

Saint Brigid Catholic Church



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Vine Grove, KY 40175

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Pastoral Associate & 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

33rd Sunday in
Ordinary Time
November 18, 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

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: Luran Thomas

Secretary: Theresa Smith

CHAIRPERSONS:

Administration: Nick Thomas

Formation: Ericka Finlay

Parish Life: Bradley Wickersham

Worship: Greg Thompson





Saturday	November 17	6:30 p.m.	St. John	Bill French	Vigil: 33 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	November 18	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	Mack, Leanna & Billy Cecil	33 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
“	“	11:30 a.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners	“
“	“	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family Rose Marie Yates	“
Monday	November 19	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	Bill Brown Helen C. Adams	Weekday
Wednesday	November 21	5:30 p.m.	St. John	For Special Intentions	The Presentation of the B.V.M.
Thursday	November 22	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	Dickie Cecil	St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr
Friday	November 23	9:00 a.m.	St. John	In Thanksgiving	Weekday
Saturday	November 24	6:30 p.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners Bruce Sherrard	Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
Sunday	November 25	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	Dickie Cecil Carlos Robbins	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
“	“	11:30 a.m.	St. John	Philip Whelan	“
“	“	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family Buckman Family & Erik Whelan	“

FOR BOTH PARISHES

GBP GUIDE BOOK & DIRECTORY – The new directory for 2018-2019 has been sent out. If you did not receive your copy (it was in a large white envelope), please call the Parish Office to let us know. This directory answers almost everything you need to know about your parish. Keep it handy for quick reference. If there are any corrections, let us know about that too. Thank you!

UPDATE – Please note that submissions for the bulletin must now be received no later than **4:00 p.m. in Tuesday**. If circumstances require the bulletin be done on Wednesday, some announcements may not be posted. Thank you.

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/

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

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.

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.

LOUISVILLE CURSILLO ANNOUNCEMENT – The Knox Area Cursillo is sponsoring the annual Christmas Celebration and would like to invite all Cursillistas and friends to this celebration at St. Brigid's Community Center in Vine Grove, KY on **December 7, at 6:00 p.m.** It will start with a social followed by a Thanksgiving meal. We ask that you bring a dish to share (veggies, salads, desserts or drinks). For more information please email or call Pat Williams at (270) 351-3788 or willpaw@twc.com. Pat Williams *"Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain."*

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!!

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**, 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**, Allie **Ray**, Mary Agnes **Ray**, Mary Ellen **Ray**, Tonya **Reisinger**, Joel **Rivera**, Caroline **Seabee**, Leon **Skeeters**, Jim **Smith**, Ralph **Staples**, Keith **Tassin**, Anthony **Thomas**, Kenny **Thompson**, Raffaella **Tucker**, Debi **Turner**, Stacey **Vance**, 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 October: \$ 12,336.50
Monthly Collection for November: \$ 5,390.50

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.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2018 UPDATE

– We have donated \$15,000 (70%) of our financial goal with 58 families (60%) 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. The website is awesome, check it out at bit.ly/stjohnchurch.

THE WOMEN'S GROUP – is off to a good start. The AM meeting had 12 in attendance and the PM meeting had 14. Our service project for November is baking pies for the Community Thanksgiving Dinner and providing entertainment (Bingo) for the Chili Supper. Stay tuned for

details and mark your calendar to attend the next meeting. Meetings will be the first Thursday of the month, AM group at noon and PM group at 6:30. Come to whichever is most convenient for you. Still not too late to join in! Point of Contact - Lisa Thomas (270) 735-6930 or Clarissa Yates (270) 766-7821.

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

– This annual door collection will be this weekend, **November 17-18.**

PARISH COUNCIL – will meet on **Monday, November 19, at 6:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall.

4TH ANNUAL CHILI AND SOUP SUPPER

– **Saturday, December 1, from 5:30-8:00 p.m.** Donations accepted. Proceeds help the Youth shop for the Angel Tree Program. New this year: The Women's Group will be providing BINGO! Prizes will be Christmas ornaments donated by the Women's Group.

TESTIFY – Have a good start to Advent by attending the Testify prayer concert on **Sunday, December 2, at 4:00 p.m.** at St. Brigid Church. A pot luck will follow in the school cafeteria.

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE – **Monday, December 24, at 8:00 p.m. and Midnight.**

ROOM IN THE INN – St. John the Baptist will sponsor the Friday nights of **December 28, 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.

ST. JOHN LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe	November 24, 2018, 6:30 p.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Rhonda Newton Leann Davidson Abby Newton
Lector	Lori Shinault
Servers	Claire Thomas Drew Thomas
Greeter(s)	Newton Family
Gift Bearers	Fred & Carmel Pike
Ushers	Kenny Heibert Zach Heibert
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe	November 25, 2018, 11:30 a.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Lisa Parrett Jose Resto-Vargas Jennifer Updegraff
Lector	Martha Thomas
Servers	Catherine Updegraff Mariana Resto-Santos
Greeter(s)	Angela Churchman
Gift Bearers	Judy Cleaver
Ushers	Joe Samu David Yates
Hospital Ministry – Sunday, November 25, 2018	Rhonda Newton

ST. BRIGID CATHOLIC CHURCH

Monthly Budget Amount Needed: \$ 25,280.00
Monthly Collection for October: \$ 23,951.26
Monthly Collection for November: \$ 12,207.00

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.

ADOPTION – The Terry and Tamsen Walker family is in the process of adopting 13-year-old Andres from Columbia. If you are interested in helping with expenses, please visit their site – <http://adopttogether.org/families/?fundraiser=walker-family-adoption-7>

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2018 UPDATE
 – We have donated \$22,000 (62%) of our financial goal with 80 families (62%) participating.

REST IN PEACE – The funeral Mass for James Smith will be on Monday, November 18, at 10:00 a.m. Please keep Magdalena, and her family, in your prayers at his death. May he rest in peace.

FROM THE LIBRARY – Fall cleaning will begin soon! Please come down and look over the free adult reading. Many choices on four tables and the couch – all free!!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY – Because of tax law changes all donations to SVDP should be made out to St. Vincent de Paul **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.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR! Your Discernment Committee continues to check the progress on our actions as a result of your feedback. We are excited about the positive feedback from our new monthly calendar and updated Facebook page. This will keep all of us “in the know” for upcoming events. We are already seeing an increase in participation at our monthly service project with Feeding America.

WHAT’S NEXT? You will see families bringing the gifts to the Altar at Offertory. If you have not been asked, but would like to be part of this

experience, please connect Keith Baughman on Sunday mornings or Sunday evenings.

HIGH SCHOOL SERVICE PROJECT – Thank you to everyone who donated items last Sunday during the Meet & Greet, and to all who signed our cards for deployed soldiers and the homeless shelter. Your generosity was overwhelming as usual and we not only met our goal of items but had enough to help another shelter. Thank You! The High School Youth

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT – This annual second collection will be taken after Communion today **Sunday, November 18.**

YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:

November 18 - Annual Youth Spaghetti Dinner and

Community Baby Shower

November 25 - Family Advent Wreath Making after both Masses

November 25 – Blessed John Henry Newman film

December 2 – G. K. Chesterton film

December 2 - Advent Music Concert with Testify

followed by a potluck dinner

December 16 – Michelangelo film

Beginning January 2019, we will have a monthly family game night, a monthly family movie night and special holiday events for Valentine's and Easter.

Post your monthly calendar on the refrigerator and join us for fun and fellowship. Point of contact for events and areas of interest can be found on the back of the monthly calendar.

GIVING TREE – This weekend St. Brigid Parish continues the tradition of the Giving Tree which invites parishioners to take a CANDY CANE from the tree with a gift suggestion attached. The gift cards will be given to Hardin County Schools Family Resource and Youth Service Centers in our parish communities to be used for those who have fallen through the cracks or some unexpected loss this holiday season. The FRYSC coordinators express each year how these cards have really helped those with the most need. There are also gifts for residents of Signature

Health care at North Hardin. It is important that you take a CANDY CANE that you return with the gift. Place your gift under the H. Gift cards will be removed after each Mass for safe keeping. This year we will not be adding anything to the Giving Tree when we take a candy cane. That way we can see when the tree is bare. We have given our all and we will know in our hearts that someone had a wonderful Christmas. Special thanks to Deacon Mike for taking care of setting up and decorating the Giving Tree and to Pat and Tom Billings for taking the items to SHCNH. Deacon Mike delivers the gift cards to the Board of Education.

FAMILY ADVENT WREATH MAKING – **Sunday, November 25, In the CCC after Masses at 9:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.** The St. Brigid Youth would like to invite your family to a free Advent wreath making celebration. This event is perfect for families with children of any age! The high school youth will be available to help you assemble your wreath and to provide light refreshments. You will leave the CCC with a homemade Advent Wreath, a Daily Advent Prayer for your family, and good memories!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY AT FEED AMERICA –The St. Brigid Youth would like to extend a welcome to our fellow parishioners to volunteer with us at Feed America on **Wednesday, November 28.** The youth group will be volunteering **from 4:00-6:00 p.m.** but Feed America is open until 7:00 p.m. You are welcome to stay later, come for a portion of the time, or whatever works for you. Feed America is located in E-town at 300 Peterson Drive. Families are welcome, children must be 5 years old and all children 5-15 must be with an adult. If you can't make it this Wednesday, please mark your calendars for the last Wednesday of every month. We will be there and would love to have you! If you have any questions you can contact Lori at (270) 723-0157 or stbrigidyouth@hotmail.com

TESTIFY – Have a good start to Advent by attending the Testify prayer concert on **Sunday, December 2, at 4:00 p.m.** at St. Brigid Church. A pot luck will follow in the school cafeteria.

BLOOD DRIVE – The next drive will be held on **Friday, December 14,** from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. in the CCC building. Give the gift of life!! This is

more rewarding than what else you have to do today!!

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE – Monday, December 24, at 6:00 p.m. and Tuesday, December 25, at 10:00 a.m.

ST. BRIGID FAITH FORMATION

Bishop Robert Barron's "CATHOLICISM: The Pivotal Players" is a multi-part film series that illuminates a handful of saints, artists, mystics, and scholars who not only shaped the life of the Church but changed the course of civilization.

Give yourself a special Advent treat! We will meet for 3 Sunday mornings after Mass in the CMR for coffee/donuts and to journey along with Bishop Barron as he explores the lasting influence of "The Pivotal Players."

November 25 - Blessed John Henry Newman **December 2** - G. K. Chesterton **December 16** - Michelangelo

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, December 9, 2018

ST. BRIGID YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday, November 18 – Annual Spaghetti Dinner/Baby Shower from 2:00-4:00 p.m. to support Clarity Solutions for Women. All youth in the 8th-12th grades should be in the CCC at 12:00 noon to help set-up and get station assignments. All youth, please bring a dessert for our dessert table.

Wednesday, November 21 – Youth Open Gym in the CCC for all 8th-12th graders from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Join us for games, play ball, socialize or bring something new to the group.

Sunday, November 25 – Advent Wreath Making! We are trying something new this year. All 8th-12th grade youth are asked to help after the 9:30 a.m. or 6:30 p.m. Masses on this day. Families are invited to come to the CCC and make an Advent wreath and enjoy refreshments. If you can work, one or both of these Wreath Making events, please let me know.

Wednesday, November 28 – Feed America from 4:00-6:00 p.m. at 600 Peterson Drive in E-Town. Come by yourself or bring your family or a friend.

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

Annual Spaghetti Dinner/ Baby Shower Sunday, November 18, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Catholic Community Center (CCC)

Let the youth of our parish and the Formation Team serve you a delicious spaghetti dinner!

Your cost for this meal is any unwrapped new baby items -diapers, wipes, new clothing, new toy, etc. If you don't have time to shop a monetary donation may be given. All donations will be given to our local pregnancy center.

ST. BRIGID LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe		November 25, 2018, 9:30 a.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	P.	Tina Yates Denise Hester
	C.	Jim Klimesh Mark Kelly David Stoddard Angie Bragg
Lector		Selina Chalder
Servers		Emily Chandler Gabe Russell
Greeters		Volunteers
Gift Bearers		James Webb Family
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe		November 25, 2018, 6:30 p.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	P.	Ken Spangenberg
	C.	Ron Masoni Kim Osterhage
Lector		Bob Mahanna
Servers		Christopher Morgan Nathaniel Morgan
Greeters		Terrie & C. H. Morgan
Gift Bearers		Osterhage Family
Hospital Ministry – Sunday, December 9, 2018		Ralph & Sherleen Barren

MARRIAGE MOMENTS

With Thanksgiving coming up review whose job it is to cook, decorate, to entertain guests.... Remember the Martha and Mary story (Luke 10:41). Want to try something different this year?

PARENTING POINTERS

“Where there is forgiveness...” Hebrews 20:19

Where indeed is there forgiveness today? Is there anyone you or your child needs to forgive to make peace in the family or with your neighbor (or your enemy) before the season of peace can begin?

