

St. 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
& Jane Alder

CHAIRPERSONS:

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

21st Sunday in
Ordinary Time
August 25, 2019

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

Deacon:
Michael A. Ryan
(270) 272-6789

ANOIDTING 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: Lauran Thomas
Secretary: Clarissa Yates

CHAIRPERSONS:

Administration: Nick Thomas
Formation: Ericka Finlay
Parish Life: Paul Taylor
Worship: Greg Thompson





Saturday	August 24	6:30 p.m.	St. John	Bruce Sherrard Anna Brangers	Vigil: 21 st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	August 25	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	Carlos Robbins	21 st Sunday in Ordinary Time
“	“	11:30 a.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners Jerry Brangers	“
“	“	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family Mike Mullarkey	“
Monday	August 26	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	In Thanksgiving	Weekday
Wednesday	August 28	6:30 p.m.	St. John	Bruce & Margaret Lincoln	St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Thursday	August 29	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	Elroy Rogers	The Pasion of St. John the Baptist
Friday	August 30	9:00 a.m.	St. John	Tom Brangers	Weekday
Saturday	August 31	6:30 p.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners Living & Dec'd Members of Emil & Anna Brangers Family	Vigil: 22 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	September 1	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	Joseph G. Greenwell	22 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
“	“	11:30 a.m.	St. John	For Good Health	“
“	“	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family Gene & Dorothy Hulsman	“

FOR BOTH PARISHES

PRAYERS – Please keep all our students, teachers and families in your prayers as they begin this school year. May it be a time of grace-filled transition.

6th ANNUAL ST. MARTIN OF TOURS PICNIC –Where: Flaherty, KY. When: **September 7**. Time: 2:00-10:00 p.m. Cash Raffle, Quilt Raffle, Gun Raffle. Meal is pork and chicken, sides and homemade desserts

ATTENTION ALL WALKERS!! Please join me in forming a team of St. Brigid & St. John members to support the Clarity campuses both in E'town and Radcliff during their annual Walk for Life 2019. **On Saturday, September 14, 2019, at 8:30 am, supporters will gather for the annual Walk for Life.** The funds generated from this Walk will help **provide hope and help to hundreds of women and men in our community who are facing unplanned pregnancies. If you are unable to walk on September 14, please consider collecting pledges to support Clarity Solutions or supporting someone in our group.** Pledge sheets can be found at back of church or online. Please contact Samantha Stith @ 270-312-5452 (call or text) with any questions or if you need help setting up your online registration.

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, email ProjectRachel@archlou.org or call (502) 471-2155.

ABORTION – Last month in Louisville, 303 babies were aborted. In 2019, a total of 1, 782 have been killed. Pray for all concerned.

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. 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**, Sidney **Anthony**, Dennis **Arnold**, Barbara **Ashley**, Donnie Alan **Atcher**, Shannon **Barnes**, Denise **Barnett**, Timothy **Birch**, Teresa **Blaycock**, Charlie **Bowers**, Kevin **Brown**, Ellen **Bryan**, Richard **Bryson**, Carol **Buchanan**, Linda **Buchanan**, Jeremy & Margie **Buyer**, Greg **Byerly**, Deacon Bob **Caspar**, Sue **Caswell**, Ed **Cecil**, Emmett **Cecil**, J. Mack **Cecil**, John **Connor, Jr.**, Betty Jo **Cooper**, Heidi **Correa**, Jeff **Craig**, Mary **Crutcher**, Roan **Dowell**, Audrey **Durbin**, Karen **Dworshak**, Leroy **Embry**, Delphine **French**, Marion **French**, Dwayne **Garcia**, Carrie **Gribben**, Mary **Hager**, Mrs. Charles **Hair**, Jimmy **Harper**, Bobby **Harris**, Eileen **Heinen**, Debbie **Hodge**, Archbishop Joseph E. **Kurtz**, Finn **Johnson**, Betty Lou **Jones**, Charlene **Langley**, Jim **Lark**, Mary Colleen **Learned**, Connie **Leasor**, Olivia **Leasor**, Jenny **Leonhardt**, Jackie **Long**, Louise **Lucous**, Alma **Mahanna**, William “Bill” **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**, Joyce **Patton**, Jerry **Phillips**, Annie **Pierce**, Laverne **Pike**, Adrianna **Porter**, Jeremy **Porter**, Mary Agnes **Ray**, Mary Ellen **Ray**, Tonya **Reisinger**, Joel **Rivera**, Pam **Rizzo**, Suzanne **Russell**, Caroline **Seabee**, Karen **Shaffer**, Ralph **Staples**, Keith **Tassin**, Kenny **Thompson**, Raffaella **Tucker**, Debi **Turner**, Stacey **Vance**, Tenley **Ward**, Bill **Waldrop**, Lois **Weaver**, De Neil **Whelan**, Irene **Whelan**, James **Whelan**, Paul A. **Whelan**, Jennifer **Williams**, Elizabeth Ann **Wiseman**, 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.**

A1C Aaron **Chandler**, 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 **Wilson**, SSG Evan **Vaughan**, PFC William **Vaughan**, Mike **Veri**, Lisa **Veri**, LTC Steve **Wickersham**, SGT Clay M **Wilson**, SS Shelby Nicole **Winchester**, 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 July: \$ 9,085.81
Monthly Collection for August: \$ 9,702.00
Peter’s Pence Collection: \$ 106.00

members of the Women’s Group at both Masses beginning August 10, \$5 each or 5 for \$20.

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.

PARISH COUNCIL –will meet on **Monday, August 26, at 6:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall.

PARISH PICNIC – The picnic is **September 15**, so mark your calendars now!

BUS TRIP TO THE ARK – is scheduled for **October 27**. See the flyer for all the details. Contact Martha Thomas at (270) 765- 9660 or mthomasemail@windstream.net if interested.

QUILT RAFFLE- A beautiful quilt made and donated by Darlene Pawley will be raffled off at the Parish Picnic. Tickets will be available from

ST. JOHN HARVEST DANCE – Dust off your blue suede shoes! St. John is having a Harvest Dance on **November 16, 2019, from 8:00-12:00 p.m.** Save the date now and watch the bulletin for more details!

ST. JOHN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mark your calendars for our Catechist (Teacher) planning meeting on Tuesday, August 13, at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. If you have been looking for a ministry to get more involved in your parish, this is a great place to start. The children of our parish need you!! We assign two individuals to each class so that you have a backup and a team member to work with. Come out to this meeting bringing your time, talents and treasure to help our program continue to grow and serve our parish.

RE CLASSES will start on **Sunday, September 8, at 9:45 to 11:00 a.m.** We offer 3-yr. old Preschool all the way thru Seniors in High School. Begin planning today to make this a part of your weekly prayer, church life. Make attendance and participation at RE Class as important, (if not more than) your participation in your other extracurricular activities,

SACRAMENTS: CONFIRMATION, FIRST EUCHARIST AND FIRST RECONCILIATION: If you have a student in the 2nd grade they will be preparing for the Sacraments of First Eucharist and First Reconciliation this year. Be sure to get them enrolled and attending at the beginning of the program as these classes move fast to prepare these students for both of these Sacraments.

Students in the 8th and 9th grade will begin their 2-year preparation for the Sacrament of **CONFIRMATION** to be celebrated when they are 9th and 10th graders. Very important that all students in these grades be involved in this two-year process to complete the requirements and preparation for this very important Sacrament.

ST. JOHN LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Vigil: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	August 31, 2019, 6:30 p.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Rhonda Newton Becky Thomas Leann Davidson
Lector	Joanna Sherrard
Servers	Audrey Hunt Drew Thomas
Greeter(s)	Mary Hall
Gift Bearers	Jackie & Mary Hall
Ushers	Ben Thomas Zach Thomas
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	September 1, 2019, 11:30 a.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Jennifer Updegraff Angela Churchman Libby Brangers
Lector	Mary Ellen Williams
Servers	Melia Reddick Jacob Sullivan
Greeter(s)	Martha Wiseman
Gift Bearers	Reneau Family
Ushers	Steve Brangers Martha Thomas
Hospital Minister – Sunday, August 25, 2019	Rhonda Newton

ST. BRIGID CATHOLIC CHURCH

Monthly Budget Amount Needed:	\$ 25,280.00
Monthly Collection for July:	\$ 25,945.90
Monthly Collection for August:	\$ 20,797.00
Peter's Pence Collection:	\$ 1,072.00

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.

ONE CALL THAT'S ALL – Saint Brigid is introducing a new program called "ONE CALL". We have put information sheets in the pews so we can update not only parish names, address, phone, email, but to include you in the one call system. What is it? It is a call system we can use to let all members know when religious education is canceled or when Mass is rescheduled or canceled. It can be used to advise members of a death in the parish, with service times and other information. One Call is a system that would allow us to make one call with one message that everyone would receive, provided we get NEW and current information

from you. Please fill out the information sheets in the pews and drop in the buckets at the doors of the church. This information has to be entered into a database in order for us to use the system. The sooner we receive the info the sooner One Call will go online. If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Mike.

LEE WILLOW RETIREMENT – FAREWELL RECEPTION – Join us after the **9:30 am Mass on September 1** for donuts and breakfast food as we celebrate and thank Lee Willow for 18 years of service here at St. Brigid.

RELIGIOUS ED. TEACHERS NEEDED – Anyone interested in teaching grades 11 & 12 please contact Deacon Mike at (270) 877-0546 or (270) 272-6789.

CONFIRMATION 2019-2020 REGISTRATION – If your youth is in the 9th or 10th grade they are on track to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in May of 2020. Our first class is on September 15th and there will be a parent meeting on the 22nd. Registration forms can be picked up in the back of church or from Deacon Mike's office, please return these as soon as possible. If your youth is older and hasn't

received the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact Deacon Mike Ryan. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact either Deacon Mike Ryan or Lori Law, our contact information can be found on the front of the bulletin.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION –

So far, we have had 7 religious education registration forms turned in that is a total of 13 children. Nine for pre-school through 8th grade and 4 for the Confirmation class. Come on folks, we have a great program for your children. The teachers work hard to plan classes for your children. However, they cannot teach without children. We need your child signed up for religious education TODAY. Help us help you and your child. Pre-school (2), Kindergarten (1), 1st grade 0, 2nd grade (1), 3rd grade (2), 4th grade (1), 5th grade 0, 6th grade (2), 7th grade 0, 8th grade 0, 9th grade (3), 10th grade (1), 11th grade 0, 12th grade 0.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – starts **September 8, 2019** for anyone 3 years old to a senior in high school. It is important if your child is not enrolled in a Catholic school that they attend religious education classes. It is the parents' responsibility to do so. At the parent's marriage and the child's baptism you promised to do so. Saint Brigid has an excellent program for all students. Also, if you have a child 7 years of age, they need to be in the second grade first Eucharist class so they can receive the precious Body and Blood of Christ on May 3, 2020. Religious education registration forms are at the doors of the church. Religious education starts at the school at 10:30 a.m. and ends at 12:00 noon. If you have questions about Religious Education or your child's sacraments, please

contact Deacon Mike Ryan 270-877-0546 or 270-272-6789.

SUMMER EVENT TICKET SALES – So far, we have sold **150 tickets**. We have **150** tickets left. That means we need to sell 10 tickets a day until September 8, 2019 to sell all the tickets. Need a ticket? Deacon Mike has them in his office.

SUMMER EVENT SILENT AUCTION INFO –

For this year's Summer Event Silent Auction in addition to all of the terrific baskets, we would like to have some delicious homemade cakes to be bid on. So, if you make a fantastic cake consider donating it for the event. Baskets will be at the front church doors with sign up information.

SUMMER EVENT – Exciting Summer Event News, **Sunday, September 8**. This year **FOUR CASH PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN AWAY**. So, with one raffle ticket, you have four chances to win a cash prize. The cash amounts are \$5000, \$3000 and two \$1000 prizes. Only 300 tickets are available. Tickets will be available for purchase starting this week from Deacon Mike Ryan. Ticket order forms will be available at the main office, Deacon Mike's office and at the doors of church next weekend. Get your ticket early to pick the numbered ticket of choice.

OTHER SUMMER EVENT NEWS – The delicious dinner will be catered by Two Taylor's from 12:30-2:30 p.m. Activities for children will be available from 12:00-3:00 p.m. as well as the Silent Auction bids. Keene and Company will be playing some great foot tapping/dance music. And another beautiful quilt will be raffled. If you would like to help with the Summer Event, please contact Deacon Mike at (270) 877-0546 or email at mryan@bbtel.com. We always can use extra help. God bless you for your gifts.

ST. BRIGID YOUTH MINISTRY

Feed America on Wednesday August 28 – will be our next parish wide volunteer day at Feed America. Our time slot is from 4:00-6:00 p.m. but you can come for all or part of the time. Feed America is located at 300 Peterson Drive, Elizabethtown. Bring the whole family out to help while having fun. Everyone over 5 are welcome and there are jobs for all ages. Last month was our largest group ever! We had just under 30 people! Thank you to everyone who came out!

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E-town. Bring the whole family out to help while having fun. Everyone over 5 are welcome and there are jobs for all ages. Last month was our largest group ever! We had just under 30 people! Thank you to everyone who came out!

SUMMER EVENT SIGN-UPS – All high school youth are needed to help with the Summer Event. I need a few people signed up to help in the cafeteria with dinner from 12:30-2:30 p.m. Six to seven youth are needed to work carnival games in the St. Brigid room from 12:00-3:00 p.m. Please sign-up with Lori ASAP.

If you have any questions or would like to RSVP for the above events, please contact Lori at (270)723-0157 or 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, October 13, 2019.

ST. BRIGID LITURGICAL MINISTERS

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	September 1, 2019, 9:30 a.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Butch & Nan Filburn
	Paula Greenwell Angie Bragg Jim Klimesh Helen Hicks
Lector	Kathy White
Servers	Volunteers
Gift Bearers	John Russell
Greeters	Keith & Martha Baughman
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	September 1, 2019, 6:30 p.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Ken Spangenberg
	Michael & Stephanie Hall
Lector	Ashley Osterhage
Servers	Volunteers
Gift Bearers	Ben Veri
Greeters	Volunteers
Hospital Ministry – Sunday, September 8, 2019	Jim Klimesh & Keith Baughman

MARRIAGE MOMENTS

Many marital arguments focus on “Who is right.” It’s marital to want to be right in an argument but it doesn’t serve your love. Even if you can fact check your position and prove you are right, it’s better to come up with a “win/win” solution. Practice looking for creative alternatives during your next argument.

PARENTING POINTS

Are your kid’s rooms filled with too much stuff? Some is necessary, educational, or comforting (like clothes, books, or stuffed animals). Bit too much stuff can be suffocating and thwart creativity. Decide a limited space for each category. Let your child choose how to fill the allotted space – and give away the rest (or store it for a year before giving it away).

REFLECTIONS

“for behold, some are last who will be first, and some first who will be last.” Lue 12:30

There is no guarantee that we’ll get credit for our hard work. A steward’s job is to sow the seeds, not to worry about who harvests the crop.