

St. John the Apostle Parish

July 30, 2017 * Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Meade County Catholic Radio: WLHN-LP 95.3FM / website: meadecountycatholicradio.com

Office Hours 8:00am - 4:30pm Monday through Thursday; Closed on Friday

Bulletin Deadline: Thursday's 4:00pm (9 days prior to publication)

Weekend Masses: Saturday Vigil 4:30pm & Sunday 11:00am

Weekday Masses: Monday & Wednesday 8:00am

Parish Staff

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Welcome Visitors!

We hope you enjoy your visit with us.
If you are looking for a home church,
we want you to know you are most welcome.
If you would like to join, please call or
come into the parish office.

DEVOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

The **Rosary** will be prayed for Vocations on Saturday's at 4:05 pm and Sunday's at 10:35 am.

Eucharistic Adoration: Saturday's 3:30 - 4:00 pm; **Monday's** 7 -9pm

Divine Mercy Group - For more info please call 945-8061

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms: Preparation is required, 3rd Sunday of the month at 12:15pm, call the office to register.

Confirmation: Preparation is required, please call the office for more information.

Reconciliation: Saturday's 3:30pm or by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick: If you are sick, homebound or in the hospital & would like Father to visit, please call the office.

Marriage: 6 month preparation required, please call the office.

Parish Pastoral Council

Ed Kopp - Chairperson (elk868890@gmail.com)
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If you wish to address any concerns in regards to the parish,
please speak to one of the council members.



Mass Intentions for the week of July 31

<u>Day:</u>	<u>Time:</u>	<u>Intention:</u>
Monday	8:00 a.m.	Our Parish Family
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Sandy Hobbs
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	Amanda Belle Thomas & Brianna Morris
Sunday	11:00 a.m.	James Wilkins Sr., Virginia Barr & Edwin & Margaret Barr

Altar Flowers: Remember or honor a loved one, family member or soldier. Call the parish office to schedule your weekend (\$50.00 donation)

Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.
Blessed are the clean of heart, for they shall see God.
Matthew 5:7-8

NEXT WEEKEND'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

DANIEL 7:9-10, 13-14
PSALM 97:1-2, 5-6, 9
2 PETER 1:16-19
MATTHEW 17:1-9



500 Club

Your 500 Club letter & membership forms are available for pick-up in the Narthex of Church.

The 1st drawing is August 28, 2017

Only 500 tickets will be sold!

Please pick-up your envelope before August 7th.
Those not picked up by then will be mailed.

Don't miss your chance to be a winner!

Ministers for weekend of August 5 & 6, 2017

	<i>4:30 pm</i>	<i>Medco— Sr. Lydia</i>	<i>11:00 am</i>
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Mike *Leslie Jenkins, Debbie Jones, Mike & Beth LaFrance, Maggie Love, Frank Lucas		Deacon Mike *Kim DeVries, Gina Gregory, Gary Dykhuis, Zachary Mofield, Emily Parker, Kristin Peters
Lectors	Rosalie Whelan & Lori Ball		Lisa Babb & Lisa Hawk
Servers	Bristol & Breanna Collins		Paul Slack & Braden Mofield
Hospitality	Mike & Beth LaFrance		Gery Whelan & Maria Williams
Ushers	Danny Love, Jimmy Medley, Volunteer & Volunteer		Ed Kopp, Colton Nevitt, Scott & Jack Parker
Gift Bearers	The Pike-Goff Family		The Ed Kopp Family

If you are unable to minister as scheduled, please call someone on the list (list is available in the vestibule) to cover for you.



Please contact Monica Lucas, at the parish office, for more information regarding Religious Education opportunities.

Religious Ed classes: for grades 1-12 will begin in mid-August. If you have a 1st grader or are new to the our RE program, please contact Monica at the parish office.

Gather teachers and aides needed: If you would like to help with our Sunday morning children's church (during the 11am Mass, please contact Monica at the parish office.

Sunday's (Sept. - April)	12:30 pm	RCIA	Contact Parish Office
Wednesday's (Aug. - April)	7:00 pm	Religious Ed (grades 1-12)	Education Center
Sunday's (year round)	10:00 am	Men's & Women's Bible Study	Education Ctr Room A/Cafeteria
Sunday's (Aug. - June)	11:00 am	Children's Church (Gather)	Education Center

Weekend of July 15 & 16, 2017

\$6,603.57

Envelopes \$5,425.00 / EFT \$825.00 / Loose \$353.57

Weekly offering to make expenses **\$6,500.00**

Total collection needed to make expenses for fiscal year
ending June 30, 2018 \$316,777.85

Tithing If you would like to contribute through electronic funds or are not receiving your envelopes, please call the parish office or e-mail (kbmatt@bbtel.com). Thanks!

Travel with Deacon Mike & Debbie Jones

Where: Rome, Assisi, Florence, Tuscany, Venice, Malta

When: November 11-22, 2017

Cost: \$4,299.00 airfare & all-included

For more info call 270-668-4326 or email

debbiejones185@hotmail.com

Save the Date

Harvest Festival - October 15

** PLEASE NOTE **

EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1st per Father Kevin

◆ Funerals will be held at 10:00am

◆ Announcements will be made before Mass begins.
All announcements need Father's approval, therefore the deadline to turn your request in is 10am on Wednesday's

PARISH NEWS

Sew & Sews (Quilters): will resume **Mon., Aug. 7th.** They gather the 1st & 3rd Monday's (except if legal holiday, then meet Tuesday) of the month at 10:00am in the cafeteria. For more info call Judy Butler at 270-668-2585.

Prayer Quilts: are available for the sick & shut-ins of our parish upon request by calling Judy Butler at 668-2585.

Dishes: A reminder that if you brought a dish for a bereavement meal, please pick up your dish from the cafeteria during office hours. Thank you!

August Happenings

Aug. 7	10am	Sew & Sews	Cafeteria
Aug. 13	12:15pm	Veneration Our Lady of Fatima	Church
Aug. 21	10am	Sew & Sews	Cafeteria

Tuesday's 12:30pm Senior Citizen Game Day Cafeteria

Sew & Sews will resume August 7th

Mailing address for Sister Teresa

Sr. Teresa Aquilina - Augustinian Sisters
Ponsomby Street
Mosta MST 4033 Malta, Europe

Marriage Moment

One version of the wedding vows states: "I will love & honor you all the days of my life." But what does honor mean? Consider these guidelines: When talking, give your undivided attention (make contact, don't interrupt. Listen closely). Back your spouse up in front of other people, show your support. Be selfless.

Parenting Pointers:

Solomon asked God for an understanding heart. Surely this is the attitude we want to take toward our own children. Yet children test us. They do dumb, crazy & selfish things. They need to be corrected & disciplined. An understanding heart doesn't mean ignoring bad behavior but rather loving our child through it.

ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH?
DID YOUR ADDRESS CHANGE?
ARE YOU A YOUNG ADULT NO LONGER IN SCHOOL?

If you are new to the parish, please introduce yourself to Father Kevin & fill out your Welcome packet. For changes, registration cards are available at the doors of Church or by contacting the parish office. Return them in the collection basket or to the parish office.

Practice Makes Catholic - Did you know?

The dog days of summer are here.

The days when its hot & muggy & children are anxious to fill every day with fun before school starts. Parents rush to get supplies for school.

Parents also pray. We pray for stamina, patience & loving eyes. We pray for energy & the ability to enjoy every fleeting moment we have with the most precious gifts in our lives. We pray for our children & ourselves & those we love.

Most importantly, we pray.



Pray for the sick of our Parish

Mildred Barr, Bennie Bruner, Mary Crutcher, Clay Fackler, David H. Fackler, Donna Fellmy, Sonny & Claire Frantz, Larry & Joan Gagel, Mary Greenwell, Tommy Hardesty, Linda King, Rita Klem, Rose LaTondress, Marvin & Mildred Mattingly, Paul Mattingly, Vance Menefee, Marie Padgett, Kathleen Powell, Flossie Powell, Becky Stiff, Bonnie Szwed, Charles & Rita Thompson, Rose Whelan



If you know a parishioner who is sick, homebound or in the hospital & would like Father Kevin to visit, please call the Parish Office.

Please remember to call and remove yourself or your loved one when they are no longer ill or in need of prayers. Thank you.

Community News

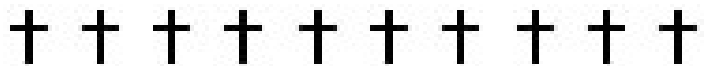
St. Theresa Picnic & Auction is Aug. 12: Fried chicken, beef & BBQ pork dinner served from 3-7pm. Poker Run leaves at 12 noon. Classic Car Show at 2pm; Auction begins at 6:30pm. Raffle, live music, booths & games for all ages. Call 270-496-4362 for more info. Lic #ORG0000696

Meade Co. Clothes Closet & Food Pantry: we will be collecting the **weekend of Aug. 19/20** St. John's is asked to supply the following: cereal, toilet paper & coffee. Items can be left in the Church Narthex or brought to the office. This is a very worthwhile service in our community. Please help us support it.

Fresh Stop Market: The Brandenburg Area Fresh Stop is gearing up for the 3rd season in Meade County! Fresh, locally grown food is pre-ordered & delivered at the Meade County Extension Farmer's Market Pavilion every 2 weeks starting in June. Cost is on a sliding scale & is available to ALL! For more info visit newroots.org, call 502-509-6770 or email info@newroots.org

Al-Anon Meetings: Thursday's at St. Martin at 6:30pm in the cafeteria of the school building. For more info call 270-828-3368.

Devotion of Our Lady of Fatima: 1st Saturday of every month at St. Martin, following the 6:30pm Mass. Contact Deacon Joe 502-930-2039, Tim Curran 270-828-2233 or Roselle Muse 270-877-5476 for more information.



With Deepest Sympathy

Our prayers & condolences to the family & friends of

Carol Sue Ammons

mother of Robbie, Lee, Susan, Brian, Tracy & Chris

May the love of God and the peace of the Lord Jesus Christ bless and console you.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS ACTIVITIES

Monday - Thursday
9-11am & 2-4pm Silent Walkers Gym

Tuesday evening's - September thru April (call if interested)
6:45pm Silent Walkers Gym

Every other month - Sept. 19, 2017
3:00pm Red Cross Blood Drive Cafeteria

All parishioners are invited to help make this a dynamic ministry. Please join us for any of these programs.

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