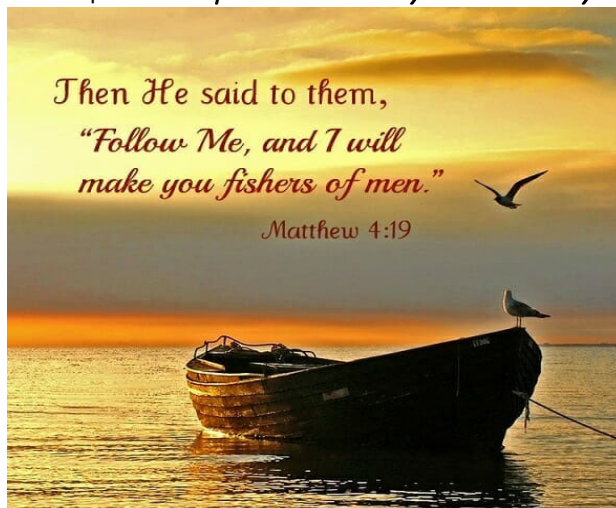


# St. John the Apostle Parish

01/22/2023 | Year A | Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Meade County Catholic Radio: WLHN-LP 95.3FM / website: <https://www.meadecountycatholicradio.com/>

Office Hours 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM Monday through Thursday; Closed on Friday

Weekend Masses: Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM & Sunday 10:00 AM

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

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

Eucharistic Adoration: **Mondays at 6 p.m.**

## Parish Staff

<b>Pastor</b>	Rev. Toan Do, S.T.D., Ph.D. <a href="mailto:Pastor.sjp.brandenburg@gmail.com">Pastor.sjp.brandenburg@gmail.com</a>
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<b>Director of Music Ministry</b>	Mr. Derek Crafton <a href="mailto:derek.crafton@meade.kyschools.us">derek.crafton@meade.kyschools.us</a>
<b>Coordinator of Adult Ed Volunteer</b>	Mrs. Sherri Powers <a href="mailto:sjadulted@bbtel.com">sjadulted@bbtel.com</a>

Responsorial Psalm: The Lord is my light and my salvation.

## 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 here at Saint John the Apostle. If you would like to join the parish, 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 and would like a priest to visit, please call the office.

## Parish Finance & Pastoral Council

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Scripture Readings (Gather No. 1098)

Online version: <https://bible.usccb.org/>

Is 8:23-9:3

1 Cor 1:10-13,17

Psalms 27:1, 4, 13-14

M 4:12-23 or 4:12-17



**Mass Intentions for the Week of January 24-29**

Day:	Time:	Intention:
Tue.	11:00 AM	Don and Jack Bullock
Wed.	11:00 AM	Prayer for Unity
Thur.	11:00 AM	Liz Wheatley
Fri.	11:00 AM	Deceased Members of St. John
Sat.	4:30 PM	Hattie and Wallace Frakes and Deceased Family Members Robert and Hazel Hardesty and Deceased Family Members
Sun.	10:00 AM	James & Virginia Wilkins

Daily Masses AND Weekend Masses are Live Streamed



**Pray for the Sick in Our Parish**

John Allgeier, Donna Hesler Argabright, Annetta Avitt, Larry Brown, Bennie Bruner, Joe Cook, Andrea Esarey, Clay Fackler, Mary Helen Fackler, David H. Fackler, Rebecca Haught, Phyllis Hicks, Rose LaTondress, Trish Matthews, Charlotte Medley, Vance Menefee, James Mills, Joyce O'Leary, Paulette Pate, Cristina Schofield, Gene & Marge Pence, Kathleen Powell, Diann Shireman, Charles Thompson, Annetta Waters, Mary West, Marion Whelan, Caroline Yates.

**Tithing for the Weekend of Jan. 7 and 8**

\$26,850.10

Weekly offering to make expenses: **\$8,846.16.**

Total collection needed to make expenses for fiscal year ending June 30, 2023: \$202,844.62

**Ministers for the weekend of Jan 28-29**

**4:30 PM**

Lector: Stephen Spohn  
Eu. Ministers: Rodney Pickering, Ben and Haley Smith  
Gift Bearers: Tom and Jeanine Beck  
Ushers: John and Janice Straney

**10:00 AM**

Lector: Shannon Slack  
Eu. Ministers: Madonna Ammons, John Beavin, Kim Devries  
Gift Bearers: Ed and Anlyn Kopp  
Ushers: Grant Beavin, Jim Devries

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

**Prayer Chain:** As prayer requests come in 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](mailto:mlucas@bbtel.com).

**Parish Happenings**

Sun.	9:00 AM	Men's Bible Group   Pavilion
	11:15 AM	Religious Education   All buildings
	4:00 PM	Life Group (2nd Sundays)   Room C/D
Mon.	10:00 AM	Sew & Sews (1st & 3rd Mondays)   Cafeteria
	10:30 AM	Pickleball   Gym
	6:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration
Tue.	12:00 PM	Pickleball   Gym
	12:30 PM	Seniors Game Day   Gym
Wed.	5:30 PM	Pray the Rosary   Pavilion / Gym
	6:00 PM	Youth Ministry   Gym & Rooms C-D
Thur.	6:30 PM	Pickleball   Gym
Sat.	10:30 AM	Pickleball   Gym

**Food Bank**

Location *Education Building*

Hours *Thursdays | 9:30-11:30 AM & 4:30-5:30 PM*

**"The Bible study, Opening Your Heart will resume on Tuesday, January 10, 2023, from 6-7:30 pm. There will be a video for the first night. Please come join us. We can order new books if you are deciding to join this Spring. Please contact Meg King with any questions, 270-945-2071.**



**Man Up**

**February 2, 2023**

**St. John the Apostle Church**

Testimony from Tim Curran

**Bring a friend and join us at 6:30 pm for food, fellowship and prayer!**



**WOW (Women of Worth)**

**St. John the Apostle Church**

**February 16, 2023**

**Mingle begins at 6:30 with worship service in church from 7-8 p.m.**

**Our friends from Ciara's House will be guest speakers. Please join us and bring a friend for an evening of sharing and outreach.**

**PRE-REGISTER**  
by 2/6/23 receive a  
**\$500 BONUS CHIP**

**Saint John Church**  
**TEXAS HOLD 'EM**

*Deep Winter Classic*  
ITALIAN DINNER & MINISTRY FAIR  
Saturday, February 11, 2023  
6 pm - 12 am  
Saint John Gym  
515 Broadway, Brandenburg, KY

**— WANT TO PLAY? —**  
Registration in St. John Gym beginning at 4:00 • \$50 Buy In  
Dinner in Cafeteria at 6 pm - Join US!  
Questions: John Beavin - john.beavin@bbtel.com or 270-668-2734

**PRE-REGISTER by FEB 6th & receive a \$500 BONUS CHIP**

**CASH Raffle**  
1st prize - \$300 • 2nd prize - \$200 • 3rd prize - \$100

**QUILT Raffle**  
Lovingly made by the St. John Sew & Sews

Raffle Chances only \$2 each - Drawing at 6:30 pm  
•••Spaghetti•Salad•Garlic Bread•Desserts•Drinks•••

**Silent Cake Auction!**

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-If you would like to donate a dessert for the Silent Cake Auction, please drop it off on February 11<sup>th</sup> after 2 pm, prior to mass.-

Join us for dinner and the auction...even if you aren't interested in playing!

## Parish News

Anyone who is interested in the trip to  
The Holy Land with Fr. Toan:

Trip Includes:

- Flights from anywhere in the United States and flights between countries as per your itinerary. (All necessary flights on your trip are included)
  - Daily Mass will be scheduled.
- Airport Taxes, Security Fees & Fuel Surcharges Saving you an average of \$400-\$600!
  - Transfers as per itinerary.
  - 4 or 5 star hotels in downtown areas.
  - Transportation with luxury bus.
- All breakfasts and all dinners. Wine included with all dinners in Italy only.

Please contact the Parish Office and let us know if you are interested.

## \$ 500 Club \$

This week's winning ticket was: #11 Brian Kelly Mattingly  
Now is the time to purchase your ticket(s)!  
The cost is \$50 per ticket.

**Young Disciples of Christ**  
**Preschool-Grade 12**  
**Sunday Morning Faith Formation**  
Following the 10 a.m. Mass  
Regina Bennett, Coordinator

January 22-Regular Class  
January 28-4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade Lock-in 5-10:30 p.m.  
January 29-Regular Class

## Youth Ministry!

Youth Ministry meetings are Wednesdays from 6 to 7:30 following the Meade County Schools calendar. Doors open at 5:30, open gym until nine. Loving God and supporting each other! Questions?

Call **Jenn Shelton at 502-905-7042.**

In today's Gospel, Jesus begins to call His disciples for His ministry... "I will make you fishers of men", He tells Simon Peter and Andrew, two brothers fishing the Sea of Galilee. They dropped their nets and followed Him. How do we respond to God's call? How do we respond to change? What is the difference between belief and discipleship? We are called to live out our faith in word and deed, to trust, and to respond by leaving our old ways behind us and becoming a new creation in Christ. Christian discipleship is a way of life and not just belief, a lifelong journey that sometimes leads us to the unexpected. Let us be prepared to hear the call.



**Ciara's House Fundraiser Dinner**  
February 18, 2023

6 p.m. St. John the Apostle Gym  
Doors Open at 5:30

Catered by Italian Farmhouse  
Entertainment by MCHS Chorus

RSVP to 270-863-1010 for your seats  
Make your donation for dinner at the door.