

JANUARY 17, 2021 SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Our Week

The weekly bulletin of
Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church
6705 Old US 45 S Paducah, KY 42003



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John was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, "Behold, the Lamb of God." The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus. - Jn 1:35-37

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend: Sat. 5:00 pm
Sun. 7:30 & 9:30 am
Weekday: Wednesday–Friday 7:30 am
First Saturday: 7:30 am
Holy Day: Vigil 6:00 pm
Day 7:30 am
**Sacrament of Penance
(Confession)**
Saturday afternoon: 4:00–4:45 pm
Sunday morning: 7:00–7:20 am
9:00–9:20 am

BAPTISM

Contact the pastor for an appointment and preparation.

MARRIAGE

Notify the pastor six months in advance of proposed wedding date. Must be 19 years of age or one year out of high school.

*****BULLETIN DEADLINE*****

Submitted "in writing" to the parish office or hwurth@comcast.net "no later than noon Monday."

The Parish of St. John the Evangelist warmly greets all participants of this celebration. However, please be reminded of the warning of the Bible: In order not to consume undeservingly the bread of the Eucharist, which is the Body of Christ "let each man examine himself" (1 Cor. 11-28). Therefore, only those who are members of the Catholic Church, and those who know themselves to be free of mortal (grave) sins, may take Holy Communion.

NEWS & NOTES

MASS GUIDELINES

As of now the maximum limit for a Mass will be around 115 people.

*See St John website for additional guidelines: www.stjohnspaducah.com

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Take needed items directly to:

The Paducah Area St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store on 2025 Cairo Rd, Paducah, KY 42001 or you may call 270-442-9351. Current needed items: saltine crackers, peanut butter, jelly. Gift cards appreciated from Aldi's or Kroger's.

Also, volunteers in the Helpline. The duties would be to bag groceries as per a list and stocking the food that comes in. It's easy work and no heavy lifting.

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PARISH & COMMUNITY EVENTS

FR BRUCE SURGERY

Fr. Bruce will be having surgery at Owensboro Health Hospital on Friday (1-22) of this week, provided he passes his COVID-19 test on Wednesday morning (1-20) of this week. The Doctor has recommended that he not be having public Masses for at least three weekends and not allowed to drive for at least 2-3 weeks. Recovery time will be in Stanley. Weekend substitute will be covering the next three weekends. There will be no weekday Mass during this time. IF you are in need of the Sacraments from a priest during this time, please call the neighboring parishes. Thank you for your prayers for a quick recovery.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom as priest, deacons, and consecrated persons. Send your Holy Spirit to help others to respond generously and courageously to your call. May our community of faith support vocations of sacrificial love in our youth and young adults. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unite of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen!

A GENTLE REMINDER

The Parish Office Phone Number ONLY rings in the parish office. That number is 270-554-3810.

The Parish Rectory Phone Number ONLY rings in the parish rectory (the priests' house). That number is 270-554-7988.

IF you call the Parish Office phone number after 4:00 pm on most weekdays, during the Weekend, or on Holidays there will be no one to answer the phone or the message recording until the next business day.

IF someone is needing the Sacramental Ministry of the priest during the hours that no one is in the parish office you will have to call the Parish Rectory. Phone Number to contact the priest or leave a message so the priest can get back with you once he gets the message. Thanks!

ST JOHN BLOOD DRIVE

St John first blood drive of the year 2021 is Sunday, February 14th from 8:00 am to noon at the St. John's Knights of Columbus Hall. We need donations of the gift of life now more than ever! Sign-up on line: go to redcrossblood.org and enter: [stjohnpaducah](http://stjohnpaducah.com). For help call: Paul at 270.556.3678 or 270. 554.1695. Donors will receive a \$10.00 gift card, compliments of Knights of Columbus. Save a life, donate blood, 1 unit can save up to 3 lives.

BULLETIN SICK LIST

All names have been removed from the prayer list. PLEASE inform by email or calling the office to add your name, a family member or loved one back to the list as we are currently updating. Your help is greatly appreciated! From time to time parishes update their sick list in the weekly bulletin for several reasons: due to space, current status due to death (office not notified), move from the prayer list to shut-in list, etc.

Cont'd PARISH & COMMUNITY EVENTS

YEAR OF ST JOSEPH, DECEMBER 8, 2020–December 8, 2021

O chase spouse of the most pure and mostly holy of creatures, how happy you must be for having found such favor and grace before the Eternal Father, who gave His Son; before the son who made you the tutor of his sacred humanity; before the Holy Spirit who entrusted his spouse to you so that you could be the cherubim who guarded the fruit of life in the garden of Eden. —Blessed William Joseph Chaminade
St Marianne Cope, pray for us!

ST JOSEPH STATUE FOR HOME, NOW FOR SALE

—If your home does not have a statue or picture of St. Joseph, you NEED one for this year especially. Gather yourself and family around your St. Joseph statue EVERY WEDNESDAY this year and pray the Litany of St. Joseph.

—Statues of St. Joseph are on sale in sacristy of church. Cost is \$25.00. See Father to get your statue. St. Joseph, pray for us.

CONSECRATION TO ST JOSEPH IN THE YEAR OF ST JOSEPH

The Diocese of Owensboro is pleased to bring you Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC, via a Zoom meeting on February 24, 2021 at 2 PM. This is a free event and just requires registration. Learn more about Fr. Calloway's talk and find the registration form by visiting <https://owensborodiocese.org/year-of-st-joseph/>.

CLEAN HEART INITIATIVE

The Clean Heart Initiative team from Blessed Mother parish invites you to watch a recording of an informational webinar presented at their parish via Zoom. Parents, grandparents, priests, teachers, as well as anyone who is affected by the issue of pornography in any way, is invited to hear more about the Church's response to pornography and what we can do about it. The webinar can be viewed at CleanHeartInitiative.org, Blessed Mother Parish's website, Facebook page, or the Office of Marriage & Family Life Facebook page.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

Thanks to a partnership with the St. Augustine Institute, the Diocese of Owensboro is now offering FREE instruction in the Billings Method of NFP throughout 2021! This offer includes 5 sessions with one of our trained instructors and any Catholic married or engaged couple in our Diocese (where at least one spouse is a practicing Catholic) is eligible. Contact Martha Winn to begin today! 270.796.2972 or 270.791.9434.

FAMILY HONOR

Parents: Would you like to jump-start communication with your son or daughter? Do you need help talking to your child about chastity, sexuality, marriage, dating and other important topics?

The Office of Marriage & Family Life invites you to a webinar for parents presented by Family Honor. Parents of 7th or 8th grade students, we encourage you to register for the Real Love & Real Life parent-teen chastity webinar on Monday evenings, January 25th – March 1, 2021. Cost is \$50 for all five sessions. Register at: owensborodiocese.org/parenting-resources or call 270-852-8336. *A webinar for parents of 6th grade students is coming in March.

STEWARDSHIP

(Time, Talent, Treasure)“

Let all Your works give You thanks, O' Lord, and let Your faithful ones bless You," says the Psalmist. Stewardship is this "attitude of gratitude" of the many gifts God has given us. Amen!

Weekly Collection: January 10th

Adults	\$8,915.00
Loose	6,900.00
Children (0)	0.00
Total	\$15,815.00

Special Collection \$945.00

****Weekly Collection needed to meet budgeted expenses: \$10,900.00**



Compassionate Friends of W KY

Not meeting due to Covid-19 guidelines.

Daughters of Isabella

The first Tuesday of each month, 6:30 pm at the KC Hall, Jefferson St, Paducah, KY.



Seniors Day Out

Not meeting due to Covid-19 guidelines.

St John Homemakers Club

Not meeting due to Covid-19 guidelines.

St John K of C

KC meeting times are twice per month on the first and third Wednesdays at 7:00 pm, St. John KC Hall.



West Kentucky Right To Life

Not meeting due to Covid-19 guidelines.

Safe Environment

MANDATORY: If you are working with children (parish and school activities involving the presence of children) or the elderly you must have the safe environment training and background check. For more information: please call the parish office @ 270.554.3810 or go online www.owensborodio.org.

Prayer Requests



**** Please help keep our prayer list up to date. ****

To add or remove a name please notify the Parish Office.

Jeanne Abell, Mary Lee Anderson, Bill Ballard, Charles Ballard, Lennyn Barks, Tom Beckman, Isaac Brown, Patty Burch, Betty Cassibry, Jon DeGroot, Jennifer Dickey, Philip Elder, Jimmy Englert, Roger Englert, Cletus Felts, Danny Felts, Michael Felts, Dave Goewert, Corey Grace, Georgette Braun-Guyon, Riley Haas, Shepard Haas, Rachel Jarnmillo, Darla Martin, Marie Mombteau, Stan Napier, BeBe Phillips, Tim Romaine, Carrick Roof, Charlie Roof, Shelia Roof, David Roper, Wayne Sanders, Francis/Dorothy Scheer, Sr Mary Therese Seitz (CP), Tommy Sutton, Eric Steinhouse, Carolyn Thompson, Joey Toon, Virginia Vessels, Annella Waldridge, Charlie Waldridge, Linda Willett, Louis Willett, Marvin Willett, Michael Wurth, Rose Marie Wurth, Roy Younker

****PLEASE: Be considerate, notify the Parish Office upon admission of a family member into any hospital or nursing home. Fr. Fogle would be happy to visit and bring communion. However, Fr. Fogle and/or the parish have no way of knowing unless a family member contacts the parish office. By law these facilities are not allowed to release the names of patients.**

Shut-Ins

Zelta Counts, Bobbie Edds, Sonny Felts, Dorothy Kaufman, Thelma Kaufman, Judy Poat, Gerald Roof, Joe/Celeste Russell, Kerry Simmons, Jim Wilson, Edith Wurth, Hilda Wurth.

Our Military

Air Force: SSGT Luca Giordano, TSGT Brandon Wurth, MSGT Jessica R. Wurth

Army: MSG Jennifer Alvey, LT Col Josh Grace, SGT First Class William Hendrickson, SSGT Doug McCreerey, PVT 2nd Class Liam Mahler, PFC Benjamin Reams, SGT Charles Dewayne Stephens, PVT Noah Warren, Major Mark A Wurth

Navy: Commander Billie June Farrell, Commander Paul Farrell, OS1 Richard Lyons



PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. And give us peace. I ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen!

Our Liturgical Worship

Monday, January 18 • Weekday in Ordinary Time
7:30 am: Sid Edds

Tuesday, January 19 • Weekday in Ordinary Time
7:30 am: Barbara Toon

Wednesday, January 20 • St Fabian, Pope\Martyr
7:30 am: NO MASS St Sabastiam, Martyr

Thursday, January 21 • St Agnes, Virgin\Martyr
7:30 am: NO MASS

Friday, January 22 • Day of Prayer for the Legal
7:30 am: NO MASS Protection of the Unborn

Saturday, January 23 • 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00 pm: † Will\Nora Wurth

Sunday, January 24 • 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 am: † Del Durbin

9:30 am: Parishioners

Weekly Ministries: January 24th

LECTORS

5:00 pm Lorie Brown

7:30 am Linda Thompson

9:30 am Bill Clark

GREETERS

5:00 pm John Crivello, Cindy Crivello,
William Wurth, Rose Marie Wurth

7:30 am Doris Trussell, Bruce Tincher,
Chad Willett, Angie Willett

9:30 am Tim Stewart, Sarah Stewart,
Linda Bratton, Daniel Neihoff

***PLEASE: CONTINUE TO FOLLOW YOUR
MINISTRY SCHEDULE PROVIDED PER: Gwen***

JANUARY LINENS: Linda Thompson
(pick-up each Monday)

JANUARY VOTIVE: Mary Neihoff

St Mary School System

Do you have a hard to buy for family member or friend? Do you have a graduate this year? Order a personalized brick and support St. Mary Booster Club at the same time! How to order: www.smss.org Select Menu bar on the right, Select Athletics Select Viking Booster Club, Scroll to bottom of that page to order and pay online AND there's a convenient gift certificate at the bottom of the webpage to print and wrap! Contact: Lori Meredith 270-210-0693.

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