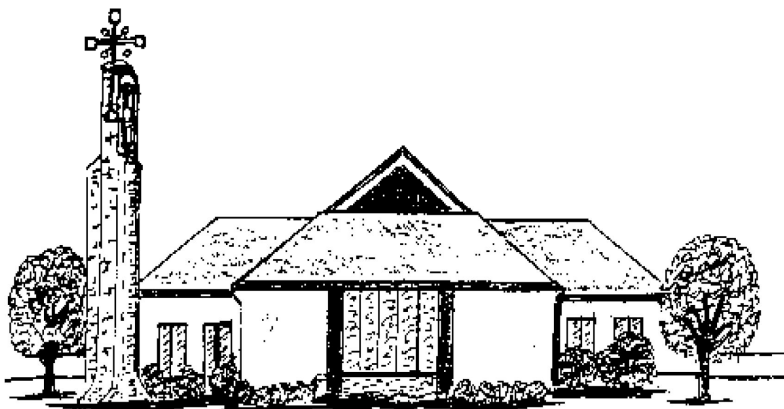


# St. John the Apostle Parish

August 26, 2018 \* Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time



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

Bulletin Deadline: Thursday's 4:00pm (the week before publication)

Weekend Masses: Saturday Vigil 4:30pm & Sunday 9:00am & 11:00am

Weekday Masses: Monday thru Thursday 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 8:35 am.

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

## 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](mailto: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 August 27

Day:	Time:	Intention:
Monday	8:00 a.m.	Rita Thompson
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Deceased members of the Whelan & Philpott families
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Cale Brown
Thursday	8:00a.m.	Deceased Parishioners of St. John
Saturday	4:30p.m.	Loyd Basham
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Stephen Zanone
	11:00 a.m.	Our Parish Family

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

Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

RCIA classes begin September 18th

To sign up or for more information,

contact Deacon Mike Jones at 422-1140 or 422-4216

### Ministers for weekend of Sept. 1 & 2, 2018

	4:30 pm	9:00 am	11:00 am Gather Teachers- Iris & Amy
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Mike *Beth LaFrance, David Smith, Debbie Stiff, Amanda Brown, Volunteer & Volunteer	Deacon Mike *Debbie Thompson, Ed & Nancy Tate, Andy & Amanda Zanone & Volunteer	Deacon Mike *Kristin Peters, Kelly Sr. & Anthony Popham, Doug Stiff, Volunteer & Volunteer
Lectors	Judy Sipes & Rosalie Whelan	Anne Marie Warren & Maria Williams	Gabe & Sherri Powers
Servers	Mike LaFrance	Megan Zanone & Volunteer	Noah & Luke Miller
Hospitality	Marion & Rosalie Whelan	Harold Fackler & Maria Williams	Bill & Cathy Smith
Ushers	Donna Fellmy, Gary Knott, Volunteer & Volunteer	Andrew & Drew Ford Volunteer & Volunteer	Gery Whelan, Jan Helm, Volunteer & Volunteer
Gift Bearers	Ann Duncan & Donna Fellmy	Elizabeth & Seth Arnold	Stephanie Parker Family

If you are unable to minister as scheduled, please call someone on the list to cover for you.

**Religious Ed:** for grades 1-12 has begun. You may still register this Wednesday night at 6:45 in the gym. New families, please contact Monica.

**Thanks** to our Religious Ed Catechists this year, we appreciate you! Stephen Spohn, Meg King, Andrea Pike-Goff, Kim Myers, Denice Jackson, Shannon Slack, Tabitha Folden, Karen Lambert, Maria Williams, Johnathan Mangin, Jackie Rose, David Phillips & Jennifer Shelton.

**Bible Basics:** Join us this fall! Bible basics is for those interested in learning more about the Bible; how to read it, where to start, and more. Watch the bulletin and your email for more information or contact Monica to join the group.

**Gather the Children program:** Children (K-4) are invited to join the Gather group during the 11 a.m. Mass. They dismiss during the opening song & before the Liturgy of the Eucharist. The children hear the same readings that you hear, the difference is they are explained to them on their level. Your child is welcome to join at any time.

Please contact Monica Lucas, at the parish office, for more info regarding Religious & Adult Ed opportunities.

Tuesday's (Sept. - April)	6:30-8:30pm	RCIA	Room B
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

### Tithing Weekend of August 18 & 19, 2018

\$5,915.50

Envelopes \$4,664.00 / Loose \$411.50 / EFT \$840.00

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

Assumption of Mary Collection \$348.00

Peter's Pence Collection \$800.08

### 500 Club

Letters & membership forms have been mailed or you may stop by the office to purchase your ticket.

The 1st drawing **MONDAY, August 27, 2018!**

Don't miss your chance to be a winner!

### NEXT WEEKEND'S SCRIPTURE READINGS



**DEUTERONOMY** 4:1-2, 6-8

**PSALM** 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5

**JAMES** 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27

**MARK** 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

# PARISH NEWS

**Closed:** the Parish office will be closed September 3rd in observance of Labor Day.

**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!

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

**Church Ministries:** if you minister during the week-end Masses & have any days you will be unavailable or other changes for the upcoming schedule (Oct. - Dec.) please contact Kris at the office or kbmatt@bbtel.com, **no later than Thursday, Sept. 13.**

**Baptismal Prep:** the next class is **Sept. 13** at 7pm in room B of the Parish Ctr. You must be a registered member of the parish & attend the class before the baptism. You may attend before your child is born. Parents must attend, Godparents are welcome. Call the office to register.

**Harvest Fest items need:** If you are crafty or have a unique talent, please consider making & donating an item to the Live or Silent Auction. We also need Jar booth, Dollar Fest & Dime Pitch items. Contact Debbie Jones 668-4326.

## September Happenings

Sept. 4	10am	Sew & Sews	Cafeteria
Sept. 9	12pm	Confirmation Meeting	Church
Sept. 10	6:30pm	Parish Council Meeting	Room B
Sept. 13	7pm	Baptismal Prep	Room B
Sept. 17	10am	Sew & Sews	Cafeteria

Tuesday's 12:30pm Senior Citizen Game Day Cafeteria  
 Wednesday's 6pm Pray the Rosary Pavilion/Church

### From the Lavona "Bonnie" Argabright Szwed Family

"Thank you for every act of kindness, encouragement, prayers, visitation, cards, food, the BEAUTIFUL PRAYER SERVICE AND THE TOUCHING FUNERAL MASS, the delicious meal and the hands that prepared it for us, special music by Mr Derek Crafton and the church choir member. Last but not least, Billy and Ryan who gave us a peek of how beautiful our mom was 10 years ago before dementia took over."

May God Bless Each of You  
 Love, the Bonnie Argabright Szwed Family

### Practice Makes Catholic - Did you know?

Hope

"Ultimate hope is accepting what is beyond our control in believing that God will use the circumstances of our lives to help us grow in holiness."

Fr. J. Michael Sparough.

Taken from Beautiful Hope ...let us live in hope that our lives may be an inspiration for ourselves and for others.

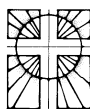
We are called to be a people of hope ...  
 it's part of why we do what we do



## Pray for the sick of our Parish

Mildred Barr, Phyllis Baskins, Bennie Bruner,  
 Clay Fackler, David H. Fackler, Donna Fellmy,  
 Sonny & Claire Frantz, Larry & Joan Gagel, Don Hardy,  
 Linda King, Rita Klem, Rose LaTondress, Frank Lucas,  
 Marvin & Mildred Mattingly, Paul Mattingly,  
 Vance Menefee, Marie Padgett,  
 Kathleen Powell, Becky Stiff, Lucy Tate Stupak,  
 Charles Thompson, Liz Wheatley

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



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

## Community News

**Holy Guardian Angel Picnic:** Sat. Aug. 25th from 3-7pm.

**St. Martin of Tours Picnic:** Sat., Sept. 8th from 2 -10pm.

**Meade Co. Clothes Closet & Food Pantry:** we will be collecting the **weekend of Sept. 15/16**. 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.

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.

### With Deepest Sympathy

Our prayers & condolences to the family & friends of

**Lavona "Bonnie" Argabright Szwed**

mother of Jettie, Nancy, Kathy, Angie, Madonna,  
 Frank, Paul, Kelly & Bruce

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

Quarterly - November 6, 2018  
 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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