

The Church community of St. Pius Tenth hears the call to a deep, personal relationship with God in Jesus Christ. We commit ourselves to living and sharing our Catholic faith guided by the Holy Spirit and expressed in love.



19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. - Mt 14:28-29

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 PM Sunday: 8:00 AM & 11:00 AM Monday: NO MASS Tuesday & Thursday: Noon Wednesday: 6:00 PM Friday: 8:00 AM Holy Day: 8:00AM & 6:00PM Confession: Saturdavs 12-1:00 PM Adoration: First Friday of the month 9 AM-8 PM First Fridays & Saturdays : Mass @ 8:00AM **Bulletin Deadline:** Monday at Noon (content pending Father's approval) Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 8:00am-4:00pm Friday: 8:00am-1:00pm

Parish Staff See Contact Info Page 7

Pastor-Fr. Babu Kulathumkal Associate Pastor— Fr. John Paul Mang Faith Formation— **Kimly Hoang Business Manager**— Austin Howard Administrative Assistant— Debra Brown Facilities Manager— Shane Aud **Building and Grounds**— Ed Mattingly Director of Music-Francis Zelinka Youth Ministry— Matt Knight Daycare Director— **Brook Mattingly** Daycare Asst. Director— ©LF Jennifer Howard

Worship Prayer



Prayer Chain Requests: Joyce Yeiser: joyceyeiser5200@gmail.com 270-929-4914

Pray for the Sick: Cecilia Aud, Lois Davis, Pat Harralson, Laura Hayden, Vincent Hayden, Mary Elaine Johnson, Rina Lyle, Alex McGehee, Theresa Murphy, Dan Murray, Corky and Elaine Norcia, Liz Parker, Chris Payne, Agnes Powers, Joseph A. Roby, Jr., Mary Shrewsberry, Louella Stroud, Carrie Weaver, Carrie Wieder, and Elizabeth Johnson, Kenny and Angie Clark, Joe Roby, Linda Roby, Alexis Bibb

<u>Carmel Home:</u> Audline Johnson, Annette Wimsatt, Laura Hayden <u>Chautauqua Health & Rehab</u>: Cecilia Aud <u>Heritage</u>: Ed Howard Hermitage: Betty Greenwell

<u>Pray for the Homebound:</u> Tamara Burns, Louise Crowe, Richard Crowe, Wilford Crowe, Donald & Sylvia Hamilton, Rob Hamilton, Geraldine Keller

Pray for Our Military

Stuart Castlen: Navy, Fort Meade, Maryland LT Patrick Clouse: Navy; Monterey, CA Master Sgt. Jeffery Cooper: Iraq Kaleb Hedden: Iraq CPT. Ben Hedges: US Army, Ft. Sill, OK Sgt. Brandon Johnson: National Guard Brian A. McDaniel: Marine Corp Wesley Osborne: National Guard Tony Pace: National Guard Joshua Jones: Army National Guard Greenville, KY Nathan Jones: Army National Guard Greenville, KY

> Condolences to the family of Mary Varley. Please keep her family in your thoughts and prayers.

Readings for the week of August 13, 2023

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Ps 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14 (8)/ Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33

Monday: Dt 10:12-22/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: *Vigil:* 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28 *Day:* Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56 **Wednesday:** Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17/Mt

18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 18:21-19:1

Friday: Jos 24:1-13/Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 and 24/Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a, and 5, 7-8, 11/Mt 19:13-15

Next Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (4)/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28



The week of August 13-20, 2023

Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00am—Gerald Haynes † 11:00am—Our Parish Family

Monday: St. Maximillian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr No Mass

Tuesday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 8:00am— Nick & Carolyn Howard 6:00pm—Judy Roby†

Wednesday: St. Stephen of Hungary 6:00 pm—Joe McKay⁺

Thursday: 12:00pm—Leo Fleischmann

Friday: 8:00am—Larry Knott⁺

Saturday: St. John Eudes, Priest 5:00pm—Brad & Bob Shrewsberry†

Next Sunday: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00am—Our Parish Family 11:00am—William Rhodes⁺ & David Coombs⁺

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Faith Formation

Kimly Hoang, Coord. of Faith Formation khoang@stpiustenthparish.org

<u>August 20th-</u>Class <u>August 27th-</u>Safe Environment Training <u>September 3rd-</u>Community Breakfast (short class) <u>September 10th</u>- Class <u>September 17th</u>- Class <u>September 24th</u>- Class

Sign up for Remind Updates

Parents: To keep up to date on what is happening with Families in Faith please text @fifp to 81010 to sign up for Remind updates.

This year we will have class on the days we have breakfast. Breakfast will be from 9:05am to around 9:40am (If anyone would like to help serve breakfast, pickup donuts, or clean up please see Aaron Williams or Kimly in the kitchen.) If you have not registered your children for Faith Formation you can still turn in your application now or contact Kimly at the office. (applications can be found on the parish website)



Matthew Knight, Youth Minister mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

YOUTH GATHERINGS

A schedule for the upcoming year should have been sent in the mail this past week. If you did not receive this mailing please let Matt or Debby know in the parish office.

AUGUST 23RD - HS YOUTH 6:00-7:30pm

AUGUST 30TH - MS YOUTH 6:00-7:30pm

DAD JOKE OF THE WEEK

What is Forrest Gump's password?

1forrest1

Youth Ministry

CONFIRMATION

THURSDAY NIGHT, August 24th - PARENT MEETING 6pm

It is time to start preparing our 8th grade class for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Our classes this year will be once a month on a Sunday night from 5-7pm. The curriculum used here at Pius is 6 two hour sessions where we will go over each individual part of the Confirmation rite. If you have any questions please contact Matt via email or the parish office.

Text Updates

As the school year is about to kick off, it will be important to subscribe to our REMIND. This is how you will receive notifications for when we meet as well as if we cancel. You can join by texting @spxhs11 (High School), @spxms22 (Middle School), or @spxp33 (Parents) to 81010. You can also join by sending me your name in a text to (270)454-0404. This is how you will be notified about cancellations due to weather.

Our Community

Upcoming Events In August/September:

<u>August 20th</u>-Parish Feast Morning Mass with Breakfast <u>August 27th-</u> Newcomers Dinner After 11:00 am Mass <u>September 9th</u>-Will & Estate Planning Meeting 10:00 am to Noon <u>September 9th-</u>Chicken & Burgoo Cook Noon-1:00pm for parishioners

OCIA (ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS) Parish Sponsors

The sponsor is the catechumen/candidate's link to the parish. The sponsor helps the person to be part of the life of the community by introducing her/him to members of the parish and inviting them to parish events. The sponsor does not need to be an expert; he/she is a companion on the journey.

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. There are separate sessions for children or youth. You are welcome to participate in the process with your

questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting.

For information please contact our parish office at 270-684-4745.

Welcoming Dinner

Sunday, August 27th (After 11:00am Mass in the Parish Hall)

If you are new to our parish please be on the lookout for an invitation to a welcoming meal.

Parishioners who will attend are asked to bring a dish. Families with the last name starting with **A-M** please bring a casserole and **N-Z** please bring a

dessert.



Glenn Funeral Home is holding "CAMP LOGAN" September 9, 2023 8:30am-3:00pm at Precious Blood Parish Hall 3306 Fenmore St. Owensboro, KY This camp is for children ages 6-16 who have suffered the loss of a loved one.

Dear St Pius Parishioners

Darleen and I are writing to say how grateful we are for all of the cards, gifts, and prayers that you all gave our family as we move. We are excited for this new opportunity but very sad to leave St Pius which has been our home and our family for the last four and a half years. We will miss you all terribly and will remember you all in our prayers. God has blessed us in so many ways through St Pius and we are full of gratitude for the time that we spent here. I know that God will continue to work in this parish through His Holy Spirit and we are grateful that we were able to be a part of what God is doing at St Pius for this time in our lives. Change is difficult but we trust fully in God's plan and His perfect will. As the Scripture says 'one sows and another reaps'. Please continue to keep us in your prayers as we try to follow God's will for our family.

Yours in Christ,

Francis Zelinka

ST. PIUS X CHICKEN AND BURGOO COOK SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2023

Pickup is in front of Daycare (12:00pm-1:00pm)



Presale Ticket Deadline is August 28th



August 15th is a Holy Day of Obligation Mass times will be 8:00am and 6:00pm

OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY The church office will be closed

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GRACE MARRIAGE

Making Good Marriages Better

Marriages can be loads of fun when you're on the same page but really hard when life gets in the way.....which is every day.

Imagine hitting pause on your schedule and spending uninterrupted time with your spouse protecting and growing your relationships. Grace Marriage is an intentional on-going marriage ministry where couples spend time every 90 days in conversation focusing on their marriage. Even though it is a group setting much of the time is spent one on one with your spouse to celebrate your wins and learn how God wants you to work together to lead

your family.

Mark your calendar to join us:

August 26, 2023 November 4, 2023 February 10, 2024 April 20, 2024 Call or Text Gary or Beverly Estes for more information or to sign up. You can also go to the St. Pius X website at: <u>stpiustenthparish.org</u> Click on Ministries and then click on Grace Marriage for more information and to register. Gary 270-314-4419 or Beverly 270-313-3105

Will & Estate Planning



Saturday, September 9 from 10 AM to 12 PM SAINT PIUS TENTH PARISH HALL

HOW TO REGISTER

Call 270-684-4745, mail the form from the bulletin insert to St. Pius X Parish, 3418 Hwy 144, Owensboro, KY 42303 or drop in the collection basket.

Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph 53rd Annual Raffle

The Mount Raffle has been a tradition for 53 years and is an important source of funding for the Ursuline Sister's ministries and retired Sisters.

Top Prize: \$10,000

Other Prizes: \$5,000, \$2,000, and Handmade gueen sized guilt (valued at \$1,000)

Tickets are \$5 each and can be bought online at https://ursulinesmsj.org/mountraffle.

Or by mailing a check to:

Mount Raffle 8001 Cummings Road, Maple Mount, KY 42356. Check can be made payable to Ursuline Sisters. Contact Carol Braden-Clarke, Director of Development, at 270-229-2208 or carol.braden-clarke@maplemount.org with any questions.

Presenters

Valeria Vessels

Tom Lilly

Attorney Nick Volk

Thacker, Hodskins & Knight, LLP His focus is on estate planning, trust and estate administration and tax planning.

Chancellor and Chief Administrative Officer, Diocese of Owensboro

Director of the Office of Stewardship and Development. Diocese of Owensboro

Join the Ursuline Sisters for Quilt Bingo

Sunday, September 10th in Maple Hall (formerly the Mount gym) Doors open at 12:30pm and games are from 1:00pm-4:00pm Entry fee: \$25.00(includes lunch)

Games are \$1 for medium sized quilts and \$2 for large quilt prizes

St. Pius X Daycare

Director: Brook Mattingly (bmattingly@stpiustenthparish.org)

Assistant Director: Jen Howard (jhoward@stpiustenthparish.org)

WE HAVE A WONDERFUL WEEK AHEAD OF US!

 Regular Curriculum- 1's Cozy Corner Curriculum: Up, Down, All Around (the way we move), 2's Creative Curriculum: Beginning of Year Study, Pre. A & B LiteraSci Curriculum: My School & My Friends (community helpers, letter Ee, number 8, the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, count sets up to 5, human body, comparison words) (Religion Class will now be a part of our curriculum for our Preschool A, music ministry will be a part of curriculum in our Two Year Old Classroom and Preschool B)

• Student of the Week: Preschool B- Rylynn, Terrific, Preschool A- Addy, Super! Important Dates:

♦ Friday, August 18th – Dress Like a Community Helper Day!





Liturgical

Ministry Schedule for August 19-20, 2023

<u>Sat, 5:00 PM (Church)</u>			
James Fleischmann	 Captain/Bread 1 		
Fr. Babu Joseph	- Bread 2		
Keith Franey	- Captain Asst./Bread 3		
Cathy Franey	- Bread 4		
Laura Veach	- Cup 1		
Tommy Velotta	- Cup 2		
Peggy Castlen	- Cup 3		
Truby Velotta	- Cup 4		
Robert (Bob) Storm	Gift Bearer		
Thomas Conrey	- Lector 1		
Connie Fleischmann	- Lector 2		
Deborah Daugherty	- Greeter D-1		
Kristy Fulkerson	- Greeter D-2		
Ella Freels	- Server 1		
Kyle Fulkerson	- Server 2		
Sam Potts	 Captain/Usher 1 		
Tommy Hayden	- Usher 2		
Jeff Fulkerson	- Usher 3		
Thomas Melton	- Usher 4		
Karen Hollman	Rosary Leader		

Sun,	8:00 AM (Church)
	Mary Jo Westerfield
	Fr. Babu Joseph
	Tina Hagan
	Paula Annin
	Michael Haynes
	Geoff Snyder
	Charlotte Hedges
	Heather Haynes
	Matt Knight
	Russell Payne
	Steve Clark
	Charles Johnson
	Audrey Hagan
	Keaton Mattingly
	Peyton Hagan
	Eddie Mattingly
	Steven Haynes
	Gary Warren
	Stephen Boarman
	Jane Johnson

		Sun, 11:00 AM (Church)		
b	- Captain/Bread 1	Gary Estes	 Captain/Bread 1 	
	- Bread 2	Fr. Babu Joseph	- Bread 2	
- Ca	aptain Asst./Bread 3	Marion Bates - C	aptain Asst./Bread 3	
	- Bread 4	Suzann Millay	- Bread 4	
	- Cup 1	Nga Reh	- Cup 1	
	- Cup 2	Melody Clark	- Cup 2	
	- Cup 3	Robert Smith	- Cup 3	
	- Cup 4	Htay Meh	- Cup 4	
	Gift Bearer	Robert Millay	Gift Bearer	
		Ellen Marlowe (sub req.) - Lector 1	
	- Lector 1	Bryan Krampe	- Lector 2	
	- Lector 2	Angie Morrison	- Greeter D-1	
	- Greeter D-1	Jeff Morrison	- Greeter D-2	
	- Greeter D-2	Carter Maffia (sub req.)	- Server 1	
	- Server 1	Colin Howard	- Server 2	
	- Server 2	John & Beth Clements	 Captain/Usher 1 	
	 Captain/Usher 1 	James E. Howard	- Usher 2	
	- Usher 2	Brion Marlowe	- Usher 3	
	- Usher 3	Samuel, Caroline,		
	- Usher 4	& Elliot Clements	- Usher 4	
	Rosary Leader	Beverly Estes	Rosary Leader	
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SPIRITUAL LIFE COMMITTEE The Assumption

Question:

What lessons should I learn from the Assumption of Mary?

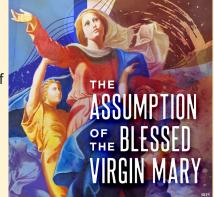
Answer:

Growing in holiness is similar to training in a sport. We need someone to show us how we can live our faith well. Mary is a model of sanctity. She shows us how to be faithful to God's will, living each day with confidence in God's mercy and love. At the Nativity, in Jesus' public ministry, and at the Crucifixion, we see her steadfast trust. She allows the Lord to use her life to accomplish his plan for her and for all of us. In the Preface of the Mass for the Assumption of Mary, we pray: "For today the Virgin Mother of God was assumed into heaven as the beginning and image of your Church's coming to perfection and a sign of sure hope and comfort to your pilgrim people."

It is this image of holiness that we strive to imitate. In the

office, at home, or in our community, we look for signs of God's grace that call us to an ever greater love of him and each other. A greater awareness of God is a sign of our conversion of heart that lives the lessons Mary teaches.

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MUSIC MINISTRY

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time (August 19th & 20th)

5:00PM—Mary Lou Storm 8:00AM—Joel Ciaccio 11:00AM—Joel Ciaccio

Sacramental Preparation

<u>Baptism</u>

For the Sacrament of Baptism for their child parents must attend a preparation class. Please contact Kimly Hoang at 270-684-4745 or khoang@stpiustenthparish.org

Matrimony

One or both persons of the engaged couple must be active and registered parishioners at St. Pius X. If not, you may still contact Father Babu at 270-684-4745 or frbabu@stpiustenthparish.org.

First Reconciliation/Holy Communion, and Confirmation

Registered parishioners are encouraged to register for preparation for the sacraments.

For more information for children age 3-8th grade and First Communion, please contact Kimly Hoang, Faith Formation Coordinator at 270-684-4745 or khoang@stpiustenthparish.org.

For Confirmation please contact Matt Knight, Youth Minister at

270-684-4745 or mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

Order Of Christian Initiation Of Adults

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Stewardship Service

General Collections		
Fiscal year begins in July*	Week of : 8/13	2023
		Year To Date
General Collections	17,972.25	93,452.62
Budget Goal	14,615.00	87,690.00
Over/ <mark>(Short)</mark> TOTAL	3,357.25	5,762.62

Capital Campaign			
	Week of: 8/13	Total	
Total Cost of Reno		1,628,687.00	
Pledges Received		1,567,916.96	
Collected	7,229.00	1,296,106.75	

Weekly Mass Count

<u>August 5-6</u> 5:00pm—122 8:00am—175 11:00am—201 Total—498



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visit http://bit.ly/StpxOboro





Counseling

Are there things in life that are stressing you out? You are not alone. Please call Catholic Charities at 270-683-1545 and mention CAP. We will direct you to a licensed counselor. You may also visit owensborodiocese.org/counseling.

August Altar Linens: Joanne Warren



God's Housekeepers: Aug 14-19 TEAM #4 Gail & Ricky Wallace Delores Turnage Karen Wells Valerie Thomas Robert Smith Jeannie & David Foster Bonnie Castlen

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Pastor (Ext. 202)

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Brook Mattingly: bmattingly@stpiustenthparish.org Daycare Assistant Director (Ext. 208) Jennifer Howard: jhoward@stpiustenthparish.org

Safe Environment: The safety of our children is the responsibility of every Christian. 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 (270) 685-8442; local law enforcement (270) 687-8888; or the Kentucky Child Abuse Hotline (toll-free: 1-877-597- 2331). To report abuse to the diocese, current or past, by anyone acting in the name of the Church (paid or volunteer), call Scott Ingram, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator (English) on the confidential phone line: 270-852-8380, or Susan Montalvo-Gesser/Miguel Quintanilla, Pastoral Assistance Coordinators (Spanish): 270-880-8360. The Diocese of Owensboro's sexual abuse policy is available at this parish in the parish office, and also on the diocesan website (https://owensborodiocese.org/safe).