



Twenty - Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 15, 2023

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church

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

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

Monday 8:00 am—11:30 am
Tues. - 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.

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Deacon..... Lonny Davis
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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
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Mass Intentions

Tues., Oct. 17

8:00 am **No Mass-Due to Priest Convocation**

Wed., Oct. 18

5:30 pm **No Mass-Due to Priest Convocation**

Thurs., Oct. 19

8:00 am **No Mass-Due to Priest Convocation**

Fri., Oct. 20

9:00 am † Rita Elpers

Sat., Oct. 21

5:00 pm † Mary Baumgart

Sun., Oct. 22

6:45 am † Dan Pate

9:30 am St. Bernard & St. John the Evangelist Parishes

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Financial Giving

Weekly Budget	\$	13,485.00
Collection	\$	8,254.00
Online Collection	\$	3,263.89
Total Collection	\$	11,517.89
Difference	\$	(1,967.11)
Budget YTD:	\$	202,265.00
Actual:	\$	195,779.17
Difference:	\$	(6,485.83)
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	259.00
St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank	\$	5.00
Gabriel Project	\$	5.00

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%



New Building Fund Mortgage

Total Amount of Mortgage	\$	805,000.00
Monthly Mortgage Payment	\$	11,377.80
Weekly Mortgage Need	\$	2,626.00

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

This coming week, our priest convocation here in the diocese of Evansville will be held. Due to this, daily Masses Tuesday through Thursday at our parishes will be canceled. In times past, it has proven to be a wonderful time of recollection and brotherhood for me in particular, and many of my brothers in the priesthood in the diocese in general.

Many might wonder what exactly a priest convocation is. The word literally means 'to be called together.' There are only about 60 priests in our diocese, and about a third of those are retired from parish ministry, though they still travel about to various parishes filling in for the rest of us who are 'still in the saddle'. Because of our schedules and being often geographically separated, it is difficult if not impossible for us to see each other for any meaningful length of time. All human beings need connection and community, especially among peers, and priests are no exception. Of course we form meaningful bonds with our people, but the experience of life as a priest is rather unique. It helps to be able to commiserate with the men and brothers that are in the same boat in terms of day-to-day life.

It's also a great opportunity for relatively younger clergy like myself to glean wisdom from those who have been doing it a lot longer than we have. It is quite inspiring not only to hear how these unique and gifted men have given of themselves to the enrichment of the diocesan Church, but to consider how each of them had impacted me in particular.

Priestly life can sometimes be challenging. It can also be immensely rewarding and inspiring. This week is one of those times, made possible by men such as these, my priestly brothers, gathered around our bishop. What makes them most inspiring is not their considerable personal gifts, but their faithfulness to Christ and His call and His people. May they have many more years of fruitful ministry to us and all of God's people!

I ask that while we are gone next week, you would graciously keep us all in prayer. We are weak, fallible, and yes even sinful creatures of God. Yet we have been given a high call. Please pray that we may become every day, and especially through our conferences this week, better men and better priests. You depend on sacramental grace and pastoral care for salvation. We depend on those things too, as well as on our being good ministers of the Gospel for ours. We need your prayers, and thank you for them!

In Christ the High Priest,
-Fr. Chris

EVANSVILLE SEMINARIANS
2023-2024

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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!**

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!

MorningStar Friends Outreach

Through this ministry we bring the comfort of Christ in the form of the Eucharist to those people who cannot physically come to church. In this way, the sick and homebound are united to the Body of Christ present in our community. If you know someone who needs to be visited, please contact Jenny at the church office at 812-867-3718 or email jbarry@evdio.org.



St. Vincent De Paul

Contact: Mike Rogan svdpsjd@gmail.com

Remember the St. Vincent DePaul donation truck is here this weekend of Oct. 14/15.

Memory Candles

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

Tom Robertson

Requested by Earl & Grace Robertson



Children's All Saints Party

Wed Nov 1, 1-3pm St John's Daylight. Can come eat lunch at 12:30 beforehand. Have children dress up as saint or at least have 3 clues for others to guess. Each family bring saint game (I have bingo). Bring candy or item for treat bag.

A couple volunteers to bring donuts or apple juice for soul cakes. Please message me with names of children attending.
Janet Dilger: Janetmdilger@yahoo.com, 317-696-0898



Open hour in the Adoration chapel:

Wednesday at Midnight (follows the 11 pm hour on Tuesday evenings)

If interested, please call Jane at 812-867-3718 or email her at jayoung@evdio.org

"So you could not keep watch with me for one hour?"
Matthew 26:40

Respect Life Celebration

Join Bishop Siegel on October 19 at 5:30pm at St. Benedict Cathedral for the Annual Respect Life Celebration Mass. Afterward, enjoy dinner and our featured speaker, Theresa Bonopartis. Adult tickets are \$30, adult students are \$25, youth students are \$20, tables of 8 are \$200. Scholarships are available, especially for large groups. See the flyer for reservation details or go to <https://www.evdio.org/events2.html> and click the flyer. Questions? Contact Eric at 812-424-5536.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday, Oct. 15

7:30 am - Noon St. Vincent de Paul Truck (Parking Lot)

8:00 am Religious Ed Classes (Gym/Classrooms)
8:00 am Adoration (Church)
8:00 am Welcome/Evangelization Meeting (Gym)
9:00 am Pick Up Choir (Music Room)

Monday, Oct. 16

Priest Convocation

Tuesday, Oct. 17

Priest Convocation-No Mass

4:00 pm Children's Choir (Church)
6:00 pm Adult Choir (Church)
6:00 pm Finance Committee (Gym)

Wednesday, Oct. 18

Priest Convocation-No Adoration/ No Reconciliation/ No Mass

4:00 pm Sacred & Immaculate Heart Prayer Apostolate (St. Clare Chapel)
6:00 pm Youth Group (Gym)

Thursday, Oct. 19

Priest Convocation-No Mass

Friday, Oct. 20

6:00 pm Evening Prayer and Chaplet (Church)
6:00 pm Youth Group Movie Night & Car Blessing (Gym/Parking Lot)

Saturday, Oct. 21

Sunday, Oct. 22

8:00 am Religious Ed Classes (Gym/Classrooms)
8:00 am Adoration (Chapel)
8:00 am Server Training (Church)

Remember to get your Box of Joy and return it by November 4! Thank you for joining together for Cross Catholic.



Male and Female, God Created Them: The Body, Gender, and Marriage in the Teaching of Christ

with Catholic biblical scholar and author Dr. James Ware and Catholic physician and speaker Dr. Bill Blanke

For those seeking clarity from the Word of God amid the confusion of our culture.

A Three-Night Presentation, with time for Q & A

October 30, 2023 : The God-Given Body
November 6, 2023 : The Gift of our Gender
November 13, 2023 : The Nature of Marriage

6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

At Christ the King Church
3010 E Chandler Ave.
Evansville, Indiana

Livestream will be available at www.annunciationevv.org



THE DIOCESE OF EVANSVILLE EUCHARISTIC

CONGRESS: SAVE THE DATE! Our diocese will host a Eucharistic Congress in Evansville at the Old National Events Plaza Auditorium on January 13, 2024. Bishop Joseph Siegel will be the main celebrant of the closing Mass and Rev. Tyler Tenbarge will be the Master of Ceremonies. We are called to share the good news, and this Congress could be a starting line for a new age of mission in the Diocese of Evansville. Reserved seating tickets go on sale September 22. For Tickets and more information go to www.eucharisticcongressdevdio.org.

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Cursillo Ambassador

Contact: Alicia Nichols
stjohnsdaylight@evansvillecursillo.com

Gabriel Project (meets on 2nd Monday)

Contact: Tarah Bracher, 812-983-4517

Knights of Columbus, Council 14659

Contact: Mitch Strange, 812-259-5318
(meets on 1st Thursdays)

Morning Star Friends /Sts. Anna & Simeon Outreach (Sick/Homebound)

Contact: Jenny Barry, 812-867-3718 or
jbarry@evdio.org

Magnificat Moms

Contact: Jade Blankenberger, 812-453-7364

Respect Life

Contact: Mandy Keener, 812-459-4119

Rosary Leaders

Contact: Marie Dasher, 812-455-2905

Sacred and Immaculate Heart Prayer

Apostolate (Wednesday at 4:00 pm)
Contact: Grace Robertson, 812-306-4689

Senior Citizen Mass/Breakfast

(1st Thursday)
Contact: Virginia Miller, 812-867-5765

St. Anne Altar Society

Contact: Jenny Barry, 812-867-3718

St. John Men's Club

(meets 2nd Tuesday)
Contact: Steve Wagner, 812-457-1678

St. Vincent de Paul Society

(meets 2nd Thursday)
Contact: Mike Rogan, svdpsjd@gmail.com

Troops of St. George

(meets 1st Monday)
Contact: Matt Keener, (812) 483-2451

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 SanctuarLamp and in the St. Clare Adoration Chapel during the week of (Monday through Sunday):

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

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Phone Number: _____

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