



Baptism of the Lord

January 9, 2022

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

5301 Daylight Drive, Evansville, IN 47725 / (812) 867-3718 / www.catholicdaylight.org

Mass

Saturday, 5:00 pm
Sunday, 7:00 am & 10:00 am
Tuesday, 8:00 am
Wednesday, 6:00 pm
Thursday, 8:00 am
Friday, 9:00 am
First Saturday, 8:00 am

Reconciliation

Saturday, 4:00–4:45 pm
Sunday, 6:15–6:45 am
Tuesday, 7:15–7:45 am
Wednesday, 5:15–5:45 pm
Thursday, 7:15–7:45 am
Friday, 8:15–8:45 am
And by appointment

Office Hours

Mon–Fri, 8:00 am –4:30 pm



Adoration & Benediction

Wednesday, 5:00 pm, in the Church.

Adult Faith Formation, Religious Education & Confirmation

Contact Mary Shetler at the Parish Office.

Baptism

Contact Deacon Richard to sign-up for classes (if expecting, preferably during the 2nd trimester).

Marriage

Contact the Parish Office as soon as an engagement is discussed to meet with Fr. Chris for marriage preparation.

New Parishioners

To register, please pick up a registration packet by the Parish Office window or download one from our website.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

If you are interested in becoming Catholic or want to learn about the Catholic Faith, contact Deacon Richard.

Rosary

The Rosary is prayed twenty minutes before weekend Masses and after weekday Masses.

Saint Clare Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel

You may visit the Chapel at any time. Contact Jane Young for questions, to sign up for a holy hour, or to have access to the Chapel.

Pastor..... Fr. Chris Forler
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Mass Intentions

Tues., Jan. 11

8:00 am

† Dorothy Weigele
Req. by Marie Dasher

Wed., Jan. 12

6:00 pm

† Betty Lefler
Req. by Ronald and Diana Ziliak

Thurs., Jan. 13

8:00 am

† Darrell Reinbrecht
Req. by Sandra Riecken

Fri., Jan. 14

9:00 am

† Ken Duggan
Req. by Mike Rogan

Sat., Jan. 15

5:00 pm

† Leo & Florence Kissel and Derek Deer
Req. by Family & Friends

Sun., Jan. 16

7:00 am

For the Parish

10:00 am

† Wilbur J. Boulet
Req. by Family & Friends



Sponsor of the Week:

American Senior Benefits

Please patronize and thank our sponsors for supporting our Parish.

Financial Giving

Weekly Budget	\$	13,050.00
Collection	\$	23,700.54
Online Collection	\$	1,434.55
Total	\$	25,135.09
Difference	\$	12,085.09

Budget YTD:	\$	352,350.00
Actual:	\$	372,968.74
Difference:	\$	20,618.74

St. Vincent de Paul	\$	215.00
St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank	\$	905.00
Gabriel Project	\$	245.00

Please make all checks for special collections payable to St. John Church.

Give Your "First Fruits" Back to God

To Parish...5-8% To Diocese...1% To Charities...1-4%

Join us at St. John the Evangelist on Thursday, January 13, at 6:00 pm for **Rosa Mystica Novena prayers. (No Mass)** Help us as we continue to pray for our priests, Seminarians, and all religious.



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Here we are at the beginning of a new year! I once again wish you all a very happy one full of blessings and grace. Goodness knows that we have had our share of challenges last year, and I am sure that this year will bring us different ones. However, as St. Paul assures us, Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever. Whatever comes, His grace will also be there in the midst of it all!

I wanted to once again invite all of us to ponder (if we have not already done so) the spiritual possibilities that we could undertake to make this year an even more grace-filled time. Christ offers us limitless riches in the ways of the Spirit. We should take every advantage that we have as Catholic Christians. I mentioned last weekend in my homily that the Epiphany story from Matthew speaks of three individuals or groups of people: Herod, the religious experts (chief priests and the scribes), and the Magi. Herod was only concerned with power and worldly things, and had neither the heart for nor the knowledge of the Lord. The chief priests and the scribes had all the head knowledge that the Lord had revealed to them through the Law and the Prophets, but did not have even enough love in their hearts to go five miles to look for the Lord. It was only the Magi who had the heart to seek the knowledge of how to find Him, and went to the effort to actually seek Him out. Only they actually found Him, and when they did, worshiped Him.

I wish to once again exhort us all to be like them! Though they had far more disadvantages than we do in terms of revelation, they sought Him with all their hearts, put in the effort and considerable time, and were thusly rewarded. We can do the same if we seek Him by seeking to know Him and His truth better, and come to him in prayer and adoration. Quite simply, if we are not seeking to learn more about our Faith every day, as well as seeking to develop our relationship with Him in prayer and contemplation, we run the risk of falling into the company of Herod and those scribes all those years ago. We will not find Him who is the fulfillment of all our heart's desire.

Take advantage of the many catechetical resources and tools available through our parish formed.org subscription. Learn more about what we have been given through the wondrous and deep Faith of ours. Especially, take time to foster your own prayer and devotional life. Take the time to sign up for, and be faithful to, an hour of adoration in our St. Clare Chapel. There is no more privileged way to encounter Jesus than in the Holy Eucharist. Though it might not be fireworks and a parting of clouds and a booming voice, I can promise that it will move you in profound ways, seen and unseen, if you simply seek Him out.

In Christ the Truth,
-Fr. Chris



Seminarian of the Month

Send a note of encouragement to Bradley Gehlhausen at 500 Hill Drive, St. Meinrad, IN 47577. Bradley is in 1st Theology and his home Parish is St. Mary Parish in Ireland, Indiana.

Adoration Chapel

We would like to start perpetual adoration again soon. If you are interested in filling one of the hours or keeping the one you had pre-pandemic please call Jane Young at (812) 867-3718 or email at jayoung@evdio.org



Men's Club will be meeting at 6pm on Tuesday, January 11 in the Gym. We will be putting away the Christmas Decorations and Ron is preparing his famous Bean Soup. Be there, it is guaranteed to be a real GAS!

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Have you registered with St. John?

St. John would like to remind anyone who has not filled out registration forms to please do so. If you are a young adult who has moved out on your own, please fill out a packet as well. If you have been attending for a while, or if you are new to St. John, we would love to welcome you. The forms can be found by the office window. You can return the registration forms by placing them in the mail box or dropping them off at the office during the week.

Sign-up for Parish Emails & Texts

Our Parish uses Flocknote to keep you informed of important news, updates and cancellations. Text StJohnDaylight to **84576**, or go to <https://StJohntheEvangelistCath4.flocknote.com>. You can also choose to be added to any of the groups or ministries you participate in. St. John Daylight's guest network Wi-Fi password: Daylight!



Memory Candles

The candles in the Sanctuary Lamp and the St. Clare Adoration Chapel will burn this week in Honor of: Tim, Olivia, and Grace Robertson
Req. by Earl and Grace Robertson



St. Vincent De Paul

Contact: Donal Gogarty svdpsjd@gmail.com

January 9: The Baptism of the Lord

After Jesus was baptized, he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and a voice was heard "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." As we give to the poor, we also can hear these same words.

As you help those who are suffering, know in your heart the truth of the words "you are my beloved with whom I am well pleased."

Congratulations and God's Blessings to:

Bart Kempf and Michelle Rexing

Married at St. John on 12/31/2021



Mass for Life followed by Holy Hour Vigil

January 21, 2022 5:30 pm

Mass will be celebrated by Most Rev. Joseph M. Siegel at St. Benedict Cathedral

Mass will be Livestreamed

<https://www.youtube.com/c/CatholicDioceseofEvansvilleIndiana>

And on St. Benedict Cathedral FB page
<https://www.facebook.com/saintbenedictcathedral>

Arise Holy Hour: Arise (Adoration, Reconciliation, Intercession, Scripture, Exhilaration) is a Holy Hour Service, held on the 3rd Sunday every month at Good Shepherd Catholic Church beginning at 6:40 pm.

All are Welcome!

Weekly Schedule

Sunday, Jan. 9

8:00 am RCIA (St. Elizabeth Room)
8:20 am Religious Education (Church)
8:30 am Adult Faith Formation (Church)
1:00 pm K of C Free Throw Contest (Gym)

Monday, Jan. 10

4:00 pm Gabriel Project Meeting (St. Elizabeth Room)

Tuesday, Jan. 11

7:00 pm Men's Club (Gym)

Wednesday, Jan. 12

5:00 pm Sacred & Immaculate Heart Prayer Apostolate (St. Clare Chapel)
5:00 pm Adoration and Reconciliation (Church)
6:30 pm Youth Group (Church)

Thursday, Jan. 13

6:00 pm Maria Rosa Mystica Novena —no mass (Church)
7:00 pm St. Vincent DePaul Meeting (Gym)

Friday, Jan. 14

Saturday, Jan. 15

9:00 am Young Women's Bible Study (Gym)

Sunday, Jan. 16

8:00 am RCIA (St. Elizabeth Room)
8:20 am Religious Education (Church)
8:30 am Adult Faith Formation (Church)

Pilgrimage

A Community Event

Join us for 3 evenings of inspiring reflections and witness from evangelist and Catholic convert, **Keith Nester.**

January 16th: 6:00 • Holy Redeemer

*Join us for Dinner at 5:00! \$8 per person.

January 17th 6:00 • Sacred Heart

January 18th: 6:00 • Resurrection

*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Each Evening



Please join us for dinner before the Keith Nester event at Holy Redeemer on January 16 from 5:00 to 6:00 pm. Hosted by the Diocese of Evansville Cursillo Movement and provided by El Patron. We will enjoy a three-meat taco bar, including all sides and chips and salsa for \$8/person. You can RSVP on the parish website under the Keith Nester Pilgrimage webpage. RSVP deadline is Sunday, January 9.

Pilgrimage With Keith Nester Meal RSVP

<https://www.holyredeemerchurch.org/keith-nester-pilgrimage.html>

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Cursillo Ambassador

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Knights of Columbus, Council 14659

Contact: Mitch Strange, 812-259-5318

Mother to Mother

Contact: Jade Blankenberger, 812-453-7364

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Contact: Lois Martin, 812-303-4541

Renewal In The Spirit

Contact: Donna Todd, 813-719-0908

Respect Life

Contact: Mandy Keener, 812-459-4119

Rosary Leaders

Contact: Marie Dasher, 812-455-2905

Sacred and Immaculate Heart Prayer Apostolate

Contact: Grace Robertson, 812-306-4689

Senior Citizen Mass/Breakfast

Contact: Virginia Miller, 812-867-5765

St. Anne Altar Society

Contact: Berny Heitzman, 812-867-3718

St. John Men's Club

Contact: Steve Wagner, 812-457-1678

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Contact: Donal Gogarty,
svdpsjd@gmail.com

Troops of St. George

Contact: Sean Boyles, 812-430-9560

Youth Ministry

Wade Lovell, 812-867-3718
Youth group meets on Wednesdays
at 6:00 pm.



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