
St. Joseph Church

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Susan Clark

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Tim Nelson, Chair.

Sharon Smart

Finance Council

Charles Corbett

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Ben Hodges, Chair

Masses: AUGUST 4-AUGUST 9

Tuesday 12:05 pm Delores Alvey

Wednesday 5:00 pm Dee Stony +

Thursday 12:05 pm Art Bitsky +

Friday 7:30 am Katie Beth Pierce +

Saturday 4:00 pm Sts. Joseph & John
Parishes

Sunday 7:00 am Eula Gross +

Sunday 11:00 am Irene Rishkofski +

Confession

Saturday 3:00-3:30 PM

August 8, 4:00 PM

Lector - Harold Rhodes

Server- Ethan Pierce, Jarek Whitworth

Communion - C) Susan Rhodes

C) Barbara Allen

H) Mary Decker

Ushers - Jerry Clemons/Ernie Johnston

Greeters - Sharon Smart

Gifts - Tim Pierce Family

Music - Meredyth Lee

August 9, 7:00 AM

Lector - Carolyn Thomason

Server - Jacob Smith, John Smith

Communion - C) Sue King

C) Kim Smith

H) Betty Stone

Ushers - Volunteers

Greeters - Joyce Green

Gifts - Betty Johnston

Music - Meredyth Lee

August 9, 11:00 AM

Lector - Joan Dobson

Server - Megan Mudd, Nate Pennington

Communion - C) Delbert Durham

C) Laquita Clemons

H) Stephanie Render

Ushers - Scott Samuels/Eddie Clemons

Greeters - Debbie Graham/Linda Cripps

Gifts - Rick & Frankie Smith

Music -

Stewardship of Finance

Last Sunday's Collection \$ 3925.14

Catholic Outreach \$ 580.00

Money Counter

Dick Gatto

St. John Church

430 St. John Church Rd.
Sunfish, KY 42210

Website: stjhnch.org

Saint John Thrift Store: 270-597-1038

Pastoral Council

Cathy Young, Chair Dick Dyche
Nancy Farmer, Secretary Joe Durbin
Barbara Fitzhugh Shelia Durbin
Tom Pohlman, V. Chair

This Week at St. John:

Sun 9:00 am Mass
 10:00 am Coffee & Donuts
Tue 5:00 pm Mass

Tue 5:30 pm "The Bible" Episode 1

Sun 9:00 am Anointing of the Sick

AUGUST:

13 3:30 pm Pastoral Council Meeting
15 9am-2pm Pictures for Directory
16 12pm-5pm Pictures for Directory
19 5pm-9pm Pictures for Directory

Movie, "The Bible": On Tuesday, August 4 at 5:30 pm, we will begin showing the History Channel miniseries, "The Bible". This is a great way to learn more about our faith. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Pictorial Directory: This Sunday, August 2, we will begin signups for you to have your picture taken for our next parish pictorial directory. The dates and times are as follows:

Saturday Aug 15 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
Sunday Aug 16 12 noon - 5:00 pm
Wednesday Aug 19 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

We hope every individual and family will have their picture taken. We want everyone included!!!

St. John's Prayer List

Lyla Abel, Audrey Burke, Jack Coop, Judy Dombrowski, Anna Durbin, James Durbin, Kenny Durbin, Catherine Duvall, Leonard Duvall, Doug Farmer, Daren Fowler, James Fowler, Dorothy Fredrick, Kevin Hayes, Tommy Heath, Pamela Hughes, Betty Jennings, Juanita Logsdon, James Pierce, Olen Raymer, Leonard Simon, Linda Simon, Maggie Simon, Grey Vincent

History Book: Daniel Durbin is putting together a history book for St. John's Parish. If you have any photographs, stories or news clippings that you would want to share with us please let us know. He may be contacted at 2318 Running Brook Rd., LaGrange, KY 40031; phone: 502-386-7946; or email: ddurbin1@bellsouth.net

Happy Birthday: We wish Dick Dyche a very happy 90th birthday this Friday, August 7.

Masses: AUGUST 4-AUGUST 9

Tuesday 5:00 pm Jimmy Jennings +
Sunday 9:00 am Jerome (Jake) Logsdon +

August 9, 2015, 9:00 AM

Lector- Joe Durbin
Server- Brian Davis
Euch. Ministers: Laurie Dearing, Dwayne Dwayne Fitzhugh, Chris Wolfe
Usher- Dick Dyche & John Gay
Gifts- Peggy Hayes & Family
Music- Jeremiah Bush-Barbara Fitzhugh

Last Sunday's Collection	\$ 476.00
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Message: The Mass Is The Real Deal.

Homework: Read Matthew Kelly's Book, "The One Thing" this week and then think of someone you can ask to read it.

This Week at St. Joseph:

Mon	5:30 pm	Bunco
Tue	3:00 pm	Divine Mercy Devotion
Thu	6:00 pm	Journey of Faith (RCIA)
Fri	8:00 am	<u>Eucharistic Adoration</u>
	5:00 pm	Benediction
Sat	10:00 am	Jamie Dennis Deacon Ordination
Sat	4:00 pm	Anointing of the Sick
Sun	All Masses	Anointing of the Sick

AUGUST

11	6:00 pm	Maintenance Committee
12	5:30 pm	Grayson County Catholic Outreach

Pictorial Directory: This weekend we will begin signups in the parish hall. We hope every individual and family will have their picture taken. We have seven days as follows: August 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 29, and 30. We want everyone included!!!

Purchasing Property: At the last meeting of our Parish Pastoral Council we discussed the purchase of the property next to the parish hall on Main Street (and the old school building) from Tim and Gayla Logsdon. The Council was in agreement that it would be in the parish's best interest if we acquired this property. If you have any questions or concerns please let us know.

RCIA: Do you know anyone who is interested in learning more about our Catholic Faith or who is interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church? Our RCIA program will begin this Thursday, August 6 at 6:00 pm in the parish hall. For more information contact T. J. Dennison or Fr. Tony.

Journey of Faith: What is Journey of Faith? Journey of Faith is a short course of Catholic Christianity. It is an adult education program on the basics of what Catholics believe. It is a process of welcoming and introducing people to the Catholic Faith. The focus is on coming to know Jesus Christ on a deeper level and living a life dedicated to him. A new series begins this Thursday, August 6 at 6:00 pm in the parish hall. For more information contact T. J. Dennison or Fr. Tony.

Anointing of the Sick: Next weekend, August 8-9, we will be celebrating the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick at all the Masses. Who may be anointing? In the past only those close to death were anointed and thus the Sacrament became known as "Last Rites". Today anyone who is seriously ill may receive the Sacrament. The Sacrament is for comfort and healing of those who suffer in mind, body or spirit. Normally a person suffering from a seasonal cold would not ask to be anointed.

Bell Campaign: For centuries the Church has had the tradition of ringing bells as a call to prayer. We have a wonderful opportunity of continuing this tradition especially as the Church in many places is in decline.

Bell Fund:

Total Received	\$1,000
Total Pledged	\$4,100
Total Needed	\$8,800



Sister's Raffle: Raffle tickets for the Retired Ursuline Sisters of Mount St. Joseph picnic will be sold after Mass on August 1-2 and 29-30. The Sisters have served in our parishes and so we are encouraged to support their fundraising effort.

St. Joseph Prayer List

Delores Alvey, Nellie Alvey, Wayne Alvey, Abby Beeler, Margaret Beckner, Arlene Bitsky, Bonnie Blanton, Joe Burba, Jim & Jean Charbonneau, Corey Clark, Edmund Collard, Owen Cottrell, Anna Critchelow, Mary Decker, Joan & Estille Dobson, Donald and Mary Lou Durham, Delbert and Rose Durham, Jenny Ann Alvey-Edmonds, Draven Fentress, Maureen Gatto Sr., Cecil Higdon, Margaret Hudson, Sr. Rose Karen, Rachel Kiper, Darlene Kolter, Sandy Johnston, Susan Maynard, Bobby McDaniel, Bruce Meredith, Margie Meredith, Homer Milliner, Wanda Pierce, Susan Rhodes, Glen Schofield, Aaron Shull, Betty Stone, John J. Sweigert, Kasey Tomes All law enforcement and emergency responders. For those serving in the military.

HOMEBOUND LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Nursing Home	SCHEDULE	Homebound
Jim Marshall	8/2-8/8	Jed Johnston
Kim Smith	8/9-8/15	Mary/Sharon
Father Bagu	8/16-8/22	Carolyn/Bev
Mike Boone	8/23-8/29	Jim Alvey
Pauline Baker	8/30-9/5	Susie Mattingly



Mass Stipends: We have plenty of open spaces for Mass Stipends in both parishes. If you have a loved one or intention please come by or call the parish office @ 270-259-3028.

Please keep the family of **Art Bitsky**, in your thoughts and prayers. His funeral was held at St. Joseph last week. May he rest in peace.



Religious Education News:

Religious Ed will start on September 9th. Mark your calendars now. This year we will begin each week with mass at 5 pm then roll right into classes. We will end the night at 6:30. Can't wait to see you all there. Watch for more information to come.

BIRTHDAYS

Lisa Clemons	8/04
Betty J. Johnston	8/04
Nathan Clemons	8/05
Logan Hart	8/05
Zach Pierce	8/08
Rose Durham	8/09

ANNIVERSARIES

Mark & Annette Cannon	8/06
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Parish Secretary: We are accepting applications for a full-time or part-time general office manager to serve as secretary and bookkeeper for our parish. Applicants must have good computer skills, experience with accounting and Microsoft Office. Applications may be picked up at the office on Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday and must be returned by August 14.

GOOD LUCK TO OUR STUDENTS GETTING READY TO GO "BACK TO SCHOOL" !