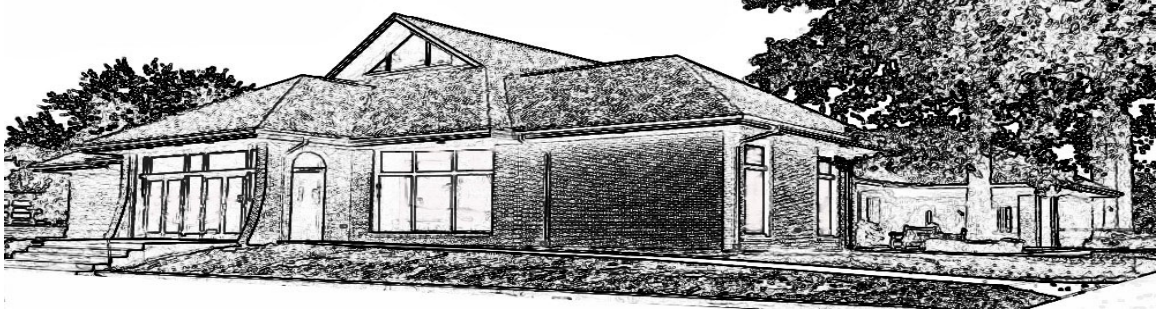


St. John the Apostle Parish

May 16, 2021 * *The Ascension of the Lord*
Congratulations to our High School Seniors



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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 & 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

Pastor	Rev. Trumie Culpepper Elliott pepperelliott@bellsouth.net
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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 anytime by request.

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)
Mike LaFrance - Vice-Chair (lafrancem@pga.com)
Renee Miller (renjenchris@gmail.com)
Garry Kendrick (gkendrick@bbtel.com)
Denice Jackson (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 May 16

<u>Day:</u>	<u>Time:</u>	<u>Intention:</u>
Tuesday	12:00 p.m.	Herbie Chism
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thursday	12:00 p.m.	Lonnie Lindsey
Friday	8:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
Saturday	4:30p.m.	Lonnie Lindsey
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Marie Padgett

Daily Masses AND the Sunday Mass are Live Streamed

Altar Flowers in Memory of Mary Ann & Stephen Zanone

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

NEXT WEEKEND'S SCRIPTURE READINGS
ACTS 2 1-11, 1 COR 12:3-7, JN 15:27-27

Congratulations to our High School Seniors!

Seth Arnold	Allie Fackler
Marshall Jackson	Luke Millay



Youth Ministry (grades 7-12)

Thankful today for those seniors celebrating Senior Mass. To you and your families, peace and love. Seniors, use your knowledge wisely, have faith and courage, do God's will, and remember that we love you! Good luck in all of your adventures... we will meet you, along with our Lord Jesus, in the mass. Congratulations Class of 2021!

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

Young Disciples Faith Formation News

Grades Preschool - 12th

We pray for our young adults who will be graduating this year!

God's Love Empowers Us!
VBS June 17, 8:00am-12:00pm

Ministers for weekend of May 22-23 2021

	4:30 pm	10:00 am
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Mike * Amanda Brown * Judy Sipes	Deacon Mike * Gabe and Sherri Powers
Lectors	Gary Dykhius	Bruce Fitzgerald
Ushers	Gary Knott * Volunteer	Jan Helm * Brian Hobbs
Gift Bearers	Volunteers	Travis Flaherty Family

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

Tithing Weekend of May 8-9, 2021

\$4680.00

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

Total collection needed to make expenses for fiscal year
ending June 30, 2021 **\$67,494.98**

Tithing If you would like to contribute through electronic funds or are not receiving your envelopes, please call the parish office or e-mail (sjsecretary@bbtel.com).

2021 Catholic World Missions Collection

Next weekend, our parish will take up donations for the Mission Collection, which supports the Catholic Home Missions and international missionary agencies. Your donations help the Church's missionary work, providing monetary assistance for the pastoral and evangelizing programs. Donations fund education, and support seminarians, religious novices and lay catechists; the work of religious communities in education, healthcare and social services and other needs. Your support is appreciated.

CRUSADE FOR CHILDREN

Since 1955, the Archdiocese of Louisville has contributed millions of dollars to the Crusade for Children. This community-wide effort changes the lives of children with special needs, and many families in the Archdiocese have benefited directly from the Crusade as have our schools, which receive grants to assist students with diverse learning needs. **On May 29-30**, parishes will be collecting donations for this year's Crusade, which will conduct its community-wide collection on June 5-6. Those who wish to donate may bring contributions to Mass or to the parish office. If giving by check, **please make your check payable to the parish and put the word "Crusade" in the memo line.**

Thank you for your generosity.

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

PARISH NEWS

**500 Club Winner for
May 10 2021 - #52 Tommy & Mary Jo Hardesty**

Tickets are still available, contact the parish office.

Volunteers Needed: for seasonal upkeep & yard work/ landscaping around the buildings of our Church campus. Please call/text Rodney Pickering 270-668-2897 to sign up.

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

Sew & Sews (Quilters): gather the 1st & 3rd Mondays (if legal holiday, they meet Tues.) of the month at 10am in the cafeteria. For more info call Amanda Brown 547-8337.

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS Parish Gatherings are Back

June 12th
More info to come.

Parish Happenings

Sunday's 5:00pm Life Group (1st & 3rd Sundays) Room B
Monday's 10:00am Sew & Sews (1st & 3rd Mondays) Cafeteria
7:00pm Eucharistic Adoration Church
Tuesday's 12:45pm Seniors Game Day Gym
Wednesday's 6:00pm Pray the Rosary Pavilion

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen



Pray for the sick of our Parish

John Allgeier, Peter Allgor Jr., Patricia Baskins, Bennie Bruner, Joe Cook, Clay Fackler, David H. Fackler, Joan Gagel, Debra Hardesty, Beth LaFrance, Rose LaTondress, Doris Lindsey, Mildred Mattingly, Vance Menefee, Gene & Marge Pence, Kathleen Powell, Diann Shireman, Ed Tate, Charles Thompson,

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



First & Third
Sundays of the
Month - 5 pm
Room A off Gym
All are Welcome!

**NEW LIFE GROUP FORMING
FOR COLLEGE AGED YOUNG ADULTS**
Including our high school graduates.
Join Jack for this share-prayer group!
Contact Jack Parker or Regina Bennett
for more information.

With Deepest Sympathy
Our Prayers and condolences to the family and friends
of
Carroll Knott
who passed away on April 29, 2021.

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

To access Live stream

Facebook users: Login & SEARCH (box near top of screen) Type - @StJohnAdultEd or search Saint John the Apostle ADULT for- mation; 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...

Masses at St. John during the Pandemic

During these times of concern for your safety & the safety of everyone, we will continue to follow carefully the guidelines of our Archbishop.

- *If you do not feel 100% well, stay at home
- *wear a mask at all times except when you receive holy communion
- *maintain social distancing before & after Mass, in the communion line, & in the pews as they are marked.
- *members of the same household only may sit together
- *wash your hands, use the sanitizer that is provided when you enter & as you leave.
- *please keep a safe distance
- *Mass continues to be live-streamed for those who for any reason must stay at home, or choose to do so.