St. Joseph Church

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Pastoral Council

Susan Clark Jim Cecil Billy Dallas, V. Chair Joanne Johnson, Secretary Tim Nelson, Chair Sharon Smart

Stewardship of Finance

March 27	\$4923.65
Youth (13)	50.50
Good Friday Holy Lands	529.25
Seminary	831.00

Masses: APRIL 12-APRIL 17

Monday	7:30 am	Communion Service
Tuesday	12:05 pm	Communion Service
Wednesday	5:00 pm	Communion Service
Thursday	12:05 pm	Communion Service
Friday	7:30 am	Communion Service
Saturday	4:00 pm	Irene Rishkofski
Sunday	7:00 am	St. Joseph and St. John
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Parishes

Sunday 11:00 am Mike Marshall

Confession

Saturday 3:00 PM

April 16 4pm

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L	Angie Whitworth
S	Ethan Pierce
С	Ellen Thomas
С	Barbara Allen
Н	Randy Bitsky
U	Jeannie C./Vivian G.
Gr	Tony R./Sharon Smart
Gi	Carol Elder/Sharon Smart

April 17 7am

L	Brittany Mattingly
S	Chloe Collard
С	Rita Grant
С	Joanne Johnson
Н	Sue King
U	David C./Jerry C.
Gr	Kirk & Keycia C.
Gi	Chip Smith Family

April 17 11am

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L	First Communion
S	Kaylee H./Sara Y.
C	Linda Clark
С	Eddie Clemons
Н	Linda Cripps
U	Lamont M./Tim N.
Gr	Wade Lashley Family
Gi	First Communion

St. John Church

430 St. John Church Rd. Sunfish, KY 42210

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Saint John Thrift Store: 270-597-1038

Pastoral Council

Cathy Young, Chair Dick Dyche
Nancy Farmer, Secretary Joe Durbin
Barbara Fitzhugh Shelia Durbin
Tom Pohlman, V. Chair

This Week at St. John

Tue	5:00 pm	Communion Service
<u>April</u>		
14	4:30 pm	Finance Committee
15	6:00 pm	The Gospel of John Movie
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Easter Egg Hunt: What a great Easter egg hunt last Sunday. We had about 25 children who came to hunt the eggs hidden throughout the cemetery.

The Gospel of John: I will be showing the 2-hour movie, "The Gospel of John" in 2 parts at the Edmonson County Public Library on Friday April 15 & 22 from 6:00 – 7:00 pm. Following each night, we will have a short discussion about the gospel of John. This powerful, epic motion picture offers an opportunity to experience the life and times of Jesus. There is no cost of admission. For more information, contact Fr. Tony.

Stewardship of Finance

April 3	\$844.50
Good Friday Holy Lands	350.00
Seminary Collection	207.00

St. John's Prayer List

Lyla Abel, Audrey Burke, Jack Coop, Mary Davis, Judy Dombrowski, Anna Durbin, Bill Duvall, Catherine Duvall, Greg Duvall, Linda Duvall, Doug Farmer, Daren Fowler, James Fowler, Dorothy Fredrick, Kevin Hayes, Tommy Heath, Pamela Hughes, Betty Jennings, Juanita Logsdon, Sheryie Meare, James Pierce, Leonard Simon, Linda Simon, Maggie Simon, Grey Vincent

Masses: APRIL 16-APRIL 17

<u>Tuesday</u>	5:00 pm	Communion Service
Sunday	9:00 am	J.T. Duvall Family Living and
		Deceased

APRIL 17, 9:00 AM

Lector	Chris Wolfe
Server	Joe Durbin
Cup	Dick Dyche/Nancy Farmer
Host	Betty Jennings
Ushers	Jeremy Durbin/Joe Farmer
Gifts	Steve Durbin/Paula Wilson
Greeters	Sheila Durbin/Cathy Young
Music	Jeremiah Bush-Barbara Fitzhugh

Suggestion Box: will be placed in the back of the church for anyone wishing to make a suggestion for St. John church.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Jack Coop 4/14

This Week at St. Joseph		
Mon	7:30 am	Communion Service
Tue	12:05 pm	Communion Service
	3:15 pm	Divine Mercy
Wed	5:00 pm	Communion Service
Thu	12:05 pm	Communion Service
Fri	7:30 am	Communion Service
Sat	9:30 am	Altar Society
<u>April</u>		
12	5:30 pm	Fellowship Café
	6:00 pm	Picnic Meeting
13	5:30 pm	First Communion Practice
14	6:00 pm	Maintenance Committee
17	11:00 am	First Communion Mass

Sympathy: Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends of Ricky Board, Danny Payne's Brother -in-law. May he rest in peace.

Sympathy: Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends of Cassie Logsdon, Francis Logsdon's daughter, Daniel Logsdon's sister. May she rest in peace.

Message: Don't sleep through the resurrection.

Homework: Homework: Read another chapter this week of the Easter book *Beautiful Mercy*.

Catholic Youth: Two events are coming up!
1. A COUNTY-WIDE youth event will be held on Sunday, April 17. It will include games, prayer, food, and fellowship.

2. A NET retreat will be held on Tuesday, April 26, at St. Elizabeth, beginning at 4:30 PM. This is a great chance for the kids to grow in their faith. All youth in middle school and high school are welcomed to join us.

BIRTHDAYS		
Linda Borland	4/12	
Alton Cannon	4/12	
Fr. Tony Bickett	4/14	
Kelly Duvall	4/15	
Joe Heaverin	4/15	
Luke Loughran	4/15	
Roger McClure	4/15	
Delbert Durham	4/16	
Ella Decker	4/17	
Anita Jaggers	4/17	
Griffin Jaggers	4/17	
Gretchen O'Leary	4/17	
Jean Qualls	4/17	
Tommy Ritter	4/18	
<u>A N N I V E R S A R Y</u>		
Murrel & Jackie Richardson	4/04	
Chip & Kim Smith	4/05	

St. Joseph Prayer List

Kay Albro, Jim Albro, Delores Alvey, Nellie Alvey, Wayne Alvey, Erin Anderson, Abby Beeler, Margaret Beckner, Arlene Bitsky, Bonnie Blanton, Joe Burba, Mark Cannon, Nathalie Chamberlain, Jim & Jean Charbonneau, Colbie Childress, Corey Clark, Edmund Collard, Anna Critchelow, Mary Decker, Joan & Estille Dobson, Donald and Mary Lou Durham, Delbert and Rose Durham, Jenny Ann Alvey-Edmonds, Draven Fentress, Dick Gatto, Maureen Gatto Sr., Stephanie Hammons, Jennifer Howard, Mary Huffman, Margaret Hudson, Don Jaggers, Eva Justis, Sr. Rose Karen, Rachel Kiper, Darlene Kolter, Jane Johnston, Sandy Johnston, Susan Maynard, Bobby McDaniel, Bruce Meredith, Margie Meredith, Brittany Meredith, David Earl Miller, Wanda Pierce, Susan Rhodes, Janice Roberts, Glen Schofield, Aaron Shull, John J. Sweigert, Vickie Sweet, David Thompson, Kasey Tomes All law enforcement and emergency responders. For those serving in the military.

HOMEBOUND LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Nursing Home SCHEDULE Homebound

Alice Begay 04/03-04/09 Beverly Harrison Carolyn Thomason

Jim Marshall 04/10-04/16 Jim Alvey

Father Babu 04/17-04-23 Roni Mudd Mary Pierce

Picnic News

PICNIC MEETING: Our next picnic planning meeting will be Tuesday, April 12th at 6:00 pm. Our picnic is less than 2 months away. If you are new to the parish this is a great way to get to know some of our members. We have lots of work to make this our **Better Than Ever Picnic**

Picnic Raffles: This year we will have 4 different raffles for our picnic. The tickets for the main raffle will be \$5 each with \$4,000 in prize money plus a quilt for a total of 10 prizes. We will only be selling 2,000 tickets. The other 3 raffles will be for (1) a Henry Rifle "Grayson Co. Edition"; (2) a Smith & Wesson Airweight 38 Special; and (3) a Taurus "Judge Public Defender" 410/45. We will only be selling 100 tickets at \$20 each. All raffle tickets will be available next weekend, April 3-4 at church



Financial Peace University – (FPU) is a 9 lesson, money-management course taught by America's most trusted financial guru, Dave Ramsey. Dave and his teaching team will walk you through the basics of budgeting, dumping debt, planning for the future and much more on

teaching DVDs. Lessons and discussion would start Wednesday, April 13th at 6:00pm in the basement of the rectory and continue for the next 9 Wednesdays. There is a \$90 fee for the class to purchase books and materials which equates to \$10 per class. The average turnaround for people taking this class is \$8000 in the first 3 months. We will have information in back of church if anyone is interested. Also, you can contact Dr. Mark Lee for questions regarding this upcoming event.

Other News

Pope on Easter: "Only mercy can save the world." Read another chapter this week of the Easter book *Beautiful Mercy*.

<u>Vacation:</u> I will be away this week of spring break. My sisters, their husbands and I have rented a house at Barkley Lake. Please welcome back home Fr. Jason McClure who will be here for the weekend Masses April 9-10.

Furniture For Sale: Call or stop by the office.

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8-Foot Folding Tables (6)	\$ 25
6-Foot Folding Tables (2)	\$ 10
School Desks (10)	\$ 10
Metal Folding Chairs (8)	\$ 2
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Forget the Frock: The Easter t-shirts sales for the Grayson County Food Pantry netted \$1,527.00 WOW! Amazing! Thanks to Matt & Jamie Carwile for helping us to promote this initiative.

Easter Egg Hunt: What an amazing Easter egg hunt we had here at St. Joseph on Saturday, March 19. We had 65 children who came to hunt for the 1,060 eggs. It wasn't too hard since we had the hunt inside because of the weather. The Easter bunny (Brittany) came and had pictures made with the kids. We had crafts, prizes and food for our Best Easter Egg Hunt. Many thanks to Jamie Carwile, Rita Hodges, Missy Hart and Brittany Mattingly for planning a wonderful day for our kids.

Clergy Appreciation Dinner-April 8th

The Knights of Columbus are having a dinner on Friday, April 8th at 6:30pm to celebrate our

clergy. Please come and enjoy a delicious meal and a ceremony to honor the priests, nuns, and deacons in our community.

St. Paul School News:

 Registration for the 2016-17 school year, Preschool through Grade 8. For more information, call the school at 270-242-7483.
 Chili Cook Off is Friday April 15, 6 pm at St. Elizabeth. There will be chili dinner, live music, & auction.