

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday **First Saturday** Oct. 4th
12(Noon) Robert T. & Helen Louise McAtee
 5:00 p.m. Ron Daugherty, Robert Blackwell,
 Richard Green, Buck & Afra Green

Sunday **Pet Blessing** Oct. 5th
 8:00 a.m. Kelly & Rosalie Riggins
 10:00 a.m. Delbert Fields, Sharon Fields,
 Ethan Fields, Donald Nolan

1:00 p.m. **Pet Blessing**
 4:00 p.m. Michael Elliott, Jr.

Monday Oct. 6th
 12(Noon) Deceased Members of the Joseph
 & Mary Leola Lannan Family (at St. Martin)

Tuesday Oct. 7th
6:00 p.m. Mary Healy

Wednesday Oct. 8th
9:00 a.m. For The People

Thursday Oct. 9th
 9:00 a.m. Jeanne Parsons
 1:30 p.m. **Nursing Home Mass** - Waynette Pankey

Friday Oct. 10th
 9:00 a.m. Barbara Stevens

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. **Catechetical Mass** - Patrick Arvin,
 Patrick Delaney, Delbert Fields, Donald Nolan
 4:00 p.m. Vonda Elliott

Ministers for SACRISTANS Oct. 4th/Oct. 5th, 2025

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. Kamila Wilson, Karmen Wilson,
 Kendall Wilson, Kamden Wilson
 4:00 p.m. Grayson Kluesner, Liam Kluesner, Hattie Kluesner

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. FD: Anne Marie Crays
 SD: Volunteers
 8:00 a.m. FD: Joseph Park
 SD: Bruce/Lynn Hawkins
 10:00 a.m. FD: Faye Holland
 SD: Brenda Mathias, Volunteer

READERS:

5:00 p.m. Francis Doyle
 8:00 a.m. Judy Kluesner
 10:00 a.m. John A. Walker
 4:00 p.m. Volunteer

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Two Ministers needed - 1 assigned / 1 Volunteer if Deacon is not present
 5:00 p.m. Janet Matthews
 8:00 a.m. Betty Huelsman, Elizabeth Park
 10:00 a.m. Tom McAtee



My dear friends in Christ,

A special welcome to Fr. Tyler Tenbarge, our Diocesan Vocations Director, and 4 of our seminarians: Jeff Helfrich, Austin Wolf, Landon Mayer, and Samuel Naas. Fr. Tyler will be preaching at the Masses this weekend, and Jeff Helfrich will give a witness reflection. The seminarians will be serving at the Masses and available to talk with you after each Mass. We are so thankful to have these young men discerning their call for the Priesthood.

Congratulations to George Rahman, who won 1st prize [\$1,500]. Congratulations, also, to Mary Lou Matthews, Bob & Ruth Ann Toy, Rick Bauer, and Elsie Horsting who each won \$1,000; Travis Craney and Martin Burch for winning \$750 each; Kimberly Jones, Kathy Burton, Edward McAtee, and Connie Hall, who each won \$500. All of prizes came to a total of \$9,000. As a parish, we brought in \$20,590 for which I am very grateful. A special thank you to everyone who helped with the raffle this year! \$11,590 will be applied to the Appeal.

Last weekend, I spoke about our Catholic Ministries Appeal. By now, you should have received a letter concerning this campaign and that we are asking each family to contribute **\$500.00**. Many services are provided to us from the Appeal which is administered through our diocesan offices under the direction of Bishop Siegel. If you are in the position to go over the amount, it will be greatly appreciated. All checks are to be made payable to the Catholic Ministries Appeal. Your ongoing support and generosity are a tremendous gift. If you wish, you may put your Catholic Ministries Appeal envelope in the collection basket to avoid paying postage.

Our annual Pet Blessing will be today at 1:00 p.m. We will meet in the parking lot of the upper level of the Parish Center. Prizes will be awarded for the pets determined to be the largest, smallest, cutest, most unique, and scariest. We will also be recognizing winners in the "Pet and Owner Looking the Most Alike" and "Father's Choice" categories. I look forward to seeing you and your pet there!

We began giving Instructions in the Faith. If you would like to join the Catholic Church, but were not able to attend the past meeting, it is not too late. You may

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR THIS WEEK

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

call my cell at 812-480-0629 or the rectory. Each meeting will last approximately one hour.

When you or a loved one are admitted to the hospital, please let them know that you are Catholic and that you give them permission to contact me so that I may visit you. I would also appreciate you letting me know when you or a loved one are in the hospital, so that we may pray for you.

May our Lord bless and keep you,

Father Walker

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

SACRISTANS

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:

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

Sunday Collection Sept. 27th/Sept. 28th, 2025

St. John 153 Envelopes \$8,022.00
Vigil Light Money \$98.00

Save the Date

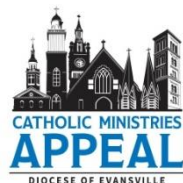
Pet Blessing - Oct. 5th, 1pm
Men's Club Meeting - Oct. 5th, 5pm
K of C 3rd Degree Meeting - Oct. 6th, 7pm
Women's WELCOME Meeting - Oct. 7th, 6:30pm
Instructions - Oct. 7th, 7:00pm
Confirmation Parent Meeting - Oct. 8th, 7pm - 8pm
Savio at St. Martin Hall - Oct. 12th, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Altar Society Meeting - Oct. 13th, 6:30pm
K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting - Oct. 15th, 7pm
Pastoral Council Meeting - Oct. 16th, 6pm
Altar Society Brunch - Oct. 19th, After 10:00am Mass
K of C 4th Degree - Oct. 27th, 7pm
Trunk N' Treat - Oct. 31st
All Hallows' Eve Family Fun Night - Nov. 2nd

WOMEN'S WELCOME 2025

The team and participants will meet on Tuesday, October 7th at 6:30 p.m. at St. Martin Hall to evaluate and share thoughts about our weekend retreat. The team will provide a meal for those attending.



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



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

October is the Month of the Holy Rosary, and we are celebrating by praying the rosary in class. On Wednesday evening, our students prayed a "living" rosary by the shrine at St. Martin. Each student led a Hail Mary and lit a candle until we completed all 5 decades. The weather could not have been better, and I was so impressed with the student's participation and reverence. A special thank you goes to Paula Ringwald who provided a meal and helped me set up the living rosary for our Wednesday night students!

Some upcoming events:

- **Sunday, October 5th:** Pet Blessing at 1 p.m.
- **Monday, October 6th:** Living Rosary for Monday students (during class)
- **Wednesday, October 8th:** Confirmation Parent Meeting 7 p.m. - 8 p.m.
- **Sunday, October 12th:** Catechetical Sunday; 10:00 a.m. with a reception afterwards
- **Sunday, October 12th:** Savio; 6 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.

More events are happening this month, so stay tuned for future announcements. (akahle@evdio.org or 812-639-3923)

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