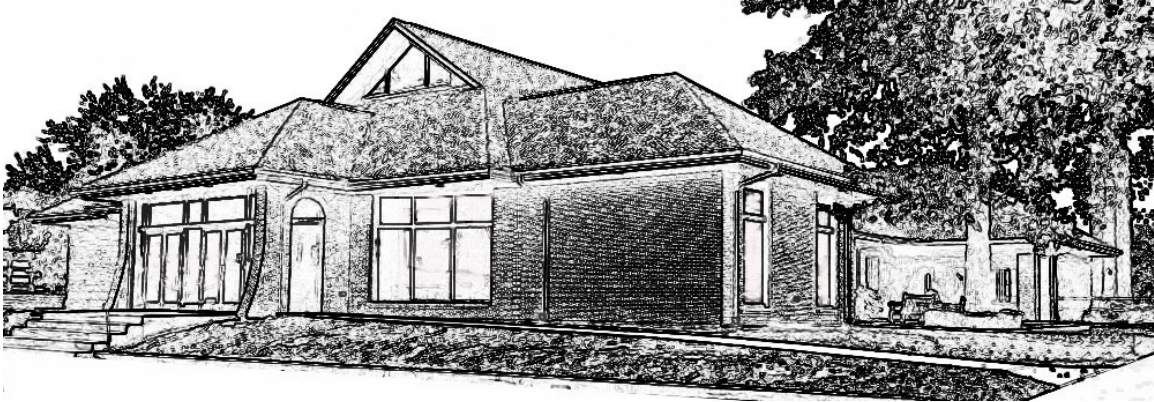


# St. John the Apostle Parish

January 17, 2021 \* Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



**515 Broadway, Brandenburg, KY 40108**

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Website: [stjohnonline.org](http://stjohnonline.org)

Meade County Catholic Radio: WLHN-LP 95.3FM / website: [meadecountycatholicradio.com](http://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 & Thursday 12:00Noon; Wednesday & Friday 8:00am

**Devotional Opportunities:** Rosary is prayed for Vocations on Saturday's at 4:05 pm and Sunday's at 9:35 am

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

## 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.

## SACRAMENTS

**Baptisms:** Preparation is required, 3rd Saturday of the month at 5:45pm, 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, call the office.

## Parish Pastoral Council

Ed Kopp - Chairperson ([elk868890@gmail.com](mailto:elk868890@gmail.com))  
Mike LaFrance - Vice-Chair ([lafrancem@pga.com](mailto:lafrancem@pga.com))  
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Denice Jackson ([Jackson\\_denice@yahoo.com](mailto:Jackson_denice@yahoo.com))

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 January 18

Day:	Time:	Intention:
Tuesday	12:00 p.m.	Don & Jack Bullock & Joseph Redmon
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Emily Nebel
Thursday	12:00 p.m.	Cale Brown
Friday	8:00 a.m.	Our Parish Family
Saturday	4:30p.m.	Bob Whelan, Red & Libby Lucas
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Stephen Zanone

Daily Masses AND the Sunday Mass are Live Streamed – see below on how to access.

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

### To access Live stream

**Facebook users:** Login & SEARCH (box near top of screen) Type - @StJohnAdultEd or search Saint John the Apostle ADULT formation; Like or Share the page to see events, Live video, updates, etc.

**No Facebook? go to Google:** TYPE: facebook.com/StJohnAdultEd; you will be asked to LOGIN - ignore/cancel; Scroll Down the page until you see LIVE Video or Scroll Down the page & view recording, later...

### NEXT WEEKEND'S SCRIPTURE READINGS



JONAH 3:1-5, 10  
 PSALM 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9  
 1 CORINTHIANS 7:29-31  
 MARK 1:14-20

### 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

### Ministers for weekend of Jan. 23 & 24, 2021

### Tithing Weekend of Jan. 2 & 3, 2021

\$10,632.00

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

Total collection needed to make expenses for fiscal year ending June 30, 2021 \$197,573.00

### Young Disciples Faith Formation News

Grades Preschool - 12th

Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will. Ps 40:8-9  
*We pray our community seeks the truth of God and acts upon his will in our lives.*

### RE Classes - Sunday Evening 6-7pm

Jan. 17 - Regular Class

Jan. 24 - Regular Class

Jan. 31 - Regular Class

Feb. 7 - Regular Class & 11/12 Candidate/Sponsor practice for Sacrament of Confirmation

Feb. 14 - Sacrament of Confirmation (11-12gr) 10am Mass

Feb. 14 - Regular Class

Feb. 17 - Ash Wednesday

### Children's Church - No Children's Church

Children who would like to become Catholic or receive the Sacraments contact Regina.



**Youth Ministry Meetings:** (grades 7-12)  
 SUNDAYS 7pm in rooms C & D.

**2020 Youth Mass:** Feb. 21

Youth Ministry is so excited to have the opportunity to meet weekly on Sundays along with our Religious Ed program! We hope that this change will bring about spiritual growth for our kids and families. Our first Sunday meeting was January 10th and we are happy to report that things went well. We are all so glad to be back together in person. We have missed our Youth Family!

Psalm 119: 9-11 "How can a young person live a pure life? By obeying your word. I try with all my heart to serve you. Help me obey your commands. I study your teachings very carefully so that I will not sin against you." Amen.

Follow us on Facebook @STJYouthandFaithFormation, Instagram @saintjohnyouth, and Twitter SJA\_Youth

	4:30 pm	10:00 am
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Mike * Mike & Beth LaFrance	Deacon Mike *Jenn Shelton & Shannon Slack
Lectors	Joe Farrell	Ed Kopp
Ushers	Danny Love & Volunteer	Jeremy & Jordan Stull

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

## PARISH NEWS

### 500 Club Winner for

Jan. 4, 2021 - #8 Henry & LaVerne Pike

Tickets are still available, contact the parish office.

**Thank you:** to Gina Gregory & Anna Novak for their service as Children Church Catechists on Sunday mornings. They both have retired from their positions. We appreciate their commitment to our children and their years of service. You both will be greatly missed.

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

**Prayer Chain:** Did you know St John's offers an email prayer chain? Prayer requests are emailed to over 100 people who pray for those in need. If you would like to be on the list of those who receive & pray for the requests, or if you would like to add someone in need of prayers, email Monica at [mlucas@bbtel.com](mailto:mlucas@bbtel.com)

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

**Pray the Rosary:** The Sisters invite everyone to pray the Rosary in honor of our Blessed Mother, on Wednesday's at **5:30 in the gym** (enter from the back parking lot).

**Opportunities for Life Collection:** is this weekend. Funds from this collection will provide resources to pregnant women & new families in crisis including maternal assistance & support for Catholic Charities & other pregnancy resources.

**Meade Co. Catholic Radio "Discussions" 95.3FM:** airs Mondays/Fridays @ 5pm; Tuesdays/Thursdays @ 9am & Wednesdays/ Saturdays @ 11am.

**Catholic Service Appeal 2020**— goal for St. John's is \$17,000.00. As of Jan. 8, 2020 we have raised \$15,245.00. Thanks to those who have already responded with a gift. To donate or for more info [www.archlou.org/CSA](http://www.archlou.org/CSA)



## Pray for the sick of our Parish

John Allgeier, Peter Allgor Jr., Patricia Baskins, Bennie Bruner, Joe Cook, Clay Fackler, David H. Fackler, Larry & Joan Gagel, Rose LaTondress, Mildred Mattingly, Vance Menefee, Marie Padgett, Gene & Margaret Pence, Kathleen Powell, Diann Shireman, Charles Thompson, Bonnie Wardrip, Mary West, Joe Whelan & Caroline Yates

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

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](http://stjohnonline.org) or contact parish office. Return them in the collection basket or to the office.



Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

RCIA classes begin January 10th

To sign up or for more information, contact Deacon Mike Jones at 422-1140 or 422-4216

## Stay connected to your parish

Check out our website at [www.stjohnonline.org](http://www.stjohnonline.org)

## Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Samuel 3:9-10

"When Samuel went to sleep in his place, the LORD came and stood there, calling out as before: Samuel, Samuel! Samuel answered, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

Today we hear Samuel respond eagerly, "Here I am" each time the Lord calls him. A steward must be listening for the call of God in one's life and be ready to respond like Samuel, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

**Weekend Masses:** *Due to continued Social distancing requirements - space is still limited so you will need to contact the parish office to be placed on the list if you plan to attend. THE DEADLINE TO SIGN UP IS 12NOON ON THURSDAYS. You may contact us one of two ways 1) EMAIL ([sjsecretary@bbtel.com](mailto:sjsecretary@bbtel.com)) OR 2) call 270-422-2196, please state your name, which Mass you would like to attend & the number of persons in your party. You may sign up for 2 weekends at a time.*

**Social Distancing:** Please wear a mask & keep it on throughout Mass until Communion time. When you arrive at Church (through the main doors - handicap entrance is from the rectory side parking lot) please tell the Usher your name, use the available hand sanitizer and then enter Church, remember to maintain a social distance from other family units and single persons.

**Weekday Masses** (Tuesday/Thursday at 12noon & Wednesday/Friday at 8:00am) can be attended by the public, with limited seating & social distancing, you do NOT need to be on a list to attend.

**Rosary Prayer Group:** Wednesdays at 5:30pm in the gym. Masks & social distancing are required.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Mondays from 7-9pm in Church. Masks & social distancing are required. You will enter the side door closest to the rectory.