! Looking forward to seeing you there!!

We will have our "The Lights Are On" on Wednesday of this week, August 27th, starting at 6:00 p.m. It will last until 9:00 p.m. or until the last confession is heard.

Please join us next Sunday, August 31st, for the 150th Anniversary of St. Martin Church. We will have Mass at 4:00 p.m. followed by the dinner reunion and party. Please note that the regular 4:00 p.m. Mass at St. John that day has been moved to St. Martin for their celebration. Let's plan to make it a big success!

We will have our 2025 St. John the Evangelist Catholic Parish Raffle at the Fall Festival on Sunday, September 28, 2025. This year we will have eleven winners who will each receive a cash prize. Every family will be mailed 6 tickets. If you wish, you can pick up a return envelope in the back of the church. We are asking each family to buy or sell 6 raffle tickets for the raffle. If you sell all of your tickets you may ask for more by calling Adam at the rectory. The proceeds from our raffle will be used to lower the amount for each family to contribute to the Catholic Ministries Appeal, formerly known as the Catholic Parish Campaign.

If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church or if you know anyone who has shown interest, call my cell phone or the rectory. I will begin instructions in September.

**May our Lord bless and keep you,
Father Walker**

Ministers for SACRISTANS Aug. 30th/Aug. 31st, 2025

5:00 p.m. Mike Luzwick
8:00 a.m. Dax Lee
10:00 a.m. Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Natalie Willoughby, Volunteers
8:00 a.m. Dax Lee, Brendan Green
10:00 a.m. Josie Mathies, Mason Mathies, Elin Wade
4:00 p.m. Elena Lyon, Remington Bell

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. FD: Joni Parker-Burch
SD: Volunteers
8:00 a.m. FD: Chris Bratton
SD: Tom/Chris Peter
10:00 a.m. FD: Gayle Strange
SD: Volunteers

READERS:

5:00 p.m. Matthew Findlay
8:00 a.m. Bruce Hawkins
10:00 a.m. John A. Walker
4:00 p.m. Volunteer

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m. James Hager
8:00 a.m. Jerry Lubbehusen
10:00 a.m. Andy Ringwald

Sunday Collection	Aug. 16th/Aug. 17th, 2025
St. John 165 envelopes	\$8,098.00
Gaza Collection	\$2,664.04
Herald of Good News Collection	\$2,304.00
Assumption of Mary 45 envelopes	\$1,204.00
Vigil Light Money	\$66.00

Save the Date

Men's Club Hog Roast - August 24th, 10am - 1:30pm
Catechist Meeting - August 25th, 5pm
K of C 4th Degree - August 25th, 7pm
The Lights Are On - August 27th, 6pm - 9pm
Men's WELCOME Meeting - August 28th, 6:30pm
Women's WELCOME Meeting at Center - Aug. 30th, 9am - 11am
St. Martin 150th Anniversary Mass - August 31st, 4pm
K of C 3rd Degree Meeting - Sept. 1st, 7pm
Altar Society Meeting - Sept. 8th, 6:30pm
K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting - Sept. 17th, 7pm
Pastoral Council Meeting - Sept. 18th, 6pm



THE LIGHTS ARE ON

Wednesday, August 27th: 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

ONLINE DONATIONS

You are now able to make a donation to the parish through our parish website. If you would like to make a donation, you may go to the following page: <http://www.stjohnloogootee.com/giving/>
Click on "this donation form", fill out the needed information, and then click "Pay Now." Any donation given is very much appreciated!

MEN'S CLUB HOG ROAST

The Men's Club Hog Roast will be this Sunday, August 24th from 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the St. Martin Hall. Desserts are needed such as cakes, cup cakes, cookies, etc. Please deliver to St. Martin Hall this Saturday, Aug. 23rd, or the morning of the 24th. The meals will be \$10 each and kid's meals are \$6. Each meal are dine-in or carry-out and will have Pork BBQ, Potato Salad, Baked Beans, a dessert, and a drink.



Saturday Confessions

Aug. 30th: 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
or by appointment

WOMEN'S WELCOME RETREAT

Is there more to life? There is if you want to take the next step. Come to the next WELCOME experience on Sept. 13th/14th! Something wonderful is happening and WELCOME is part of it. If you want more information or are ready to sign up, you can scan the QR code or you can call or text Jackie Esch (812-296-1833) or Annette Taylor (812-709-0867).



MEN'S WELCOME TEAM

The Men's WELCOME Formation team has been meeting in preparation for the first Men's WELCOME Retreat of St. John Parish, which will be at St. Martin Hall on September 20th/21st.

Please support the team with your prayers as they continue their formation process.

For the men in our parish community, consider this opportunity to grow in your Catholic faith walk. WELCOME is much more than a weekend. It is a life-changing experience that helps you discover what is missing in your life and what to do about it.

The invitation is about you. If you are interested to learn more about the weekend, feel free to contact Retreat Leader John Mathias at 812-709-2235 or Mark Sims at 812-296-0458.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH NEWS

I am so excited for the start of religious education in a couple of weeks! We have about 100 students registered so far, but please sign your child up if you have not already. Grades K - 6 will be begin on Monday, September 8th (3:45-4:45; snacks beginning after school), and Grades 5 - 12 will begin on Wednesday, September 10th (6:45-8:00; meal beginning at 6:00. The QR code is a link to the registration form.



This year, all of the teaching positions are covered. However, if you feel called to share your love of our Catholic faith with the children, please pray about it and contact me. We would be happy to have more classroom helpers or supervisors for snack time.

If any parishioner(s) would like to prepare a meal for a Wednesday evening, we are looking for volunteer cooks. I am working on a schedule for those who are interested in donating a meal. Please reach out to Ashton if you want to get on the list.

akahle@evdio.org or 812-639-3923

HOLY NAME OF JESUS & ST. PETER JOINT PARISH PICNIC

Ice Cream Bar! Bingo! Raffle! Water Games! Lunch!

Following the 10:30 a.m. Mass with Bishop Siegel at St. Peter Parish in Linton, the Holy Names of Jesus and St Peter Parishes, along with the K of C in Linton, will have a joint picnic on Sunday, August 24th. Join us for a fun-filled day of great food, games, prizes, and fellowship! Please sign up at either parish in Linton or Bloomfield to help us plan for the day!

Encounter | Deepen | Engage
Encounter + Deepen + Engage



August 1:

Kenny Inman
Inger Johnson
Brad Wade

August 2:

Bronson Holt
Michael Jones
Troy Smith
Jenner Strange
Miranda Taylor

August 3:

Norbert Burch
Gracelyn Bryer
Conner Combess
Faye Holland
Holly Mathias

August 4:

Jim Chandler
Dan Christmas
Jonathan Krzesniak
Ethan Mathies
William Nonte
Sophia Toy
Taylor Truelove
Summer Wade

August 5:

Karen Mathias
Kelli Mathias

August 6:

Abbigail Bradley
Callie Browder
Rick Johnson
Justin Killion

August 7:

Stacy Berry
Kay Matthews
Brady Lents

August 8:

Cary Bledsoe
Tanner Fuhs
Meghan Mathies
Charles Padgett
Jeanette Templin

August 9:

Megan Sullivan
Bryant Eckerle
Jeffery Farrell
Jeff Hyllested
Nicholas Spurgeon
Waylee Wagoner
Rhett Whitney

August 10:

Therese Arvin
Jessie Bell
Carol Brock
Toni Browder
Benjamin Burch
Matthew Sward

August 11:

Jim Eckerle
Noah Fromme
Mike Mangin
Samantha Nelson
Kristi Thomas

August 12:

Steve Arvin
Keith Greenwell
Linda Hawkins
Edith Rehl

August 13:

Bob Bradley
Diana Dages
Jane Ann Davis
Abbey Fuhrman
Kristin Lottes
Michael Slaven
Rita Wagler

August 14:

Steven Nolan
Todd Wittmer
Scott Woods

August 15:

William B. Ellis
Jordan Guinn

August 16:

Michael Arvin
Phyllis Arvin
Doug Bradley
Mila Marks
Mary Merkel

August 17:

Tonya Mathies
Marley McAtee
Olivia Wininger

August 18:

Marilyn Burch
Caden Chandler
Tylan Norris
Wayne Ritchey
Jeffery Wagler

August Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

August 19:

Gary Burch
Mary Jane Lengacher
Clayton Miller
Bob VanHoy
Jean Walker

August 20:

Nicole Ader
Avrie Brown
Denise Craney
Donna Flynn
Jeff Giles
Aaron Mudd
Steve Schnaus
Jody Seals
David Southard

August 21:

Megan Crays
Gary Cunningham
Tina Nolley
Kent Summers
Paul Truelove

August 22:

Robert Dages
John Mathias
Mary Ann Smith
Mary Ann Vance

August 23:

Tye Collins
William McAtee
Jenna Parsons
Clayton Shake
Paul Weisheit
Elijah Wittmer

August 24:

Eric Ackerman
Kimberly Bowling
Brendan Green
Karin Hodges
Karen McAtee
Sharon Michaels
Julie Peterson

August 25:

Colin Nelson
Scott Ruckriegel
Carol Strange
Leslie Van Hoy

August 26:

Larry Gates
Jennifer Ridgway
Doris Sexton
Krista Sims
Chad Wade
Judith Walker
Kathy Wittmer

August 27:

Judd Bledsoe
Jason Browder
Eugene Burch
Abbigail Nonte
Justine Tedrow
Wynter Wagoner
Cohen Walton

August 28:

Skip Ackerman
Kennedy Collins
Alison Krzesniak
Tierlan Norris

August 29:

Rob Blackwell
Earl Boyd
Michael Luzwick
Tracie McAtee
Luke Nonte
Phillip Norris
Paul Strange
Sarah Wagler

August 30:

Ashton Summers

August 31:

Becky Divine
Phyllis Lemon