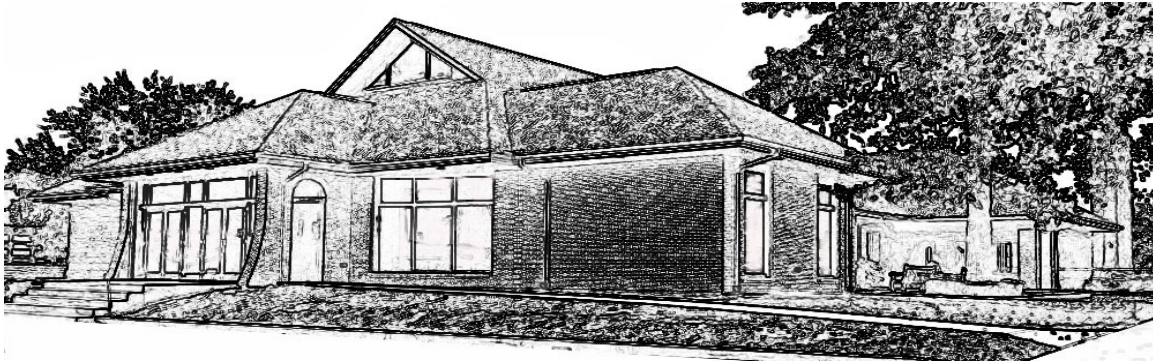


St. John the Apostle Parish

January 23, 2022 * Third 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

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.

Parish Staff

Pastor	Rev. Toan Do Pastor.sjp.brandenburg@gmail.com
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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 Council

Ed Kopp - Chairperson (elk868890@gmail.com)
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Mass Intentions for the week of Jan. 24

Day:	Time:	Intention:
Tuesday	11:00 a.m.	Elizabeth King
Wednesday	11:00 a.m.	Larry Hebert & John Haramut
Thursday	11:00 a.m.	Joe & Shirley Mills
Friday	11:00 a.m.	Weick & Wimpee families
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	Melvin Lawson
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Fred Wheatley

Daily Masses AND the Sunday Mass are Live Streamed



Altar Flowers in Memory of Stephen Zanone

NEXT WEEKEND'S SCRIPTURE READINGS



JEREMIAH 1:4-17, 17-19
 PSALM 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15, 17
 1 CORINTHIANS 12:31-13:13 OR 13:4-13
 LUKE 4:21-30

Congratulations to our second graders who are making their First Reconciliation on January 23.

Dulce Bravo, Rylee Jo Brinkley, Nate Flaherty, Brantley Ford, Lainie Gerkins, Kaitlyn Houk, Henry Nebelsick, Scott Phillips, Grace Proctor, Chase Wesmiller & Kasen Wooldridge

St. George Cemetery

Artificial decorations including flower baskets, wreaths, shepherd hooks or flags only are allowed during this time frame.

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 Jan. 29 & 30, 2022

	4:30pm	10:00 am
Eucharistic Ministers	Amanda Brown, Brenda Cintron & Gary Dykhuis	Deacon Mike, Rachel Flaherty & Shannon Slack
Lectors	Roberto Sanchez	Liz Hawkins
Ushers	Gary Knott & Danny Love	Ben Jackson, John & Sam Proctor & Gery Whelan
Gift Bearers	Tom & Jeannine Beck	Seth Arnold, Jodie Babb, Grant Beavin & Jim DeVries

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

Weekend of Jan. 8 & 9, 2022

\$21,033.00

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

Total collection needed to make expenses for fiscal year ending June 30, 2022 \$118,996.70

Save the Date

Parish Gathering Souper Bowl Saturday
 February 12

Young Disciples Faith Formation News

Grades Preschool - 12th

- Jan. 23 - Regular Class/First Reconciliation for 2nd Grd.
- Jan. 30 - Regular Class
- Feb. 6 - Regular Class/Confirmation practice
- Feb. 13 - Regular Class P-5/Confirmation at 10am Mass
- Feb. 20 - Regular Class
- Feb. 27 - Regular Class

Look toward the Lord and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed.
 Psalm 34 (33): 6



Youth Ministry (grades 6-12)

2021 Youth Masses: Feb. 20, 2022

Luke writes to us in the Gospel today because many skeptics were questioning the reliability and accuracy of the Gospel accounts of Jesus. Luke explained that his account is utterly believable because it comes from firsthand witnesses who knew Jesus personally, heard him teach, saw his miracles, and witnessed his atoning death on the cross and his rising from the tomb to everlasting life. He begins his writing by addressing his friend, Theophilus. Luke tells his friend (and us as well), I am writing to you the most incredible story humankind has known - in which many witnesses and messengers of God's word have openly explained on many occasions. Luke wants his friend and all who read his account to "know the truth" concerning Jesus of Nazareth who was sent from the Father in heaven and anointed by the Holy Spirit to bring us the good news and power of God's kingdom. This is the Gospel, let us share it just like Luke!

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

PARISH NEWS

**500 Club Winner for
Jan. 18, 2021 - #117 Mary H. Fackler**

Tickets are still available, contact the parish office.

Grieving the Death of a Loved One: Come join others on a journey toward healing & reconciliation. Six week session beginning Tues., Jan. 25 at 6:00pm in Room F (parish office building hallway) enter through the back gym door. For more info contact Regina Bennett 270-422-2196 ext. 102 or sjreligious@bbtel.com

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.

Pray the Rosary Wednesdays: 5:30pm in Room B of the gym (enter from the back parking lot).

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
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

Save the Date

St. John's Deep Winter Classic - February 5
Texas Hold 'em Tournament & dinner
For questions or to register contact John Beavin
at john.beavin@bbtel.com or 270-668-2734

Save the Date

Parish Directory Pictures
February 15 -19 & 22, 2022

Sign-up online at www.ucdir.com, click the yellow sunburst icon, enter **ky372** in the Church code field and enter **photos** in the Church Password field. Follow the prompts to schedule your family's appointment time!



Pray for the sick of our Parish

John Allgeier, Peter Allgor Jr., Patricia Baskins, Bennie & Frances Bruner, Joe Cook, Clay Fackler, David H. Fackler, Joan Gagel, 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.

Community News

Retrouvaille - A lifeline for married couples: Is misery during the holidays part of your Marriage? It is possible to renew and repair your relationship. Take the first step to save your family on the next Louisville Weekend, Feb 18-20. Find out more at helpourmarriage.org or email 3012@retrouvaille.org or call 502-479-3329.

From the Pastor

The parish has made some structural changes with regard to its leadership teams. After months of consideration and discussion, our parish will combine the Parish Pastoral Council and the Finance Committee. Two members of the Parish Pastoral Council will join the Parish Finance Committee.

There have been discussions in and around the campus of St. John the Apostle as well as the vicinities of Brandenburg with regard to the possibility of opening and/or reopening a Catholic School. Some have asked me to at least make the issue known to the parishioners. To dispel the so-called rumors in favor of or in opposition to the drive of this movement, I would like to share with our parishioners the following. The parish leadership teams and I began to discuss this matter in details. Given all sides of the story, I would like to state that whatever the final decision may be, I promise you that it will be a well-informed decision—one that will only be in the best interest of our parish.

With Deepest Sympathy

Our prayers & condolences to the families & friends of

Elizabeth King

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

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.