

Saint Brigid Catholic Church



314 E. Main St.
Vine Grove, KY 40175

Clustered Parish Office:
(270) 877-2461

Email: brigidvg@bbtel.com
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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

27th Sunday in
Ordinary Time
October 7, 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 12:00 noon on Wednesdays** 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: Lauran Thomas
Secretary: Theresa Smith

CHAIRPERSONS:

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





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| Saturday | October 6 | 6:30 p.m. | St. John | For All Parishioners | Vigil: 27 th Sunday in Ordinary Time |
| Sunday | October 7 | 9:30 a.m. | St. Brigid | Our Parish Family Carlos Robbins | 27 th Sunday in Ordinary Time |
| “ | “ | 11:30 a.m. | St. John | Brad French | “ |
| “ | “ | 6:30 p.m. | St. Brigid | Billie Cecil Dickie Cecil | “ |
| Monday | October 8 | 9:00 a.m. | St. Brigid | Helen C. Adams John Asher | Weekday |
| Wednesday | October 10 | 6:30 p.m. | St. John | Philip Whelan | Weekday |
| Thursday | October 11 | 9:00 a.m. | St. Brigid | Richard Hughes Rose Marie Yates | Weekday |
| Friday | October 12 | 9:00 a.m. | St. John | Fr. Stan Osborne | Weekday |
| Saturday | October 13 | 6:30 p.m. | St. John | For All Parishioners | Vigil: 28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time |
| Sunday | October 14 | 9:30 a.m. | St. Brigid | Helen C. Adams Rose Marie Yates | 28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time |
| “ | “ | 11:30 a.m. | St. John | Eric Yates | “ |
| “ | “ | 6:30 p.m. | St. Brigid | Our Parish Family Sandi Crutcher | “ |

FOR BOTH PARISHES

FR. DAN WILL BE AWAY – on retreat at St. Meinrad from **Tuesday, October 16 until Friday, October 19.**

HURRICANE FLORENCE – with its related rain and flooding has caused massive destruction in North and South Carolina, and other weather events will likely cause destruction in the United States and elsewhere in the remaining months of the year. We can assist our brothers and sisters affected by disasters in 2018 through monetary donations that will be used to support the efforts of Catholic Charities and/or Catholic Relief Services as they provide emergency assistance to those in need. Funds also will be directed to pastoral and reconstruction needs of the Church should they arise. Checks should include the notation: 2018 Disasters and can be turned into the parish or sent to Catholic Charities of Louisville, 2911 S. 4th Street, Louisville, KY 40208-1303.

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.

ST. THERESA (RHODELIA) BI-CENTENNIAL – Father George Illikkal and the parishioners of St. Theresa of Avila Church invite you to come celebrate 200 years of faith in Rhodelia, Kentucky on Sunday, October 14, 2018. Archbishop Joseph Kurtz will celebrate Mass at 10:30 a.m. followed by a reception in the Meade-Breck Center/Matt Pike Memorial Gym. Please RSVP by September 22, 2018 with your name and how many will be attending by email: sttheresa@bbtel.com or via website: sttheresarhodelia.org or phone: 270-496-4362.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS – Archbishop Joseph Kurtz warmly invites couples celebrating their 30, 40, 50, 60 & 60 plus years wedding anniversary in 2018 to join others in the Archdiocese for a Mass of Thanksgiving at the Cathedral of the Assumption, 433 S. Fifth Street, Louisville, on **Sunday, October 21, at 2:00 p.m.** Family members are also invited to the celebration. Each couple will receive a certificate commemorating the occasion. Registration is required. Call the parish office to **register before Friday, October 5.**

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.*

Leslie **Adams-Cerniglia**, Sam **Adams**, April **Allen**, Dennis **Arnold**, Barbara **Ashley**, Donnie Alan **Atcher**, Sue **Banks**, 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**, Harlan Ford **Clark**, Judy **Cleaver**, John **Connor**, Betty Jo **Cooper**, Heidi **Correa**, Jeff **Craig**, Glynn **Clutches**, Roan **Dowell**, Karen **Dworshak**, Leroy **Embry**, Marion **French**, Martha **Ford**, 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**, Lisa **Flynn-Veri**, LT 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 August: \$ 12,250.00
Monthly Collection for September: \$ 12,268.00

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.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2018 – Our financial goal this year is \$21,900. Our participation goal is 96 families. Let us respond promptly and generously this year.

DISCERNMENT CORE TEAM UPDATE – In our continuing effort to develop and follow thru with our Discernment mission we are focusing on the following two groups to meet this month.

Women’s Group: If you signed up for this group during the Stewardship Fair or if you are interested in joining our Ladies Group, we will have two informational and organizational meetings on **Monday, October 15, at 10:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. We hope to have enough interest to develop a daytime and an evening group to accommodate everyone’s schedule. Come out and join one of these groups as we develop our Women’s Ministry.

Small Group Study: If you signed up for this group during the Stewardship Fair or if you are interested in joining a small group study, we will have a meeting for this group to discuss their ideas and wishes for Small Group Studies on **Wednesday, October 10, at 6:45 p.m.** immediately following the evening Mass in the Parish Hall.

ST. JOHN PARISH SHIRTS ORDER - will be placed **Monday, October 15**, if you wish you purchase a shirt, please pay Aimee Hunt after Mass on Sunday, October 7, or Saturday, October 13. Payment for shirts is due no later than October 15. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Aimee Hunt via

Facebook, or text at (270) 268-6411. Prices are as follows:

- Short Sleeve: No charge
- Long Sleeve: \$25.00 adult; \$20.00 youth
- Sweat Shirt (no hood): \$35.00 adult; \$20.00 youth

Short sleeve shirts will be heather orange with royal blue writing, as seen at the picnic, and long sleeves and sweat shirts will be the opposite - blue shirt and orange writing.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – We are off to a good start this year. There are still a few faces we have not seen and are looking forward to joining us. Classes are every Sunday from 9:45 to 11:00 a.m. for 3-year-old preschool through high school. **CLASSES WILL RESUME ON OCTOBER 7.** Remember, this is the most important team you can be on. Make RE class an important family priority with good attendance.

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

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| Vigil: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 13, 2018 | 6:30 p.m. |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist | Rhonda Newton Abby Newton Leann Davidson |
| Lector | Amy Thomas |
| Servers | Claire Thomas Audrey Hunt |
| Greeter(s) | Joanna Sherrard |
| Gift Bearers | Abby Newton Ericka Finlay |
| Ushers | John Thomas Zach Thomas |
| 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 14, 2018 | 11:30 a.m. |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist | Rick Powers Danette Powers Lauran Thomas |
| Lector | Clarissa Yates |
| Servers | Catherine Updegraff Mariana Resto-Santos |
| Greeter(s) | Martha Wiseman |
| Gift Bearers | Parrett Family |
| Ushers | Brandon Wiseman Trent Thomas |
| Hospital Ministry – Sunday, October 28, 2018 | Martha Thomas & Lauran Thomas |

ST. BRIGID CATHOLIC CHURCH

Monthly Budget Amount Needed: \$ 25,280.00
Monthly Collection for August: \$ 26,287.59
Monthly Collection for September: \$ 28,895.29
St. Vincent de Paul Society: \$ 667.50

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.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2018 – Our financial goal this year is \$35,500. Our participation goal is 129 families. Let us respond promptly and generously this year.

THANK YOU! to Gina Ryan and Teresa Morgan, for chairing the Summer Event, to Darlene Staples and Mike Ryan for keeping track of the tickets and required paperwork, to the Osterhage family for taking care of the Cake Wheel, to *Two Taylors Catering* for preparing a wonderful meal, to all the kitchen help and the youth for taking care of bussing tables and taking care of drinks and also for taking care of games, face painting, crafts. Special thanks to Verland Hatmaker and the Gang of 3 guys and a gal for providing wonderful entertainment and great music and also all who purchased Summer Event tickets. We sold all 300 tickets by 3:00 p.m. Thanks also to all who provided silent auction items and purchased silent auction items (we had 49 items, the most ever), and for all who provided desserts for the dinner and for the cakes and pies for the cake wheel. Special thanks for our religious education youth and Lori Law, who helped: Andrew Thompson, Morelia Falcon, Michael Mayes, Jaden Hicks, Breanna Davison, Thomas Webb, Molly New, Caroline New, Tyler Arrigo, Michael Rowe, Kacie Ray, Christopher Morgan, Nathaniel Morgan, Gabe Russell, David Webb, Thomas Webb, Kelsey Adkins and Martine Rogers. Thanks also to helpers Danielle & Blake Ryan and Pat & Sam Wood. Special thanks to Fr. Dan Lincoln for all his support.

CONGRATULATIONS! Summer Event Winners were our very own 4th Degree Knights of Columbus Council. They put their name on it and St. Brigid Parish who each won \$5,000.00 tax free. The quilt winner was our very own Alice Moss. The Altar Society and Janice Jenkins sold over 1700 quilt tickets.

BLOOD DRIVE – The next blood drive will be held on **Friday, October 12, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** in the CCC.

ST. BRIGID YOUTH MINISTRY

Wednesday, October 10 - Youth Open Gym in the CCC for all 8th-12th graders from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Our new year of youth group is just getting started, if you have never come to open gym or other youth events in the past now is a good time to get started.

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” downstairs 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, October 14, 2018.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – October through December 2018 EM schedules may be picked up at the back of the church. Thank you for your continued service.

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.

BASKETBALL PROGRAM – Basketball will not begin until October, so we will post sign-up sheets in August. So far, we have had one adult offer to coach and one adult offer to coach and play in an adult league.

FROM THE LIBRARY – > There is now an Accelerated Reader section in the library. Books are labeled by grade level K-8. Please read and return the book to the correct tub. Good luck on your testing at school! > There is a High School reading section geared toward college bound. Read and return. > Four tables are full of free adult reading. Read and pass along. > The kid table is full of books to be read and returned. Many new choices. > The large circle table is now a Genealogy resource. Books need to be checked out and returned. > Dr. Dew’s library is still intact. Read and return where you got them. > Thanks to those who have donated books for all to enjoy!

31ST ANNUAL NATIONAL LIFE CHAIN – Please save the date! Right to Life Kentucky Heartland, the local affiliate of Kentucky Right to Life, invites everyone to participate in the local chain of the 31st Annual National Life Chain on **Respect Life Sunday, October 7, from 2:30-3:30 p.m.** Participants will stand on the public sidewalk holding pro-life signs provided by the affiliate and pray silently for an end to abortion in our country. The distribution site for signs for St. Brigid is the parking lot on Walmart Way behind Stithton Baptist Church in Radcliff. Please arrive early to choose a sign and get in place. POC: Betty Rose Jones, (270) 877-5508.

ST. BRIGID LITURGICAL MINISTERS

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| 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 14, 2018 | | 9:30 a.m. | |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist | P. | Nancy Kotarski Tina Yates | |
| | C. | Sherleen Barren Patty Sims Alison Dupont Jim Klimesh | |
| Lector | | Jim Klimesh | |
| Servers | | Molly Weisshaupt Gabe Russell | |
| Greeters | | | |
| 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 14, 2018 | | 6:30 p.m. | |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist | P. | Linda Rogers | |
| | C. | Carolyn Canaday Tiffanie Cooper | |
| Lector | | Ashley Osterhage | |
| Servers | | Christopher Morgan Nathaniel Morgan | |
| Greeters | | Volunteers | |
| Hospital Ministry – Sunday, October 14, 2018 | | Ralph and Sherleen Barren | |

ST. BRIGID FAITH FORMATION NEWS



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Pack Your Trunks and Get Ready for a Treat!

St. Brigid hosts our Annual Trunk or Treat on Wednesday, October 31 during Vine Grove's Trick or Treat hours.

Set-up no later than 5:30 p.m. in the indoor comfort of the CCC. Pick out your spot and go wild with decorations for "your trunk"! Costumes welcome. No masks please!

Questions? Call Selina Chandler at (270) 765-3672.

MARRIAGE MOMENTS

"It is not good for the man to be alone." Genesis 2:18

Indeed, it is not good for anyone to be alone. In marriage you are blessed to have chosen a helpmate to hare your spiritual journey toward home. Make some time to me alone together today.

PARENTINT POINTERS

During this Respect Life Month pick the life issue that you feel most strongly about (preventing abortion, supporting new mothers, helping those whose lives are mired in poverty, caring for the frail elderly, working for gun control, eliminating the death penalty, bullying...). Tell your child why this in important to you.