

St. Brigid Catholic Church



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Vine Grove, KY 40175

Clustered Parish Office:
(270) 877-2461

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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

**2nd Sunday of Lent
March 17, 2019**

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

Website: www.stbrigidvg.org

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





Saturday	March 16	6:30 p.m.	St. John	Bruce Sherrard	Vigil: 2 nd Sunday of Lent
Sunday	March 17	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	Dickie Cecil	2 nd Sunday of Lent
“	“	11:30 a.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners Anna Brangers	“
“	“	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family Bud & Pauline Brangers	“
Monday	March 18	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	Jim Smith Helen C. Adams	Lenten Weekday
Wednesday	March 20	6:30 p.m.	St. John	In Thanksgiving	Lenten Weekday
Thursday	March 21	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	Elroy Rogers Eric Sipes	Lenten Weekday
Friday	March 22	9:00 a.m.	St. John	For Special Intentions	Lenten Weekday
Saturday	March 23	6:30 p.m.	St. John	Bruce & Margaret Lincoln	Vigil: 3 rd Sunday of Lent
Sunday	March 24	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	Dale Boswell Rose Marie Yates	3 rd Sunday of Lent
“	“	11:30 a.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners	“
“	“	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family	“

FOR BOTH PARISHES

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU! The Regional Mission with Fr. Ron Knott was a tremendous success. The generosity of those who attending in humbling. The total donations came to \$5,535.46! We also want to thank everyone who made this event possible – Fr. Ron Knott, the musical group *Reflections*, Fr. Dan Lincoln, Deacon Mike Ryan, Tina Yates, Tom & Pat Billings (& crew), Selina Chandler, Lori Law & Teens, Jason Barren, Christa Pelc, E. Jane Vessels, Alison Duport, Caroline New and all helpers.

MOVIE NIGHT March 22, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. – We will be showing “*Brave*”. Set in Scotland in a rugged and mythical time, “*Brave*” features Merida, an aspiring archer and impetuous daughter of royalty. Merida makes a reckless choice that unleashes unintended peril and forces her to spring into action to set things right. Determined to make her own path in life, Princess Merida defies a custom that brings chaos to her kingdom. Granted one wish, Merida must rely on her bravery and her archery skills to undo a beastly curse. “*Brave*” is 93 minutes long. Everyone and anyone are invited. Snacks and drinks are provided FREE, yes I said FREE, FREE, FREE. Contact deacon Mike for more information.

SAINT BRIGID / SAINT JOHN – Please read all the information in the bulletin. There is information and events for both parishes to enjoy. We are clustered parishes. We should try to attend each other’s events, not just our own. As the song *We Are Many Parts* says we are many parts but we are all one body. If you have questions, please contact pastoral associate Deacon Mike Ryan at (270) 877-0546 or (270) 272-6789.

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

ADOPTION SUPPORT – for Terry and Tamsen Disselkamp Walker fundraising account: 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.

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. See bulletin board for more information.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Date: **Wednesday, March 19, 2019, 7:00 p.m.**

Topics: **Holy Orders [C9]
Marriage [C8]**

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, 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, 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 **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 February: \$ 11,155.00
Monthly Collection for March: \$ 5,776.26

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.

CONGRATULATIONS – to Allie Marie, daughter of Zach and Andrea Heibert and Waylon Garrett, son of Jake and Danielle Leasor, who were baptized last week.

SEE MOVIE NIGHT IN THE BOTH PARISHES SECTION.

SEE GAME NIGHT IN THE ST. BRIGID SECTION.

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.

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 during Lent. No need to pre-register but any questions can be addressed to Lisa Thomas at (270) 735-6930 or glalt@comcast.net; or Paul Taylor (270) 766-2487.

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 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 CONFESSIONS – **The Sacrament will be on Wednesday, March 20 at 6:30 p.m.**

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

E-TOWN MISSION TEAM – which is comprised of several churches from our area, will be traveling to Elizabethtown, North Carolina, on March 30 for 1 week to help make much needed repairs from a hurricane that struck that area last year. We are in need of volunteers to help out. You don't have to have a construction trade. There are so many different ways to help out. Please contact Paul Taylor @ (270) 737-6432 if you are interested.

ST. JOHN YOUTH MINISTRY – RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

SAVE THE DATES – Sunday, March 17 – Confessions for RE students

Sunday, March 24 – Confessions for RE students. Appreciation Dinner for RE teachers and substitutes after 11:30 Mass at Two Taylors Catering. Please RSVP to Lisa Tomas ASAP.

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

Sunday, March 31 – No RE Class. Enjoy your Spring Break.

Sunday, April 7 – RE classes resume.

Saturday, April 13 – Plowshares Retreat

Sunday, April 14 – Last RE class for the year for all students except the Confirmation class. Please refer to Confirmation Schedule provided by Elaine.

Sunday, April 21 – Celebrate Easter Sunday with your Church Family.

Sunday, April 28 – Celebrate 1st Communion Mass at 11:30 a.m. with our 2nd Grade students.

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

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

Summer Vacation Bible School – Watch the bulletin for dates and information

ST. JOHN LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Vigil: 3rd Sunday of Lent, March 23, 2019	6:30 p.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Rhonda Newton Becky Thomas Dennis Thomas
Lector	Dennis Thomas
Servers	Drew Thomas Claire Thomas
Greeter(s)	Joanna Sherrard
Gift Bearers	Jackie & Mary Hall
Ushers	Ben Thomas Zach Thomas
3rd Sunday of Lent, March 24, 2019	11:30 a.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Scott Mattingly Jose Resto-Vargas Lisa Parrett
Lector	Martha Thomas
Servers	Andrew Disselkamp Benjamin Updegraff
Greeter(s)	Michelle & Sonnie Elliott
Gift Bearers	Judy Cleaver Belinda Lambert
Ushers	Steve Brangers Fred Williams
Hospital Ministry – Sunday, March 24, 2019	Martha Thomas Luran Thomas

ST. BRIGID CATHOLIC CHURCH

Monthly Budget Amount Needed: \$ 25,280.00
Monthly Collection for February: \$ 23,476.91
Monthly Collection for March: \$ 17,683.00
Black & Indian Missions Collection: \$ 952.00

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.

MEET & GREET DATE CHANGE NEXT MONTH
– This event will be on the first Sunday due to the bakers vacation.

ALTAR SERVERS – Any girl or boy or adult woman or man who has been baptized and received First Communion may become an altar server for Mass. Our server numbers are low and parents we need you to encourage your child to want to serve Mass. You and your child are already at Mass why not have them serve. Please think about this request and talk to Fr. Dan or call Deacon Mike at (270) 272-6789. Start a new ministry today.

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 Spangenberg at (270) 352-7451.

SEE MOVIE NIGHT IN THE BOTH PARISHES SECTION.

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

SUMMER EVENT – Did you see the Initial Summer Event envelope in your packet this month? We hope your initial offering will be \$35.00 to helping with event expenses, but we will greatly appreciate any offering you can make. God bless you all for your help.

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.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LEADER</u>
March 22, 2019	Keith Baughman
March 29, 2019	Keith Baughman
April 5, 2019	Nan Filburn
April 12, 2019	Nan Filburn

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

PARISH COUNCIL – will meet on **Thursday, March 21, at 7:00 p.m.**

BLOOD DRIVE – The next drive will be held on **Friday, April 12**, 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 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, April 7, 2019.

ST. BRIGID YOUTH MINISTRY – RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wednesday, March 20 – Youth Open Gym in the CCC for everyone in the 8th-12th grades. Join other youth for a couple hours to enjoy free time in the gym, fellowship and fun.

Wednesday, March 27 – Feed America from 4:00-6:00 p.m.!

Please pray for Morelia Falco’n as she participates in the Christian Awakening Retreat this weekend, along with Jaden Hicks who has been asked to return as a senior advisor.

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

FAITH FORMATION

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

40 Cans of Lent

Help Fight Hunger by supporting our Lenten Food Drive. Collect cans of food daily! Please drop of cans in the baskets at the Church doors. Food will be delivered to Helping Hand of Hope.

ST. BRIGID LITURGICAL MINISTERS

3rd Sunday of Lent, March 24, 2019		9:30 a.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	P.	Denise Hester David Stoddard
	C.	Paula Greenwell Mark Kelly Helen Hicks Alison Dupont
Lector		Alison Dupont
Servers		David Webb Maggie Board
Greeters		Butch & Nan Filburn
Gift Bearers		John Williams Family
3rd Sunday of Lent, March 24, 2019		6:30 p.m.
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	P.	Ashley Osterhage
	C.	Jackie Veri Carolyn Canaday

Lector	Ron Masoni
Servers	Volunteers
Greeters	Volunteers
Gift Bearers	Michael Hall Family
Hospital Ministry – Sunday, April 14, 2019	Ralph & Sherleen Barren

MARRIAGE MOMENTS

The Spring Equinox is Wednesday, March 20. What does this have to do with marriage? Well, it may be a stretch, but since “equinox” is rooted in equality (the date that we have nearly equal light and dark) connect this with the tradition of spring cleaning. Consider cleaning together for an equal amount of time this week.

PARENTING POINTERS

March 21 is National single parent day. Give yourself a rest or a treat. Remember, parenthood is not limited to one gender. Make and females both carry responsibility for the child. If you are not a single parent, perhaps you can provide some of that rest or respite for a simple parent that you know this weekend.

REFLECTIONS

“Join with others in being imitators of me, brothers and sisters and observe those who thus conduct themselves according to the model you have in us. Philippians 3:17

Imitation is a great teacher. Our children best learn the value and practice of good stewardship when we walk with them and demonstrate by our actions that living the life of a steward is a joyful possibility.