

September 29, 2024 TWENTY-SIXTH 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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26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

At that time, John said to Jesus, "Teacher, we saw someone driving out demons in your name, and we tried to prevent him because he does not follow us." Jesus replied, "Do not prevent him. There is no one who performs a mighty deed in my name who can at the same time speak ill of me." - Mk 9:38-39

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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 SENIOR'S DAY OUT

Thursday, October 3rd

11:00 am - Cafe

KC BINGO

Thursday, October 3rd

KC Hall - Doors open: 4:00 pm

SMOKE FREE\Free meal for those who buy a Bingo Ticket

ST JOHN HOMEMAKER'S

Wednesday, October 9th

6:00 pm - Cafe

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS

Sunday, October 13th

2:00 - 4:00pm -Cafe

PICNIC FOLLOW-UP MEETING

Sunday, October 13th

5:00pm - Cafe \ All standheads asked to attend

ADORATION

Saturday, October 19th

Exposition: 4:00 pm \ Benediction: 4:50 pm

Mass: 5:00 pm

Sunday, October 20th

Exposition will begin at the end of

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

Mass: 9:30 am

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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

CONCOLENCES

The St John Parish Community would like to share our sincere condolences with the †Nicholas Robin Dillon Family. Nick, brother to Tim (Sarah) Stewart, parishioners of our parish. May the perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen!

GRATITUDE

We are sincerely grateful for the heartfelt expressions of sympathy from our St. John family. Your prayers, visits, calls, texts, cards, foods, flowers and tributes have been deeply comforting. Thanks to all who helped with the meal after the funeral mass. It was delicious and greatly appreciated! Special thanks to Fr. Bruce for the prayer service and Funeral Mass and to the choir for the beautiful music. We continue to feel the prayers, love and support from our parish family. Thank you! *Bennie Durbin Family*

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF CHAMPION

The Novena prayers can be found on our parish website if you click on the banner at the top of the page. Fortunately, all the materials that were on the table in the church entrance were taken (that is good news). So join 1000's of others throughout the USA praying this great Novena, Oct. 1st-9th.

OCTOBER: RESPECT LIFE MONTH

A clarion call from the Bishops of the USA for ALL us Catholics during this month of October. The Bishops of the USA invite all Catholics to join in a concerted effort of prayer between now and our national elections, by daily praying our Respect Life Month Prayer, "Prayer for Life to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament". This prayer will be found at the end of each of the pews in church. Some of these prayers will be also on the table where the bulletins are. We will pray this prayer at the end of the Prayers of the Faithful at ALL Masses in October. (*please note that this prayer will have some other thing printed on the back side of the paper. This a good effort that we have in the office to not waste paper).

INQUIRY INTO THE CATHOLIC FAITH

Any adult friends or family members that are non-Catholic that might be interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith call Fr. Bruce F. at the Parish Office or email him. He will be glad to work with your schedule to arrange a time to answer questions about the Catholic Faith.

These sessions can be in a group setting or an individual setting as schedules permit. The more we learn about Christ and His Church we deepen our longing for Him in our hearts, along with the Church family. Being feed by the Word and the Sacraments strengthens us to be disciples of the LORD.

PICNIC FOLLOW-UP MEETING\Sunday, October 13th, 5:00pm, Cafe

Cont'd PARISH & COMMUNITY EVENTS

FIRST RECONCILIATION

Our next First Reconciliation Class will be Sunday, October 20th following the 9:30am Mass.

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDER FOR THE FOLLOWING DATES:

Following the 9:30am Mass on November 3rd, and November 17th. First Reconciliation will be on December 8th after the 9:30am Mass. If you have a child in the second grade that is preparing for First Reconciliation, please contact Father Fogle or Adam.

CONFIRMATION

Please mark your calendar: Our next Confirmation class will be held Thursday, October 17th, 6:00–7:30pm in the cafeteria. Please review your hand out from the previous class.

Prepare\ study, learning your prayers and vocabulary.

FAITH FORMATION

Pre-K through 12th grade attending public school. Registration forms are on the parish website or you can complete them online. Questions Contact: Ging Smith <http://stjohnspaducah.com/paducahff-registration>

PICNIC LOST ARTICLES

Lost items at the parish picnic weekend. If you have lost items please call the office and give a description. 270-554-3810.

Prescription glasses, Child's clothing.

MT CARMEL CEMETERY FALL CLEAN UP DAY

SPONSORED BY: FAITH FORMATION CHRISTIAN SERVICE

The annual Mt Carmel Fall Clean Up Day will be October 5th from 9:00am until around noon. The event will be at 4149 Old Mayfield Road, Paducah, KY. The public is invited to help in this needed effort to clean up the cemetery. It will be light work and much appreciated. Bring gloves, rakes, pruners, etc. and wear work clothes. Any arrangements at a burial site will need to be removed before the Clean Up Day. Anything located at sites will be removed.

ST MARY AUCTION

The 20th St Mary Auction and Benefit Dinner is on Saturday, November 9th at St Mary High School. Doors open at 5:30pm and dinner is served at 6:30pm. Tickets and sponsorship opportunities can be purchased at <http://bidpal.net/merryandbright2024>.

SAFE HAVEN

A "Safe Haven" Baby Box was installed recently in Paducah.

Location: Fire Station #5, 1714 Broadway Street, Paducah, KY 42001

Purpose: A Safe Haven Baby Box is a designated location where parents can anonymously and safely leave an infant they are unable or unwilling to care for.

The process involves opening the box's secure door, placing the baby inside, and then closing the door. Once the door is shut, a sensor alerts authorities to retrieve the baby. These boxes aim to prevent unsafe abandonment and ensure that infants are placed in proper care, following legal protocols.

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: September 22, 2024

Adults	\$6,070.69
Loose	\$3,257.00
Children (6)	\$8.00
Total	\$9,335.69
Special Collections	\$5.00

****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: Common Wealth 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**

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, Martin Cantrell, Martha Childress, Peggy Dean, June Dossey, Philip Elder, Jean Englert, Jimmy Englert, Roger Englert, Danny Felts, Dave Goewert, Georgette Braun-Guyon, Riley Haas, Shepard Haas, Faye Hayden, Mark\Janice Higdon, Brian Hurlburt, Andrew Jaramillo, Charlie Kaufman, Judy Kaufman, Michael (Mike) Kaufman, Vicki Knight, Daniel McGary, Deklyn McGary, 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, Lori Thompson, Virginia Vessels, Charlie Willett, Kelly Walker, Louis Willett, Jim Winsett, Walker Womack, Aaron Wurth, Bob Wurth, Debbie Wurth, Kristi Wurth, Michael Wurth, Vickie Wurth, Joe Wurth, Sr Mary Magdalen, 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, Doris Durbin, Lawrence\Dorothy Marie Durbin, Bernadette Englert, Vickie Hodges, Dorothy Kaufman, June Kaufman, John Toon, Jr, Jim Wilson, Annella Waldrige.

Our Military

Air Force: SSGT Luca Giordano
MSGT Brandon Wurth



Army: SGT First Class William Hendrickson, SSGT Doug McCreerey, PFC Benjamin Reams, SGT Charles Dewayne Stephens, JROTC\DNC Isabelle Wurth, Major Mark A Wurth

Marines: LCL Evan Jones

Navy: CMDR Billie June Farrell, ENS 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, September 30 • St Jerome, Priest

7:30 am: NO MASS

Tuesday, October 1 • St Therese of the Child Jesus

7:30 am: NO MASS

Wednesday, October 2 • The Holy Guardian Angels

7:30 am: † Kerry Simmons

Thursday, October 3 • Weekday of Ordinary Time

7:30 am: † Bennie Durbin

Friday, October 4 • St Francis of Assisi

7:30 am: † Craig Hayden

Saturday, October 5 • 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm: † Hilda Wurth

Sunday, October 6 • 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am: † Paul Louis Wurth

9:30 am: Parishioners

Weekly Ministries: October 6th

Lectors

5:00 pm Alex Horbovetz

7:30 am Dottie Wurth

9:30 am Tracie French

Gift Bearers

5:00 pm John Drury Family

7:30 am Bryan DeNeve Family

9:30 am William Durbin Family

SERVERS

5:00 pm N\A

7:30 am Cole Shoulta

9:30 am Parkyr Barks, Dylinn Barks

USHERS

5:00 pm John Crivello, Cindy Crivello

7:30 am Kenny Wurth, Lynn Wurth

9:30 am Bobby Poat, Stephen Wurth

GREETERS:

5:00 pm Bill Ballard, Heidi Ballard

7:30 am Kim Miller, Doris Trussell

9:30 am Chuck Meier, Kim Meier

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

OCTOBER ROSARY

5:00 pm Joyce Ripley

7:30 am Patricia Littva

9:30 am Linda Bratton

OCTOBER DOOR SECURITY

5:00 pm Kaye Walker

7:30 am Earl Kaufman

9:30 am Darin French

OCTOBER LINENS Kathleen Webster

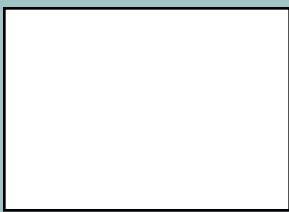
**(Pick-up linens each Wednesday)*

OCTOBER VOTIVE Kathleen Webster

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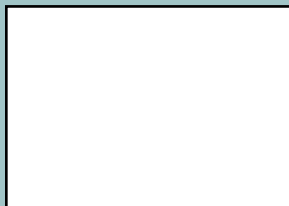
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