

St. Brigid Catholic Church



314 E. Main St.
Vine Grove, KY 40175

Clustered Parish Office:
(270) 877-2461

Email: brigidvg@bbtel.com

Pastoral Associate & Dir
Dir. of Religious Education:
Deacon Mike Ryan: (270) 877-0546

Youth Minister:
Lori Law: (270) 723-0157

MASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.
Monday: 9:00 a.m.
Thursday: 9:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Sunday before Mass
5:30-6:00 p.m. or by appt.

ROSARY:

After weekday Masses

PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS:

President: Sue Weisshaupt
Vice-President: Mike Bramlett
Secretary: Judy Cochran
At-Large Members: Blake Ryan
& Vincent Thompson

CHAIRPERSONS:

Administration: Dale Winchester
Formation: Tina Yates
Parish Life: Tom Billings
Worship: Keith Baughman

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

December 30, 2018

Pastor:

Rev. Daniel L. Lincoln
Rectory: (270) 877-2546

Deacon:

Michael A. Ryan
(270) 272-6789

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK:

Notify the parish office when a family member is hospitalized.

BAPTISM:

Contact the parish office for information about the required preparation class.

BULLETIN:

Information must be submitted in writing by note or email to the parish office **no later than 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday** for the following weekend. When sending an email, please put "BULLETIN," and the name of the parish the announcement is for, in the subject line.

MARRIAGE:

Contact Father at least 6 months prior to the wedding date to complete required marriage preparations and to schedule the date.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults):

Contact the Worship Chairperson for information.

DEW MEMORIAL LIBRARY:

(in St. Brigid Church basement):
Open: Sunday after 9:30 a.m.
Mass & 45 minutes before all other Masses.

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church



657 St. John Church Rd.
Elizabethtown, KY 42701

Clustered Parish Office:
(270) 877-2461

Website: www.stbrigidvg.org

Dir. of Religious Education:
Lisa Thomas: (270) 735-6930

Youth Ministers:

Angela Churchman
(270) 268-9963

Ericka Finlay: (502) 612-2644

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday (Vigil): 6:30 p.m.
Sunday: 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday before Mass
5:30-6:00 p.m. or by appt.

PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS:

President: Lauran Thomas
Secretary: Theresa Smith

CHAIRPERSONS:

Administration: Nick Thomas
Formation: Ericka Finlay
Parish Life: Bradley Wickersham
Worship: Greg Thompson





Saturday	December 29	6:30 p.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners Living & Deceased Members of Emil & Anna Brangers Family	Vigil: The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph
Sunday	December 30	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	Muriel & Louise Stith	The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph
"	"	11:30 a.m.	St. John	Bruce & Margaret Lincoln	"
"	"	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family Dickie Cecil	"
Monday	December 31	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	CANCELLED	Vigil: Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
"	"	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Rose Marie Yates	"
Tuesday	January 1	9:00 a.m.	St. John	For Special Intentions	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
Wednesday	January 2	6:30 p.m.	St. John	CANCELLED	"
Thursday	January 3	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	Jim Smith	Christmas Weekday
Friday	January 4	9:00 a.m.	St. John	Bruce & Margaret Lincoln	St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious
Saturday	January 5	6:30 p.m.	St. John	Anna Brangers	Vigil: The Epiphany of the Lord
Sunday	January 6	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family Dickie Cecil	The Epiphany of the Lord
"	"	11:30 a.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners	"
"	"	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	James A. Smith	"

FOR BOTH PARISHES

MERRY CHRISTMAS!! May the blessings of the Holy Family - Jesus, Mary and Joseph – be with you and your loved ones during this entire Christmas Season. Fr. Dan and Deacon Mike

SIGN-UPS FOR RIGHT TO LIFE –Heartland’s annual signature ad will take place following the Masses on **January 6**. This ad will run in the News-Enterprise on January 20, 2019, just prior to the 46th anniversary of Roe v. Wade, to commemorate the 60+ million babies who have been aborted since that infamous Supreme Court decision. Please sign-up to add your name to the list of those in the Hardin County area who support this pro-life effort. The suggested donation is \$5.00 per line. Point of contact: Betty Jones at (270) 8777-5508.

REDISCOVERING CATHOLICISM – Thanks to the generous donor who supplied 400 copies of Matthew Kelly’s book to our parishes!!

VOCATIONS – Do you know a young man or woman who might make a great priest, brother or sister? Help the Archdiocese of Louisville Vocations Office connect with them! By submitting names through our Called by Name initiative, you’ll help us send potential discerners good information and invitations to discernment events. To participate visit: www.louisvillevocations.com/called-by-name/

PROJECT RACHEL – Healing...Forgiveness...Hope...After the experience of an abortion. If you or someone you know is struggling with the pain from an abortion, please consider Project Rachel – a post abortion ministry. To speak to someone confidentially, call (502) 471-2155 or email ProjectRachel@archlou.org.

ABORTION AND ADOPTION – The number of would-be adoptive parents (of newborn babies) far outstrips the supply in America. Each year in the United States, about 135,000 American children are placed for adoption. Experts estimate somewhere between one and two million couples seek to adopt yearly. Every year, there are about 1.3 million abortions. Sadly, only 4% of women with unwanted pregnancies give their children up for adoption. Every child is wanted and wanted desperately! By Pro-Life Articles Author www.pro-lifearticles.org

CONFIDENTIAL PREGNANCY AND ADOPTION COUNSELING – is available at Catholic Charities for women of all ages experiencing untimely pregnancies. A full range of services are provided, including adoptive placement, legal assistance and counseling for individuals, groups and families. Post-abortion counseling is also available. Services are provided regardless of income or marital status. For more information, call Catholic Charities at (502) 637-9786.

ST. MARTIN OF TOURS IN FLAHERTY – invites you to a Countdown to 2019, New Year's Eve Dance, in the St. Martin Gym on **Monday, December 31, from 8:00 p.m.- 12:30 a.m.** Tickets are \$20 single, \$35 couple, table for 8 \$140. Contact Lisa Hobbs at (270) 668-5826; Elaine Medley at (270) 668-4100; Elaine McKinney at (270) 547-8111; or Roselle Muse at (270) 272-4898. Please join in the fun!

LOOK, THINK, ACT!! Look - at your relatives, friends, and acquaintances. Think - who on this list should become Catholic? Act - ask each of them if they would like for you to sponsor them and accompany them on their journey toward becoming a Catholic. Invite them to join the RCIA team as they present the program. The RCIA [Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults] will begin on **Tuesday, January 8, 2019** and end on Holy Saturday, April 20. Interested persons should contact Keith Baughman at (270) 877-5283 or Saint Brigid Parish at (270) 877-2461. If you get an answering machine, please leave your name and phone number. Your call will be answered!!

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Date: **Tuesday, January 8, 2019, 7:00 p.m.** Topics: Introduction and Overview of the RCIA Process and Initial Interviews [Q1]

Place: CMR (Church Meeting Room in basement of the church)

Facilitator: RCIA staff

Anyone interested should contact Keith Baughman at (270) 877-5283 or the Parish Office at (270) 877-2461. Leave your name and phone number.

ST. JOHN AND ST. BRIGID PRAYER LIST

To add someone to the prayer list, please call the parish office at (270) 877-2461. **Remember to call to remove someone from the list if they are no longer sick, etc.** *Please note that the prayer list has been revised. It is primarily for parishioners and their immediate family members.*

Sam Adams, April Allen, Dennis Arnold, Barbara Ashley, Donnie Alan Atcher, Shannon Barnes, Denise Barnett, Timothy Birch, Teresa Blaycock, Charlie Bowers, Pauline Brangers, Ellen Bryan, Richard Bryson, Carol Buchanan, Linda Buchanan, Jeremy & Margie Buyer, Deacon Bob Caspar, Sue Caswell, Ed Cecil, J. Mack Cecil, Steve Cecil, Judy Cleaver, John Connor, Betty Jo Cooper, Heidi Correa, Jeff Craig, Glynn Clutches, Roan Dowell, Karen Dworshak, Leroy Embry, Marion French, Dwayne Garcia, Joe Greenwell, Carrie Gribben, Mary Hager, Mrs. Charles Hair, Stephanie Hall, Donnie Hart, Jimmy Harper, Bobby Harris, Eileen Heinen, Debbie Hodge, Betty Lou Jones, Charlene Langley, Olivia Leasor, Jenny Leonhardt, Jackie Long, Louise Lucous, Alma Mahanna, Shelly Martin, Shirley Martin, Martina Masoni, Don Mattingly, Gerard Mattingly, Paul Michael Mattingly, Mary Medley, Cindy Miller, Starla Miller, Doug Osborne, Duane Osborne, Mickey Padgett, Frank Inanely, Jerry Phillips, Annie Pierce, Adrianna Porter, Jeremy Porter, Adrian Ray, Mary Agnes Ray, Mary Ellen Ray, Tonya Reisinger, Joel Rivera, Suzanne Russell, Caroline Seabee, Leon Skeeters, Jim Smith, Ralph Staples, Keith Tassin, Kenny Thompson, Raffaella Tucker, Debi Turner, Stacey Vance, Tenley Ward, Bill Waldrop, Lois Weaver, De Neil Whelan, Paul A. Whelan, Jennifer Williams, Sandy Wiseman, Zach Wiseman, Gail Wilson, Don Wooldridge, Connor Wright, and all the sick, both mentally and physically.

OUR MILITARY LIST

To add someone to the military list, please call the parish office at (270) 877-2461. **Remember to call to remove someone from the list if they are no longer in the service.**

Lt. Matt **Bednar**, PFC Richard H. **Chapman**, A1C Aaron **Chandler**, A1C Brandon **Davila**, SrA Felicia **Esquivel**, PFC Tyler **Hall**, A1C Ryan **Henley**, A1C Joseph **Manco**, SPC Jacob L. **Nall**, SFC Peter **Novak**, Tony **Rickerl**, James **Rogers**, Tony **Rogers**, Jonathon **Sifford**, Jeffrey **Slade**, Derek **Smith**, CSM Vance **Snider**, Brian **Tomassi**, A1C Daniel **Trombone**, SGT Evan **Vaughan**, PV2 William **Vaughan**, SFC Lisa **Flynn-Veri**, CPT Michael **Veri**, LTC Steve **Wickersham**, SGT Clay **Wilson**, TSGT Jeremy **Yates**, Austin **Zulka** and for all who serve and have served our country.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

Monthly Budget Amount Needed: \$ 12,500.00
Monthly Collection for November: \$ 11,735.74
Monthly Collection for December: \$ 15,765.50
Christmas Collection: \$ 1,601.00

WELCOME PACKETS – If you would like to become a member, or learn more about St. John Parish, please take a *Welcome Packet* in the church lobby. You may return the census card and the stewardship form to Father Dan or place in the collection basket.

THANK YOU!! – to all our church decorators and music ministers for a beautiful Christmas Season.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2018 UPDATE – We have donated \$18,000 (82%) of our financial goal with 70 families (73%) participating.

ONE CALL SYSTEM – St. John now has the One Call System. For now, we will be using this to contact specific groups to keep them informed of meetings and events. If you get a phone call from (270) 877-2461, that is the church office number. If you get a text, it will say from St. John Church. Please bear with us as we get this set up. If you wish to make any changes to how you are contacted, please contact Lisa Thomas at (270) 735-6930 or Clarissa Yates at (270) 766-7821. If you get a call and miss the message, you can go to the new website (Thank you Hannah Thomas) and in the bottom left hand corner of the home page, click on the *One Call* logo. Check it out at bit.ly/stjohnchurch.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY – Thanks again to the St. John Friends of Habitat for their donations to the Ambler family whose house was dedicated in Vine Grove on Sunday. The family was so appreciative of

the cookware, silverware, dishtowels/cloths, baking dishes and pans, George Forman Grill, pitcher and glasses, towels/wash cloths, etc. Your generosity to the Habitat families continues to bless so many. May God bless you for your continued support of Habitat.

ST. JOHN YOUTH GROUP – would like to extend the biggest THANK YOU! to every person that attended (or donated to) our 4th annual chili/soup night on December 1. It was our greatest success to date and with your help, generosity, and kindness we received \$1,265 in donations to use for our angel tree shopping!!! The youth appreciates the support they receive from our parish community and with those donations they were able to adopt and shop for 8 angels! We were able to make Christmas a little brighter for a 1-year-old, 2-year-old, 4-year-old, 9-year-old, three- 14-year-olds, and a 15-year-old. Everything was purchased on their list and then some! We also want to thank the Women's Group for hosting Bingo. We believe that fun was had by all! Again, we thank you for making this yet another success! Merry Christmas and God Bless!

ROOM IN THE INN – St. John the Baptist will sponsor the Friday nights of **January 25, and February 22** for this program to help the homeless in our area. Contact Elaine Geer at (270) 763-2202 or (270) 737-4172 to volunteer or for more information.

MARY, MOTHER OF GOD HOLY DAY MASS – will be on **Tuesday, January 1, at 9:00 a.m.** The Wednesday, January 2, 6:30 p.m. Mass is cancelled.

ST. JOHN LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Vigil: The Epiphany of the Lord, January 5, 2019	6:30 p.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Becky Thomas Leann Davidson Rhonda Newton
Lector	Lori Shinault
Servers	Claire Thomas Drew Thomas
Greeter(s)	Mary Hall
Gift Bearers	Barbara Givan Marcella Crewz
Ushers	Mark Geer Jackie Hall
The Epiphany of the Lord, January 6, 2019	11:30 a.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Angela Churchman Angie Thompson Luran Thomas
Lector	Greg Thompson
Servers	Mariana Resto-Santos Jose Resto-Santos
Greeter(s)	Barbara Taylor
Gift Bearers	Nick & Linda Thomas
Ushers	Ken Leasor Steve Brangers
Hospital Ministry – Sunday, January 27, 2019	Joanna Sherrard Amy Thomas

ST. BRIGID CATHOLIC CHURCH

Monthly Budget Amount Needed: \$ 25,280.00
Monthly Collection for November: \$ 24,106.68
Monthly Collection for December: \$ 32,998.00
Catholic Charities Collection: \$ 1,156.00

WELCOME VISITORS – If you are interested in joining our parish, please pick up a Welcome Packet at the church doors. Complete the registration form and either drop it in the collection basket or mail it to the office. If you just need to update your registration, there are also forms available.

THANK YOU!! – to all our church decorators and music ministers for a beautiful Christmas Season.

NEW CHURCH ENVELOPES – Please check your new church envelopes to be sure the envelope number is correct. We know that the titles (Mr., M/M, etc.) are in the wrong place. Thank you for your support.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2018 UPDATE – We have donated \$34,700 (98%) of our financial goal with 105 families (81%) participating.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY – Because of tax law changes all donations to SVDP should be made out donation is still tax deductible. Thank you for your continued support of SVDP to help the local poor and needy. **NOT** to St. Brigid Church. Your donation is still tax deductible. Thank you for your continued support of SVDP to help the local poor and needy.

MARY, MOTHER OF GOD HOLY DAY MASS – will be on **Monday, December 31, at 6:30 p.m.** The Monday, December 31, 9:00 a.m. Mass is cancelled.

YOUNG AT HEART – will meet **Wednesday, January 2**, for a pot luck dinner. Games will start at 11:00 a.m. The pot luck dinner will start at 12:00 noon. The parish provides the chicken. Please bring a friend.

ST. BRIGID YOUTH MINISTRY

Please keep your eyes out for a mailing that will contain our upcoming youth schedule, RE schedule for 9th & 10th grade and retreats!

If you have any questions, please contact Lori at (270) 723-0157 or email at stbrigidyouth@hotmail.com.

ST. BRIGID MONTHLY MEET AND GREET



St. Brigid Parish hosts a “Meet and Greet” in the **School Cafeteria** the 2nd Sunday of each month immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass with coffee and donuts. This is a great opportunity for existing parishioners to extend a warm welcome to visitors and anyone interested in joining St. Brigid Parish. Be sure to also visit the Dew Memorial Library.

The next Meet and Greet will be Sunday, January 13, 2019

ST. BRIGID LITURGICAL MINISTERS

The Epiphany of the Lord, January 6, 2019		9:30 a.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	P.	Bill & Rosie Cochran
	C.	Patty Sims Jim Klimesh Nancy Kotarski Sherleen Barren
Lector		Mark Kelly
Servers		Maggie Board Molly Weisshaupt
Greeters		Charles & Pam DeRoche
Gift Bearers		Butch Filburn Family
The Epiphany of the Lord, January 6, 2019		6:30 p.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	P.	Ron Masoni
	C.	Donna & Richard Osterhage
Lector		Jackie Veri
Servers		Jackie Veri
Greeters		Keith & Martha Baughman
Gift Bearers		C. H. Morgan Family
Hospital Ministry – Sunday, January 13, 2019		Keith Baughman & Jim Klimesh

