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# St. Joseph Church

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**204 North Main Street  
Leitchfield, Ky. 42754**

**Website:** stjosephch.org

**Office Hours:** 8am to 4pm Mon-Fri

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## **Pastoral Council**

Jim Cecil	Joanne Johnson, Secretary
Jerry Clemons	Ann Marshall
Kirk Collard	Tim Nelson, Chair
Billy Dallas, V. Chair	Carolyn Thomason
Edna Duggins	

<b><u>Stewardship of Finance</u></b>	<b>Feb 26</b>	\$3814.00
Children (6)		16.00
Outreach		10.00
Cemetery		55.00

## **Masses: March 7-March 12**

Monday	7:30 am	Communion Service
Tuesday	12:05 pm	Dr. Ian Nunnally+
Wednesday	5:00 pm	Jerry Mattingly+
Thursday	12:05 pm	Doug Higdon+
Friday	7:30 am	Mildred Rogalinski
Saturday	4:00 pm	Jeff Critchelow+
Sunday	7:00 am	St. Joseph & St. John
Sunday	11:00 am	Vicky Sweet+

## **Confessions**

Wednesday	4:30PM
Friday	6:00PM
Saturday	3:00 PM

## **March 11 4pm**

L	Ann Marshall
S	Gabriel Nunnally
C	Mary Decker
C	Carol Elder
H	Bob Higbee
U	Danny Joe & Barbara A.
Gr	Kelly & Marcia Gable
Gi	Tinker & Donna Wilson

## **March 12 7am**

L	Kevin Collard
S	John & Jacob Smith
C	Brittany Mattingly
C	Susie Mattingly
H	Bob Higbee
U	David/Jerry
Gr	Judy W. Rose B.
Gi	Chip & Kim Smith Family

## **March 12 11am**

L	Eddie Clemons
S	Andrew B./Hannah Y.
C	Linda Clark
C	Laquita Clemons
H	Bob Higbee
U	Ronnie/Tim
Gr	Wade & Robin Lashley
Gi	Delores A./Debbie S.

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# St. John Church

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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

## This Week at St. John

Tue	3:00 pm	Mass
	3:30 pm	Stations of the Cross

## March

14	4:30 pm	Confessions
	5:00 pm	Mass
	5:30 pm	Stations of the Cross

## Weekday Mass:

Try to attend our weekday Mass during Lent.

Tuesday, March 7 3:00 pm

Tuesday, March 14 5:00 pm

**Stations of the Cross:** We will pray the Stations of the Cross this Tuesday, March 7 at 3:30 pm following the 3:00 pm Mass. Beginning March 14, after the time changes, Tuesday's Mass will return to 5:00 pm, followed by the Stations of the Cross at 5:30 pm. You are encouraged to attend.

## Confessions:

I will be available for confessions during Lent on Tuesdays at 4:30 pm. You may also call (270-259-3028) for an appointment.

**Daily Prayer:** Make prayer a daily habit in your life. Spend **10 minutes** every day in prayer.

**Catholic Home Study:** Catholic Home Study Service offers free courses on the Catholic Faith. These courses help Catholic better understand our Faith. They help others gain a clearer knowledge of Catholicism as a step toward becoming Catholic or just to learn what we believe. For more information go to [catholichomestudy.org](http://catholichomestudy.org).

## Stewardship of Finance

February 26 \$136.08

## Masses: March 7-March 12

Tuesday	3:00 pm	Dick Dyche
Sunday	9:00 am	Maggie Simon+

## March 12 9:00 AM

Lector	John Gay
Server	Brian Davis
Cup	Joe Durbin/Dwayne Fitzhugh
Host	Chris Wolfe
Ushers	Dennis Durbin/Glen Logsdon
Gifts	Bill Duvall/Chris Wolfe
Music	Jeremiah Bush-Barbara Fitzhugh

**St. John Prayer List:** Audrey Burke, Jack Coop, Laurie Dearing, Susan Drury, Annie Durbin, Carol Durbin, Elizabeth Durbin, John W. Durbin, Catherine Duvall, Dick Dyche, Dorothy Fredrick, Charlie Hayes, Vickie Ranburger, Zackary Scruggs, Linda Simon

## **BIRTHDAY**

Debra Durbin	3/07
John A. Durbin II	3/09

## **ANNIVERSARY**

Chris & Linsey Logsdon	3/11
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## This Week at St. Joseph

Mon	7:30 am	Morning Prayer/Communion
<b>Tue</b>	12:05 pm	Mass
	3:00 pm	Divine Mercy
	<b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>Picnic</b>
Wed	4:30 pm	Confessions
	5:00 pm	Mass
	5:30 pm	Religious Education
Thu	12:05 pm	Mass
	6:00 pm	Maintenance Committee
	6:00 pm	RCIA - Journey of Faith
<b>Fri</b>	7:30 am	Mass
	4:30 pm	K of C Fish Fry
	<b>5:30 pm</b>	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>
	6:00 pm	Confessions
Sat	9:30 am	Altar Society
	3:00 pm	Confessions

## March

14	4:00 pm	Fellowship Café
16	6:30 pm	Cemetery Committee
17	11:00 am	Club55 St. Patrick's Day

**Message:** Led by the Spirit, tempted by the devil.

**Homework:** Read 5 chapters of the New Testament.

**Maintenance Committee:** We will be having a maintenance committee meeting on Thursday, March 9 at 6:00 pm in the rectory. If anyone would like to become a member, please join us at our meeting or call Danny Joe Allen 270-259-3037 for more information.

## BIRTHDAYS

Stella McClure	3/05
Tracy Garcia	3/06
Stacy Roberts	3/07
Veronica Taylor	3/07
Anna Critchelow	3/08
Vickie Higdon	3/08
Ernie Johnston	3/08
Frances Logsdon	3/09
Janet Cleveland	3/10
Melissa King	3/10
Theresa Milliner	3/10

## ANNIVERSARY

Ray & Barbara Pierce	3/05
Roger & Stella McClure	3/06

## HOMEBOUND LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Nursing Home	SCHEDULE	Homebound
Jed Johnston	3/05-3/11	Mary Pierce Roni Mudd
Pauline Baker	3/12-3/18	Jed Johnston
Father Babu	3/19-3/25	Beverly Harrison Carolyn Thomason

**St. Joseph Prayer List:** We are beginning a whole new prayer list. Please call in your requests. Delores Alvey, Erin Anderson, April Barton, Thomas Beckner, Bonnie Blanton, Pat Boone, Alton Cannon, Mark Cannon, Anna Critchelow, Mary Davis, Estille & Joan Dobson, Paul Ferguson, James Fox, Carol Gatto, Dick Gatto, Samantha Jo Green, Michael Harned, Jennifer Howard, Don Jagers, Danny Kerr, Jane Johnston, Donna King, James Lyons, Logan Meredith, Margie Meredith, Caleb Milliner, Norman Powell, Jason H. Roberts, Aaron Shull, Sally Sweeney, Valeria Terrance, Dave Thompson, Mildred Willis, Jamie Wortham. All law enforcement and emergency responders. For those serving in the military.

## Remember In Your Prayers:

**Spring View:** Dorothy Miller and Edith Downs.

**Grayson Manor:** James Murl Hill and Ruth Powell.

**Beehive:** Christine Pence and Gilbert Clemons.

**Sympathy:** Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of Dr. Ian Nunnally who passed away. May he rest in peace.

**Sympathy:** Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of Doug Higdon who passed away. He is the son of Mary Enith Ross. May he rest in peace.

**Sympathy:** Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of Mark Cannon who passed away. May he rest in peace.

**Signature Sheets:** We would like to thank the Kentucky House of Representative and the Kentucky Senate for taking the first steps in what we hope will soon end the abortion of innocents. **Please Sign Both Sheets.**

**The Sunday Collection:** Every time we take up a collection at Mass we are financially supporting the mission of the Church. Every parish depends upon the generosity of its members to further the mission Christ has given to us of sharing the Good News of God's love for us. It is always better to give our first fruits than our leftovers.

**Picnic Meeting:** We will be having our next picnic meeting on Tuesday, March 7 at 6:00 pm in the parish hall. This is an important meeting since our picnic is only three months away. We need a good turnout so that we can begin finalizing our plans. If you are interested but cannot attend the meeting, please call Bonnie Nelson 270-589-1933 or Missy at the office.

**Club 55** We are planning a St. Patrick's Day get together for all those 55 and older. This will take place on Friday, March 17 from 11:00 am until 1:00 pm at St. Joseph Parish Hall. The day will begin with a potluck meal. We will be providing fish and drinks and ask everyone to bring some type of covered dish. We will also have a short presentation and then play Bingo for prizes. Call St. Joseph at 270-259-3028 to reserve a seat. Also, remember to WEAR GREEN!

### **Weekday Masses:**

Try to attend a weekday Mass during Lent:

Tuesday 12:05 pm  
Wednesday 5:00 pm  
Thursday 12:05 pm  
Friday 7:30 am

### **Weekly Confession Times:**

Wednesday 4:30 pm  
Friday 6:00 pm  
Saturday 3:00 pm

You may also call (270-259-3028) for an appointment.

**Stations of the Cross:** We will pray the Stations of the Cross on **Fridays at 5:30 pm.** You are encouraged to attend.

**Friday Confessions:** I have confession times scheduled every week and during Lent I will also have confessions on Fridays at 6:00 pm.

**Community Food Pantry:** We now have a community food pantry. It is located beside St. Joseph Church facing Walnut Street. The purpose of this pantry is for emergencies when an individual or family needs food. The motto of the pantry is: "Take what you need. Give what you can." Parishioners are invited to replenish the pantry with non-perishable food items as needed.

**St. Katherine Drexel:** St. Katherine Drexel once said, "If we wish to serve God and love our neighbor well, we must manifest our joy in the service we render to God and them. Let us open wide our hearts. It is joy which invites us. Press forward and fear nothing."

St. Katherine Drexel was born November 26, 1858 in Philadelphia and died on March 3 (her feast day) in 1955. She is the only Catholic saint to be born a citizen of the United States. Originally an heiress, she gave up her money to serve God and others. With her inheritance, she paid to build the St. Benedict the Moor School in St. Augustine, Florida. She is the patron saint of philanthropy and racial justice.