

## Saint Brigid Catholic Church



314 E. Main St.  
Vine Grove, KY 40175

Clustered Parish Office:  
(270) 877-2461

Email: [brigidvg@bbtel.com](mailto:brigidvg@bbtel.com)  
Website: [www.stbrigidvg.org](http://www.stbrigidvg.org)

### **Pastoral Associate:**

Deacon Mike Ryan, DRE:  
(270) 877-0546

### **Youth Minister:**

Lori Law: (270) 723-0157

### **MASS SCHEDULE:**

*Sunday:* 9:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.

*Monday:* 9:00 a.m.

*Thursday:* 9:00 a.m.

### **RECONCILIATION:**

Sunday before Mass  
5:30-6:00 p.m. or by appt.

### **ROSARY:**

After weekday Masses

### **PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS:**

*President:* Sue Weissaupt

*Vice-President:* Mike Bramlett

*Secretary:* Judy Cochran

*At-Large Members:* Blake Ryan  
& Vincent Thompson

### **CHAIRPERSONS:**

*Administration:* Dale Winchester

*Formation:* Tina Yates

*Parish Life:* Tom Billings

*Worship:* Keith Baughman

26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in  
Ordinary Time  
October 1, 2017

### **Pastor:**

***Rev. Daniel L. Lincoln***

Rectory: (270) 877-2546

### **Deacon:**

**Michael A. Ryan**

(270) 272-6789

### **ANNOINTING OF THE SICK:**

Notify the parish office when a family member is hospitalized.

### **BAPTISM:**

Contact the parish office for information about the required preparation class.

### **BULLETIN:**

Information must be submitted in writing by note or email to the parish office **no later than 12:00 noon on Wednesdays** for the following weekend. When sending an email, please put "BULLETIN," and the name of the parish the announcement is for, in the subject line.

### **MARRIAGE:**

Contact Father at least 6 months prior to the wedding date to complete required marriage preparations and to schedule the date.

### **RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults):**

Contact the Worship Chairperson for information.

### **DEW MEMORIAL LIBRARY:**

(in St. Brigid Church basement):

Open: Sunday after 9:30 a.m.

Mass & 45 minutes before all other Masses.

## Saint John the Baptist Catholic Church



657 St. John Church Rd.  
Elizabethtown, KY 42701

Clustered Parish Office:  
(270) 877-2461

### **Dir. of Religious Education:**

Lisa Thomas: (270) 735-6930

### **Youth Ministers:**

Angela Churchman:

(270) 268-9963

Ericka Newton: (502) 612-2644

### **MASS SCHEDULE:**

*Saturday (Vigil):* 6:30 p.m.

*Sunday:* 11:30 a.m.

*Wednesday:* 6:30 p.m.

*Friday:* 9:00 a.m.

### **RECONCILIATION:**

Saturday before Mass

5:30-6:00p.m. or by appt.

### **PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS:**

*President:* Theresa Smith

*Secretary:* Karen Ray

### **CHAIRPERSONS:**

*Administration:* Rick Newton

*Formation:* Ericka Newton

*Parish Life:* Bradley Wickersham

*Worship:* Nick Thomas



## Mass Schedule

Saturday	September 30	6:30 p.m.	St. John	In Thanksgiving	Vigil: 26 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	October 1	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	James Ursal French James Skeeters	26 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
"	"	11:30 a.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners	"
"	"	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family Don Rogers	"
Monday	October 2	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	Anni Fields Mary Frances & Norbert Roby	The Holy Guardian Angels
Wednesday	October 4	6:30 p.m.	St. John	Eric Yates	St. Francis of Assisi
Thursday	October 5	9:00 a.m.	St. Brigid	Adrienne Walker	Weekday
Friday	October 6	9:00 a.m.	St. John	Bruce & Margaret Lincoln	Weekday
Saturday	October 7	6:30 p.m.	St. John	For All Parishioners	Vigil: 27 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	October 8	9:30 a.m.	St. Brigid	Inge Luther, Luise Weisshaupt & Cameron Ponder	27 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
"	"	11:30 a.m.	St. John	Brad French	"
"	"	6:30 p.m.	St. Brigid	Our Parish Family Wayne Whelan & Michelle (Canaday) Vaughan	"

### INFORMATION FOR BOTH PARISHES

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED** – The parish office will be closed October 2, 3, 5 and 6. Wednesday will be the only day this week the office will be open.

**NEW ADDRESS** – Deacon Mickey & Betty Vessels have a new address: 104 Summer Azure St., Georgetown, TX 78626.

**HURRICANES AND EARTHQUAKES** – While the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops is not calling for specific special collections on a specific date, it has set up funds for Hurricane Maria and the Mexican earthquakes to receive any contributions from dioceses, parishes, or individuals. Contributed funds will be used to support the reconstruction and pastoral needs of the Church as well as humanitarian and recovery assistance through Catholic Charities USA (Hurricane Maria) and Catholic Relief Services (Mexico earthquakes). Checks should be made out to Catholic Charities, and should include the notation *Hurricane Maria* or *Mexico Earthquakes* on the memo line. Mail checks directly to: Catholic Charities of Louisville Finance Office, ATTN: (Please describe or instruct donors to name specific disaster, e.g. Hurricane Maria or Mexico Earthquakes), 2222 W. Market Street, Louisville, KY 40212-1535. It would be important for donations to be directed to the specific disaster in each case, since funds will be directed differently. (Catholic Charities USA responds to domestic disasters, and Catholic Relief Services responds to international disasters.)

**CONFIDENTIAL PREGNANCY AND ADOPTION COUNSELING** – is available at Catholic Charities for women of all ages experiencing untimely pregnancies. A full range of services are provided, including adoptive placement, legal assistance and counseling for individuals, groups and families. Post-abortion counseling is also available. Services are provided regardless of income or marital status. For more information, call Catholic Charities at (502) 637-9786.

**PROJECT RACHEL** – Healing...Forgiveness...Hope...After the experience of an abortion. If you or someone you know is struggling with the pain from an abortion, please consider Project Rachel – a post abortion ministry. To speak to someone confidentially, call (502) 471-2155 or email [ProjectRachel@archlou.org](mailto:ProjectRachel@archlou.org).

**LIFE CHAIN** – Please save the date! Right to Life Kentucky Heartland, the local affiliate of Kentucky Right to Life, invites everyone to participate in the local chain of the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual National Life Chain on Respect Life **Sunday, October 1, 2017, from 2:30-3:30 p.m.** Participants will stand on the public sidewalk holding pro-life signs provided by the affiliate and pray silently for an end to abortion in our country. The distribution site for signs for St. Brigid is the parking lot of Cecilian Bank on 31W in Radcliff. Please arrive early to choose a sign and get in place. Should the bank's parking lot fill, please park only where businesses are closed. POC: Betty Rose Jones at (270) 877-5508.

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS** – Couples celebrating 30, 40, 50, 60 & 60 plus years of marriage in 2017 are invited, along with their families, to a Mass of Thanksgiving, celebrated by Archbishop Joseph Kurtz, on **Sunday, October 22** at 2:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Assumption. Register with parish secretary before **Friday, October 6**.

**SAINT JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL FALL FESTIVAL** – is coming up on **Saturday, October 21**, from 4:00=8:00 p.m. Come enjoy games, music, great food and a silent/live auction. Food is served eat-in or drive thru from 5:00-7:30 p.m. Email [ncetta73@gmail.com](mailto:ncetta73@gmail.com) for more information. Saint James Catholic School is located at 401 Robinbrooke Blvd., Elizabethtown, KY 42701.;

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)**

Date: **October 1-8 2017** **Fall School Break [No Class]**

Anyone interested should contact Keith Baughman at (270) 877-5283 or the Parish Office at (270) 877-2461. Leave your name and phone number.

### St. John and St. Brigid Prayer List

To add someone to the prayer list, please call the parish office at (270) 877-2461. **Remember to call to remove someone from the list if they are no longer sick, etc.** *Please note that the prayer list has been revised. It is primarily for parishioners and their immediate family members.*

Helen "Dinky" (Cowley) **Adams**, Sam **Adams**, April **Allen**, Dennis **Arnold**, Barbara **Ashley**, Sue **Banks**, Shannon **Barnes**, Denise **Barnett**, the **Bigler** family, Timothy **Birch**, Teresa **Laycock**, Charlie **Bowers**, Wanda **Branson**, Bill **Brown**, Ellen **Bryan**, Richard **Bryson**, Carol **Buchanan**, Jeremy & Margie **Buyer**, Ashley **Butler**, Deacon Bob **Caspar**, Christopher **Cecil**, Ed **Cecil**, Harlan Ford **Clark**, John **Connor**, Betty Jo **Cooper**, Heidi **Correa**, Jeff **Craig**, Glynn **Clutches**, Roan **Dowell**, Leroy **Embry**, Dwayne **Garcia**, Carrie **Gribben**, Mary **Hager**, Mrs. Charles **Hair**, Stephanie **Hall**, Jimmy **Harper**, Bobby **Harris**, Debbie **Hodge**, Richard **Hughes**, Jennie Pike **Kambale**, Janet **Kennedy**, Andrew **Kieta**, Jenny **Leonhardt**, Jackie **Long**, Louise **Lucous**, Alma **Mahanna**, Shelly **Martin**, Shirley **Martin**, Martina **Masoni**, Don **Mattingly**, Paul Michael **Mattingly**, Kathleen **McCamish**, Cindy **Miller**, Starla **Miller**, Doug **Osborne**, Bernard **Osborne**, Duane **Osborne**, Mickey **Padgett**, Frank **Inanely**, Annie **Pierce**, Adrianna **Porter**, Jeremy **Porter**, Allie **Ray**, Mary Agnes **Ray**, Mary Ellen **Ray**, James S. **Reed**, Tonya **Reisinger**, Joel **Rivera**, Caroline **Seabee**, Bruce **Sherrard**, Ralph **Staples**, Keith **Tassin**, Kenny **Thompson**, Charles **Tucker**, Raffaella **Tucker**, Debi **Turner**, Charlotte **Vowels**, Bill **Waldrop**, Lois **Weaver**, Rita **Wedding**, Paul A. **Whelan**, Jennifer **Williams**, Sandy **Wiseman**, Zach **Wiseman**, Gail **Wilson**, Pat & Samantha **Wood**, Don **Wooldridge**, Connor **Wright**, Harold **Yates**, Rose Marie **Yates** and all the sick.

\* \* \* \* \*

### Our Military List

To add someone to the military list, please call the parish office at (270) 877-2461. **Remember to call to remove someone from the list if they are no longer in the service.**

Lt. Matt **Bednar**, A1C Brandon **Davila**, SrA Felicia **Esquivel**, A1C Ryan **Henley**, Tyler **Lord**, A1C Joseph **Manco**, SPC Jacob L. **Nall**, SFC Peter **Novak**, Tony **Rickerl**, Lt. Col. Paul **Rigby**, James **Rogers**, Tony **Rogers**, Jonathon **Sifford**, Jeffrey **Slade**, Derek **Smith**, CSM Vance **Snider**, Brian **Tomassi**, A1C Daniel **Trombone**, SGT Evan **Vaughan**, Lisa **Flynn-Veri**, LT Michael **Veri**, LTC Steve **Wickersham**, PV2 Clay **Wilson**, TSGT Jeremy **Yates**, Austin **Zulka** and for all who serve and have served our country.

\* \* \* \* \*

## ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH INFORMATION

**Monthly Budget Amount Needed:** \$ 12,500.00  
**Monthly Collection for August:** \$ 11,859.10  
**Monthly Collection for September:** \$ 11,384.26

take a *Welcome Packet* in the church lobby. You may return the census card and the stewardship form to Father Dan or place in the collection basket.

**FR. STAN OSBORNE** – can be reached at Nazareth Home, Room 112, 2000 Newburg Rd., Louisville, KY 40205.

**CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL** – You should receive your donation form from Archbishop Kurtz in the mail soon. Please respond promptly and generously. Our parish goal this year is \$21,900. Our parish participation goal is 98 families. There are extra donation forms in the church lobby.

**WELCOME PACKETS** – If you would like to become a member, or learn more about St. John Parish, please

**FYI** – When it comes to Mass intentions, we do our best to schedule them on requested dates. However, if there is a funeral on a week day when there is a regular Mass scheduled, you know Father Dan cancels the regular Mass. We must then reschedule the intentions to another day. Your intentions are not forgotten!

**ROOM IN THE INN** – is a local community-based effort to help the homeless. If you are interested in this ministry, please take of the letter/forms in the church lobby.

**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY** – Thanks again to the St. John Friends of Habitat for the items donated to the Sayre family whose house was dedicated on Sunday, September 10. The cookware, silverware, stoneware, food chopper, baking pans, mixing bowls, casserole dish, dish towels/cloths, bath towels/wash cloths, etc. are greatly appreciated by Samantha Sayre and her 6 children. Hardin County Habitat appreciates your continued support. God bless you for your generosity.

\* \* \* \* \*

**St. John Religious Education**

Classes for all grades K thru 12 will begin on Sunday, September 10, from 9:45-11:00 a.m. Please have all children present prior to 9:45 a.m. Also, be sure you have completed a registration from and stopped in the building to pick up paperwork for the upcoming year for a schedule of dates, teacher contacts, etc. **NEW THIS YEAR:** Our 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grade students will begin a two-year preparation class for the Sacrament of Confirmation that will be celebrated in the spring of 2019. Attendance for these students, and all students, is extremely important to insure they are receiving a consistent and complete religious education experience. The gift of faith is the most important gift we can pass on to our children. Any questions, contact Lisa Thomas at (270) 735-6930 or glalt@comcast.net.

\* \* \* \* \*

**St. John Youth Group**

Camp Out with the Youth!! This year’s annual camp out will be **Friday, October 13, from 6:00 p.m. until Saturday, October 14, at 7:00 a.m.** All youth grades 6-12 are invited to attend and bring a friend. If you have any questions, please reach out to Angela and/or Ericka.

\* \* \* \* \*

**St. John Liturgical Ministers**

<b>Vigil: 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 7, 2017, 6:30 p.m.</b>	
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Rhonda Newton   Marcella Crewz   Dennis Thomas
Lector	Joanna Sherrard
Servers	Volunteers
Greeter(s)	Diane Taylor
Gift Bearers	Kenny & David Thompson
Ushers	John Thomas   Kenny Heibert
<b>27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 8, 2017, 11:30 a.m.</b>	
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	Angie Thompson   Jennifer Updegraff   Libby Brangers
Lector	Richard Goode
Servers	Ben Thomas   Maxwell Goode
Greeter(s)	Sharon Taylor
Gift Bearers	David & Cathy Pike
Ushers	Doug Updegraff   Raeburn Mattingly
<b>Hospital Ministry – Sunday, October 22, 2017</b>	
	Marcella Brangers   Sharon Reed

## ST. BRIGID CATHOLIC CHURCH INFORMATION

**Monthly Budget Amount Needed:** \$ 25,280.00  
**Monthly Collection for August:** \$ 24,428.00  
**Monthly Collection for September:** \$ 28,768.73  
**St. Vincent de Paul for September:** \$ 565.00

**WELCOME VISITORS** – If you are interested in joining our parish, please pick up a Welcome Packet at the church doors. Complete the registration form and either drop it in the collection basket or mail it to the office. If you just need to update your registration, there are also forms available.

**CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL** – You should receive your donation form from Archbishop Kurtz in the mail soon. Please respond promptly and generously. Our parish goal this year is \$33,100. Our parish participation goal is 136 families. There are extra donation forms in the church lobby.

**CATECHETICAL SUNDAY** – will be on **Sunday, October 8, 2017 at 9:30 a.m.** The following teachers need to be present please: Jane Alder / Amber Etutittus – Preschool-Kindergarten, Kathy Dinsmore 1<sup>st</sup> Grade, Rosie Cochran / Sue Weissaupt – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade, Ashley Osterhage – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade, Blake Ryan -- 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Norva Lark / Chris Fitzpatrick 6<sup>th</sup> Grade, Gina Ryan 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Lori Law / Jason Barren / Bob Corrales 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> Grades. RCIA Team Keith Baughman, Billy Cochran, Jim Klemish, Selina Chandler, Mike Ryan / Fr. Dan Lincoln.

**FYI**– When it comes to Mass intentions, we do our best to schedule them on requested dates. However, if there is a funeral on a week day when there is a regular Mass scheduled, you know Father Dan cancels the regular Mass. We must then reschedule the intentions to another day. Your intentions are not forgotten!

**THANK YOU** – We would like to thank everyone for the cards, the telephone calls, the visits, the prayers, the concern and the Masses during our time of need. A special thanks to the Resurrection Choir for the beautiful music and to the Bereavement Committee for the wonderful meal you provided our family during our time of need. It was greatly appreciated by all and especially by our families that had many miles to travel after the funeral. Thank you all. The Carlos Robbins Family.

**ROOM IN THE INN** – Room In The Inn (RITI) is a Christian (all denominations), nation-wide, non-profit organization that provides a warm place to sleep and hot meals to the homeless, during the winter months of December to February. It was started by a Catholic priest in Nashville. He saw the homeless sleeping outside in the freezing temperatures and decided to do something about it. Other churches joined in and it became what it is today. There are host churches that

house the "guests," (as we call them), and supporting churches that provide additional volunteers and donations. St. Brigid is the supporting church to the host church, Valley View Baptist Church in Vine Grove. We desperately need volunteers for this year's season. Volunteers have a choice of various tasks, which take 2 hours or less. The more volunteers, the easier the task. It is only on Wednesday evenings and Thursday mornings. If you can't volunteer, perhaps you can make a donation, (things or money), provide entertainment or whatever the Lord guides you to do. For more information, please contact Silvia Love at (831) 431-3293 or [Silvia.h.love@gmail.com](mailto:Silvia.h.love@gmail.com). "Whatever you have done to one of the least of my brothers, you have done to me." Matthew 25:40

**CLARITY SOLUTIONS (formerly Crossway Pregnancy Resource Center) BABY BOTTLE DRIVE** – Effective 1 Aug 2017 Clarity Solutions in Elizabethtown and Crossway PRC in Radcliff joined forces to better serve Hardin County and surrounding counties. The Radcliff location will now be renamed Clarity Solutions. It is time for the annual baby bottle drive which supports operation of the ultrasound machine in Radcliff and other services. Your support helps provide accurate information about positive alternatives to abortion and compassionate assistance to those in our community who face an unintended pregnancy. Please help us make a difference in a baby's life by filling a bottle, to save a life. **Empty bottles are at each door of the church. Please return bottles with coins, bills, or checks no later than Monday, October 2, 2017.** Please make checks payable to Clarity Solutions. Donna Skeeters, Volunteer for Clarity Solutions and member of St. Brigid, will collect bottles weekly. Thank you for your continued support!

**YOUNG AT HEART** – will meet **Wednesday, October 4**, for a pot luck dinner. Games will start at 11:00 a.m. The pot luck dinner will start at 12:00 noon. The parish provides the chicken. Please bring a friend.

**BLOOD DRIVE** – The next drive will be held on **Friday, October 13**, from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. in the CCC building. Give the gift of life!! This is more rewarding than what else you do today!!

**SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY** – Crista Pelk's group will meet Sundays after Mass at 10:30 a.m. starting October 15, 22, 29 and November 5, 12, 19, 2017 in the class room under the church.

Keith Baughman's group will meet Tuesdays, October 17, 24, 31, and November 7, 14, 21, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. in the Saint Brigid Room in the CCC. Sign-up sheets will be on the table in the rear of church. Should you have questions please contact Deacon Mike.

### St. Brigid Youth Ministry

If you have any questions, please contact Lori at (270) 723-0157 or email at [stbrigidyouth@hotmail.com](mailto:stbrigidyouth@hotmail.com).

### St. Brigid Religious Education

There will be no religious education this weekend, October 1, 2017. Religious Education will resume on Sunday, October 8, 2017 at 10:30 a.m to 12:00 p.m. Have a great Fall Break.

\* \* \* \* \*

### St. Brigid Liturgical Ministers

<b>27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 8, 2017, 9:30 a.m.</b>	
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	P: Angie Bragg Paula Greenwell
	C: Helen Hicks Gary Morris David & Paula Stoddard
Lector	E. Jane Vessels
Servers	Emily Chandler Nathaniel Morgan
Greeters	Chris & Janet Kennedy Tina Yates
<b>27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 8, 2017, 6:30 p.m.</b>	
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist	P: Ashley Osterhage
	C: Jackie Veri Cissy Harper
Lector	Jackie Veri
Servers	Darren Sanders Jackie Veri
Greeters	Volunteers
<b>Hospital Ministry – Sunday, October 8, 2017</b>	Keith Baughman & Jim Klimesh

### St. Brigid Monthly Meet and Greet



St. Brigid Parish hosts a “Meet and Greet” downstairs the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass with coffee and donuts. This is a great opportunity for existing parishioners to extend a warm welcome to visitors and anyone interested in joining St. Brigid Parish. Be sure to also visit the Dew Memorial Library.

**The next Meet and Greet will be Sunday, October 8, 2017.**

### The Candy Bank is Open!



Please donate your individually wrapped candy treats and deposit the in the box by the front doors of the church.

Your contributions help us stay in business as we greet hundreds of trunk or treaters on Halloween!

Thanks in advance for your participation.

### Marriage Moments –

Ways to Turn Your Spouse Off #1 – Be too busy. Romance can’t always fit neatly into a schedule. Do you have enough open, flexible time in your married life to flirt, follow a whim, or postpone a less urgent priority?

\* \* \* \* \*