



Easter Sunday of The Resurrection of the Lord

April 09, 2023

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule

Saturday, 5:00 pm
Sunday, St. John the Evangelist
6:45 am & 9:30 am
St. Bernard 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
cforler@evdio.org

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vbernardin@evdio.org

Deacon..... Lonny Davis
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rleibundguth@evdio.org

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gsmiljanich@evdio.org

Preschool Director/Teacher.....Traci Davis
tdavis@evdio.org

Parish Secretary.....Jenny Barry
jbarry@evdio.org

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., April 11

8:00 am † Olmer Mulzer

Wed., April 12

5:30 pm † Tom Cici

Thurs., April 13

8:00 am † Rodney Rauk

Fri., April 14

9:00 am † Heather & Janice Sutton

Sat., April 15

5:00 pm † Stephen Libs

Sun., April 16

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

9:30 am † Margaret Smith



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

Financial Giving

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| Weekly Budget | \$ | 13,060.00 |
| Collection | \$ | 15,341.53 |
| Online Collection | \$ | 4,681.47 |
| Total Collection | \$ | 20,023.00 |
| Difference | \$ | 6,963.00 |

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| Budget YTD: | \$ | 521,980.00 |
| Actual: | \$ | 556,978.51 |
| Difference: | \$ | 34,998.51 |

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| St. Vincent de Paul | \$ | 280.00 |
| St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank | \$ | 100.00 |
| Gabriel Project | \$ | 170.00 |

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

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| Estimated Cost for Building | \$4,129,000 |
| Pledges/Parish Funds | \$3,468,134 |
| Finish 2nd Floor (Est.) | \$500,000 |

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

A happy and joyful Easter to all of you and your loved ones!

I hope that this has been a fruitful and fulfilling Lenten journey for all of you. For me, it seemed to fly by. However, even if it seemed to crawl for you, I hope that it was nonetheless a time of spiritual renewal and awakening. Christ is, or should be, the center of our lives as Catholic Christians, and He is constantly working in our hearts to bring us closer to Himself. We allow Him to truly work profoundly in our hearts when we ourselves strive to meet Him in our daily lives.

Whether you have had a productive or a somewhat lackluster experience of preparation for the great feast of Easter, my prayer is that we all stay committed to our quest for Him, even after the season of Lent is over. We have pondered our weaknesses and sinfulness. We have plumbed the depths of our own poverty of spirit and our need for the Savior. If we have done this to the best of our ability, we can now contemplate the greatness of the sacrifice of Jesus and ponder the wonder of His Resurrection.

I now encourage you to step into another stage of the journey toward the Lord. During this season of Easter, let us marvel at the blessings He has brought to us in our own lives. We could all stand to be more steadfast in taking an inventory of these blessings, and then offering heartfelt prayers of thanks and praise to the One who has made them possible. In addition, if this is for whatever reason a time of darkness and trial for you because of loss, anxiety, or other challenge, we are still encouraged to persevere in our prayer and quest for the Lord. If we are honest people of faith, we also must admit that it is often from our own crosses that our greatest occasions for growth and blessings have sprung forth. Let us continue to trust in the Lord, who heals our wounds. What we celebrate now, at the high point of our Church year, is that God has shown Himself the master of all things, even death itself.

Christ is Risen!

Peace to you,
-Fr. Chris

Catholic Parishes Campaign (CPC) :

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!

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| CPC Goal | \$144,800 | |
| Pledged to Date | \$84,428 | 58% |
| Cards Returned | 224 | 37% |

Bulletin Ads Needed: We have a few open spaces on the back page of the bulletin. The bulletins are distributed to over 600 parish families weekly. The bulletin, including the advertising page, is also displayed on our website every week. The cost is \$200 annually for one block, black & white ad, or \$300 for a color ad. You can purchase multiple blocks if needed. Please contact Jenny Barry in the parish office at jbarry@evdio.org to have your ad placed.

SAVE THE DATE

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY EVENT ST. JOHN'S NEWBURGH

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Newburgh will celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday (April 16th) with an hour of Confession starting at 2:00 PM.

A blessing of the Divine Mercy image will follow at 3:00 PM, accompanied by singing the Divine Mercy.

Please make plans to join priests from our local South Deanery for this special time of prayer and reflection. All are welcome!

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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. 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

Today as we celebrate the feast of Easter, we find the challenge of also seeing and believing the resurrection that comes through our own lives of self-sacrifice. It is then that we are truly Easter people! As you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box, know that you are a sign of God's love to those who are suffering, and you give them Easter hope and joy.



Memory Candles

The candles in the Sanctuary Lamp and the St. Clare Adoration Chapel are in Memory of:
The Johnson Family (Baby Regan)
Req. by The Barry Family

Join us at St. John the Evangelist on Thursday, April 13, at 6:00 pm in church for the **Maria Rosa Mystica Mass** and Novena prayers. Help us as we continue to pray for our Priests, Seminarians, and all religious. Everyone is invited to come and be a part of the prayers!



Parish Council Elections

The Parish Pastoral Council Election will be held in May. Michelle (Rexing) Kempf's term will end in June. We appreciate her contribution to the Council these past few years and hope the best for her as she moves forward.

We are looking for your help in finding new members. Please discern who you would like to nominate (including yourself) for one of the terms on the council. We are looking for 1 person, for a 3 year term. Those nominated will be contacted prior to having their names added to the election ballot. Look for the Nomination Forms in the church pews April 15/16 and April 22/23, which can be turned into the church office, dropped into the collection basket, or put in the box in the commons. Any questions, contact Jenny Barry@ 812-867-3718 or jbarry@evdio.org

Speaker at Annunciation Parish-

Catholic missionary, storyteller, author, and speaker Meg Hunter-Kilmer is visiting Annunciation Parish at Christ the King Church on May 10 and May 11, 2023. Starting at 6:30 p.m. both nights, she will share insights about how to pray with children on Monday and explore the question, "What good are the saints?" on Tuesday. You may check out Meg's blog at piercedhands.com and her books: *Saints Around the World*; *Pray for Us: 75 Saints who Sinned, Suffered, and Struggled on Their Way to Holiness*; *A Year in the Word Catholic Bible Journal*

Weekly Schedule

Happy and Blessed Easter

Sunday, April 9 -Easter Sunday

7:00 am Easter Mass-No Incense (St. John The Evangelist)

8:30 am Easter Mass (St. Bernard)

10:30 am Easter Mass (St. John the Evangelist)

Monday, April 10

Adoration Chapel Modified Perpetual Schedule begins today/No Preschool/Office Closed

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

Tuesday, April 11

4:00 pm Children's Choir (Church)

6:00 pm Adult Choir Practice (Church)

6:00 pm Quarterly Baptism Prep Class (St. Elizabeth Room)

7:00 pm Men's Club (Gym)

Wednesday, April 12

4:00 pm Sacred & Immaculate Heart Prayer Apostolate (St. Clare Chapel)

4:30 pm Adoration and Reconciliation (Church)

6:00 pm Youth Ministry (Gym)

Thursday, April 13

6:00 pm Maria Rosa Mystica Mass/Novena Prayers (Church)

6:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul (Gym)

Friday, April 14

6:00 pm Evening Prayer and Chaplet (Church)

Saturday, April 15

10:00 am Mother to Mother Easter Brunch & Easter Egg Hunt (Gym)

6:00 pm Altar Society Cookie Sale after mass

Sunday, April 16

St. Anne Altar Society Cookie Sale after all masses

8:00 am Divine Mercy Chaplet (Church)

Mother to Mother Upcoming Events:

April 15—Easter Brunch and Egg Hunt at 10:00 am at St. John the Evangelist in the Gym.

April 20—Mom's Night Out at Pangea Kitchen at 7:00 pm

April 26—Play Date at Scott Township Park at 9:30 am

Sign up for additional information on FlockNote or contact Jade Blankenberger at 812-453-7364 or j.r.blankenberger@gmail.com

We will be up and running with the new modified perpetual adoration schedule **beginning Monday, April 10**. All of the hours have been filled!! Our hope is to

have two adorers for every hour. If you are a new adorer and were not able to attend one of the training sessions, you will need to schedule an individual appointment.

Substitutes are essential for a successful adoration program. Please consider signing up to be a substitute. You will need to be specific as to the day(s) and hour(s) you are available.

If you have any questions, or would like to take an hour or sign-up to be on the substitute list, please contact Jane Young at jayoung@evdio.org or call 812-867-3718.

Thank you for your commitment to Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament! St. Clare, pray for us!



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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: _____

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Phone Number: _____

Please include your check for \$25.

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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