# Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENT	PIONS	
Saturday		Sept. 6th
12(Noon)	Christine Rahman	~ · <b>F</b> · · · · · · ·
5:00 p.m.	Rick Hagerty, Peggy Guinn,	
5.00 p.m.	Bill Bowling, Bill & May Consley	
Sunday	<i>J</i> , <i>J</i>	Sept. 7th
8:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of the Pet	er Family
10:00 a.m.	Delbert Fields, Sharon Fields,	J
	Ethan Fields, Stephen Seals	
4:00 p.m.	Jerry Bradley	
Monday		Sept. 8th
12(Noon)	Marilyn Witcher (at St. Mary)	
Tuesday		Sept. 9th
7:00 p.m.	Connie McAtee	
Wednesday		Sept. 10th
12(Noon)	For The People	
Thursday		Sept. 11th
9:00 a.m.	Deceased Members of the Bob & Vivian	Little
	Family	
1:30 p.m.	Nursing Home Mass - Barb Stevens	
Friday		Sept. 12th
9:00 a.m.	Jeanne Parsons	
Saturday		Sept. 13th
5:00 p.m	Jason Bradley, Rick Hagerty,	
cico piiii	John Lannan, Bob & Bernice Bullock	
8:00 p.m.	<b>WELCOME Mass</b> - Dolores & Jack V	Valker
Sunday		Sept. 14th
8:00 a.m.	Patrick Arvin	-
10:00 a.m.	Patty Brothers, Vernon Bridgewater,	
10.00 4.1111	Patrick Delaney, Donald Nolan	
4:00 p.m.	Vonda Elliott	
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**SACRISTANS** 

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

**SERVERS:** 

5:00 p.m. Keaton Smith, Volunteer 8:00 a.m. Curtis Merkley, Alex Merkley 10:00 a.m. Lucy Rahman, Joseph Rahman, Isaac Lagree, Abbigail Meyer

4:00 p.m. Grayson Kluesner, Liam Kluesner, Hattie Kluesner

**GREETERS:** 

5:00 p.m.

FD: Elsie Horsting
SD: Volunteers
8:00 a.m.

FD: Bruce/Lynn Hawkins
SD: Jerry/Betty Huelsman
FD: Jeff/Micky Crew
SD: Dan/Barbara Gregory

**READERS:** 

5:00 p.m. Olivia Findlay 8:00 a.m. Greg Potts 10:00 a.m. Tom Walker 4:00 p.m. Volunteer

#### **EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:**

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

5:00 p.m. Angie Zins

8:00 a.m. Tom Peter/Rita Divine 10:00 a.m. Lynn Bateman

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR THIS WEEK**

Monday: 11am - 12(Noon) Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary Thursday: 9am - 6pm - Eucharistic Adoration at St. John



## My dear friends in Christ,

Congratulations to Barb Gregory, Leah Tolbert, and Vernita Williams, who will be inducted into the Bruté Society at a special Mass by Bishop Siegel at St. Benedict Cathedral on Saturday, November 23rd, at 2:00 pm CST. The Bruté Society was established by Bishop Gettelfinger in 1990, to honor lay persons for their outstanding stewardship. We give thanks for the tremendous contributions that Barb, Leah, and Vernita give to making our funeral meals such an important ministry in our parish!

Thank you to all who joined our celebration of the 150th Anniversary of St. Martin Church. It was standing room only as family members gave thanks and praise. A thank you to Jan Martin and to all who worked for the Eucharistic celebration as well as the meal afterwards. It was a joyful celebration to be together for our reunion.

Tonight, September 7th, all young men, ages 13 - high school senior, are welcome to come to Savio at St. Martin Hall on Sunday, September 7th, 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. I highly recommend the young men of our parish to take the opportunity to enjoy the games, sports, and pizza, while attending this spiritual gathering made possible through our diocese. Our Savio members have a great brotherhood for which I am most grateful.

This week, we begin our religious education classes. Some students will begin on Monday, September 8th, 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. at the parish center and the remaining students on Wednesday, September 10th, 6:45 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at St. Martin Hall. We look forward to this year of learning and growing with each other in the Lord.

May our Lord bless and keep you,

**Father Walker** 

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SACRISTANS

Susan Ackerman

8:00 a.m. Dax Lee 10:00 a.m. Angie Zins

**SERVERS:** 

5:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m. Natalie Willoughby, Volunteer 8:00 a.m. Dax Lee, Brendan Green 10:00 a.m. Kamila Wilson, Karmen Wilson,

Kendall Wilson, Kamden Wilson

4:00 p.m. Elena Lyon, Remington Bell

**GREETERS:** 

5:00 p.m. FD: Anne Marie Crays

SD: Volunteers

8:00 a.m. FD: Annette Taylor

SD: Greg/Dottie Potts

10:00 a.m. FD: Brenda Mathies

SD: Faye Holland, Volunteer

**READERS:** 

5:00 p.m. Francis Doyle 8:00 a.m. Jerry Lubbehusen 10:00 a.m. Andrea Bauer 4:00 p.m. Volunteer

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** 

5:00 p.m. Janet Matthews

Annette Taylor/Donna Ader 8:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. Greg Bateman

**Sunday Collection** 

Aug. 30th/Aug. 31st, 2025

St. John 155 envelopes **Vigil Light Money** 

\$8,076.00 \$74.00

Save the Date

Catechesis Classes Begin - Sept. 8th and Sept. 10th

Altar Society Meeting - Sept. 8th, 6:30pm

Men's WELCOME Meeting - Sept. 11th, 6:30pm Women's WELCOME Retreat - Sept. 13th & 14th

**K of C 3rd Degree Meeting** - Sept. 15th, 7pm

K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting - Sept. 17th, 7pm

Pastoral Council Meeting - Sept. 18th, 6pm

Men's WELCOME Retreat - Sept. 20th & 21st

K of C 4th Degree - Sept. 22nd, 7pm

Senior Choir Practice - Sept. 25th, 6:30pm Fall Festival Mass - Sept. 28th, 12(Noon)

Fall Festival - Sept. 28th, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

The Lights Are On - Sept. 29th, 6pm - 9pm

Savio at St. Martin Hall - Oct. 5th, 6:00 pm - 7:30 p.m.

#### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH NEWS

Sunday is kickoff of Savio for our young men (ages 13 - high school senior). The night begins with games, sports, and pizza at 6:00 p.m. at St. Martin Hall. At 7:00 p.m., there will be a faith formation talk followed by night prayer to end the night at 7:30 p.m. Please encourage the boys in your life to take advantage of this opportunity. As a parish, let us pray for the program and for all of the boys who join the brotherhood.

We also begin religious education classes this week. Elementary students will be at St. John Center on Monday. Classes begin at 3:45 p.m., but snack and play time is right after school. We will plan to have dropoff outside, but a message will be sent out if plans change. Students will be dismissed at 4:45 at the Upper Level doors. Middle and high school students will be at St. Martin Hall on Wednesday. Classes begin at 6:45 p.m., but a meal will be served at 6:00 p.m. Students will be dismissed at 8:00 p.m. I am looking forward to a great year!

(akahle@evdio.org or 812-639-3923)



## **Saturday Confessions** Sept. 13th: 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. or by appointment

#### RIGHT TO LIFE BANQUET

The Daviess-Pike and Martin County Right to Life Groups invite you to attend the Annual Banquet on Thursday, Oct. 2nd at 6:30 p.m. at the Simon J. Graber Building off the Odon/Cannelburg Road. The speaker this year is Missy Martinez-Stone, who is a nationally recognized expert in holding abortion facilities accountable for unsafe and illegal practices. Tickets are \$20 for adults and be purchased by calling Louie/Liz Kavanaugh at 812-486-3658. Tickets must be purchased prior to the banquet. We ask that you reserve the date and attend this special event. Please support the Pro-Life Movement by your attendance.

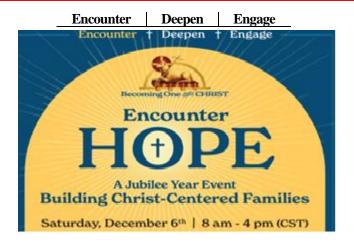
### **CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA**

Next weekend, the (arch)diocese will take up the National Collection for the Catholic University of America. Catholic University is a national research university, in the heart of Washington, D.C., with over 5,700 undergraduate and graduate students in more than 250 academic programs. By giving to the collection, you are supporting future Catholic leaders, both religious and lay, who are being formed by an exceptional, faith-rooted education. The University's various research and training initiatives support dioceses and parishes in responding to the most pressing needs of their faithful. A few examples of how the University serves the Church and nation include The Catholic Project, an initiative that aims to heal the breach of trust many have experienced as a result of the crises in the Church; a master's program in Ecclesial Administration and Management; and a credentialing program that prepares recent graduates to serve as campus ministers. Visit collection.catholic.edu to learn more.

### OUR LADY OF SORROWS (MATER DOLOROSA)

The Church dedicates the month of September to Our Lady of Sorrows, also known as Mater Dolorosa (Mother of Sorrows). This devotion recalls the Blessed Virgin Mary's spiritual martyrdom in virtue of her perfect union with the Passion of Christ. This was her role in salvation history, and what merited her place as the spiritual Mother of all Christians. This is symbolized by a single sword, or seven swords, piercing Mary's suffering heart, as foretold in Simeon's prophecy. Traditionally the Church meditates on the "Seven Sorrows' of our Blessed Mother:

- 1. The prophecy of Simeon;
- 2. The Holy Family's flight into Egypt;
- 3. The loss of the Child Jesus for three days;
- 4. The meeting of Mary and Jesus as He carried his cross;
- 5. Our Lord's crucifixion and death;
- 6. The sacred body of Jesus taken down from the cross;
- 7. The burial of Jesus.



September 1:

Brenda Bledsoe Carl Cooper Nolan Lents Nicole Pendleton

Janice Taylor

September 2:

Karson Burch Craig Lubbehusen James Melton Brenda Strange Regina Sweckard

September 3:

Cam Ackerman Rocky Byrd Tia Fuhs Helen Gibson Karen Wilson

September 4:

Jason Fuhrman Michelle Lents Dennis Nolley Richard Williams

September 5:

Anne Marie Crays Herbert Lottes Lori Flynn Grant Tompkins

September 6:

Remington Bell Brenda Smith

September 7:

James Burch Mark Trout September 8:

Hailey Hennette Betty Kemp Mary Salmon Reis Whitney

September 9:

Shelly Elliott Brett Robinson Phillip Smith

September 10:

Patrick Allbright Lara O'Connor

September 11:

Dorothy Clary Barbara Lannan Jeremiah Johnson Owen Tompkins

September 12:

Rebecca Bauer Micky Crew Mary Gates Mary Guy

September 13:

Ryan Allen Colton Combess Kate Letherman Landon Mathies Rilyn Medina Michael Milligan Angela Ochs

September 14:

Dayne Holder Annette Taylor Evan Williams September 15:

Jack Butcher Brian Esch

September 16:

Cameron Callison Virginia Jacobs Gary Norris Faith Sward Jason Tinkle

September 17:

James Hager Robert Horsting

September 18:

Webb Crane
Mark Guinn
Trina Hand
Leo Lagree
Carmine Lettieri
Courtney Taylor
Edward O'Connor
Nancy Summers

<u>September 19:</u>

Ed David Mike Wagoner

<u>September 20:</u>

Bryant Ackerman Christina Crane Faith Sexton

September 21:

Mary Beth Adams Patricia Cissell Chris Cushman Donald Mattingly Deidra Nolan

# September Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

September 22:

Haylo Harmon Paul Hart Jennifer Holt **Robert Lents** Nancy Strange September 27:

Marina Bouvy Martin Bradley Britta Browder **Emily Marks** Sue Ann Slaven

Ann Louise Wininger

September 28:

**Gustavo Borjon Becca Hollaway** Laney Inman **Matthew Mathies** 

Jacob Nonte **David Strange** 

September 23:

Brandon Eckerle Dan Flynn Jared Mathies **Kelly Matthews** Jarrod Rose

September 24:

Marnita Arvin Brittney Gibson **Ashley Green** Michelle Ringwald September 29:

Hank Dalrymple Kinsley Harder **Carmen Houchins Gina Nolley** 

September 25:

Elise Elliott **Grace Sexton** Derrick Tinkle September 30:

Andrea Sutton

Elyse Brown Travis Craney Peter McDowell

Lisa Smith

**Denise Strange** Jordan Toy

## September 26:

Collin Dant Hannah Harshaw **Kelly Lents** Janson Sherer Marueen Thomas Kathy Wallace