**St. Brigid St. John the Baptist**

7th Sunday in

Ordinary Time

February 24, 2019

**Catholic Church**

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314 E. Main St. 657 St. John Church Rd.

Vine Grove, KY 40175 Elizabethtown, KY 42701

Clustered Parish Office: Clustered Parish Office:

(270) 877-2461 (270) 877-2461

**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.

Email: [brigidvg@bbtel.com](mailto:brigidvg@bbtel.com) Website: [www.stbrigidvg.org](http://www.stbrigidvg.org)

**Pastoral Associate &** **Dir. of Religious Education:**

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

Deacon Mike Ryan: (270) 877-0546

**Youth Ministers:**

**Youth Minister:**  Angela Churchman

Lori Law: (270) 723-0157 (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



**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



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| **Saturday** | **February 23** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. John** | **For All Parishioners** | **Vigil: 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time** |
| **Sunday** | **February 24** | **9:30 a.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Carlos Robbins** | **7th Sunday in Ordinary Time** |
| **“** | **“** | **11:30 a.m.** | **St. John** | **Bruce & Margaret Lincoln** | **“** |
| **“** | **“** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Our Parish Family**  **Mack, Leanna & Billy Cecil** | **“** |
| **Monday** | **February 25** | **9:00 a.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Dickie Cecil** | **Weekday** |
| **Wednesday** | **February 27** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. John** | **In Thanksgiving** | **Weekday** |
| **Thursday** | **February 28** | **9:00 a.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Rose Marie Yates** | **Weekday** |
| **Friday** | **March 1** | **9:00 a.m.** | **St. John** | **Fr. Stan Osborne** | **Weekday** |
| **Saturday** | **March 2** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. John** | **Living & Deceased Members**  **of Emil & Anna Brangers**  **Family** | **Vigil: 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time** |
| **Sunday** | **March 3** | **9:30 a.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Elroy Rogers** | **7th Sunday in Ordinary Time** |
| **“** | ***“*** | **11:30 a.m.** | **St. John** | **For All Parishioners** | **“** |
| **“** | **“** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Our Parish Family**  **James A. Smith** | **“** |

**For Both Parishes**

**REGIONAL MISSION**

**March 11-13 at St. Brigid Church**

Featuring Fr. Ron Knott

**7:00 – 8:00 p.m.** – Service in church

8:00 – 8:30 p.m. – Refreshments in School Cafeteria

Mark your calendars!

**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/](http://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](mailto:ProjectRachel@archlou.org).

**ADOPTION SUPPORT** – for Terry and Tamsen Disselkamp Walker fundraising account: [www.adopttogether.org](http://www.adopttogether.org). When you go to the site you will see a block saying search for family and you will put in our last name (Walker) and click on our family picture.

**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.

**2019 BLACK AND INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION** **– March 9-10.** We will take up the annual Black and Indian Mission Collection.  This Collection exists to help diocesan communities build the Church and preach the Gospel of Jesus among the African American, Native American, and Alaskan Native people of God. Your donations help fund parish-based catechetical programs, support teacher and catechist professional development, encourage vocations to the priesthood and religious life, and create diocesan structures, such as our own archdiocesan Office of Multicultural Ministry, that support ministry and evangelization in these diverse cultural communities. Please be generous.

**I WILL BRING YOU HOME** – David Haas Concert and Book Tour at St. James on **Wednesday, March 27, at 7:00 p.m.** Contact for tickets Greg Thompson at (270) 723-9245 or email Greg Thompson [1963@yahoo.com](mailto:1963@yahoo.com). See bulletin board for more information.

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)**

Date: **Tuesday, February 26, 2019, 7:00 p.m.** Topics: **Mass**  **[Q9]**

**Eucharist[C5}**

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

Facilitator: Bill Cochran

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**, 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**, Roan **Dowell**, Karen **Dworshak**, Leroy **Embry**, Delphine **French**, Marion **French**, Dwayne **Garcia**, Joe **Greenwell**, Carrie **Gribben**, Mary **Hager**, Mrs. Charles **Hair**, Stephanie **Hall**, Jimmy **Harper**, Bobby **Harris**, Eileen **Heinen**, Debbie **Hodge**, Gene **Hulsman**, Finn **Johnson**, 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**, 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**, 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**.

LT. Matt **Bednar**, PFC Richard H. **Chapman**, A1C Aaron **Chandler**, PFC Tyler **Hall**, A1C Ryan **Henley**, A1C Joseph **Manco**, SPC Jacob L. **Nall**, SFC Peter **Novak**, Tony **Rickerl**, James **Rogers**, Tony **Roger**s, 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 January:** $ 9,831.10

**Monthly Collection for February:** $ 8,831.00

**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.

**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.

**PARISH COUNCIL** – will meet on **Monday, February 25, at 6:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall.

**SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK** – will be celebrated on **Wednesday, February 27, at the 6:30 p.m. Mass.**

**SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY** – Looking for a Lenten devotion! Please join us starting **Tuesday,** **March 5, at 6:30 p.m.** at Two Taylors Catering Kitchen for a Lenten guide on the Sunday Mass Readings *“With Jesus to the Cross’.* This will be a weekly discussion of the Sunday readings during Lent. We will meet each Tuesday night at 6:30 p.m. during Lent. No need to pre-register but any questions can be addressed to Lisa Thomas at (270) 735-6930 or Paul Taylor at (270) 766-2487.

**ASH WEDNESDAY MASS** – **March 6 at 7:00 p.m.**

**BLACK AND INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION** – This annual door collection for the support of the Black and Indian Missions will be taken up after Masses **on March 9-10.**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** – will be prayed on **Wednesdays** during Lent after the **6:30 p.m. Mass beginning March 13.**

**FISH FRY** – will be held on **March 15, March 29 and April 12 from 5:00-7:00 p.m.** All proceeds to benefit Rineyville Community Park.

**TESTIFY** – Join us for an hour of prayer and music and a pot luck to follow in the Parish Hall on **Sunday, March 17, at 4:00 p.m.**

**LENTEN COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE** – **The Sacrament will be on** **Wednesday, March 20 at 6:30 p.m.**

**MARCH ACTIVITIES FOR THE FAMILY –** See the back page!

**St. John youth ministry – RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**SAVE THE DATES** –

**Fridays, March 15, March 29 and April 12** – are the dates for the Fish Fry.

**Saturday, April 13** – Plowshares Retreat

**Wednesday, May 8** – following the 6:30 pm Mass - Confirmation practice

**Saturday, May 11** – Confirmation will be at the 6:30 p.m. Mass.

**St. John liturgical ministers**

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| **Vigil: 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time, March 2, 2019** | **6:30 p.m.** |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist | Joanna Sherrard Rhonda Newton Becky Thomas |
| Lector | Lori Shinault |
| Servers | Claire Thomas Drew Thomas |
| Greeter(s) | Rhonda Newton |
| Gift Bearers | Amy Thomas Zoey Thomas |
| Ushers | Kenny Thompson Kevin Thomas |
| **8th Sunday in Ordinary Time, March 3, 2019** | **11:30 a.m.** |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist | Angela Churchman Angie Thompson Lauran Thomas |
| Lector | Greg Thompson |
| Servers | Jacob Sullivan Olivia Leasor |
| Greeter(s) | Sandi Brangers |
| Gift Bearers | Greg Thomas & Family |
| Ushers | Nick Thomas Martha Thomas |
| **Hospital Ministry – Sunday, February 24, 2019** | Martha Thomas Lauran Thomas |

**St. Brigid catholic church**

**Monthly Budget Amount Needed:** $ 25,280.00

**Monthly Collection for January:** $ 23,426.93

**Monthly Collection for February:** $ 18,119.00

**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.

**SNOW REMOVAL HELP NEEDED** – Dale Winchester needs some younger folks to help with snow removal on the church steps and sidewalks on Saturday or Sunday mornings if the weather required. The parking lot is taken care of, but the steps and sidewalks are not. If you can help, contact Dale at (270) 877-5725.

**FEED AMERICA VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY** – **Wednesday, February 27,** 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 a part of the time. Feed America is located at 300 Peterson Drive in E’town. Bring the whole family out to help while having fun. Everyone over 5 are welcome and there are jobs for all ages.

**SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK** – will be celebrated on **Thursday, February 28, at the 9:00 a.m. Mass.**

**PARISH GAME NIGHT** – We will meet in the CCC from 6:00-9:00 p.m. the first Friday of each month for free dinner, volleyball, basketball, board games and cards. This evening is open to all parishioners of any age. Families are encouraged to come to spend the evening together, but youth in 8th-12th grade may be dropped off and come alone. Younger youth must be accompanied by an adult. If you have any questions, please contact Lori Law at (270) 723-0157 or [stbrigidyouth@hotmail.com](mailto:stbrigidyouth@hotmail.com)

**ASH WEDNESDAY MASS** – **March 6 at 5:00 p.m.**

**MASS CANCELLED – Thursday, March 7, 9:00 a.m.**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** – **will be each Friday during Lent. Stations will begin at 6:30 p.m.** and last approximately 30 minutes. All are invited to attend.

DATE LEADER

March 8, 2019 Tina Yates

March 15, 2019 Tina Yates

March 22, 2019 Keith Baughman

March 29, 2019 Keith Baughman

April 5, 2019 Nan Filburn

April 12, 2019 Nan Filburn

**BLACK AND INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION** – This annual second collection for the support of the Black and Indian Missions will be taken up after Communion on **Sunday, March 10.**

**TESTIFY** – Join us at St. John’s on **Sunday, March 17, at 4:00 p.m.** for an hour of prayer and music and a pot luck to follow in the Parish Hall

**LENTEN CONFESSIONS – will be on Monday, March 18, at 6:30 p.m.**

**K OF C APPALACHIA RELIEF PROJECT** – Our volunteers will again be going to Appalachia to do home repairs. If you would like to help fund the project, make your check to *Knights of Columbus State Charities* with *Appalachia Relief Project* in the memo line. We are still collecting housewares to send to help the needy in the mountains. Our collection point is at Heartland Auction in Radcliff. We have a 50 ft. trailer to store items. For drop off information, call Donna Spangenberger at (270) 352-7461.

**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.1

**The next Meet and Greet will be Sunday, March 10, 2019**

**St. Brigid youth ministry – RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**Wednesday, February 27** – *Feed America* from 4:00-6:00 p.m. or anytime in between. Please look at the *Feed America* section in this bulletin for more details.

**Catholic Youth Conference** – will take place on **Saturday, March 2**. Some of you refer to this one-day event as Quest. Same great 12-hour conference for all high school youth in our Archdiocese, different name. The cost is $20 per person and this includes a t-shirt, travel to and from Louisville and your food all day. Space is limited and on a first come basis. There are 2 spots left, so if you want to go, don’t put if off any longer.

**Winter Jam 2019** – All 9th-12th graders are invited to a great Christian concert at Freedom Hall on **Saturday, March 9. All RSVP's & forms are due by Sunday, February 24.** We will leave from the parking lot of the CCC and return there for a lock- in that will end at 9:00 a.m. Sunday. Since we have RE on Sunday morning we will go to Mass after the lock-in and then stay for RE. Pick up will be at 12:00 noon.

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

**FAITH FORMATION**

**ANOINTING SERVICE – Thursday, February 28, during the 9:00 a.m. Mass.**

**SCC (Small Christian Communities) LENTEN SESSIONS** – Please sign up at the church doors.

**Topic: TRUE REFORMERS: Saints of the Catholic Reformation**

**Sundays at 10:30 a.m. in the CMR with Leader Christa Pelc from March 3 - April 7**

**Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the St. Brigid Room with Leader Keith Baughman from March 5 - April 9**

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**7:00 – 8:00 p.m.** – Service in church

8:00 – 8:30 p.m. – Refreshments in School Cafeteria

**TESTIFY LENTEN PROGRAM – Sunday, March 17, 4:00 p.m. at St. John**...with potluck to follow.

**LENTEN FOOD DRIVE...40 Days of Lent**...watch for more information.

**St. Brigid liturgical ministers**

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| **8th Sunday in Ordinary Time, March 3, 2019** | **9:30 a.m.** |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist P. | David Stoddard Helen Hicks |
| C. | Gary Morris Paula Greenwell Alison Dupont Denise Hester |
| Lector | Bob Corrales |
| Servers | Maggie Board Cal Yates |
| Greeters | Keith & Martha Baughman Chad Sims |
| Gift Bearers | Butch Filburn Family |
| **8th Sunday in Ordinary Time, March 3, 2019** | **6:30 p.m.** |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist P. | Richard Osterhage |
| C. | Jackie Veri Donna Osterhage |
| Lector | Kathleen Bramlett |
| Servers | Jackie Veri |
| Greeters | Volunteers |
| Gift Bearers | Tim Cooper Family |
| **Hospital Ministry – Sunday, March 10, 2019** | Keith Baughman Jim Klimesh |

