



## Feast of Christ the King November 20, 2022

### St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

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

#### Mass Schedule

Saturday, 5:00 pm

Sunday, St. John the Evangelist

6:45 am & 9:30 am

St. Bernard 11:30 am

Tuesday, 8:00 am

Wednesday, 5:30 pm

Thursday,

St. John Evangelist 8:00 am

St. Bernard 6:00 pm

Friday, 9:00 am

First Saturday, 8:00 am

#### Reconciliation

Saturday, 4:00–4:45 pm

Sunday, 6:00–6:30 am

Tuesday, 7:15–7:45 am

Wednesday, 4:45–5:15 pm

Thursday,

St. John the Evangelist 7:15–7:45 am

St. Bernard 5:15–5:45 pm

Friday, 8:15–8:45 am

And by appointment

#### Office Hours

Mon–Fri, 8:00 am –4:30 pm



#### Adoration & Benediction

Wednesday, 4:30 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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vbernardin@evdio.org

**Deacon**..... Lonny Davis  
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jbarry@evdio.org

**Secretary**..... Jane Young  
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**Youth Minister**..... Mary Shetler  
mshetler@evdio.org

**Parish Catechetical Leader**..... Mary Shetler  
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## Mass Intentions

**Tues., Nov. 22**

**8:00 am** † Gary Baumgart

**Wed., Nov. 23**

**5:30 pm** † John L. Henneberger

**Thurs., Nov. 24**

**8:00 am** † Nicholas O'Daniel

**Fri., Nov. 25**

**9:00 am** † Carol Bengert

**Sat., Nov. 26**

**5:00 pm** LIV/† Fred & Erma Tepool and For All  
Living and Deceased Members of the Tepool Family

**Sun., Nov. 27**

**6:45 am** † Les Ziliak

**9:30 am** For St. Bernard and St. John the Evangelist  
Parishes



Sponsor of the Week:  
**Dr. Michael Pitt, DDS**  
Please patronize and thank  
our sponsors for supporting our  
Parish.

## Financial Giving

Weekly Budget	\$	13,060.00
Collection	\$	10,889.75
Online Collection	\$	1,524.51
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>12,414.26</b>
Difference	\$	(645.74)
Budget YTD:	\$	261,180.00
Actual:	\$	248,920.74
Difference:	\$	(12,259.26)
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	155.00
St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank	\$	5.00
Gabriel Project	\$	35.00

**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%

## Building Fund

Estimated Cost for Building	\$4,129,000
Pledges/Parish Funds	\$3,468,134
<b>Difference</b>	<b>\$660,866</b>

80% of the estimated cost (\$3,303,202) must be pledged or in hand for the project to be approved by the diocese.



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We are on the cusp of crossing the threshold of a new Church year, and will very soon be embarking into the season of Advent. Once again, this season is marked as a time of preparation for the coming of the Incarnate God into the world.

It always bears reminding ourselves that during these weeks of Advent we are called to make room in our lives for Christ the Lord in a new way. Like our kitchen, garage, or car, our lives can become cluttered and chaotic. I think this is particularly true during the holiday season. As in our house or office, sometimes some time has to be taken out for things to be reorganized, clutter to be removed, and things to be swept clean. That which does not properly belong has to be taken away or put in its proper place.

It is the same with our spiritual life. Advent gives us the opportunity in quiet prayerfulness to look at our lives, make what is most important truly most important, and to put those less important things in our lives in their proper places. In short, if Christ is the Lord, do we actually live and organize our lives in such a way that it is obvious that He actually *is* our Lord?

I might sound like a broken record around this time of year, but I think that a lot of us could greatly benefit from actively stepping away from the attitude of commercialism and gift-giving. Let's be honest, Christmas didn't use to be this way. It was much simpler, solemnly joyful, and centered on worship and family. Corporate America has made it into the last push to meet year-end sales quotas and close the year in the black. I'm afraid this has happened at the great expense of the spiritual and family life of our nation. Instead of turning our attention and gaze on the wonder of the Incarnation of our Lord, we wonder what we're going to get under the tree (or stress about what we're going to give).

Don't get me wrong, I do think that a certain small or token generosity is healthy and helpful to building family and community, but it has clearly overshadowed the meaning of the season in the first place. Take advantage of the advent companion books in our narthex as a possible way to sanctify the season, and/or look to the many online guides that help to focus and sharpen our spiritual life during this time. Let's have a good and holy Advent. Let's get back to the basics. The Lord is coming soon!

Blessings in Christ the Alpha and Omega,

-Fr. Chris

## Catholic Parishes Campaign (CPC) is UNDERWAY—

Our annual Catholic Parishes Campaign is now underway! We are grateful to you for your past support of this vital work and we ask that you prayerfully consider continuing your support this year. Completed cards can be returned to the parish office or collection basket. Visit <http://www.evdio.org/impact-report.html> for more information. Please return your completed cards!

CPC Goal	\$ 144,800	
Pledged to Date	\$65,418	45%
Cards Returned	190	31%

# Feast of Christ the King

## November 20, 2022



### Have you registered with St. John?

Have you registered with St. John? If you are new to St. John's, have been here a while, or have just moved out on your own we want you to register as a parishioner! You can find registration forms by the office window or on our website at [catholicdaylight.org](http://catholicdaylight.org). Return them in person or by placing them in the mailbox.

St. John Daylight's guest network Wi-Fi password: **Daylight!**

### St. Vincent De Paul

Contact: [MikeRogan.svdpsjd@gmail.com](mailto:MikeRogan.svdpsjd@gmail.com)

Today as we celebrate Christ the King, may we open the door of our heart so wide that we may listen to the voice of Jesus calling us to help build his kingdom here on earth.

### Condolences to the family of:

**Terry Grimes**  
husband of Roni Grimes (Parishioner) and for  
**Ray Lambert** (Parishioner)  
may their souls and the souls of all the  
faithful departed rest in peace.



With Deepest Sympathy

### Seminarian of the Month

Please take the time to send Caleb Scherzinger a note of encouragement as he returns to St. Meinrad Seminary at 200 Hill Drive, St. Meinrad, IN 47577. Caleb is 3rd Theology Class of 2024. His home parish is St. Isidore, Celestine, IN. His birthday is Nov. 21. If you cannot send a note, please add him to your prayers!



**Prayer for our Military:** O Prince of peace, we humbly ask your protection for all our men and women in military service. Give them unflinching courage to defend with honor, dignity and devotion, the rights of all who are imperiled by injustice and evil. Be their rock, their shield, and their stronghold and let them draw their strength from you. Please keep all of our military in your prayers. Veterans and current military need our prayers.

**The Gabriel Project** tree will be up in the commons for all parishioners to help local families in need this Christmas! Please take an ornament, purchase and wrap the gift, attach the ornament to the gift, and return it to St. John's. The due date for gifts is December 5. If you have any questions, please email Mandy at [mando9259@yahoo.com](mailto:mando9259@yahoo.com)



## You're Invited

### ADVENT BIBLE STUDY

**MARY: A BIBLICAL WALK WITH THE BLESSED MOTHER**

#### When:

Thursday, December 1st, @ 9:00 am

Thursday, December 8th, @ 9:00 am

Thursday, December 15th, @ 9:00 am

Thursday, December 22nd, @ 9:00 am

#### Where:

In the Commons

#### What:

Bring a notebook and no need to register just show up and join in the fellowship!

## Weekly Schedule

### Sunday, Nov. 20

8:00 am RCIA (St. Elizabeth Room)  
8:00 am Adult Faith Formation (Commons)  
8:00 am Religious Education (Classrooms)

### Monday, Nov. 21

### Tuesday, Nov. 22

5:00 pm Children's Choir (Church)

### Wednesday, Nov. 23

#### No Preschool/Pre-K

4:30 pm Sacred & Immaculate Heart Prayer Apostolate  
(St. Clare Chapel)  
4:30 pm Adoration and Reconciliation (Church)

### Thursday, Nov. 24



Office Closed and No Preschool/PreK

### Friday, Nov. 25

Office closed and No Preschool/Pre-k

### Saturday, Nov. 26

### Sunday, Nov. 27

8:00 am Religious Ed (Classrooms)  
8:00 am RCIA Gathering (Gym)  
2:00 pm Siena Girls Group (Gym/Church/Parking lot & Field)

### Liturgy of the Hours for Advent

*From ancient times the Church has had the custom of celebrating each day the Liturgy of the Hours. In this way, the Church fulfills the Lord's precept to pray without ceasing, at once offering its praise to God the Father and interceding for the salvation of the world.*

—Sacred Congregation for Divine Worship

In anticipation of the birth of our Savior, Evening Prayer of the Liturgy of the Hours, followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet, will be celebrated at 6:00 pm on Fridays during Advent, beginning December 2<sup>nd</sup> in the church. Please join us in praying in communion with our brothers and sisters worldwide. All are welcome, with no prior experience necessary, and materials will be provided.

*Peace and Blessings,  
Deacon Lonny Davis*

### ALL Ladies of the Parish are invited to the Altar Society Christmas Dinner on Tues., Dec. 6 at 6 pm in the Gym. Our main dish will be smoked meat provided by Fr. Chris. Side dishes and dessert will be provided by the board members.

Please bring a friend, \$5 to cover the meal, and a set of bath towels to donate to Ozanam. RSVP to Jenny at [jbarry@evdio.org](mailto:jbarry@evdio.org) or in the commons. The mission of the **Altar Society** is to provide for the needs of the altar, vestments, music, special needs of the parishioners, and outreach to the community. Funding comes from Kuchen sales, dumpling sales, and other opportunities throughout the year. All parish ladies are members and are encouraged to come to our quarterly meetings.



**Table and Chair Rentals:** As of January 1, 2023, St. John the Evangelist will be implementing a \$50 charge for the use of tables and chairs for off site events. Transport off site causes more than usual wear and tear and we are hoping to offset the cost for having to replace these items in the future.



# St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

**Cursillo Ambassador**  
Contact: Alicia Nichols  
stjohnsdaylight@evansvillecursillo.com

**Gabriel Project**  
Contact: Tarah Bracher, 812-983-4517

**Knights of Columbus, Council 14659**  
Contact: Mitch Strange, 812-259-5318

**Morning Star Friends Outreach (Sick/Homebound)**  
Contact: Jenny Barry, 812-867-3718 or jbarry@evdio.org

**Mother to Mother**  
Contact: Jade Blankenberger, 812-453-7364

**Prayer Shawl Ministry**  
Contact: Lois Martin, 812-303-4541

**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: Jenny Barry, 812-867-3718

**St. John Men's Club**  
Contact: Steve Wagner, 812-457-1678

**St. Vincent de Paul Society**  
Contact: Mike Rogan, svdpsjd@gmail.com

**Troops of St. George**  
Contact: Matt Keener, (812) 459-4119

**Youth Ministry**  
Mary Shetler, 812-867-3718  
Youth group meets on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm.

## MEMORY CANDLES RESERVATION FORM

I would like to reserve candles in the Sanctuary Lamp and in the St. Clare Adoration Chapel during the week of (Monday through Sunday):

Please circle one: **In Honor of** **In Memory**

Name of Individual: \_\_\_\_\_

Donated By: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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You can put this form and check into the collection basket or bring to the parish office. If you have any questions please call the office, 812-867-3718

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