

St. John the Apostle Parish

January 28, 2018 * Fourth 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 (9 days prior to 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)
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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 January 29

Day:	Time:	Intention:
Monday	8:00 a.m.	James Wilkins Sr., Virginia Barr Edwin & Margaret Barr
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Deceased Priest of the Archdiocese
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	the faithful departed
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	Georgina Hubbard
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Ilse, Albert & Kyung Lewis
Sunday	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)

NEXT WEEKEND'S SCRIPTURE READINGS



JOB 7:1-4, 6-7
PSALM 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6
1 CORINTHIANS 9:16-19, 22-23
MARK 1:29-39

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.
Blessed are the meek, for they shall possess the land.
Matthew 5:3-4

Ministers for weekend of Feb. 3 & 4, 2018

	4:30 pm	9:00 am	11:00 am Gather Teachers- Gina & Anna
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Mike *Bea Ann Reesor & Amanda Brown	Deacon Mike *Gary Dykhuis & Jeff Kendrick	Deacon Mike * Tabitha Folden & Gina Gregory
Lectors	Judy Sipes & Rosalie Whelan	Jennie Cooper & Jenny Kendrick	Mrs. King's 4th Grade Class
Servers	Frank Lucas	Rosie Cooper & Volunteer	Anthony Serrano & Noah Miller
Hospitality	Gayle Deuser & Ann Duncan	Lloyd & Paula McCollun	Mrs. King's 4th Grade Class
Ushers	Gary Knott Jimmy Medley, Volunteer & Volunteer	Jodie & Zach Babb, Volunteer & Volunteer	Gery Whelan, John Wooldridge, Volunteer & Volunteer
Gift Bearers	Marlene Cook & Ann Duncan	Andy Zanone Family	Mrs. King's 4th Grade Class

If you are unable to minister as scheduled, please call someone on the list (list is available in the vestibule) to cover for you.



Youth Ministry: (grades 7-12) WEEKLY meetings from 5:45-6:45pm in room A.
2018 Youth Masses: February 18 & March 17



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

Lenten Scripture Study: We will offer a 6 week Little Rock Scripture Study during Lent. It will run the last 2 weeks of February & all of March, on Tuesday evenings. (6:30-8) The cost is \$5. Please let Monica if you are interested by February 1st.

Vocations information: The Archdiocesan Vocations office will present a program for our 6, 7, and 8th graders on February 28, at 7 pm, in church. Adults are also welcome to attend.

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

Weekend of Jan. 6 & 7, 2018

\$11,289.48

Envelopes \$9,061.00 / EFT \$1,895.00 / Loose \$333.48

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

Total collection needed to make expenses for fiscal year ending June 30, 2018 \$151,630.24

Weekend of Jan. 13 & 14, 2018

\$5,235.18

Envelopes \$3,824.00 / EFT \$790.00 / Loose \$621.18

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

Total collection needed to make expenses for fiscal year ending June 30, 2018 \$146,395.06

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mark 1:22

"The people were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes."
Listening to the authority of Jesus' teachings helps us not be confused by the perceived 'wisdom' of the world. The world focuses only on self, while the authority of Jesus teaches a steward is to think of others rather than oneself.

PARISH NEWS

500 Club Winner for

Jan. 8, 2018 - #50 Frank Lucas

Jan. 16, 2018 - #60 Carolyn & Dick Lindsey

Jan. 29, 2018 - #189 Kyle & Karen Cook

Tickets are still available, contact the parish office.

"Souper" Bowl Sunday: St. John's Youth Ministry would like to invite everyone to join them after Mass in the cafeteria on Feb. 4th for a variety of homemade soups, sandwiches & desserts. Donations will benefit our Youth Ministry.

Help Needed: The Bereavement Committee (people of the Parish that provide food for a meal for the families after a funeral) needs your help in providing a dish for this ministry. If you are willing to be put on the food calling list to bring a dish for funerals please contact Charlene Lawson at 270-422-2087. Thank you

Red Cross Blood Drive: TUESDAY, Feb. 6th from 3-7pm in the cafeteria. Bring your friends & give the gift of life.

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!

Catholic Service Appeal 2017- goal for St. John's is \$14,200.00. As of Jan. 19, 2018 we have raised \$12,955.00. Thanks to those who have already responded with a gift to the 2017 CSA. There is still time to respond. For more info or to give www.archlou.org

Seniors Game Day: All Senior Citizens are invited to join the group for social time on Tuesday's starting at 12:30pm in the cafeteria. Feel free to bring your card or favorite board game. Bring a friend!

January/February Happenings

Jan. 29	10am	Sew & Sews	Cafeteria
Feb. 4	12pm	"Soup"er Sunday (YM)	Cafeteria
Feb. 5	10am	Sew & Sews	Cafeteria
Feb. 5	6pm	Finance Council	Room B
Feb. 6	3-7pm	Red Cross Blood Drive	Cafeteria
Feb. 19	10am	Sew & Sews	Cafeteria
Friday's during Lent 4-7pm KC Fish Fries Cafeteria			
Tuesday's 12:30pm Senior Citizen Game Day Cafeteria			

Practice Makes Catholic - Did you know?

During our celebration of the Eucharist we receive Jesus in His most precious Body and Blood.

People frequently are confused after distribution of communion about standing, kneeling, or when they should sit. Standing or kneeling in reverence until all of the consecrated hosts and precious blood have been taken care of by the priest or deacon is correct.

We sit in quiet contemplation, along with the priest, after the vessels are clean. This is in respect and reverence for Jesus in our presence.

Pray for the sick of our Parish

Mildred Barr, Bennie Bruner, Mary Crutcher, Clay Fackler, David H. Fackler, Donna Fellmy, Sonny & Claire Frantz, Larry & Joan Gagel, Mary Greenwell, Tommy Hardesty, Linda King, Rita Klem, Mary Ann Lancaster, Rose LaTondress, Marvin & Mildred Mattingly, Paul Mattingly, Vance Menefee, Marie Padgett, Kathleen Powell, Flossie Powell, Becky Stiff, Lucy Tate Stupak, Bonnie Szwed, Charles & Rita Thompson, Rose Whelan



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

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

Community News

Feeding Meade County Souper Supper: Feb. 1 from 4:30-6:30pm at the Meade Co. Extension Office. \$5.00 Soup, sandwich, drink & dessert. Dessert auction begins at 6pm. All proceeds will benefit the Meade Co. Food Pantry. For more info call 270-422-4958.

Marriage Encounter Weekend: Feb. 2-4 at the Mount St Francis Center fro Spirituality, New Albany. "Marriage Encounter has a way of making sure that marriage is raised to the dignity it deserves." Archbishop Joseph Kurtz.. To register go to www.wmme.org or email family@archlou.org

Catholic Women's Conference: will be held on **March 10th**. Registration is open! Visit www.cwclouisville.net/2018-registration OR find them on Facebook at FatihFormationArchdioLouisville OR follow them on Twitter @cwclouisville

Opportunities for Life Volunteers Need YOU: OFL volunteers offer hope, compassion, options counseling & resources to callers who find the courage to seek help. Call 888-496-3638 to learn more about this ministry & the upcoming training workshops.

Meade Co. Clothes Closet & Food Pantry: we will be collecting the **weekend of Feb. 17/18** 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.

The people who sit in darkness have seen a great light;
On those dwelling in a land overshadowed by death,
light has arisen.
Matthew 4:16

With Deepest Sympathy

Our prayers & condolences to the families & friends of

Rose Anne Bowe

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

Every other month - Tuesday, February 6th
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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