## January 10th, 2020

	1/1 (NY Day)	1/2 (Sat.)	Mail-in		Total	Monthly Need
Regular Collection	\$100	\$782	\$166		\$1048	\$5976.10
Debt Reduction	\$25	\$195	\$50		\$270	
Social Outreach	\$25					
Second Collections		\$25				
Miscellaneous	Holy Day: \$90	Holy Day: \$125	Christmas: \$38			
Attendance 5:30	18	17				

## Remember our sick, shut-ins and those in harm's way who need our prayers:

Update / New Registration - tear and place in offertory basket:					
Name					
Address:					
Phone:	Email:				

# ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST Roman Catholic Church

124 Park Blvd, Marion VA 24354

"I am the way and the truth, and the life..." John 14:6



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The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

#### Parish Staff / Ministries:

Reverend Francis Xavier Musolooza, Pastor	276-783-7282
Reverend Mr. Juan Ibarra, Deacon/Hispanic Ministry.	276-698-4331
Bill O'Shea, Office Manager	276-783-7282
Donna Untiedt, Sacristan, Ministry for the Sick	276-783-6859
Randy Watts, Adult Faith Formation	276-686-6418 or 408-840-1434
Tom Voglewede, Children and Youth Faith Formation	276-783-6640
Mary Dore/Denise Mance, Social Ministry	276-783-5927 (Mary)276-243-8406 (Denise)

#### **Mass Times:**

Virtual Mass resources can be found below.

#### **Reconciliation:**

By appointment at St. John the Evangelist Thursdays 5-6pm at Christ the King, Abingdon Saturdays 3:30-4:30 at St. Anne's, Bristol

#### **Anointing of the Sick:**

Please contact Father Francis: (cell) 276-494-3257

**Baptism:** Celebrated at liturgy. Pre-baptismal instruction with parents is required.

**Marriage:** Six months advance notice and premarriage instruction required by Diocese.

**Ministry To The Sick:** Please contact Donna Untiedt if someone you know is sick or homebound: 276-783-6859.

St John's Website: www.stjohnmarion.com

For website or bulletin submissions e-mail: <a href="mailto:saintjohnmarionva@gmail.com">saintjohnmarionva@gmail.com</a>
<a href="mailto:Nationwide Mass Schedules: 410-676-6000">Nationwide Mass Schedules: 410-676-6000</a> or www.masstimes.org

Our Mission: We the parish family of St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church, rooted in Christ's love, enlightened by the Spirit and strengthened by the Word and Sacraments strive to make visible the kingdom of God. As family of God, we share our God-given gifts with all in prayer, charity, service, and fellowship-building.

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\*Since Sunday Masses are being held on Saturday for the time being, there are no pre-arranged Mass assignments.



<u>January is</u> <u>dedicated to The</u> <u>Holy Name and</u> <u>Childhood of</u> <u>Jesus</u>

"he was named Jesus" -Luke 2:21

#### **Pope's Intentions for January:**

Human Fraternity: May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.

**Bulletin, Website and Parish Calendar:** If you would like to post parish events in the weekly bulletin or monthly parish calendar, please email Chris Powers at

**saintjohnmarionva@gmail.com**. Deadline for bulletin submissions is Wednesday, 6 pm. We welcome photos of parish events to place on our website.

been cancelled. Don't forget to pray the Rosary, but please do it at home. Bill's office hours: Mondays & Thursdays: 10

Wednesday, but due to the current crisis has

**Fatima Family Rosary Crusade Prayer** 

**Group:** This group usually meets every

**Bill's office hours:** Mondays & Thursdays: 10 am - 12, 1 - 4 pm He is also in the office some Wednesdays and Saturdays so on those days, please call first to make sure Bill is in the office.

#### **Upcoming Parish Events:**

- MASS on Saturdays at 5:30PM: Mass will continue to be held at St. John's; restrictions apply; must preregister prior to six o'clock on Friday (the day before); check-in is at 5:00PM on Saturday; see email for further instructions.
- MASS on Sundays at 11:00AM: Father Francis appears on YouTube with recorded virtual Mass. Please check the Christ the King Abingdon YouTube channel.

ALL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO THE VIRUS.

#### Important!

As in-person Mass continues (Saturdays at 5:30), we ask that you make the best decision for you and your family on the right time to return. Know that we will continue to offer the option of virtual Mass on Sundays; the link will appear on Abingdon Christ the King's Youtube page at 11AM:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCNgz3-sqEIpUOON1LhKBMFw.

While no daily Masses are currently available in Marion at St. John's, Christ the King in Abingdon is holding Mass Tuesday-Friday at 8:00AM. Please follow social distancing guidelines and wear a mask. Please email <a href="mailto:stjohnmarionva@gmail.com">stjohnmarionva@gmail.com</a> for more information about Mass restrictions in Abingdon.

Whether you are attending Mass in-person or from home, we encourage you to please continue making your offertory gifts online at <a href="https://offertory.richmonddiocese.org/">https://offertory.richmonddiocese.org/</a>. Under "Choose which parish to support", simply choose "Saint John, Marion – 571." Tithes and offerings can also be mailed in directly to St. John's.

Since there are no books with readings to follow currently in the church, there are other resources available should you desire to access them. Readings from the following websites can be printed off:

http://www.catholicreadings.org and http://bible.usccb.org.

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Spam
Vienna Sausages

Tuna Chicken Creamy Peanut Butter Jelly Mac & Cheese Canned Stews (i.e. Beef Stew) Canned Chili Canned Hash (i.e. Corned Beef) Spaghetti Sauce

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