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

3rd Sunday in

Ordinary Time

January 27, 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** | **January 26** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. John** | **Bruce Sherrard** | **Vigil: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time** |
| **Sunday** | **January 27** | **9:30 a.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Our Parish Family**  **Mack, Leanna & Billy Cecil** | **3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time** |
| **“** | **“** | **11:30 a.m.** | **St. John** | **For All Parishioners**  **Kenneth Yount** | **“** |
| **“** | **“** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Dickie Cecil** | **“** |
| **Monday** | **January 28** | **9:00 a.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **In Thanksgiving** | **St. Thomas Aquinas,**  **Priest & Doctor of the Church** |
| **Wednesday** | **January 29** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. John** | **For Special Intentions** | **Weekday** |
| **Thursday** | **January 30** | **9:00 a.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Elroy Rogers** | **St. John Bosco, Priest** |
| **Friday** | **January 31** | **9:00 a.m.** | **St. John** | **Fr. Stan Osborne** | **Weekday** |
| **Saturday** | **February 1** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. John** | **For All Parishioners**  **Evelyn Thomas** | **Vigil: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time** |
| **Sunday** | **February 2** | **9:30 a.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Jim Smith** | **4th Sunday in Ordinary Time** |
| **“** | ***“*** | **11:30 a.m.** | **St. John** | **Bruce & Margaret Lincoln** | **“** |
| **“** | **“** | **6:30 p.m.** | **St. Brigid** | **Our Parish Family** | **“** |

**For Both Parishes**

**THANK YOU** – A huge thank you to all those who helped in any way with our first Room in the Inn. The turn out to help and donations were heartwarming. We will again be hosting Room in the Inn at Rineyville Baptist Church on **Friday, January 25.** Our Confirmation class will set up the cots and make the beds and come clean the next morning. Volunteers are needed for Friday night snacks, sack lunches for the guest on Saturday and breakfast on Saturday morning. I also need 2 men and 2 women volunteers to stay the night on Friday night. We need a few people to take the linens home to wash and fold also. There will be a sign-up sheet in the back of church if you would like to volunteer or call Elaine @ (270) 763-2202. If you cannot help this time, we will be hosting again February 22.

**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/](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.

**ST. JAMES SCHOOL FIRST LOOK – February 4-15, 2019** – Visit us at Saint James Catholic School! Meet students, tour classrooms and see firsthand the value of a Catholic education. Call today to schedule your tour. Jennifer Moran – (370) 765-7011, ext. 247.

**ARCHDIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS** – Couples celebrating 5, 10, 15, 20 & 25 years of marriage in 2019 and their families are invited to a Diocesan Mass of Thanksgiving, celebrated by Archbishop Joseph Kurtz on **Saturday, February 16, 4:00 p.m.,** at St. Raphael Parish, 2900 Bardstown Road. Call your parish secretary to register. **Registration deadline is Wednesday, February 6.**

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

Date: **Tuesday, January 29, 2019, 7:00 p.m.** Topics: Catholic Practices [Q11]

Catholics in the Church [Q12]

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

Facilitator: Deacon Mike Ryan

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**, 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**, Betty Lou **Jones**, Charlene **Langle315**, 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**, 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**, A1C Brandon **Davila**, SrA Felicia **Esquive**l, 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 December:** $ 18,264.00

**Monthly Collection for January:** $ 5,917.10

**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 $18,900 (86%) of our financial goal with 74 families (79%) participating.

**SERVICE PROJECT –** The Religious Education Classes and our Women's Group will be collecting items to share with the ministry **Room** **at** **the Inn** during the month of January.  The following are needed: gloves, hats, scarves, mittens, toboggans, hand warmers.  Boxes are available at RE and at the back of Church.   Please join us in supporting this important outreach mission.

**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, January 28, at 6:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall.

**ROOM IN THE INN** – St. John the Baptist will sponsor the Friday night of **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 youth ministry – RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Classes have resumed. Attendance is very important to build a strong faith base for our lifetime.  All students should be arriving prior to 9:45 a.m. for our assemblies with class immediately following until 11:00 a.m.  Start your new year off right with a strong commitment to your child's faith.

**St. John liturgical ministers**

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| **Vigil: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time, February 2, 2019** | **6:30 p.m.** |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist | Leann Davidson Abby Newton Lori Shinault |
| Lector | Dennis Thomas |
| Servers | Audrey Hunt Drew Thomas |
| Greeter(s) | Vicki Taylor |
| Gift Bearers | Tony & Theresa Smith |
| Ushers | Kenny Thompson Kevin Thomas |
| **3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, February 3, 2019** | **11:30 a.m.** |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist | Angela Churchman Angie Taylor Lauran Thomas |
| Lector | Scott Mattingly |
| Servers | Andrew Disselkamp Joe Sullivan |
| Greeter(s) | Martha Thomas |
| Gift Bearers | Angela Churchman Aimee Hunt |
| Ushers | Nick Thomas Martha Thomas |
| **Hospital Ministry – Sunday, January 27, 2019** | Joanna Sherrard Amy Thomas |

**St. Brigid catholic church**

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

**Monthly Collection for December:** $ 40,206.43

**Monthly Collection for January:** $ 16,556.00

**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.

**ARCHBISHOP KURTZ** – sends his thanks and congratulations for reaching 100% of our financial goal for the 2019 Catholic Services Appeal. Thanks for your generosity!!

**CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2018 UPDATE** – We have donated $35,800 (101%) of our financial goal with 110 families (85%) 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.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.

**PARISH GAME NIGHT** – The first night will be **Friday, February 1, in the CCC from 6:00-9:00 p.m.** Bring your family or come alone, but just come to our new parish game night that will be held the first Friday of each month. We have something for everyone! free dinner and drinks will be provided. If you are full of energy there will be basketball and volleyball. For those looking for a quiet evening there will be board games and cards in the St. Brigid Room. All youth, 8th grade or older, may be dropped off. We ask that anyone younger than 8th grade accompany their family. If you have any questions about our new Parish Game Night, please get in touch with Lori Law at (270) 723-0157 or email [stbrigidyouth.com](http://stbrigidyouth.com)

**YOUNG AT HEART** – will meet **Wednesday, February 6**, 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.

**BLOOD DRIVE –** The next drive will be held on **Friday, February 15,** 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!!

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

**Wednesday, January 30** – Open Gym in the CCC for all youth in the 8th -12th grades. Join other youth from our parish for fun and fellowship from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

**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. **Permission forms and money are due by Wednesday, February 6.**

**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.

**March 15-17 - Retreat Opportunity** – for all Juniors and Seniors who missed the Christian Awakening Retreat their junior year. This is a wonderful experience that all juniors and seniors should strongly consider going to. If you are interested, please contact Lori for details.

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](mailto: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, February 10, 2019**

**FAITH FORMATION**

**“Soup-er Supper”**

Celebrate Super Bowl a week early with fellow parishioners.

Bring your favorite soup to the soup-er potluck in an electric crockpot. We’ll keep it hot!

Try a cup of one soup or ALL if you please!

**Date: Sunday, January 27, 2019**

**Time: 4:00-6:00 p.m.**

**Place: Catholic Community Center**

**St. Brigid liturgical ministers**

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| **4th Sunday in Ordinary Time, February 3, 2019** | **9:30 a.m.** |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist P. | Tina Yates Allison Dupont |
| C. | E. Jane Vessels Bill & Rosie Cochran David Stoddard |
| Lector | E. Jane Vessels |
| Servers | Lilly Eitutis Molly Weisshaupt |
| Greeters | Terri & C. H. Morgan |
| Gift Bearers | Anthony Yates Family |
| **4th Sunday in Ordinary Time, February 3, 2019** | **6:30 p.m.** |
| Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist P. | Kim Osterhage |
| C. | Ron Masoni Tiffany Cooper |
| Lector | Donna Spangenberger |
| Servers | Nathaniel Morgan |
| Greeters | Volunteers |
| Gift Bearers | Osterhage Family |
| **Hospital Ministry – Sunday, February 10, 2019** | Ralph & Sherleen Barren |

**Marriage moments**

Ground Hog Day is coming on February 2. Remember the movie? (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2vmmTnDJnHO>) Is there any recurring bad memory or habit that you’d like to change in your marriage? Substitute a newer, positive one. Repeat – over and over again.