

November 9, 2025 THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

# Our Week

The weekly bulletin of  
Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church  
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Immaculate Conception:  
Monday, December 8th  
7:30 am

## THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

To those who sold doves he said, "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace." His disciples recalled the words of Scripture, Zeal for your house will consume me. - Jn 2:16-17

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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](mailto:hwurth@comcast.net) "no later than  
Monday Noon

## NEWS & NOTES

### **\*MARK YOUR CALENDAR\***

#### **CATHOLIC FAITH INQUIRY CLASSES**

\*Each Wednesday

Mercy Hall — 4:30 pm

#### **COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS**

Sunday, November 9<sup>th</sup>

2:00 - 4:00 pm - Cafe

#### **ST JOHN HOMEMAKER'S**

Wednesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>

6:00 pm—Cafe

#### **BREAVEMENT ANNIVERSARY LUNCH**

Wednesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>

11:00 am—O'Charley's

#### **ADORATION**

Saturday, November 15<sup>th</sup>

Exposition: 4:00 pm

Benediction: 4:50 pm

Mass: 5:00 pm

Sunday, November 16<sup>th</sup>

Exposition will begin at the end of

7:30 am Mass - Benediction 9:20 am

Mass: 9:30 am

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#### **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



### **A SHORT HISTORY OF VETERANS DAY**

Veterans Day was originally called Armistice Day in the United States, commemorating the signing of the agreement that ended World War I at 11:00 am, November 11, 1918. President Woodrow Wilson celebrated the first Armistice Day in 1919. In 1938, November 11<sup>th</sup> became a legal holiday by an act of Congress. In 1954, this federal holiday was changed from "Armistice" to "Veterans" Day.

Although this holiday initially honored those who perished in service to their country, when the holiday's name was changed to Veterans Day, it became a day to honor all the men and women who have served in the armed forces of the United States. Each year, special ceremonies are held at Arlington National Cemetery in Virginia.

What Does Veterans Day Mean? Veterans Day is an important day set aside to honor and show appreciation for ALL who have served in the United States military—in wartime or peacetime, living or deceased.

### **ALTAR SERVERS PRACTICE**

Altar Servers Practice will be on Sunday, November 16<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30 am. Any youth who have made their First Holy Communion and in 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade or above are encouraged learn to be an Altar Server. This is a great privilege that all youth do not experience. Parents this is an opportunity for you to help your children learn the spiritual importance of Catholic Stewardship of sharing their Time, Talent & Treasure with God and our Parish.

### **THANKSGIVING DAY SERVICES**

Thursday, November 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 am with a Military Collection for our service men and women.

### **PARISH MILITARY CHRISTMAS**

*Due to St John tradition, we will be taking up our annual Thanksgiving Day offering for the military from our parish.*

—It is that time of the year to mail Christmas cards to our men and women in the military home and abroad. We are requesting your time in helping our office update and maintain the military list with rank, name and address. You may drop this information in the offering basket, or email the parish office. The postal service request precise addressing for faster and punctual delivery. Deadline: November 16<sup>th</sup>. [hazel-hwurth@comcast.net](mailto:hazel-hwurth@comcast.net)

Thank you for your support and generosity!!!

### **SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**

Immaculate Conception Vigil Mass: Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 pm

Immaculate Conception: Monday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 am

## Cont'd PARISH & COMMUNITY EVENTS

### **CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE (Holy Day of Obligation)**

#### **PENANCE SERVICES**

|                           |              |         |
|---------------------------|--------------|---------|
| December 9 <sup>th</sup>  | St John      | 6:00 pm |
| December 14 <sup>th</sup> | STM          | 4:30 pm |
| December 15 <sup>th</sup> | ROSARY       | 4:00 pm |
| December 17 <sup>th</sup> | St Mary(L\C) | 5:00 pm |
| December 21 <sup>st</sup> | SFD          | 6:00 pm |

**\*\*\*PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS\*\*\***

#### **CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CHOIR**

Christmas season is almost here! We would like to have our children's choir sing for the Vigil Mass at 4:00 pm on Christmas Eve. All children from 1<sup>st</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> Grade are welcome to join us. If your child would like to participate, please email: Adam at [adam.horbovetz@gmail.com](mailto:adam.horbovetz@gmail.com). Rehearsals will begin in mid-November.

#### **ST JOHN PARISH POTLUCK**

All St John Parish members are invited to the St John's KC Hall this Sunday, November 9<sup>th</sup>, 12pm\NOON 'Til??? We will have great fellowship being with your Church Families!!! Enjoy football on the tv's! Please feel free to bring your favorite games, cards, etc. Wings will be provided. We ask that parishioners sign-up in the Narthex to bring your favorite tailgate foods, finger foods, drinks, and desserts.

**PLEASE BE SURE TO SIGN UP IN THE NARTHEX!**

We are looking forward to an afternoon of fellowship and fun!!!

#### **FIRST RECONCILIATION CLASS**

Additional dates: \*November 16<sup>th</sup>, December 7<sup>th</sup>.

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

Adam: email: [adam.horbovetz@gmail.com](mailto:adam.horbovetz@gmail.com), call or text Adam 270.816.2989.

#### **STEWARDSHIP FORMS**

If you are a registered member of St John's and have NOT received in the mail yet your Stewardship Form, PLEASE, pick up the STEWARDSHIP FORM Packet on the table in the narthex, fill it out and return to the Parish Office.

#### **NEW MEMBER PARISHIONER REGISTRATION FORM\STEWARDSHIP FORM**

If you are new to our parish here at St John's and have been regularly attending Sunday and Holy Day Masses with us for some time now, a hearty WELCOME TO YOU. Please pick up the packet on the table in the church entrance, fill it out, to register in our parish and return it to the Parish Office.

#### **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: 11-02-2025**

|                    |             |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Adults .....       | \$10,005.55 |
| Loose .....        | \$886.00    |
| Children (6) ..... | \$15.00     |
| Total .....        | \$10,906.55 |
| Special .....      | \$1,353.00  |

**\*\*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,  
5:30 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: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, 11:00 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 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](http://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](http://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, Kate Boudreaux, Martin Cantrell, Martha Childress, Judy Clayton, 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, Marie Mombteau, Brad Morris, Kenneth Myatt, Kelly Nance, Stan Napier, Zoey Partin, Be Be Phillips, 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, 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, November 10 • St Leo the Great**

7:30 am: **NO MASS**

**Tuesday, November 11 • St Martin of Tours**

7:30 am: **NO MASS** Veteran's Day

**Wednesday, November 12 • St Josaphat**

7:30 am: † Francis\Dorothy Scheer

**Thursday, November 13 • St Francis Xavier Cabrini**

7:30 am: † David Thompson

**Friday, November 14 • Weekday Day in Ordinary Time**

7:30 am: † June Kaufman

**Saturday, November 15 • 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 pm: † Steven Lamb

**Sunday, November 16 • 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 am: In Thanksgiving

9:30 am: Parishioners

## Weekly Ministries: NOVEMBER 16, 2025

### Lectors

5:00 pm Tammie Horbovetz

7:30 am Barbara DeNeve

9:30 am Tim Stewart

### Gift Bearers

5:00 pm Stacey Courtney Family

7:30 am Kim Miller Family

9:30 am Bryan Hayden Family

### SERVERS

5:00 pm Alex Horbovetz

7:30 am Cole Shoulta, Tate Shoulta

9:30 am Jack Stewart, Liam Stewart

### USHERS

5:00 am John Crivello, Cindy Crivello

7:30 am Bruce Tincher, Colleen Tincher

9:30 am John Durbin, William Durbin

### GREETERS:

5:00 pm Anna Drury, Phyllis Willett

7:30 am Kim Miller, Doris Trussell

9:30 am John Kaler, Cecilia Kaler

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

### NOVEMBER ROSARY & CHAPLET

5:00 pm Margaret Wurth

7:30 pm Meagan Tincher

9:30 pm John Kaler

### NOVEMBER DOOR SECURITY

5:00 pm John Crivello

7:30 pm Kenny Wurth

9:30 pm Brad Chase

**NOVEMBER LINENS** Susan Durbin

\*(Pick-up linens each Wednesday)

**NOVEMBER VOTIVE** Margaret Futrell

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