



## Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time February 19, 2023

### 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 (starting 2/26 this mass  
time will change to 11:15 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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**Deacon**..... Vince Bernardin  
vbernardin@evdio.org

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ldavis@evdio.org

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**Secretary**..... Jane Young  
jayoung@evdio.org

**Youth Minister**..... Mary Shetler  
mshetler@evdio.org

**Parish Catechetical Leader**..... Mary Shetler  
mshetler@evdio.org

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## Mass Intentions

**Tues., Feb. 21**

8:00 am † Wilbur Young

**Wed., Feb. 22—Ash Wednesday**

7:00 am LIV Lora Jones

5:30 pm † Bill McKeon

**Thurs., Feb. 23**

8:00 am † Jeanne Driggs

**Fri., Feb. 24**

9:00 am † Rita Reavey

**Sat., Feb. 25**

5:00 pm † Donald T. Rogge, Sr.

**Sun., Feb. 26**

6:45 am For the Parishes of St. Bernard and  
St. John the Evangelist

9:30 am † Larry Scheller

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## Financial Giving

Weekly Budget	\$	13,060.00
Collection	\$	9,963.00
Online Collection	\$	1,589.01
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>11,552.01</b>
Difference	\$	(1,507.99)

Budget YTD:	\$	430,560.00
Actual:	\$	454,046.88
Difference:	\$	23,486.88

St. Vincent de Paul	\$	105.00
St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank	\$	105.00
Gabriel Project	\$	285.00

**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
Finish 2nd Floor (Est.)	\$500,000
<b>Total still needed</b>	<b>\$1,160,866</b>

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Lent is a season of the elementals. We simplify our lives. We simplify our liturgies. It is all a move to 'get back to the basics', so to speak. This is a normal process of human life, and one that I think everyone understands on one level or another. Spring cleaning and having a garage sale is a common thing that we do when we simply have too much clutter in our lives. It is healthy, it is cleansing, and it helps us to determine what is most important and necessary in our lives.

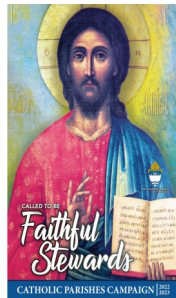
Lent is also, as I have said before, not only a time to subtract things such as sin and distraction, but also a time to enrich and add. This is especially true in matters of faith and devotion. Many people place a renewed emphasis on the Rosary. We may pick the devotion of the Stations of the Cross back up, especially in this season. However, one gift that we here at St. John's have that many parishes do not is the opportunity to come to an adoration chapel and 'get to know the Boss' a little bit better by spending time with Him.

It is impossible to overstate the importance of the Eucharist in our lives as Catholics. Without the Eucharist, we would lose the special sacramental Presence of Christ in the world today. We would miss the greatest source of grace available to us to live lives of holiness and virtue. Mass is the way most Catholics have of encountering this sacramental presence of Jesus. However, the Church has recognized for hundreds of years that simply spending time with the Lord in adoration is immensely beneficial as well. It is a way of extending the experience and contact with Jesus beyond the encounter we have on Sunday. Moreover, we can come and pour ourselves out to Him here at the St. Claire Chapel anytime we are joyful, sorrowful, weak, or discouraged. It is a great gift.

If you already have a regular hour in the chapel, I probably don't have to tell you much about the peace that it can bring to you and the other relationships in your life, and I thank you for making that commitment of your time. I want to extend special thanks for those who have newly signed up for an hour with Jesus during our soon to be extended weekday hours. If you have not yet signed up for a regular hour, I encourage you to think honestly about making the time for it. Yes, it is a sacrifice of your time. Yes, at first you may wonder 'what to do' with that hour. Just 'waste time with Jesus!' I think after a while, when you notice the change in your spirit, you will find that it is not a waste of time at all. In fact, you may find that it is one of the most important appointments on your calendar.

Peace to you,

-Fr. Chris



**Catholic Parishes Campaign (CPC) is**  
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!

## Adoration Chapel

We would like to get the adoration chapel back to a modified perpetual schedule. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed at 7:00 am Monday morning and remain exposed until 4:00 pm each Friday evening. When all the hours during this time are filled, we will be able to start with this new schedule. Please email Jane Young at [jayoung@evdio.org](mailto:jayoung@evdio.org) or call the church office at 812-867-3718 to fill an hour or with any questions.



CPC Goal	\$144,800	
Pledged to Date	\$81,028	56%
Cards Returned	223	37%

# Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

## February 19, 2023



### 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: Mike Rogan [svdpsjd@gmail.com](mailto:svdpsjd@gmail.com)

In today's Gospel, Jesus challenges us by saying: "You must be perfected as your heavenly Father is perfect."

### Memory Candles

The candles in the Sanctuary Lamp and the St. Clare Adoration Chapel are in Honor of:

**Allan & Jeanette Heidorn**

Req. by Scott Heidorn



*Congratulations and God's blessings to:*

*Decker Earl Gries,*

Son of Ryan & Lauren Gries  
and

*Andrew Gene Feller,*

Son of Michael & Katie Feller  
(Recently baptized at St. John the Evangelist)

**SOURCE + SUMMIT YOUTH RETREAT- March 17, 18, 19 - Memorial High School - "Through Him and With Him and In Him" featuring Jackie Franchois Angel, a favorite at NCYC, SEEK and Steubenville Youth Conferences and Fr. Leo Patalinghug** renowned chef, NCYC presenter, founder of Plating Grace and "Savoring our Faith" on EWTN. Fr. Giles, CFR, Br. Damien, CFR, the Nashville Dominicans, Fr. Tyler Tenbarger, Giancarlo Bernini and many others. Friends, fellowship, prayer, faith, and FUN! Ages 13 and up. For complete information and how to register go to [www.sourcesummittelevansville.org](http://www.sourcesummittelevansville.org) or call 812-453-1024 or email [sourcesummit@evdio.org](mailto:sourcesummit@evdio.org).

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH - SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH

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40 Days for Life is a simple invitation to be present peacefully and to pray for the end to abortion. 40 Days for Life is the call to visible action

here in Evansville, and we are inviting you to take part, one hour at a time. Our spring campaign starts on Feb. 22 and runs from 7am to 6pm, Monday thru Friday. Our Parish will cover Tuesdays starting Feb. 28 thru March 28. You can sign up in the commons, call the office @812-867-3718, or contact Ruth McDaniel at [ruthemcdaniel@gmail.com](mailto:ruthemcdaniel@gmail.com) or 812-626-8353. If you cannot help on Tuesdays Please sign up for open times at <https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/evansville>.

## Weekly Schedule

### Sunday, Feb. 19

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

### Monday, Feb. 20

### Tuesday, Feb. 21

4:00 pm Children's Choir (Church)  
6:00 pm Adult Choir (Church)  
6:00 pm Finance Committee (Gym)  
7:00 pm Parish Pastoral Council Meeting (Gym)

### Wednesday, Feb. 22- ASH WEDNESDAY

7:00 am Ash Wednesday Mass (St. John the Evangelist)  
4:30 pm Sacred & Immaculate Heart Prayer Apostolate (St. Clare Chapel)  
4:30 pm Adoration and Reconciliation (Church)  
5:30 pm Ash Wednesday Mass (St. John the Evangelist)  
6:00 pm Youth Ministry (Gym)  
7:15 pm Ash Wednesday Mass (St. Bernards)

### Thursday, Feb. 23

5:00 pm Source and Summit Mass & Meeting (Church/Gym)

### Friday, Feb. 24

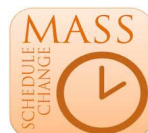
5:45 pm Evening Prayer and Divine Mercy Chaplet (Church)  
6:00 pm Stations/Simple Supper (Church/Gym)

### Saturday, Feb. 25

8:00 am Women's Faith Formation (All Campus)

### Sunday, Feb. 26

8:00 am RCIA (St. Elizabeth Room)  
8:00 am Religious Education (Classrooms)  
8:00 am Adult Faith Formation (Church)  
2:00 pm Rite of Election (St. Benedict Cathedral)



**Mass Time Change starting February 26 at St. Bernards in Snake Run. The Sunday Mass will be changed from 11:30 am to 11:15 am starting the first week of Lent.**

### MorningStar Friends Outreach

If you or someone you know would like to receive a call or visit from the parish please contact the parish office at (812) 867-3718.



**K of C 40 cans for Lent starts on February 26 and ends on April 2.** Our goal is that each family will bring in 40 items for the food drive during this time. Some food item

ideas: Peanut butter, mac & cheese, pasta/tomato sauce, rice, beans, canned fruits, canned vegetables, and canned soups. Please drop off all items in the box in the commons area. If you would rather make a monetary donation please make checks payable to Kof C council #14659. You can drop checks or money off at the office or in the collection basket.



Annunciation Parish will be hosting Dr. Kenneth Howell during our Parish Mission. Dr. Howell was a Presbyterian minister who converted to the Catholic Church. He will be speaking on his conversion and the Eucharist on three nights, Feb. 26, 27 & 28, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. in Christ the King Church, 3010 E Chandler Ave, Evansville. All are welcome!



# 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**

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