

June 16, 2024 ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Our Week

The weekly bulletin of
Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church
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11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants.”- Mk 4:30-32b

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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.

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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
Time subject to change
See Our Liturgical Worship (Back Page)
- 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 parish office or
hwurth@comcast.net "no later than
Monday noon."

NEWS & NOTES

ST JOHN PICNIC COUNTRY STORE

NOW OPEN

ADORATION

Saturday, June 15th

Exposition: 4:00 pm

Benediction: 4:50 pm

Mass: 5:00 pm

Sunday, June 16th

Exposition will begin at the end of

7:30 am Mass - Benediction: 9:20 am

Mass: 9:30 am

ST JOHN SUPPORT GROUP

Saturday, June 22nd

11:00 am — New Asia

FINANCE COUNCIL—5:30 PM

PARISH COUNCIL—6:30 PM

NO COUNCIL MEETINGS
THIS MONTH

PARISH COUNCIL

Deacon Bill Clark (Chair)	556-3485
Amanda Yigit (Family Life)	519-5929
Katie Gipson (Family Life)	994-6704
Greg Englert (Social Justice)	331-1499
Martha Ryan (Spiritual Life)	994-8051
Doris Trussell (Spiritual Life)	994-3390
Darin French (Rel Educ)	556-4088
Linda Bratton (Finance).....	554-9824

FINANCE COUNCIL COMMITTEE

Linda Bratton	554-9824
Barbara DeNeve.....	554-7998
Ella Garland	210-1877
Jane Martin	443-7473
Donny Neihoff	534-1244

BUILDING GROUNDS COMMITTEE

Lawrence R Durbin (Chair)	554-3625
Mike Kaufman.....	554-0764
Donny Neihoff	534-1244

ST MARY SCHOOL SYSTEM

Mary Smith (Elem Principal)	442-1681
Doug Shelton (MS\HS)	442-1681
Monica Hayden (Director).....	442-1681
Paul Humm (Board Rep)	556-6421
Amanda Wurth	556-9641

FAITH FORMATION

Ging Smith	
paducahfaithformation@smss.org	
Matt Barks(Board Rep)	709-7812
Brad Chase (Board Rep)	760-3205

PICNIC CHAIRS

Tim\Sarah Stewart	994-6156
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PARISH & COMMUNITY EVENTS

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Defend, O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, the Chosen Children of Jesus Christ. Pope Leo XIII

CONDOLENCES

The St John Parish Community would like to express our condolences to the following: † Rose (Cissy) Caraway Family. May the perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen!

GRATITUDE

The Hilda Rose (Yopp) Wurth Family would like to thank, Fr Bruce Fogle for all his visits and the beautiful Funeral Mass. Thank you to the choir, the wonderful ladies for the delicious meal. For the many prayers. To all those that sent cards, flowers, masses, and memorials for our mother. Our family has been more than truly blessed.

ST JOHN VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

A big thank you: to all the families that participated in VBS, to all the teen and adult volunteers, Lorie Brown and Katie Gipson who spent many hours preparing and the Sister Servants of the Eternal Word who came to help us. A great VBS for sure because of God's blessings and us all working together. *St John the Evangelist, pray for us.*

INQUIRY SESSIONS ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH

Are any of your non-Catholic family members or friends asking you questions about the Catholic Faith? On Wednesday, July 10th at 6:00 pm we will begin some informal video presentations by Bishop Barron on the Catholic Faith in the Cafeteria. Come in through the grey side double door to enter. These sessions will be around 1 hour long. These sessions will be done periodically during the summer until formal classes begin for those interested.

A HISTORIC EUCHARIST PILGRIMAGE JUNE 30—JULY 3

4 Eucharistic Pilgrimages Routes are scheduled to carry the Blessed Sacrament from the 4 directions of the United States to converge together in Indianapolis for the National Eucharist Congress during the end of July. The Southern Route (St Juan Diego Route) will walk thru the Diocese of Owensboro during the above dates. Different walks, activities and prayer services planned each day. You can read all about the details of this historic event on our parish website (stjohnspaducah.com) on the top banner.

Consider joining this pilgrimage on one of these days. Families, schools, school clubs, school sports teams, parish organizations, Catholic clubs all are encouraged to begin making plans to attend. Personally, I (Fr. Bruce F) have already registered to be a part of the Auburn KY, The Fathers of Mercy Chapel Pilgrimage (4.5 miles). There are longer and shorter pilgrimage routes you can choose from. Think about carpooling. How powerful this Pilgrimage is for us, to publicly proclaim Jesus Christ present in the Blessed Sacrament is walking among us. Check out the parish web site and register.

Cont'd PARISH & COMMUNITY EVENTS

HEARTS FOR BABIES

ENDING TODAY: Our baby bottle campaign, a fund raiser for Hearts 4 Babies, will end today, Father's Day. Layettes are delivered to hospitals, health departments, and other agencies in our area. Please take a bottle home and fill with spare change to help the needy babies in our community. Contact: Susan Marlier: 270.534.8075.

THE LIVING WORD

Quarterly Daily Meditation Books: After three weekends with these booklets, out for the taking, there are still many that are still here. Is this large amount of books that are NOT taken your sign that these booklets are no longer needed here in the parish? If there are only a very few taking these "free-to-you" booklets then do we need to dramatically reduce our order? Taking them and using them will be some indication for us in the future for our parish bulk order. Thanks!

CONFIRMATION

Confirmation Families of Students who will be preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation: Meeting with Students in Cafeteria, Thursday, August 22nd at 6:00 pm.

(Mandatory) Parents & Students of Confirmation age....begin marking your calendars now for 9 THURSDAY evenings from August to February for Classes and a Practice. If you are in need of the specific dates before the August 22nd Parent/Student meeting you may contact Fr Bruce.

COUNTRY STORE

PLEASE NOTE: *We are not accepting additional donations at this time due to preparations for Vacation Bible School, June 11th–14th. We will resume taking donations for the Picnic Country Store on Monday, June 17th. Thank you for your understanding!*

Due to summer office hours, school doors will remain locked. **Call the office before bringing items to the country store:** PLEASE: only clean, unbroken items. 270-554-3810 NO tube tv's or stuffed animals!

NO towels, sheets, bedspreads, comforters\shams, or pillow cases.

Please help us make this Another Great Picnic! Thank you for your support!

MOWING SEASON

Please remove any flowers, etc from family graves. Any small items that do not fit on the gravestone itself may be discarded by our mowing crew. We strive to keep our sacred cemetery well-maintained, as well as safety for the mowers. Please help us by keeping your loved one's grave(s) clutter-free.

NO GLASS CONTAINERS PERMITTED. Much appreciated!

YOUR BOX TOPS, RECEIPTS

Save your General Mills box tops (worth 10 cents), Banks Market receipt(receive 1%) and Campbell Soup Labels? SMSS is greatly appreciated!

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!

Collection: June 9, 2024

Adults	\$7,176.69
Loose	\$6,405.00
Children (4)	\$8.00
Total	\$13,589.69

Special Collections\$0.00

****Weekly Collection needed to meet budgeted expenses: \$11,385.00**

Compassionate Friends of W KY

Monthly: Second Sunday, 2:00–4:00 pm.

Daughters of Isabella

First Tuesday of each month,

6:30 pm at the KC Hall, Jefferson St

St John Seniors Day Out

(NO January or September Meeting)

Monthly: First Thursday at 11:00 am, Café. Potluck only! Funeral that day\meeting canceled.

St John Homemakers Club

Monthly: Second Wednesday of each month, 6:30 pm, Cafe, September thru May.

St John K of C

Monthly: First, & third Wednesday, 7:00 pm St John KC Hall.

Bingo\First Thursday. Doors open: 4:30 pm

St John Support Group

Monthly: Third Wednesday, 10:30 am, Pizza Inn

Safe Environment

Anyone aware of the abuse of a person under the age of eighteen is required by law to report this to the proper state authorities: Commonwealth Attorney 270.575.7402. McCracken Co Sheriff department 270.444.4719; or KY Child Abuse Hotline: 1.877.597.2331. To report abuse to the diocese, current or past, by anyone acting in the name of the Church or call Louanne Payne, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator on the confidential phone line: 270.852.8380 or Susan Montalvo-Gesser/Miguel Quintanilla, Pastoral Assistance Coordinators (Spanish) 270.880.8360. _The Diocese of Owensboro's sexual abuse policy is available this parish (on the bookshelf in back of the church), in the parish office, on the web www.owensborodiocese.org/safe

***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. *More information: go online: www.owensborodiocese.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, Ann Adams, Bill Ballard, Charles Ballard, Lennyn Barks, Vayda Bollenbecker, Phillip Burch, Martin Cantrell, Martha Childress, Gwen Dean, Philip Elder, Jimmy Englert, Roger Englert, Danny Felts, Dave Goewert, Corey Grace, Alan Greene, Georgette Braun-Guyon, Riley Haas, Shepard Haas, Faye Hayden, Mark\Janice Higdon, Brian Hurlburt, Andrew Jaramillo, Charlie Kaufman, June Kaufman, Michael (Mike) Kaufman, Vicki Knight, Darla Martin, Marie Mombteau, Kenneth Myatt, Kelly Nance, Stan Napier, Zoey Partin, BeBe Phillips, Carrick Roof, Shelia Roof, David Roper, Francis\Dorothy Scheer, Sr Mary Therese Seitz (CP), Catherine Sutton, David Thompson, Virginia Vessels, Charlie Willett, Wyatt Thomas, Kelly Walker, Louis Willett, Jim Winsett, Bob Wurth, Debbie Wurth, Kristi Wurth, Michael Wurth, Rose Marie Wurth, Vickie Wurth, Joe Wurth, John Wurtz, 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.

Prayers for our Shut-Ins

Zelta Counts, Bennie/Doris Durbin, Lawrence\Dorothy Marie Durbin, Bernadette Englert, Vickie Hodges, Dorothy Kaufman, June Kaufman, Kerry Simmons, John Toon, Jr, Jim Wilson, Annella Waldrige.

Our Military

Air Force: SSGT Luca Giordano
MSGT Brandon Wurth



Army: LT Col Josh Grace, SGT First Class William Hendrickson, SSGT Doug McCreery, CPL Liam Mahler, PFC Benjamin Reams, SGT Charles Dewayne Stephens, JROTC DNC Isabelle Wurth, Major Mark A Wurth

Marines: LCL Evan Jones

Navy: CMDR Billie June 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, June 17 • Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am: **NO MASS**

Tuesday, June 18 • Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am: **NO MASS**

Wednesday, June 19 • St Romuald, Abbot

7:30 am:† Trevor Howard

Thursday, June 20 • Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am:† Richard Romano

Friday, June 21 • St Aloysius Gonzaga

7:30 am:† Bill Kaler

Saturday, 22 • Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm: Kristie Wurth

Sunday, 23 • Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am:† Erik Wicker

9:30 am: Parishioners

Weekly Ministries: June 23rd

Lectors

5:00 pm Tracy Courtney

7:30 am Donny Neihoff

9:30 am Tracie French

Gift Bearers

5:00 pm William Wurth Family

7:30 am Kim Miller Family

9:30 am Brad Chase Family

SERVERS

5:00 pm N\A

7:30 am Alex Horbovetz

9:30 am Jack Stewart, Liam Stewart

USHERS

5:00 pm John Crivello, Cindy Crivello

7:30 am Kenny Wurth, Lynn Wurth

9:30 am Tim Stewart, Tim Scheer

GREETERS:

5:00 pm Carol Shoulta, Martha Ryan

7:30 am Earl Kaufman, Ruth Kaufman

9:30 am Robbie Shoulta, Miranda Shoulta

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

JUNE ROSARY

5:00 pm Barbara Hayden

7:30 am Kenny Wurth

9:30 am Ron Neihoff

JUNE DOOR SECURITY

5:00 pm William Wurth

7:30 am Kenny Wurth

9:30 am Ron Neihoff

JUNE LINENS Carol Utley

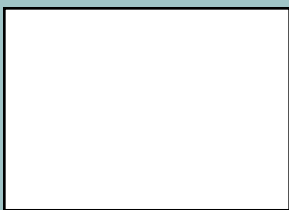
**(Pick-up linens each Wednesday)*

JUNE VOTIVE Kathleen Webster

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