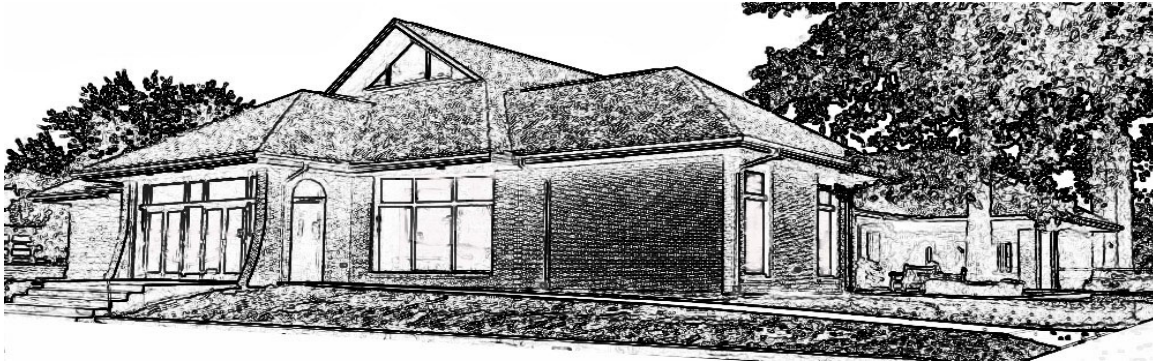


St. John the Apostle Parish

February 6, 2022 * Fifth 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 (the week before publication)

Weekend Masses: Saturday Vigil 4:30pm & Sunday 10:00am

Weekday Masses: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 11:00am

Devotional Opportunities: Prayers for Vocations can be prayed through rosary in silence and by individuals at any time.

Eucharistic Adoration: Monday's 6 -8pm

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 see Fr. Toan before or after Mass.

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms, Confirmation & Marriage: Preparation is recommended, please call the office.

Reconciliation: For the Sacrament of Reconciliation, please see Fr. Toan after weekday Mass or to make an appointment directly with him.

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

Parish Pastoral & Finance Council

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Mass Intentions for the week of Feb. 7

Day:	Time:	Intention:
Tuesday	11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
Wednesday	11:00 a.m.	John Samuel Madden & Vic Andresen
Thursday	11:00 a.m.	Harry Mills
Friday	11:00 a.m.	David Mills
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	Weick & Wimpee families
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	James & Virginia Wilkins Nick Ford

Daily Masses AND the Sunday Mass are Live Streamed



Altar Flowers in Memory of Ilse, Albert & Kyung Lewis

Contact the parish office if you would like to donate \$50.00 for altar flowers in memory/honor of a loved one.

NEXT WEEKEND'S SCRIPTURE READINGS



JEREMIAH 17:5-8
 PSALM 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6
 1 CORINTHIANS 15:12, 16-20
 LUKE 6:17, 20-26

Parishioners may exercise prudent caution about Mass attendance for those who cannot be vaccinated, such as children under the age of 12. Archbishop Kurtz requires masks for Masses and other indoor parish activities for those who are not yet vaccinated against COVID-19, especially during this time of high transmission. Those who, for any reason, feel unwell or ill may remain home.

Adult Faith Formation

Read the Bible in One Year... Together via St. John's Adult Ed Facebook Page. Each morning - see the Readings for the Day OR (not on Facebook) Download the Reading Plan for yourself: text CATHOLICBIBLE to 33-777

LISTEN: Listen to The Bible in a Year podcast using your favorite podcast app OR on the WEB...
<https://media.ascensionpress.com/all-bible-in-a-year-episodes/>

Follow us on Facebook @StJohnAdultEd
AND Instagram @stjadultfaith

Ministers for weekend of Feb. 12 & 13, 2022

	4:30pm	10:00 am
Eucharistic Ministers	Rodney Pickering, Bea Ann Reesor & Judy Sipes	Deacon Mike, Andy & Amanda Zanone
Lectors	Joe Farrell	Confirmation
Ushers	Stella Godbey & Gary Knott	Confirmation
Gift Bearers	Tom & Jeannine Beck	Confirmation

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

Weekend of Jan. 22 & 23, 2022

\$5,883.00

Weekly offering to make expenses **\$7,230.77**

Total collection needed to make expenses for fiscal year ending June 30, 2022 \$104,415.70

Save the Date

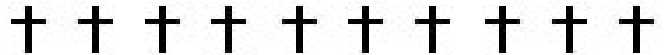
Parish Gathering Souper Bowl Saturday
February 26

See insert in Feb. 6 bulletin for all the details

Young Disciples Faith Formation News

Grades Preschool - 12th

- Feb. 6 - Regular Class/Confirmation practice
- Feb. 13 - Regular Class P-5/Confirmation at 10am Mass
- Feb. 20 - Regular Class/First Reconciliation 2nd graders
- Feb. 27 - Regular Class
- March 2 - Ash Wednesday -families attend together
- March 6 - Regular Class
- March 13 - Regular Class/Retreat for First Communion
- March 20 - Regular Class/Practice for First Communion
- March 27 - Regular Class



Youth Ministry (grades 6-12)

2022 Youth Masses: Feb. 20 & March 20

“Put out into **deep** water and lower your nets for a catch.” Luke 5:4. It’s interesting to note that Jesus did not simply tell Peter and the Apostles to put out into the water; rather, He told them to put out into the “deep water.” We are called to evangelize those on the margins, to reach out to more than the people who are closest to us. We should evangelize with enthusiasm and zeal, searching far and wide for God’s lost sheep. So many people are lost and confused. Sin is rampant and despair is prevalent. Our world is in desperate need of a Savior and we are the ones Jesus desires to use to gather a huge catch and to find those in greatest need. Talk to someone in need of hope today. Tell them about Jesus and his healing Grace

Follow us on Facebook @STJYouthMinistry
Instagram @saintjohnyouth, and Twitter SJA_Youth

PARISH NEWS

**500 Club Winner for
Jan. 31, 2021 - #99 Larry Dattilo**

Tickets are still available, contact the parish office.

Saturday "Souper" Bowl Parish Gathering: Join us **Feb. 26th** in the cafeteria at 5:30pm for food & fellowship! See you there! Any questions contact Dana Medley at dana.medley@meade.kyschools.us

Women of Worth (WOW) Meade County: Feb. 17th at 6:00pm at St. John. WOW is the Lady version of ManUp! WOW is a community wide Lady's ministry for all ages, denominations, churches & walks of life. Visit @WOWMeade on Facebook to learn more.

Prayer Chain: As prayer requests come into the parish office they are sent out by email. If you would like to be added to the prayer chain or if you have a prayer request please email Monica mlucas@bbtel.com

Prayer Quilts: are available for the sick & shut-ins of our parish upon request by calling Amanda Brown 547-8337.

Bulletin: If you know someone who is homebound & would like to receive the bulletin by mail, please call the office or email sjsecretary@bbtel.com.

Parish Happenings

Sunday's	9:00am	Men's Bible Group	Room B
	11:15am	Religious Education	All buildings
	4:00pm	Life Group (2nd Sundays)	Room C/D
Monday's	10:00am	Sew & Sews (1st & 3rd Mondays)	Cafeteria
	10:30am	Pickleball	Gym
	6:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration	Church
Tuesday's	12:00pm	Pickleball	Gym
	12:30pm	Seniors Game Day	Gym
	6:00pm	Grief Group	Room F (office hallway)
Wednesday's	5:30pm	Pray the Rosary	Pavilion /Gym
	6:00pm	Youth Ministry	Gym & C/D
Thursday's	6:30pm	Pickleball	Gym

Food Bank Hours: Education Building
Thursday's 9:30-11:30am AND 4:30-5:30pm

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

Registration forms can be found online at stjohnonline.org or contact parish office. Return them in the collection basket or to the office.

Coming soon

Parish Directory Pictures
February 15 -19 & 22, 2022

Enter through front doors of the Education building

If you need to make any changes to your appointment please call 888-742-5823 OR you can go online www.ucdir.com.



Pray for the sick of our Parish

John Allgeier, Peter Allgor Jr., Patricia Baskins, Bennie & Frances Bruner, Joe Cook, Clay Fackler, David H. Fackler, Debra Hardesty, Rose LaTondress, Mildred Mattingly, Charlotte Medley, Vance Menefee, Mike Oliveira, Paulette Pate, Gene & Marge Pence, Kathleen Powell, Diann Shireman, Jim Stiff, Charles Thompson, Annetta Waters, Mary West, Marion Whelan & Caroline Yates

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

From the Pastor

Earlier this month, the parish sent out the letter of monetary contributions to each family. On one level, the letter informs you of your gifts to the parish. But on the much deeper level, as the pastor I witness the profound commitment and dedication of your generosity and love to St John the Apostle Parish. On behalf of the entire parish, I wish to thank each of you and I am grateful for your continued support.

From the Pastor

Two weeks ago, Sunday Jan. 16th, the parish's leadership team and I convened a special meeting in which we invited Mrs. Nancy Tate to speak to us. Prior to the meeting, Mrs. Tate had requested that an Independent Catholic School aka "Immaculata Classical Academy" be operated on the campus of our parish of St John the Apostle. We should be aware of one piece of important information, namely that the model of this independent Catholic school is not the traditional Catholic school in the Archdiocese school system.

After Mrs. Tate presented her view in supporting the reason that St John the Apostle Parish should have this independent Catholic school on our campus, the eleven members of the Council debated. The Council found no unanimous support as to whether our parish should host this school on our campus. Afterwards, I conveyed over the telephone call my final decision to Mrs. Tate. I stated that, at this time, St John the Apostle Parish could not find sufficient reasons to host the model of an Independent Catholic School on its campus.

On behalf of the entire parish and the Council, I wish to thank Mrs. Tate and everyone who have wanted to have this school to be on our campus. I also wish to thank the representatives of "Immaculata Classical Academy" for their interest in our parish.

WELLNESS ACTIVITIES

Monday - Thursday
8am - 12:30pm & 2-4pm

the Gym is available for those wanting to walk/run, use the treadmill, elliptical, yoga mats, play pickle ball or basketball.

Please check-in at the front office during office hours.

All parishioners are invited to help make this a dynamic ministry. Anyone under the age of 18 must have an adult present at all times.