# St. Joseph Church

# 204 North Main Street Leitchfield, Kv. 42754

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Jed Johnston 270-259-4848

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#### **Youth Ministry**

Dee Dee Johnston 270-723-2740

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Betty Miller 270-259-3303

### **Pastoral Council**

# **Finance Council Charles Corbett**

**Beverly Harrison** 

Ben Hodges, Chair

Susan Clark Jim Cecil Billy Dallas, V. Chair

Joanne Johnson, Secretary Tim Nelson, Chair.

**Sharon Smart** 

# **Masses: SEPTEMBER 15-SEPTEMBER 20**

Tuesday	12:05 pm	St. Joseph & St. Johns
		Parishes
Wednesday	5:00 pm	Fr. Ben Luther
Thursday	12:05 pm	Bob, Larry, & Lawrence
		Filburn
Friday	7:30 am	Murl Stone
Saturday	4:00 pm	Frank Sanning
Sunday	7:00 am	Sharon Pierce
Sunday	11:00 am	Joy Dailey +

### Confession

Saturday 3:00-3:30 PM

# September 19, 4:00 PM

Lector - Carolyn Thomason Server- Jarek Whitworth Cup - Joanne Johnson, Sharon Smart Host - Ann Marshall Ushers - Barbara & Danny Jo Allen Greeters - SharonMcDaniels Gifts -Charles & Cathy Corbett Music - Meredyth Lee

# September 20, 7:00 AM

Lector - Brittany Mattingly Server - James Smith, Chloe Collard Cup - Sue King, Susan Rhodes **Host-Betty Stone** Ushers - Volunteers Greeters -Betty Johnson Gifts - Libby & Steve Vincent Music - Meredyth Lee

### **September 20, 11:00 AM**

Lector - Melanie Crawford Server - Nate Pennington Cup - Linda Clark, Delbert Durham Host - Stephanie Render Ushers - Scott Samuels/Eddie Clemons Greeters - Mike & Pat Boone Gifts - Borland Family Music -Meredyth Lee

### **Stewardship of Finance**

Last Sunday's Collection	\$ 6	883.00
Youth (10)	\$	20.75
Cemetery	\$	244.00

# St. John Church

# 430 St. John Church Rd. Sunfish, KY 42210

Website: stjohnch.org

Saint John Thrift Store: 270-597-1038

# **Pastoral Council**

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

**St. John Parish Mission:** To share the message of Christ with every person in Edmonson County.

<u>Happy Birthday:</u> Congratulations to Annie Durbin who celebrated her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday yesterday.

# This Week at St. John:

Tue 5:00 pm Mass

Tue 5:45 pm Bible Movie

Sun 9:00 am Back-to-church Sunday

### **SEPTEMBER:**

27 1:00 pm Customer Appreciation Day

At St. John's Thrift Store

<u>Congratulations:</u> St. John's Parish Member, Annie Durbin, has been selected to receive this year's Diocesan Sophia Award. Congratulations.

<u>Parish Mission:</u> We will be having a Parish Mission October 11. Put these date on your calendar and make plans to attend.

Ministry Signups: We need YOU! Sign up and share your time and talent with your parish family. Everyone can do something. Sign up for a new ministry or recommit to a ministry you are currently serving in. Please return a sign-up sheet by next Sunday. Thank you!

# St. John's Prayer List

Lyla Abel, Audrey Burke, Jack Coop, Judy Dombrowski, Anna Durbin, James Durbin, Kenny Durbin, Catherine 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: SEPTEMBER 15-SEPTEMBER 20**

Tuesday 5:00 pm Fielden Frederick Sunday 9:00 am Curtis & Alberta Duvall

# September 20, 9:00 AM

Lector- Chris Wolfe Server- Jo Durbin Cup- Laurie Dearing, Peggy Hayes Host- Betty Jennings Ushers- John Gay & Brian Davis Gifts- James & Pam Hughes Music- Jeremiah Bush-Barbara Fitzhugh

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO BARBARA FITZHUGH SEPTEMBER 20!

Welcome-To-Church: Next Sunday, September 20, is National Back-To-Church Sunday. This week invite a family member, a friend, a neighbor or coworkers to attend church with you next Sunday. It could change their life.

Post Cards: Give a post card invitation to someone you would like to invite to church next weekend. An invitation shows we care about other people and we want them to experience the joy of knowing Christ.

**Message:** Jesus is God made visible for us.

**Homework:** Invite someone to attend church with you next weekend.

**St. Joseph Parish Mission:** To share the message of Christ with every person in Grayson County.

# This Week at St. Joseph:

Sun	8am/12pm	View Proof/Order Photo	
	5:00 pm	Knights of Columbus	
Mon	5:30 pm	Photos Taken	
Tue	3:00 pm	Divine Mercy	
Wed	<u>5:00 pm</u>	<u>Mass</u>	
	5:00 pm	Religious Ed Classes	
	5:30 pm	Adult Education	
Thu	5:30 pm	Card Ministry Committee	
	6:00 pm	Cemetery Committee	
	6:00 pm	Journey of Faith (RCIA)	
Sat	7:00 am	Repair Affair Breakfast	
	4:00 pm	Back-To-Church	
Sun	7/11 am	Back-To Church Sunday	
Sun	12:00 pm	Parish Social	

### **SEPTEMBER**

24 6:00 pm Pastoral Council

New Office Hours: The parish offices will now be open, Monday – Friday from 8:00 am – 4:00 pm.

<u>Parish Mission:</u> We will be having a Parish Mission October 12, 13, 14. Put these date on your calendar and make plans to attend.

Ministry Signups: We need YOU! Sign up and share your time and talent with your parish family. Everyone can do something. Sign up for a new ministry or recommit to a ministry you are currently serving in. Please return a sign-up sheet by next Sunday. Thank you!

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**Adult Education:** We are offering adult religious education classes on Wednesdays from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm in the parish hall. For more information contact T. J. Dennison.

<u>Card Ministry Committee:</u> St. Joseph Card Ministry Committee will have a short meeting this Thursday, September 17 at 5:30 pm in the rectory.

<u>Cemetery Committee:</u> St. Joseph Cemetery Committee will be meeting this Thursday, September 17 at 6:00 pm in the rectory.

<u>View Photo Proofs:</u> Just a reminder that following the 7 am and 11 am Mass today you are asked to view your proofs for the parish directory. You will also be able to place an order if you would like.

**We Want Your Photo:** Stop by the parish office any day this week from 8 am - 4 pm and have your picture taken. You may also summit a picture of your own.

Parish Social: We will be having a parish social on Sunday, September 20 beginning at 12:00 noon. The St. Joseph Grill Masters will be barbequing chickens for this event. Everyone is encouraged to bring a side dish or dessert. We will also be celebrating Joanne Deweese's retirement as our parish office manager for the past eleven years.

For the potluck we recommend the following:

A-H Vegetables

I-P Fruit

Q-Z Desserts

**New Property:** St. Joseph parish now owns the purchase of the property at 208 N Main Street. If you know of anyone who would be interested in leasing the property please let us know.

# 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, 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
Alice Begay	9/6-/12	Beverly Harrison
		Carolyn Thomason
Fr Babu	9/13-19	Mary Pierce
		Sharon Smart
Jim Marshall	9/20-26	Jed Johnston

**Repair Affair:** If you would like to help serve on St. Joseph's Team for the Repair Affair this coming Saturday, September 19, contact Tony Rishkofski 287-8301 or Jackie Richardson 230-3370.

What Is Stewardship? Stewardship means living according to God's laws. First, we must recognize that all we have is a gift from God. Secondly, we must use well what God has given. Third, we must share what we have with others. One way we live out our stewardship is by sharing our time and talents and by participating in one of the ministries of our parish. Be An Active Catholic!

**Special Birthdays:** Congratulations to Wanda Pierce who celebrates her 93<sup>rd</sup> birthday today and to Nellie Alvey who will celebrate her 84<sup>th</sup> birthday on Tuesday.

<u>Congratulations:</u> St. Joseph Parish Members, Bob and Joanne Deweese, have been selected to receive this year's Diocesan Sophia Award. Congratulations. **Denominations 101:** You are invited to attend First Baptist Church series to learn about other denominations. They will meet on Wednesday at 6:00 pm in their Family Life Center fellowship hall. It will be an informal gathering, around the tables. This is an opportunity to get to know neighboring pastors and their denominational beliefs.

Sep. 16 Billy Carter Cumberland Presbyterian Sep. 23 Lee Schroerlucke Christian

**St. Anthony Senior Program** September 16 potluck @ 11:00 followed by a presentation by Natalie Taul from the Grayson County extension office. She will demonstrate how to make Holiday Decorations. Join us for a day of fun and fellowship!

# BIRTHDAYS

Nellie Alvey	9/15
Bobbi Ezzo	9/15
Angie Whitworth	9/16
Delores Alvey	9/17
Trina Nelson	9/17
Randy Penninton	9/17
Karen Brooks	9/18
Jackson Kane	9/19

# ANNIVERSARIES

Tony & Robin Embry 9/17

<u>Contagious Living:</u> Evangelization is to the Church what breathing is to a person. If we stop doing it for long enough, we will die. It is our mission as Catholics to evangelize. We, the Church, exist to evangelize. We evangelize when we take being a Christian seriously, that is, as if it were a matter of life or death, because it is.

Generosity: Jesus once said that it is hard for a rich person to enter the Kingdom of God. Why, because many rich people are not generous. Studies have found that the wealthiest people give the smallest percentage of their income to the church. The church depends on the generosity of its members to spread the Gospel. So practice generosity and store up treasure for yourselves in heaven.