
St. Joseph Church

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Pastoral Council

Susan Clark

Jim Cecil

Billy Dallas, V. Chair

Joanne Johnson, Secretary

Tim Nelson, Chair.

Sharon Smart

Finance Council

Charles Corbett

Beverly Harrison

Ben Hodges, Chair

Masses: AUGUST 18-AUGUST 23

Tuesday	12:05 pm	Guarding against addiction
Wednesday	5:00 pm	Departed Members of Porter & Beulah Lashley +
Thursday	12:05 pm	Ness Alvey
Friday	7:30 am	Thanksgiving St. Lucy, St. Odilia
Saturday	4:00 pm	Irene Rishkofski +
Sunday	7:00 am	Bob, Larry, Lawrence Filburn
Sunday	11:00 am	St. Joseph & St. John Parish

Confession

Saturday 3:00-3:30 PM

August 22, 4:00 PM

Lector – Harold Rhodes

Server- Jarek Whitworth

Cup - Ann Marshall, Jim Marshall

Host - Sharon Smart

Ushers – Jerry Clemons/Barbara Allen

Greeters – Jackie Richardson

Gifts –Dian/Jim Cecil

Music – Meredyth Lee

August 23, 7:00 AM

Lector – Kim Smith

Server – John Smith

Cup - Brittany Mattingly, Sue King

Host - Susan Rhodes

Ushers – David Clemons

Greeters –Betty Johnston

Gifts – Betty Stone

Music – Meredyth Lee

August 23, 11:00 AM

Lector – Ellen Thomas

Server – Gabriel Mudd, Jackson Kane

Cup - Eddie Clemons. Linda Bordland

Host - Linda Cripps

Ushers – LaMont Miller/Eddie Clemons

Greeters –David Clemons, Melvie Clemons

Gifts – Wade Lashley Family

Music –Meredyth Lee

Stewardship of Finance

Last Sunday's Collection \$ 3749.00

Youth (7) \$ 13.50

Chimes \$ 1025.00

Brescia University \$ 305.00

Cemetery Collection \$ 632.00

Money Counter Sue King

St. John Church

430 St. John Church Rd.
Sunfish, KY 42210

Website: stjhnch.org

Saint John Thrift Store: 270-597-1038

Pastoral Council

Cathy Young, Chair	Dick Dyche
Nancy Farmer, Secretary	Joe Durbin
Barbara Fitzhugh	Shelia Durbin
Tom Pohlman, V. Chair	

Pastoral Council: The Council met Thursday and reviewed the financial report for the past fiscal year. The 2 bedroom parish house is still available for rent at \$340 per month. The Thrift Store is considering adding a food pantry to serve Edmonson County and to have a small building constructed to house the food. We are also planning to have a Fall Festival October 10.

This Week at St. John:

Sun	12pm-5pm	Pictures for Directory
Tue	5:00 pm	Mass
Tue	5:30 pm	The Movie, "The Bible"
Wed	5pm-9pm	Pictures for Directory

AUGUST:

23	9:00 am	Bishop to Celebrate Mass
	10:00 am	Breakfast with the Bishop

Breakfast: Bishop Medley is coming for a visit and to celebrate Mass with us on Sunday, August 23. If you can help with the breakfast please let us know.



The Movie, "The Bible": Tuesday at 5:30 pm, we will be showing the movie, "The Bible".

Directory Ads: We are also taking ads for our Parish Directory similar to those seen in a school yearbook. The business card size ads are \$100 each. If you would like to place an ad please call Cathy Young @ 270-259-5035 or 270-589-9262 by September 15.

St. John's Prayer List

Lyla Abel, Audrey Burke, Jack Coop, Judy Dombrowski, Anna Durbin, James Durbin, Kenny Durbin, Catherine Duvall, Leonard Duvall, Doug Farmer, Daren Fowler, James Fowler, Dorothy Fredrick, Kevin Hayes, Tommy Heath, Pamela Hughes, Betty Jennings, Juanita Logsdon, James Pierce, Olen Raymer, Leonard Simon, Linda Simon, Maggie Simon, Grey Vincent

Masses: AUGUST 18-AUGUST 23

Tuesday	5:00 pm	Otis Hayes
Sunday	9:00 am	Sue Duvall +

August 23, 9:00 AM

Lector- Chris Wolfe
Server- Dick Dyche
Euch. Ministers: Betty Jennngs, John Gay,
Sue Kalbfleisch
Usher- Joe Durbin & Tom Pohlman
Gifts- Dorothy Fredrick & John Gay
Music- Jeremiah Bush-Barbara Fitzhugh



Sign Up After Mass

Parish Directory: Photos will continue to be taken today from 12:00 noon until 5:00 pm and on Wednesday from 5:00 pm until 9:00 pm. If you have any questions please call Cathy Young @ 270-259-5035 or 270-589-9262.

WE WANT EVERYONE INCLUDED!

History Book: If you have any photographs, stories or news clippings that you would want to share with us please let us know. You may be contacted Daniel Durbin at 2318 Running Brook Rd., LaGrange, KY 40031; phone: 502-386-7946; or email: ddurbin1@bellsouth.net.

Last Sunday's Collection	\$ 555.00
Brescia University Collection	\$ 86.00

Message: Jesus provides food for everlasting life.

Homework: Whenever you see bread this week think of Jesus, the bread of life.

This Week at St. Joseph:

Tue 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Devotion
Thu 6:00 pm Journey of Faith (RCIA)
Sat 9:00 am Directory Photos
Sun 12:00 pm Directory Photos

AUGUST

24 5:00 pm Directory Photos
25 5:00 pm Directory Photos
26 5:00 pm Directory Photos
27 6:00 pm Pastoral Council
29 12:00 pm Directory Photos
30 12:00 pm Directory Photos
30 2:00 pm Youth Group at St. Romuald

Finance Summary Report for July

Sunday Collections	\$ 18,800
Other Income	\$ 3,400
Total Income	\$ 22,200
Ordinary Expenses	\$ 20,800
Cemetery Repairs	\$ 5,800
Office Renovation	\$ 3,300
Total Expenses	\$ 29,900
Difference	- \$ 7,700

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Bell Fund:

Total Needed	\$8,800
Total Received	\$3,065
Pledged	\$2,600
Amount Remaining	\$3,135

Make a donation and help us reach our goal.

Sign Up After Mass



Pictorial Directory: We will begin having photos taken next Saturday from 9:00 am until 2:00 pm and on Sunday from 12:00 pm until 5:00 pm. Sign up after Mass in the parish hall. The photo dates are August 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 29, and 30. You may also call the parish office 270-259-3028 Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday between 8 am and 5 pm to schedule an appointment. **WE WANT YOU!**

Main Street Property: The Parish Pastoral Council, Finance Committee and Maintenance Committee came to a general agreement this past Tuesday to purchase the property at 208 N Main Street. Bishop Medley has also given his approval to make this purchase. It will take a few weeks to finalize the purchase. We will keep you posted.

RCIA: Do you know anyone who is interested in learning more about our Catholic Faith or who is interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church? Our RCIA program meets every Thursday at 6:00 pm in the parish hall. For more information contact T. J. Dennison or Fr. Tony.

Journey of Faith: Journey of Faith every Thursday at 6:00 pm in the parish hall. For more information contact T. J. Dennison or Fr. Tony.

Religious Education News:



Religious Ed will start on September 9th. Mark your calendars now. This year we will begin each week with mass at 5 pm then roll right into classes. We will end the night at 6:30. Can't wait to see you all there. Watch for more information to come

St. Joseph Prayer List

Delores Alvey, Nellie Alvey, Wayne Alvey, Abby Beeler, Margaret Beckner, Arlene Bitsky, Bonnie Blanton, Joe Burba, Jim & Jean Charbonneau, Corey Clark, Edmund Collard, Owen Cottrell, Anna Critchelow, Mary Decker, Joan & Estille Dobson, Donald and Mary Lou Durham, Delbert and Rose Durham, Jenny Ann Alvey-Edmonds, Draven Fentress, Maureen Gatto Sr., Cecil Higdon, Margaret Hudson, Sr. Rose Karen, Rachel Kiper, Darlene Kolter, Sandy Johnston, Susan Maynard, Bobby McDaniel, Bruce Meredith, Margie Meredith, Homer Milliner, Wanda Pierce, Susan Rhodes, Janice Roberts, Glen Schofield, Aaron Shull, Betty Stone, John J. Sweigert, Kasey Tomes All law enforcement and emergency responders. For those serving in the military.

HOMEBOUND LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Nursing Home	SCHEDULE	Homebound
Father Bagu	8/16-8/22	Carolyn/Bev
Mike Boone	8/23-8/29	Jim Alvey
Pauline Baker	8/30-9/5	Susie /Brittany Mattingly

Ministry to the Homebound: We have five new Eucharistic Ministers to visit our parish Home Bound and Nursing Home sick members. Saint Joseph is very blessed with members reaching out and performing God's Request to our sick members. We presently have 13 Ministers in total. A special thanks to Jed Johnston for helping to organize and schedule these visits.



Mass Stipends: We have plenty of open spaces for Mass Stipends in both parishes. If you have a loved one or intention please come by or call the parish office @ 270-259-3028.

Catholic Gifts: Come by the office and see our gift selection of bibles, catechisms, rosaries, auto devotionals, crucifixes, holy water bottles, prayer books and more. Stop by Tue, Wed, or Fri from 8 am until 5 pm.

Weekday Masses:

<u>St. Joseph</u>	<u>St. John</u>
Tue 12:05 pm	Tue 5:00 pm
Wed 5:00 pm	
Thu 12:05 pm	
Fri 7:30 am	

Pray with us! It could change your life!

BIRTHDAYS

Dian Cecil	8/17
Catherine Corbett	8/17
Johnny Pierce	8/17
Tyler Hodges	8/18
Caleb Powell	8/18
Eliana Falcon	8/19
Chris Nelson	8/19
Steven Ramsey	8/19
Abby Beeler	8/20
Kathy Bell	8/20
Sharon Roberts	8/20
Darlene Kolter	8/21
Grace Ann Nelson	8/23

ANNIVERSARIES

Bobby & Sharon McDaniels	8/17
Mike & Pat Boone	8/22

Divorced and Remarried: Pope Francis has again strongly called on Catholic communities to have a welcoming and merciful attitude to Christians who have remarried outside the church after a divorce, saying that such people "are not by any means excommunicated" and should be made to feel a part of their communities.

Sunday Collection: Just a little increase can make a big difference in helping our parish carry out the mission entrusted to us by Christ.

<u>Present Giving</u>	<u>Increase Giving</u>
\$ 10	\$ 11
\$ 20	\$ 22
\$ 30	\$ 33
\$ 40	\$ 44
\$ 50	\$ 55

Last Will & Testament: Leave a lasting legacy by remembering our parish in your Will.