
St. Joseph Church

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Confession

Saturday 3:00-3:45 PM

Pastoral Council

Susan Clark, Chair, David Clemons,
Billy Dallas, Tim Nelson
Sharon Smart V. Chair, Phyllis Payne, Secretary

Finance Council

Charles Corbett. Beverly Harrison, Ben Hodges, Chair

Masses: November 11-November 16

Tuesday 7:30 am Victoria Clark
Wednesday 7:30 am Fr. Phil Riney
Thursday 12:05 pm Scott Reed Taylor
Friday 7:30 am Roger Pierce
Saturday 4:00 pm Frank & Pauline Henning
Sunday 10:00 am Sts. Joseph/John Parishes

November 15, 4:00 PM

Lector - Harold Rhodes
Server - Jacob Smith
Communion - C) Jim Marshall
 C) Rosemary Meredith
 H) Susan Rhodes
Ushers - Tony Rishkofski/Ernie Johnston
Greeters - Danny/Barbara Allen
Gifts - Libby/Steve Vincent
Music -

November 16, 10:00 AM

Lector - Rhonda Nelson
Server - Hannah Young
Communion - C) Stephanie Render
 C) Carolyn Thomason
 H) Linda Cripps
Ushers - David Clemons/Eddie Clemons
Greeters - Frankie/Rick Smith
Gifts - Karen/Scott Taylor
Music - Annette Cannon

Stewardship of Finance

Last Sunday's Collection	\$ 5510.83
Cemetery Collection	\$ 331.02
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 100.00
KLEA	\$ 284.00
All Souls	\$ 498.00
Building's/Ground's	\$ 582.00

Thank you for your generosity!

St. John Church

430 St. John Church Rd.
Sunfish, KY 42210

Website: stjohnch.org

St. John's Prayer List

Lyla Abel, Audrey Burke, Shirley Bush, Bob Clark, Margaret Clark, Jack Coop, Judy Dombrowski, Anna Durbin, James Durbin, Kenny Durbin, Margie Durbin, Catherine Duvall, Leonard Duvall, Kevin Hayes, Pamela Hughes, Betty Jennings, Juanita Logsdon, James Pierce, Olen Raymer, Leonard Simon, Linda Simon, Maggie Simon

Pastoral Council Meeting: Our pastoral council will be meeting this Wednesday, November 12, at 3:30 pm. Anyone in the parish is welcome to attend these meetings. If you have anything you would like the council to discuss please let Fr. Tony or any one of the council members know. Congratulations to Joe Durbin and Tom Pohlman who were selected last Sunday to serve on the council.

Thrift Store Grand Opening: We will be having the grand open of St. John's Thrift Store on Thursday, November 20 at 9:00 am. The store will be open Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm. If you want to volunteer to help or to donate items please call Barbara Fitzhugh at 286-0091.

Church House for Rent: St. John's Parish in Sunfish is looking for someone to rent their two bedroom former rectory/convent house. The rent would be \$350 plus utilities. We are wanting a middle aged or older person or couple who could help watch over the parish property. If you are someone you know are interested please contact Fr. Tony at 270-259-3028.

Pastoral Council

Margaret Clark Dick Dyche
Margie Durbin Nancy Farmer
Barbara Fitzhugh

November 16, 8:00 AM

Lector- Chris Wolfe
Server- Dick Dyche
Communion- Peggy Hayes, Margaret Clark,
 Betty Jennings
Usher- John Gay /Bill Duvall
Gifts- Peggy Hayes/Sue Kalbfleisch
Music- Jeremiah Bush-Barbara Fitzhugh
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Wednesday, 11/12/14-Jimmy Jennings
Sunday 11/16/14-Tim Durbin

Last Sunday's Collection	\$ 399.00
KLEA Collection	\$ 136.00
All Souls Collection	\$ 133.00
Thank you for your generosity.	

This Week at St. John:

Wed	3:30 pm	Pastoral Council Meeting
	5:00 pm	Mass
	6:00 pm	Journey of Faith
Thu	10:00 am	Work Day at Thrift Store
Sat	8:00 am	Men's Breakfast at St. John's

November:

20	9:00 am	Thrift Store Grand Opening
30	9:00 am	Breakfast for all Parishioners

Men's Breakfast: We will be having a breakfast with Fr. Tony for the men of St. John's **this Saturday**, November 15 at **8:00 am**. Please sign the sheet in the back of church or call Mary Lou Wilson at 286-8410 so we know how many to prepare for.

Work Day at Thrift Store: We will be having a general work day at St. John's Thrift Store this Thursday at 10:00 am. If you can help, please call Barbara Fitzhugh at 286-0091.

Message: U R the Church; Dedicated but Not Finished.

Homework: At every meal this week pray: God bless Pope Francis and help our parish to grow.

This Week at St. Joseph:

Sun	5:00 pm	Knights of Columbus
Tue	Money Counter-Ray Stevenson	
	3:00 pm	Divine Mercy Devotion
	5:30 pm	Whims & Wishes
	6:00 pm	Maintenance Mt in Rectory
Wed	12-5 pm	American Red Cross
	5:30 pm	Religious Ed.
Thu	12:05pm	MASS
	6:00 pm	Journey of Faith

November:

20	4:00 pm	St. Vincent de Paul
22	9:00 am	Altar Society Christmas Bazaar
26	7:00 pm	Community Thanksgiving Service

St. Vincent de Paul: We are having an information and reorganization meeting for St. Vincent de Paul Society (SVDP) on Thursday, November 20 at 4:00 pm in the parish hall.

Maintenance: The parish maintenance committee will be meeting this Tuesday, November 11 at 6:00 pm in the rectory. If you have any concerns or would like to assist the committee please contact Danny Joe Allen at 589-3355. There is also a notebook in the back of church in which you may write down any maintenance issue you think needs attention.

Community Thanksgiving Service: The Grayson County Ministerial Association will be hosting a Community Thanksgiving Service on Wednesday, November 26 at 7:00 pm at the Leitchfield United Methodist Church. Fr. Tony Bickett, will be giving the message this year. You are encouraged to attend.

Knights News: Please mark your calendar for these upcoming events: (3) The monthly meeting is Next Sunday, November 9th at 5:00 pm followed by dinner; and (4) November 15th at 6:00 pm is the dinner at the hall honoring our brother Knights who are also Veterans. For more information contact Joe Reuther 230-7068 or Robby Higdon 287-3297.

Thursday Mass: On Thursday mornings our Mass attendance has been very low, so beginning November 13, I will be having Mass at 12:05 pm on Thursdays.

St. Joseph Prayer List

Delores Alvey, Nellie Alvey, Wayne Alvey, Abby Beeler, Margaret Beckner, Art. Bitsky, Arlene Bitsky, Jim & Jean Charbonneau, Owen Cottrell, Anna Critchelow, Donald and Mary Lou Durham, Delbert and Rose Durham, Jenny Ann Alvey-Edmonds, Draven Fentress, Sr., Margaret Hudson, Brandon Kinkade, Rachel Kiper, Darlene Kolter, Sr. Clarence Marie Lockett, Bruce Meredith, Margie Meredith, Homer Milliner, Wanda Pierce, John J. Sweigert, Teresa . All law enforcement and emergency responders. For those serving in the military.

HOMEBOUND LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Nursing Home	SCHEDULE	Homebound
Alice Begay	11/9-11/15	Jed Johnston
Carolyn/Beverly	11/16-16	Bev/Carolyn
Jim Marshall	11/23-29	Delores Alvey
Kim Smith	11/30-12-6	Jim Alvey
Mike Boone	12/7-13	Linda Clark
Alice Begay	12/14-20	Jed Johnston
Carolyn/Beverly	12/21-27	Bev/Carolyn
Jim Marshall	12/28-1/3	Delores
Kim Smith	1/4-10	Jim Alvey
Mike Boone	1/11-17	Linda Clark
Alice Begay	1/18-24	Jed Johnston

2015 Anniversaries: We would like to honor names for the WKC of couples celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries, including 10, 25, 40, 50 and over 50 years, for the upcoming year.

WOW. What wonderful participation we had from our parish family at the annual chili supper and auction ! We were so overwhelmed to see such a crowd, such a great array of auction items and so much fun! **We sincerely thank everyone** for all the help. It takes all of us working together to have such a successful gathering.

God bless,
The St. Joseph Altar Society

BIRTHDAYS

Edmond Collard	11/16
Roger Oller	11/16
Christopher Clark	11/17
Hannah Young	11/17
Ashley Borland	11/18
Jamie Carwile	11/22
William Gates	11/22
Sharon McDaniel	11/22

Veterans: The Knights of Columbus will be honoring all veterans with a dinner on Saturday, November 15th at 6:00 pm at their hall in Peonia. If you can attend please call Ken Farris at 259-9748.

Please feel free to write your loved ones names in the **Book of Remembrance** during the month of November so we can remember them in prayer.

Prayer for the Deceased: Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Mass Time: a REMINDER THAT THE Saturday Mass is now at **4:00 PM**. Nest week we will begin having Mass on **Thursday at 12:05 PM**.

Rediscover Your Marriage: Retrouvaille offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. Thousands of couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending. For confidential information about or to register for the January program beginning with a weekend on Jan 30-Feb 2, 2015 call 270-683-1545 ext. 346 or email: satkv59@gmail.com or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org.

Cemetery: If you failed to do last week's homework; to go and pray in a cemetery; you can make it up this week.

Websites: We hope you are enjoying our new websites. We are adding new information each week, so tell your family, friends and co-workers to take a look.



Gift Shop: At the parish office we have bibles, rosaries, holy water bottles, and auto visor clips with St. Christopher and guardian angels.

Stress in Your Marriage? – Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness. Others experience conflict in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even how to communicate this with their spouse. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the January program beginning with a weekend on Jan 30, 2015 call 270-683-1545 ext. 346 or email: satkv59@gmail.com or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org.

Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome:

Most people think of St. Peter's as the pope's main church, but they are wrong. St. John Lateran is the pope's church, the cathedral of the Diocese of Rome where the Bishop of Rome presides. The dedication of a church is a feast for all its parishioners. In a sense, St. John Lateran is the parish church of all Catholics, because it is the pope's cathedral. This church is the spiritual home of the people who are the Church. "What was done here, as these walls were rising, is reproduced when we bring together those who believe in Christ. For, by believing they are hewn out, as it were, from mountains and forests, like stones and timber; but by catechizing, baptism and instruction they are, as it were, shaped, squared and planed by the hands of the workers and artisans. Nevertheless, they do not make a house for the Lord until they are fitted together through love" (St. Augustine, Sermon 36).

The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of November 2014

General: That all who suffer loneliness may experience the closeness of God and the support of others.

Missionary: That young seminarians and religious may have wise and well-formed mentors.

ST. JOHN NAMES FOR REMEMBRANCE:

Alfia Clark
Joe Clark
Mark Clark
Mary Coop
Bill Corn
Elizabeth Corn
Jane Devine
Estill Durbin
Jimmy Durbin
Martin & Larvo Durbin
Thomas & Helen Durbin
Curtis & Alberta Duvall
James C. Duvall
Becky Dyche
Rick Dyche
Tommy Dyche
Charles Fitzhugh
Merle Fitzhugh
Nathan Fitzhugh
Nemon Fitzhugh
Robin Hoffman (Fitzhugh)
Andrew Gray
Alberta Hayes
Emmett & Hattie Hayes
Kenneth Hayes
Warren & Irene Hayes
Otis Hayes
Johnny Hayes
Marie Hayes
Phyllis Hayes
Vera & Catherine Hayes
Teresa Hogdon
Pete & Leona Lashley
Kit & Liz Logsdon
Margaret Mathico
David Morton
Dorothy Morton
John Parker Morton
Lohoma Raymer
Bobby Renfro
Mildred Renfro
Virgil Renfro
Hershel Simon
Katie Simon
Katie Sims
Mary R. Sims
Peggy Sims
Shelby Sims
Sue Sims

ST JOSEPH NAMES FOR REMEMBRANCE:

Brack Allen
Rachel Allen
Bea Alvey
Gene Alvey
Herman Alvey
Ness Alvey
Carl Basham
Joseph Bradley
Mary J. Bradley
Joseph Lee & Catherine Bowman
The Broska Family
Hartford & Ruby Cannon
Audra W. Clark
Edwin & Mary Clark
Jesse Clark Family
Edward Clemons
Pernie Clemons
Clemons Families
Robert Etnyre
Paul Gray
Terry Gray
John Gross
Patricia, John & Caroline Habicht
Paula Hazelwood
Catherine Henderson
Ida Higdon
Jim Higdon
Rayburn Higdon
Thelma Higdon
The Jagers
The Johnstons
Jon Korc
Katherine Korc
Maria Korl
Elanore Lamb
Hillard & Effie Lyons
Bessie Mattingly
Everette Mattingly
Jerry Mattingly
Alfonza & Harriet Newton
J.B. & Eva Lee Newton
Sr. Jean Madeline Peak
Elaine Pierce
Gary Nowak Frank Powers
Povey Families
Poor Souls in Purgatory
Bryan Ramsey

REFLECTIONS ON TODAY'S READINGS:

Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12: Here is a vision water-lovers can especially enjoy. The prophet Ezekiel is describing a stream that flows from the temple of the Lord. His vision is so detailed that we can follow the river from the door of the temple into the Dead Sea. There it washes away the salt and gives life to abundant fish. Fruit trees grow on the banks and give food every month. All of this thriving life comes from the water that flows from the temple. Ezekiel's vision speaks to us of God's presence in our midst. His love sustains us as the stream from the temple gives life to what was once dead.

1 Corinthians 3:9-11, 16-17: We all know that a family is far more important than the house it lives in. Sometimes we forget that it is not the church building that is the actual Church. The building is only the place where the people gather. Saint Paul reminds us today that we are the temples of God. The Spirit of God is housed in us. We are the temple that has been founded on Jesus Christ himself. The People of God are the Church. When we gather for prayer or worship in the church building, we are together God's holy temple. We are called to treat each other with love and respect as "building blocks" of the same temple.

John 2:13-22: Jesus deeply loved the temple in Jerusalem. The temple might be compared to the Lateran Basilica in Rome. It was the central house of worship for the Jewish people. Jesus called it "my Father's house" and he drove the money changers out of it. Then he revealed that the true temple was his own body. He himself was the temple that would be destroyed and raised up again in three days. At first the disciples did not understand this teaching. They still focused on the physical building in Jerusalem as the temple. But after Jesus' resurrection, they saw the truth as we do today.