

October 12, 2025 28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Our Week

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

1 8 3 9 - 2 0 2 5



28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not?
Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner
returned to give thanks to God?" Then he said to him,
"Stand up and go; your faith has saved you." - Lk 17:17-19

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

©LPI

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.



PARISH STAFF

Pastor, Rev. Bruce Fogle
.....Fr.Bruce.Fogle@comcast.net
Deacon, Bill Clark
.....billj.clark@gmail.com
Secretary, Hazel Wurth
.....hwurth@comcast.net
Bookkeeper, Paula Englert
.....englertpj720@comcast.net
Religious Educ Director, Adam Horbovetz
.....adam.horbovetz@gmail.com
Music Director, Adam Horbovetz
.....adam.horbovetz@gmail.com
Youth Minister, Lorie Brown
.....loeb68@msn.com
Maintenance
Office: 270-554-3810
Rectory: 270-554-7988
Fax: 270-534-9163
Website www.stjohnspaducah.com

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

MARK YOU CALENDAR

CATHOLIC FAITH INQUIRY CLASSES

***Each Wednesday**
Mercy Hall – 4:30 pm

BIBLE STUDY

“The Psalms: God’s Book of Prayers”

***Each Thursday**

St John’s Cafeteria - 6:00 pm

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS

Sunday, October 12th
2:00 - 4:00 pm — Cafe

FINANCE COUNCIL—5:30 pm

PARISH COUNCIL—6:30 pm

Tuesday, October 28th
Cafeteria

ANNUAL CHILI COOK —OFF

Saturday, November 4th
Cafeteria
Following the 5:00 pm Mass

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
Adam Horbovetz (Rel Educ) 816-2989
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
Kathi Falk (MS\HS) 442-1681
Monica Hayden (Director) 442-1681
Paul Humm (Board Rep) 556-6421
Amanda Wurth Board Rep 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

PARISH & COMMUNITY EVENTS

HOLY MATRIMONY

In your prayers, ask God's blessings for Kolton Parks, son of Deron Parks and Shelli Cain, and Brianna Russell, daughter of Wayne Russell and Shanna Wurth, as they prepare to enter the Sacred Covenant of Holy Matrimony on October 25, 2025, at 2:00 pm at St John the Evangelist Church. May the Blessed Mother and St Joseph intercede for them before the throne of Jesus, for all the graces they need as they enter this holy vocation.

CLASS of 1975 REUNION

There will be NO MASS on Friday, October 17th. Fr. Bruce will be out of town at his high school class reunion in Kansas City, KS on October 17th-19th. Fr. Basilio will be having the weekend Masses at St John’s that weekend.

PARISH MISSION, OCTOBER 19th-21st

REMINDER: Next weekend there are three of the Paducah parishes having a city wide Catholic Mission. St John on the 19th, St Francis de Sales on the 20th and St Thomas More on the 21st. Each night will build on the previous night. Each night will include talk and music to draw us closer to Jesus in our Catholic Faith. Make plans to attend all three!

PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

A committee is being formed to have a new updated pictorial directory. More information will be coming to keep you updated. Everyone’s participation is needed to make this directory as complete as possible.

TRIUMPH OF THE HEART

A Powerful Night Out at the Movies: Triumph of the Heart (a new movie about St. Maximilian Kolbe’s Christ like witness in the Auschwitz Concentration Camp) will be showing one night only at Maiden Alley Cinema in downtown Paducah on Tuesday, November 4th at 6:00 pm. The movie is rated PG13, because of violence. This showing is supported by St John the Evangelist Parish. Tickets will soon be available to purchase online at the Maiden Alley Cinema website (<https://maidenalleycinema.org/>). Ticket prices will be \$10.00 for Adults and \$7.50 for Senior Citizens. The Movie Trailer can be found.....
<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=Y29VTf8LHhs>

HELP NEEDED AT ST VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is looking for someone to help at the Food Pantry on Wednesdays. This would involve getting food bags ready for those who come for help and making sure the shelves are in order. If you are looking for something to do for a few hours on Wednesdays, this is for you. The Food Pantry is located at 2001 Cairo Road, Paducah and is open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday each week from 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Call Diane Stoverink at 314-591-1717 or Suzanne Warren at 270-210-4748.

Cont'd PARISH & COMMUNITY EVENTS

FIRST RECONCILIATION CLASS

Our First Reconciliation classes will begin next Sunday, October 19th,

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Additional dates for classes: *November 2nd, & *November 16th

All classes will follow the 9:30 am mass in the School Classroom

Contact Adam: via email: adam.horbovetz@gmail.com,

or call or text him at 270.816.2989.

ST JOHN PARISH POTLUCK

Save the date!

Sunday, November 9th

Food, Fun and Fellowship!!!

St John Knights of Columbus

12:00 pm – More details to follow

YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS

High School at 6:00 pm, Sunday October 26th, Youth Room,

Pizza at 5:45 pm

Please consider being a volunteer.

Two chaperones are needed to assist.

Please RSVP for the pizza order.

ST JOHN YOUTH GROUP

If you have a child between 6th grade & 12th grade and you are interested in being a part of the St John Middle School or high school youth group, please contact Lorie Brown, director.

Any adult interested in becoming a youth group volunteer please contact Adam Horbovetz regarding safe environment.

Any questions please message or call: Lori Brown 270.210.7279

ST JOHN YOUTH GROUP\DOMINO'S PIZZA NIGHT

Everyone loves pizza, so make plans for a pizza night on Monday, October 27th. Order your pizza from Domino's (Lone Oak Store) on October 27th.

As you make your order (either pick up or delivered) mention you want this to help St John's Youth Group.

A percentage of sales on this day will be given to our Youth Group to help defray the cost for our youth attending NCYC (National Catholic



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: 10-05-2025

Adults	\$6,260.69
Loose	\$993.00
Children (1)	\$5.00
Total	\$7,258.69
Special	\$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, 6:00 pm, Café, 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: Wednesday, 11:00 am. Where: TBA

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 Scott Ingram, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator on the confidential phoneline: 270.880.8360 or 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

School activities involving the presence of children) or if you are working with children (parish and 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, Jackie Blagg, Vayda Bollenbecker, Kate Boudreaux, Martin Cantrell, Martha Childress, Patrica Coleman, Carolyn DeGroot, June Dossey, Philip Elder, Jimmy Englert, Roger Englert, Danny Felts, Kevin Gates, Dave Goewert, David Earl Grief, Georgette Braun-Guyon, Riley Haas, Shepard Haas, Mark\Janice Higdon, Jimmy Hobbs, Sarah Humm, Brian Hurlburt, Judy Kaufman, Michael (Mike) Kaufman, Daniel McGary, Deklyn McGary, Darla Martin, Rebecca Boudreaux-Melton, Marie Mombteau, Kenneth Myatt, Kelly Nance, Stan Napier, Zoey Partin, Be Be Phillips, Bobby Poat, Karol Richards, Carrick Roof, Shelia Roof, David Roper, Sr Mary Therese Seitz (CP), Tony Seitz, Catherine Sutton, Linda Thompson, Lori Thompson, Virginia Vessels, Kelly Walker, Louis Willett, Jim Winsett, Debbie Wurth, Kristi Wurth, Michael Wurth, Vickie Wurth, Joe Wurth, Sr Mary Magdalen, 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, Carolyn Dowdy, Doris Durbin, Lawrence\Dorothy Marie Durbin, Jerrie Durbin, Bernadette Englert, Charlie Kaufman, Dorothy Kaufman, Marie Mombteau, John Toon,Jr, Annella Waldrige, Jim Wilson.

Our Military

Air Force:

MSGT Brandon Wurth

Army:

SGT First Class William Hendrickson, SSGT Doug McCreery, PFC Benjamin Reams, SGT Charles Dewayne Stephens, (JROTC) Major Isabelle Wurth, Major Mark A Wurth

Marines:

LCL Evan Jones

Navy: CMDR Billie June Farrell, ENSIGN Richard Lyon

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, October 13 • Columbus Day

7:30 am: **NO MASS**

Tuesday, October 14 • St Callistus I

7:30 am: **NO MASS**

Wednesday, October 15 • St Teresa of Jesus

7:30 am: † Francis Scheer

Thursday, October 16 • St Margaret Mary Alacoque

7:30 am: † Frieda Vessels St Hedwing

Friday, October 17 • St Ignatius of Antioch

7:30 am: **NO MASS**

Saturday, October 18 • 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm: Parishioners

Sunday, October 19 • 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am: † Jean Englert

9:30 am: † Leon Neihoff

Weekly Ministries: October 19, 2025

Lectors

5:00 pm Stephen Kepf

7:30 am Linda Thompson

9:30 am Tim Stewart

Gift Bearers

5:00 pm Stacey Courtney Family

7:30 am Kim Miller Family

9:30 am Aaron Wurth Family

SERVERS

5:00 pm N\A

7:30 am Alex Horbovetz

9:30 am Caroline Wurth, Claire Wurth

USHERS

5:00 am Stacey Courtney, Rafe Courtney

7:30 am Earl Kaufman, Ruth Kaufman

9:30 am Victor Yigit, Darin French

GREETERS:

5:00 pm Jerry Mathias, Marge Mathias

7:30 am Eddie Durbin, David Toon

9:30 am Robbie Shoulta, Miranda Shoulta

**PLEASE: CONTINUE TO FOLLOW YOUR
MINISTRY SCHEDULE PROVIDED PER: ADAM
*Please find a replacement if you are unable to serve***

OCTOBER ROSARY & CHAPLET

5:00 pm Joyce Ripley

7:30 pm Matt Barks

9:30 pm Paul Humm

OCTOBER DOOR SECURITY

5:00 pm Stacey Courtney

7:30 pm Earl Kaufman

9:30 pm Darin French

OCTOBER LINENS Kathleen Webster

***(Pick-up linens each Wednesday)**

OCTOBER VOTIVE Kathleen Webster

UPG
United Propane Gas
WEST KENTUCKY
PROPANE GAS, INC.
4200 Cairo Rd., Paducah, KY
(270) 442-0183 | www.upgas.com

HA
Hibbs Insurance Agency, Inc.
(270) 554-2105
3124 Lone Oak Rd. • Paducah, KY

STANLEY STEEMER
1-800-STEEMER | stanleysteemer.com
Locally Owned by Heather
and Eric Butterbaugh

Dawn Arnold
OWNER & PRINCIPAL BROKER
618.638.5682
HERE TO SERVE ALL OF YOUR
REAL ESTATE NEEDS!
PARISHIONER
ARNOLD
Voted 2024 "Realtor of the Year" by Paducah Sun Reader's Choice Awards &
Nominated 2025 "Best Women Owned Business" and "Best Real Estate Agent"

GIPSON FARMS, LLC
Custom Dirt Work
Hauling • Clearing • Building Sites
DEWAN GIPSON
PADUCAH, KY
270-994-6700

SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS!

IF YOU LIVE ALONE
MDMedAlert!™ STARTING AT **\$19.95** /mo.
✓ Ambulance ✓ Police/Fire
✓ Family/Friends ✓ GPS & Fall Alert
CALL NOW! 800.809.3570 *md-medalert.com

**DOES YOUR NONPROFIT
ORGANIZATION NEED
A NEWSLETTER?**
Engaging, ad-supported
print and digital newsletters
to reach your community.
Visit lpicomunities.com
Scan to
contact us!

Gilliam Thompson
FURNITURE & BASSETT GALLERY
Visit Our 3-1/2 Acre
"Super-Store" Showroom
HIGHWAY 121 NORTH • MAYFIELD
247-6620 • 800-821-3244
www.gilliamthompsonfurniture.com

WE APPRECIATE OUR
ADVERTISERS!

WE'RE HIRING!
AD SALES EXECUTIVES
BE YOURSELF.
BRING YOUR PASSION.
WORK WITH PURPOSE.
• Paid training
• Some travel
• Work-life balance
• Full-Time with benefits
• Serve your community
Contact us at
careers@4lpi.com or
www.4lpi.com/careers

LET'S GROW YOUR BUSINESS
Place Your Ad Here
and Support Our Parish!
CONTACT ME
Nancy MacMillan
nmacmillan@4LPi.com
(800) 477-4574 x6426

SUPPORT OUR
ADVERTISERS!

**COLGAN
TRITLE**
ORTHODONTICS
(270) 534-8776

Sara Gipson **exp REALTY**
Sara Gipson Katie Gipson
Managing Broker / Parishioner REALTOR® / Parishioner
270-994-6701 270-994-6704
WelcomeHomePaducah.com

Jane N. Martin **Jason Martin**
Branch Manager Financial Advisor
Registered Representative
RAYMOND JAMES
FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.
MEMBER FINRA/SIPC
270-443-7473
130 BRETT CHASE ROAD, SUITE C, PADUCAH, KY 42003
Raymond James Financial Services, Inc. Member FINRA/SIPC. Investment advisory
services offered through Raymond James Financial Services Advisors, Inc.

Purple Toad WINERY
Allen Dossey & June Dossey
270-554-0010
Sales@PurpleToadWinery.net
www.PurpleToadWinery.net
4275 Old US Highway 45, Paducah

**FREE
AD DESIGN**
with purchase
of this space
**CALL
800-950-9952**

ADT-Monitored Home Security
Get 24-Hour Protection From a Name You Can Trust
• Burglary • Flood Detection
• Fire Safety • Carbon Monoxide
ADT Authorized Provider **SafeStreets**
833-287-3502

**SUPPORT
OUR
PARISH**

**Place Your Ad Here and
Support our Parish!**
Instantly create and
purchase an ad with
AD CREATOR STUDIO
4lpi.com/adcreator

The Housman Group
270-450-9900
thehoumangroup@rwbaird.com
©2020 Robert W. Baird & Co. Incorporated. Member SIPC. MC-430892.

**St. John's Knights
of Columbus**
Council # 10962
6725 US Hwy 45 • Paducah, KY
Hall Phone: (270) 554-0700