

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

1839 - 2026

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Our Week

27th Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 4, 2026



October is the
Month of
The Holy
Rosary

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend: Saturday 5:00
Sunday 7:30am & 9:30am

Weekday: Wednesday - Friday 7:30am

First Saturday: 7:30am

*Time subject to change
See Our Liturgical Worship (Back Page)*

Holy Day: Vigil 6:00pm; Day 7:30am

Sacrament of Penance (Confession)

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45pm

Sunday: 7:00 - 7:20am, 9:00 - 9:20am

ADORATION

Third Weekend of the Month.

Saturday: 4:00pm - 4:50pm

Sunday: 8:20am - 9:20am

BAPTISM

Contact the pastor for an
appointment and preparation.

MARRIAGE

Notify the pastor six months in advance of the
proposed wedding date. Must be 19 years of age
or one year out of high school.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

*Items for the bulletin must be submitted in writing to the
parish office or to adam.horbovetz@gmail.com
no later than Monday at Noon.*

The Parish of St. John the Evangelist warmly greets all
participants of this celebration. However, please be
reminded of the warning of the Bible: In order not to
consume undeservingly the bread of the Eucharist, which
is the Body of Christ "let each man examine himself"
(1 Cor. 11-28). Therefore, only those who are members of
the Catholic Church, and those who know themselves to
be free of mortal (grave) sins, may take Holy Communion.

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 10:00am - 4:00pm

Friday: 10:00am - Noon

PARISH STAFF

Pastor, Rev. Bruce Fogle - Fr.Bruce.Fogle@comcast.net

Deacon, Bill Clark - billj.clark@gmail.com

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Youth Minister, Lorie Brown - gooodones@gmail.com

Parish & Community News

OCTOBER, THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

According to tradition, Alanus de Rupe received the following fifteen promises to those who pray the Rosary devoutly from the Blessed Virgin Mary herself through a private revelation. We hope that they encourage you in meditating on the mysteries of Christ by praying the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Here are the first four. We will list more every week this month.

1. Those who faithfully serve me by the recitation of the Rosary shall receive signal graces.
2. I promise my special protection and the greatest graces to all those who shall recite the Rosary.
3. The Rosary shall be a powerful armor against hell. It will destroy vice, decrease sin, and defeat heresies.
4. The recitation of the Rosary will cause virtue and good works to flourish. It will obtain for souls the abundant mercy of God. It will withdraw the hearts of men from the love of the world and its vanities, and will lift them to the desire of eternal things. Oh, that souls would sanctify themselves by this means.

THE WISDOM OF FULTON SHEEN

A few years ago, the parish gave every family the book THE WISDOM OF FULTON SHEEN at Christmas. These daily quotes of Blessed Fulton can help us all grow in our spiritual life. So why don't you get this book off of your bookshelves and begin reading it again. Blessed Fulton Sheen, pray for us.

WORLD MISSION DAY

As we approach World Mission Sunday on October 18, 2026, I write to you with deep gratitude for your dedication to the mission of the Church to bring the Gospel to the ends of earth. This year marks the 100th anniversary of its establishment by Pope Pius XI in 1926. This year's theme, "One in Christ, United in Mission," chosen by Pope Leo XIV, invites us to rediscover the profound unity we share in Christ through baptism and reminds us that the Church is missionary by her very nature. Your contribution is more than simply another collection. It is a tangible expression of our communion with Catholics throughout the world. If your budget allows you to be generous with this World Mission Sunday Collection, please do so.

ST. MARY & MERCY HEALTH CANCER SCREENING

St. Mary School System and Mercy Health invite all parishioners to a Cancer Awareness and Early Screening Day on Saturday, October 17th, from 10:00am to 2:00pm in St. Mary's Main Gym. Organized in memory of Sarah Humm to support local health and cancer prevention, this event features healthcare professionals and cancer experts offering valuable educational resources, answering your health questions, and helping schedule free or low-cost screenings for breast, colon, and lung cancer.

OWENSBORO DIOCESE YOUTH CONFERENCE

The Owensboro Diocese Youth Conference (ODYC) will take place on Friday and Saturday, November 20th and 21st, 2026, at The Owensboro Convention Center. The conference will begin with registration at 6:30pm on Friday night and end at 7:00pm on Saturday. This conference is open to middle and high school students. The cost for the event is \$40/person. The conference will include keynote addresses, prayer experiences including Adoration, praise and worship, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and workshops on various topics relevant to youth and adults, and lots of music. Registration and payment must be in the office by October 4th, 2026. You may also contact Lorie with questions at (270) 210-7279.

OCIA INQUIRY CLASSES

Any of our friends that are not Catholic, who may be interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith & the Church in their journey with Jesus, you may call the Parish Office at (270) 554-3810 to set up a time with Father Bruce to discuss instructions and times to meet. God bless you in this journey.

Calendar

St. John Support Group

3rd Wednesday of the Month

Next Meetings: Sat., Oct. 17th 11:00am, Bandana's
Wed., Oct. 21st 11:00am, Pizza Inn

Seniors' Day Out

1st Thurs. of the Month Except Jan. & Sept.
Potluck only! Funeral that day/meeting canceled

Next Meeting: Thursday, November 5th
11:00am, Cafeteria

St. John Knights of Columbus

1st & 3rd Wednesdays, St. John's KC Hall, 7:00pm

Bingo: 1st Thursday of the Month

Doors open at 4:30pm - SMOKE FREE
Free meal for all who buy a Bingo Ticket

Next Bingo: Thursday, November 5th

Compassionate Friends of W KY

2nd Sunday of the Month (No June or Sept. Mtg.)

Next Meeting: Sunday, October 11th
2:00pm - 4:00pm, Cafeteria

St. John's Homemakers Club

2nd Wednesday of the Month, Sept. - May

Next Meeting: Wednesday, October 14th
5:30pm, Cafeteria



Please join us at Dolly McNutt Plaza in downtown Paducah at noon on Saturday, October 10th, for the

Our Lady of Fatima Rosary Rally

The Knights of Columbus will lead the prayer for the community to witness this event.

This is a remembrance of the event that happened on October 13th, 1917, when Our Lady performed the Miracle of the Sun witnessed by 70,000 people, including atheists, communists and anti-Catholics, leading to many conversions.

The October Public Square Rosary Rallies will happen across the nation to remind the person on the street that conversion is possible.

Stewardship

Time, Talent & Treasure

"Let all Your works give you thanks, O Lord, and let Your faithful ones bless You," says the Psalmist. Stewardship is this "attitude of gratitude" of the many gifts God has given us. AMEN!

Collection 9/27/2026

Adults: \$ 5,015.83

Loose: \$ 457.00

Children (4) \$ 6.00

Total: \$ 5,478.83

Special: \$0.00

Weekly Collection needed to cover budgeted expenses:
\$10,953.85

Parish Council

Deacon Bill Clark, Amanda Yigit, Katie Gipson
Greg Englert, Martha Ryan, Doris Trussell,
Adam Horbovetz, Linda Bratton

4th Tuesday of the Month
6:30pm, Cafeteria

Finance Council

Linda Bratton, Barbara DeNeve, Ella Garland,
Jane Martin, Donny Neihoff

4th Tuesday of the Month
5:30pm, Cafeteria

Building/Grounds Committee

Lawrence Durbin, Mike Kaufman,
Donny Neihoff

St. Mary School System

System Director: Bryan Krueger (270) 442-1681
MS/HS Principal: Holly Miller (270) 442-1681
Elem. School Principal: Mary Smith (270) 442-1681
St John SMEC: Kathleen Webster & Amanda Wurth

Paducah Faith Formation

Ging Smith: paducahfaithformation@smss.org
St John Board Rep's: Matt Barks & Brad Chase

Safe Environment

Anyone aware of the abuse of a person under the age of eighteen is required by law to report this to the proper state authorities:
Commonwealth Attorney: (270) 575-7402 McCracken Co. Sheriff's
Dept.: (270) 444-4719 KY Child Abuse Hotline: (877) 597-2331

To report abuse to the diocese, past or present, by anyone acting in the name of the Church (Confidential):

Scott Ingram, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator (270) 852-8380
Miguel Quintanilla, Pastoral Assistance (Spanish) (270) 880-8360

The Diocese of Owensboro's sexual abuse policy is available at this parish on the bookshelf in the vestibule of the church, in the parish office, and on the web at www.owensborodiocese.org/safe

The Safe Environment training and background check are required if you are: Involved in school or parish activities where children are present; serving the elderly or "vulnerable adults." For more information, see: www.owensborodiocese.org/safe

Prayer Requests

Please help keep our prayer list up to date.

To add or remove a name, please notify the parish office.

Jeanne Abell, Ann Adams, Bill Ballard, Charles Ballard, Lennyn Barks, Vayda Bollenbecker, Kate Boudreaux, Martin Cantrell, Martha Childress, Patricia Coleman, Carolyn DeGroot, June Dossey, Philip Elder, Jimmy Englert, Roger Englert, Danny Felts, Phillip Fogle, Kevin Gates, Dave Goewert, David Earl Grief, Georgette Braun-Guyon, Riley Haas, Shepard Haas, Barbara Hayden, Mark & Janice Higdon, Jimmy Hobbs, Tim Howell, Brian Hurlburt, Debbie Johnson, Judy Kaufman, Mike Kaufman, Jeannie Knott, Jack Larka, Daniel McGary, Deklyn McGary, Beck Martin, Darla Martin, Kenneth Myatt, Kelly Nance, Stan Napier, Albert O'Nan, Dolores O'Nan, Zoey Partin, BeBe Phillips, Karol Richards, Carrick Roof, Shelia Roof, David Roper, Sr Mary Therese Seitz (CP), Tony Seitz, Steve Seltzer, Catherine Sutton, Lori Thompson, David Toon, Virginia Vessels, Belinda Webb, Louis Willett, Jim Winsett, Carolyn Anne Wurth, Debbie Wurth, Joe Wurth, Keegan Wurth, Kristi Wurth, Michael Wurth, William J Wurth, Roy Younger

PLEASE: Be considerate and notify the parish office upon admission of a family member into any hospital or nursing home. Fr Fogle would be happy to visit and bring Holy Communion. However, Fr. Fogle and/or the parish have no way of knowing unless a family member contacts the parish office. By law, these facilities are not allowed to release the names of patients.

Prayers For Our Shut-Ins

Doris Durbin, Lawrence & Dorothy Marie Durbin, Jerrie Durbin, Bernadette Englert, Lucille Grandinetti, Charlie Kaufman, Dorothy Kaufman, Marie Mombleau, Dolores O'Nan, John Toon, Jr.

Our Military

Air Force: MSGT Brandon Wurth

Army: SGT First Class Williams Hendrickson, SSGT Doug McCreerey, PFC Benjamin Reams, SGT Charles DeWayne Stephens, JROTC Major Isabelle Wurth

Marines: SGT Evan Jones

Navy: CMDR Billie June Farrell, ENS Richard Lyon

Prayer For Our Troops

Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. And give us peace. I ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen!

Our Liturgical Worship

Monday, October 5 ● St. Faustina Kowalska

NO MASS

Tuesday, October 6 ● St. Bruno

NO MASS

Wednesday, October 7 ● Our Lady of the Rosary

7:30am: † Paul Wurth

Thursday, October 8 ● Weekday of Ordinary Time

7:30am: † Pat & Judy Burch

Friday, October 9 ● St. Denis

7:30am: † James Poat

Saturday, October 10 ● Twenty Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

5:00pm: † Steven Lamb

Sunday, October 11 ● Twenty Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

7:30am: Parishioners

9:30am: † Bill & Eloise Kaler

Weekly Ministries: October 11, 2026

LECTORS:

5:00 - Alex Horbovetz

7:30 - Dottie Wurth

9:30 - Tim Stewart

GIFT BEARERS:

5:00 - John Drury Family

7:30 - Earl Kaufman Family

9:30 - Brad Chase Family

SERVERS:

5:00 - Max Sturm

7:30 - N/A

9:30 - Caroline & Wyatt Wurth

USHERS:

5:00 - Herman & Beth Krimple

7:30 - Earl & Ruth Kaufman

9:30 - John Kaler & Tim Scheer

GREETERS:

5:00 - Jerry & Marge Mathias

7:30 - Linda Thompson & Martha Wurth

9:30 - Amanda Wurth & Bobby Poat

OCTOBER ROSARY & CHAPLET:

5:00 - Tracy & Stacey Courtney

7:30 - Laura Jones

9:30 - Mike Vessels

OCTOBER DOOR SECURITY:

5:00 - Stacey Courtney

7:30 - Earl Kaufman

9:30 - Bryan Hayden

OCTOBER LINENS: Carol Utley **Pick up linens on Wednesday*

OCTOBER VOTIVES: Mary Neihoff

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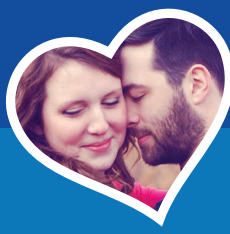
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