

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday		Oct. 11th
5:00 p.m.	Pearl McCann, Elfriede Jones, Rick Hagerty, Deceased Members of the George & Clara Padgett Family	
Sunday		Oct. 12th
8:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of the Peter Family	
10:00 a.m.	Patrick Arvin, Patrick Delaney, Delbert Fields, Donald Nolan	
4:00 p.m.	Vonda Elliott	
Monday		Oct. 13th
9:00 a.m.	Juanita Taylor (at St. Joseph)	
Tuesday		Oct. 14th
-----	No Mass	
6:00 p.m.	Rosary at St. Martin	
Wednesday		Oct. 15th
-----	No Mass	
Thursday		Oct. 16th
-----	No Nursing Home Mass	
5:00 p.m.	For The People	
Friday		Oct. 17th
9:00 a.m.	Gil Toy	
Saturday		Oct. 18th
5:00 p.m.	Becky Bullock, Jason Bradley, Lee Jones, Ron Daugherty	
Sunday	World Mission Sunday	Oct. 19th
8:00 a.m.	Roxanne Lents	
10:00 a.m.	Delbert Fields, Sharon Fields, Ethan Fields, Stephen Seals	
4:00 p.m.	Michael Elliott, Jr.	

Ministers for SACRISTANS Oct. 11th/Oct. 12th, 2025

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

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m.	Natalie Willoughby, Volunteer
8:00 a.m.	Curtis Merkley, Alex Merkley
10:00 a.m.	Lucy Rahman, Joseph Rahman, Isaac Lagree, Abigail Meyer
4:00 p.m.	Elena Lyon, Remington Bell

GREETERS:

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

READERS:

5:00 p.m.	Elaine Wade
8:00 a.m.	Bruce Hawkins
10:00 a.m.	Tom Walker
4:00 p.m.	Volunteer

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

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

5:00 p.m.	Angie Zins
8:00 a.m.	Rita Divine, Bernie Smith
10:00 a.m.	Dani Jeffers



My dear friends in Christ,

A very big thank you to the following who helped made our Fall Festival a success this year: Paula Ringwald, Ashton Kahle, John Mathias, Martin Zins, Danny Clark, Travis Inman, Sandy Woods, Natalie Willoughby, Darion Oakman and the Rahman Noodles, Ryan Winkle, and Jean Walker, Mary Gates, and the Altar Society, as well as Cam Ackerman, Vicki Strange, Adam Strange, and the foam machine by Crafty... Many of our parishioners were able to enjoy good food, games, entertainment, and music through your hard work. I look forward to the Fall Festival in 2026.

A special thank you to Fr. Tyler Tenbarge, our Diocesan Vocation Director, who preached at each Mass this past weekend, and introduced 4 of our seminarians; Jeff Helfrich, Austin Wolf, Landon Mayer, and Samuel Naas, who spoke to many of you after each Mass. I certainly speak the sentiments of all of you after hearing Jeff Helfrich's reflection, who is a trained veterinarian, served his country, and then decided to consider the priesthood as a possibility. The other two guys completed their degrees; one is an accountant and the other, an engineer. Our Lord calls us at different times in our lives, and we pray that we will be open to that call.

Congratulations to the winners of the Pet Blessing, who were: **Largest** - Winston (Carroll Rayhill), **Smallest** - Bob (Harper Tinkle), **Cutest** - London (Kashten Lengacher), **Most Unique** - Opie (Kayla Fellers), **Scariest** - Pepper (Bill Toy), **Most Looked Alike** - Cici (Abby Harmon), **Best Dressed** - Emma, Zevie, and Olaf (Janet Pielemeier), **Oldest** - Zoey (Jackie and Bailey Esch), and **Father's Choice** - Tiger (Tenlee and Taylor Mathias).

Tonight, October 12th, the young men of the parish, ages 13 - high school senior, are welcome to come to Savio at St. Martin Hall from 6:00 p.m. - 7:45 p.m. I highly recommend our young guys of the parish to attend this opportunity to enjoy games, sports, pizza, and, at the same time, grow in their spiritual life. Our Savio members can have a great brotherhood centered in the Lord.

This week, I will be with Bishop Siegel and my brother priests for our Convocation. It is being held at the French Lick Hotel and will be led by Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop Emeritus of Toronto. I will be away

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR THIS WEEK

Monday: 8am - 9am - Eucharistic Adoration at St. Joseph
Thursday: 9am - 5pm - Eucharistic Adoration at St. John

from the parish from Monday afternoon, Oct. 13th, to Thursday afternoon, Oct. 16th. If necessary, I can be reached on my cell phone.

The Altar Society invites all women of the parish to join them for their Communion Brunch on Sunday, Oct. 19th. Your daughters, granddaughters, mothers, and nieces are also invited. They will attend the 10:00 a.m. Mass, followed by the brunch they are providing in the lower level of the Parish Center.

Thank you for those who have already responded to our Catholic Ministries Appeal. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

October is a special month in which we continue to honor our Blessed Mother, especially with the recitation of the rosary. During this month I would suggest praying the rosary as a family or other prayers to honor Mary. Also, take advantage of praying the rosary on the Tuesdays of October at 6:00 P.M. at the St. Martin Church shrine. Remember, too, our daily parish rosary at St. John (which is livestreamed).

**Mary, Mother of God and
Queen of the Rosary - pray for us!**

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

Ministers for Oct. 18th/Oct. 19th, 2025
SACRISTANS

5:00 p.m. Susan Ackerman
8:00 a.m. Dax Lee
10:00 a.m. Angie Zins

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Keaton Smith, Volunteer
8:00 a.m. Dax Lee, Brendan Green
10:00 a.m. Josie Mathies, Mason Mathies,
Elin Wade, Reid Johnson
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: Annette Taylor
SD: Greg/Dottie Potts
10:00 a.m. FD: Jeff/Micky Crew
SD: Dan/Barbara Gregory

READERS:

5:00 p.m. Kenny Inman
8:00 a.m. Greg Potts
10:00 a.m. Andrea Bauer
4:00 p.m. Volunteer

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m. Elaine Wade
8:00 a.m. Annette Taylor, Jerry Lubbehusen
10:00 a.m. Tom Walker

Sunday Collection Oct. 4th/Oct. 5th, 2025
St. John 175 Envelopes \$8,947.00
Vigil Light Money \$49.00

Save the Date

Savio at St. Martin Hall - Oct. 12th, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Altar Society Meeting - Oct. 13th, 6:30pm
K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting - Oct. 15th, 7pm
Pastoral Council Meeting - Oct. 16th, 6pm
World Mission Sunday - Oct. 19th
Altar Society Brunch - Oct. 19th, After 10:00am Mass
K of C 3rd Degree Meeting - Oct. 20th, 7pm
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Instructions - Oct. 21st, 7:00pm

Catechetical Sunday Mass: Sunday, October 26th, 10am

K of C 4th Degree - Oct. 27th, 7pm

All Saints Vigil Mass - Oct. 31st, 4pm

Trunk N' Treat - Oct. 31st, 6pm - 7:30pm

All Saints Day Masses - Nov. 1st, 12(Noon) & 5pm

All Souls' Day Masses - Nov. 2nd, 8am, 10am, 4pm

All Hallows' Eve Family Fun Night - Nov. 2nd



Saturday Confessions

Oct. 11th: 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
or by appointment

THANK YOU!

Thank you to the Fellowship Committee for all your hard work at Fall Festival! You ladies are awesome! Thank you John Mathias and Martin Zins for manning the grills! Thank you Danny Clark for running the train and Travis Inman for helping Danny! Thank you Paula Ringwald and helpers for running the games! Thank you Sandy Woods and Natalie Willoughby for face painting and tattoos! Thanks to Darion Oakman and the Rahman Noodles for the entertainment! You guys rock! Thanks to Ryan Winkle (balloons) and Crafty Kin Inflatables for the foam party! Thank you St. John Altar Society for collecting items for First Solutions! A big thank you to Cam Ackerman for setting up everything for us and helping with problems as they arise. Thanks to all who helped with tear down your help was greatly appreciated. Thank you Father Walker for all your support.

- Annette Taylor and Dottie Potts



We are stewards of the many gifts God has entrusted to us. The Catholic Ministries Appeal allows us to return those gifts in service to others. Thank you for your past support. If you have never given - or it has been a while - we invite you to join us in supporting this year's appeal. Scan the QR code to make your gift today!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH NEWS

Thank you to everyone who attended the pet blessing! We had a beautiful day to bless our furry friends. There were a variety of animals in attendance - dogs, cats, a rabbit, and a turtle. Father Tyler Tenbarge and the first year seminarians joined in on the fun, and the children were the judges for the contest.

On Monday afternoon, our students prayed the rosary as a group on the path made by Noah Esch, and it was a perfect way to teach our younger students how to pray the rosary. We were rained on once we go towards the end, but the students and catechists toughed it out gracefully. On Wednesday night, Pat Daugherty and Dottie Potts prepared a meal for our students, and we are so thankful for their continued generosity!

A few updates:

- The second Savio night is this Sunday, October 12th at St. Martin Hall from 6:00 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.
- No religious education classes next week for Fall Break.
- Date Change: Catechetical Sunday will now be on Sunday, October 26th to allow our catechists to go on vacation for Fall Break.

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ST. MARTIN



The rosary will be recited every Tuesday evening at 6:00 p.m. during the month of October at St. Martin. We will meet at the shrine, weather permitting. In case of incumbent weather, we will meet in St. Martin Church.

October 1:

Joey Allen
Molly Johnson

October 2:

Judith Blackwell
Ryan Letherman
Richard Lingenfelter

October 3:

Jamie Truelove
Leonna Hedrick
Mia Johnson
Linda Nolan
Andrea Bauer
Sharon Williams

October 4:

Mary Rose Mangin
Trysten Stevens

October 5:

Elliot Graber
Michael Muessig
Greg Taylor

October 6:

Angela Berry
Liam Todd
Mary Ann Schuetter

October 7:

Richard Green
Erin Hawkins
David Wininger

October 8:

Brittany Salmon
Marcia Wagoner

October 9:

Michael Heshelman
Ward Smith

October 10:

Kenneth Arvin
Brenda Coulter

October 11:

Calvin Erler
Hattie Kluesner
Emily Walton

October 12:

Chris Bateman
Sonja Boyd
Sharon Coppinger
Fara Fisher
Randy Templin
Eric Thomas

October 13:

Laney McAtee
Ronald Merkel

October 14:

Reid Nonte
Barbara Stoll
Debbie Truelove
Mark Wickman
Bob Willhite

October 15:

Corbin Berry
Keith Ellis
Fr. Leo
Casey Woods
Cody Woods

October 16:

Sharley Bateman
Tina Dant
Lawrence Rayman
Dylan Street

October 17:

David Beasley
Patrick Ellis
Jennifer Guinn
Allan Harmon
Kristine Vander Vinn
Michael Krzesniak
Darlene Ridgway

October 18:

Adrian Arvin
James Cunningham
James Dunn
Joseph Fegan
Aspen Salmon
Christopher Smelser
Mackenzie Walker
Wayden Wagoner

October 19:

Scott Johnson
Hazel Lannan
Justin Wilcoxon

October 20:

Logan Jacobs
Aileve Parfitt
Mike Seals
David Strange
Carolyn Ziegler

October Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

October 21:

David Bledsoe
Patti Burch
Tom Carrico
Rachel Eaggleston
Nick Lett
Jan McDowell

October 22:

Aaron Hudson
Erin Lyon
Kaleb Meyer
Vernita Williams

October 23:

Eric Killion
Kevin Matthews
Victoria McGuire
Peter Rahman
Skylar Raney

October 24:

Collier Dant
Steve Downey
James Hawkins
Brady Lingenfelter
Elizabeth Steiner

October 25:

Margaret Asbell
Jan Martin

October 26:

Jeffrey Arvin
Garrett Mathies
Allie Walker
John Walker

October 27:

Jeremy Huebner
Dax Sullivan
Carrie Williams

October 28:

Shawna Hart
Billie Jo Hollander
Tony Hollaway
Jennifer Lannan
Carolyn Ryan

October 29:

Mary Bradley
Holly Dant

October 30:

Jacob Arvin

October 31:

Susan Ackerman
Shelley Christmas
Diana Fegan
TJ McAtee