

# St. John the Apostle Parish

September 16, 2018 \* Twenty-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 (the week before 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** is 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](mailto:elk868890@gmail.com))

Mike LaFrance - Vice-Chair ([lafrancem@pga.com](mailto:lafrancem@pga.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 September 17

Day:	Time:	Intention:
Monday	8:00 a.m.	Our Parish Family
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Rita Thompson
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	James Wilkins Sr.
Thursday	8:00a.m.	All Souls
Saturday	4:30p.m.	Julie Weick
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Julian & Dolores Head
	11:00 a.m.	Bob Whelan, Red Lucas & Jennifer Hager

**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



**WISDOM** 2:12-17-20  
**PSALM** 54:3-4, 5, 6-8  
**JAMES** 3:16-4:3  
**MARK** 9:30-37

### Ministers for weekend of Sept. 22 & 23, 2018

	4:30 pm	9:00 am	11:00 am Gather Teachers-Darlene
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Mike *Debbie Stiff, Bea Ann Reesor, Jeannine & Taylor Beck, Amanda Brown & Volunteer	Deacon Mike *Anne Marie Warren, Alex Russ, Andy & Amanda Zanone, Kim DeVries & Volunteer	Deacon Mike * Gina Gregory, Kristin Peters, Kelly Sr. & Anthony Popham, Volunteer & Volunteer
Lectors	David Smith & Ann Duncan	Anne Lewis-Russ & Bill Rosacker	Roman Whelan & Stephen Spohn
Servers	Volunteers	Macy Barr & Volunteer	Anthony Serrano & Braden Mofield
Hospitality	Donna Fellmy & Theresa Mills	Tommy & Mary Jo Hardesty	Marion Bratcher & Jan Helm
Ushers	Debbie Stiff & Marlene Cook, Volunteer & Volunteer	Seth Arnold & Gary Dykhuis Volunteer & Volunteer	Brian Hobbs, Jack & Kyle Parker & Gery Whelan
Gift Bearers	Tom Beck Family	Travis Flaherty Family	Todd Shelton Family

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



**Youth Ministry:** (grades 7-12) WEEKLY meetings from 5:45-6:45pm in room A.

**2018 Youth Masses:** October 21, November 11 & December 9.



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

**Be sure to join our Facebook page! Saint John the Apostle Religious Ed**

**Children's Choir:** begins Wed., September 19th. Check your email for more information or contact Monica.

**Bible Basics:** will begin next month. Contact Monica if you are interested or have questions.

Our **Gather** program, Liturgy of the Word for children grades K-4, is available during the 11 o'clock Mass. Thank you to the following volunteers who make our program possible. Iris Stull, Gina Gregory, Anna Novak, Kimberly Phillips, Darlene Hayden, Catherine Watkins, Ann Rogers, Emily Popham, Clara Rogers, Molly Matthews & Amy Broeker.

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

### Tithing Weekend of September 1 & 2, 2018

\$8,553.50

Envelopes \$7,404.00 / Loose \$409.50 / EFT \$740.00

### Tithing Weekend of September 8 & 9, 2018

\$5,679.00

Envelopes \$3734.00 / Loose \$270.00 / EFT \$1,675.00

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

### 500 Club

Do you have your 500 Club ticket? **212 of 500** tickets have been sold to date. **Tickets are still available.** Forms are available in the Narthex or you can stop by the office to purchase your ticket. Don't miss your chance to be a winner!

Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

RCIA classes begin September 18th

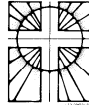
To sign up or for more information, contact Deacon Mike Jones at 422-1140 or 422-4216

# PARISH NEWS



## Pray for the sick of our Parish

Mildred Barr, Phyllis Baskins, Bennie Bruner, Clay Fackler, David H. Fackler, Sonny & Claire Frantz, Larry & Joan Gagel, Don Hardy, Linda King, Rita Klem, Rose LaTondress, Maggie Love, Marvin & Mildred Mattingly, Paul Mattingly, Vance Menefee, Marie Padgett, Kathleen Powell, Becky Stiff, Lucy Tate Stupak, Charles Thompson, Liz Wheatley



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 & remove yourself or your loved one when they are no longer ill or in need of prayers. Thank you.

## Community News

**POWER IN MY HANDS MOVIE: October 2 at 7pm at St. X High School Brown-Forman Cultural Art Center.** One of the most important movies of our lifetime. The importance of the Rosary can't be overstated. Louisville's own Our Lady's Rosary Makers is sponsoring this 80-minute film, and all tickets are complimentary. There are a limited number of seats, and tickets will be distributed first come first serve, so please make your reservation today. Go to [www.olrm.com](http://www.olrm.com) to reserve tickets. You can view a two-minute trailer at <https://vimeo.com/250228064>

### Practice Makes Catholic - Did you know?

Friday is still a day of penance.

Quite some time ago the ban was lifted for eating meat on Fridays except during Lent. This doesn't mean we shouldn't observe Friday as a day of sacrifice.

It's not much of a sacrifice to abstain from meat if you go out & have lobster or crab. Fasting is just one form of penance. Making an effort to limit your meals, when you do it intentionally, can be a true sacrifice. Spending extra time in prayer or in service to others are two other ways to strengthen our spiritual stamina.

Extra prayer & reflection strengthens our soul & our relationship with God. Visiting those who are homebound, working at a shelter, visiting those in prison, helping at a soup kitchen or at our local Clothes Closet are all good ways to go out of your comfort zone. Give of yourself for others. Be bold. Be Catholic.

**500 Club Winner for  
Sept. 4, 2018 - #61 Ann Duncan  
Sept. 4, 2018 - #147 Cathy Bunch & Lori Walters**  
Tickets are still available, contact the parish office.

**Helpers Needed:** members of St. John's are needed to help at the Meade County Clothes Closet the week of **September 17-21.** Please contact Verna Allgeier 422-3164, to sign up to help.

**Young adult Bible Study:** are you interested in getting together with other young adults in Meade County for a Bible Study? If you are interested or have more questions, please contact Alex Russ, Brenna Cooper 270-998-9033, or the parish office 422-2196.

For Personal/Private **adoration** in Church for Parishioner convenience, there is a key available from 8am-4pm at the Parish office

**Harvest Fest items need:** If you are crafty or have a unique talent, please consider making & donating an item to the Live or Silent Auction. We also need Jar booth, Dollar Fest & Dime Pitch items. Contact Debbie Jones 668-4326.

### September Happenings

Sept. 17	10am	Sew & Sews	Cafeteria
Tuesday's	12:30pm	Senior Citizen Game Day	Cafeteria
Wednesday's	5:30pm	Pray the Rosary	Pavilion/Church

**St. John's Harvest Festival & Turkey Dinner**  
Sunday, October 21st 11:30am

Sign-up sheets & tickets are in the Narthex,  
please stop by the table after Mass!

Silent AND Live Auction items needed,  
contact Paula McCollum 668-8329 for more info

If you have any questions please contact Debbie Jones  
1-270-668-4326 or [debbiejones185@hotmail.com](mailto:debbiejones185@hotmail.com)

**Parish Council Selection Process.** Nominations are now open for (2) three year positions. All nominations are subject to the approval of the pastor. Nominations are open until October 1.

The Parish Council is an advisory body to the pastor on areas of parish life. To serve on the Parish Council you must be at least 18 years of age; a fully initiated (Received the Sacraments of Initiation) registered member of the parish; and a Catholic in good standing. The new members will be chosen using a selection process rather than an election process.

To nominate yourself or someone else, please complete the form below and return to the Parish Office no later than Monday, October 1. If you nominate someone other than yourself, you must first obtain that person's permission. Each person nominated will be contacted because each nominee must accept the nomination to be considered for the council.

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I nominate (Name) \_\_\_\_\_ (Phone #) \_\_\_\_\_

to be a member of St. John's Parish Council. I received permission from this person, if other than myself, to have their name placed in the selection process.

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