

St. Pius Tenth CATHOLIC CHURCH

July 1st & 2nd 2023



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.



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:

Saturdays 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

Bookkeeper—

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—

Jennifer Howard

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me.” - Mt 10:37-38

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Worship & Prayer

Readings for the week of
July 2, 2023

PRAY
FOR
SOMEONE
NEW
EVERY
DAY!



Prayer Chain Requests:

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

Pray for the Sick: Cecilia Aud, Lois Davis, Axel Fleischmann, 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 Shrewsbury, Louella Stroud, Carrie Weaver, Carrie Wieder, and Elizabeth Johnson, Kenny and Angie Clark, Lucy Blair, Joe Roby, Linda Roby

Carmel Home: Audline Johnson, Annette Wimsatt, Laura Hayden, Mary Ann Lindsey

Chautauqua Health & Rehab: Cecilia Aud

Heritage: Ed Howard

Hermitage: Betty Greenwell

Pray for the Homebound: 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. Knox, KY

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

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19 (2a)/Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42

Monday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29

Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29/Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12/Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13/Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 9:14-17

Next Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14 (see 1)/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30



The week of July 2-9, 2023

Sunday: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am—Our Parish Family
11:00am—William Rhodest†

Monday: St. Thomas, Apostle
No Mass

Tuesday: Independence Day
12:00 pm—Gerald Haynest†
—Judy Roby†

Wednesday: St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal
6:00 pm—Larry Harralson†
—Bob Storm

Thursday: St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr
12:00pm—Danny Murphy†
—Judy Steele & Family

Friday:
8:00am—Barbara Coomes
—Teresa Mu

Saturday:
5:00pm—J.C. Mayfield† & Dale Mayfield†

Next Sunday: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am—James Donald Wimsatt†
11:00am—Our Parish Family

Faith Formation

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

13th Sunday in the Ordinary Time

Jesus in today's Gospel seems very radical when he articulates the requirements of being his followers. The denotation of the text often makes many of us hesitate in the journey as his disciples such as "takes up his cross and follow... loses his life, or loves others more than Jesus..."

Matthew was a tax collector, a well educated man and knew many languages. His book was primarily written for the Jewish audience, therefore he prioritized the importance of literal meaning, which seems very important for the Jews. The Gospel of Matthew is also the only book to point out that Jesus came "not to abolish the law, but to fulfill it" and that "not the smallest letter, not the least stroke of a pen, will by any means disappear from the Law until everything is accomplished." (Mt 5:17-18). For others (Gentiles), as the rest of us, we should go beyond the denotation or literal meaning to meditate and to understand that the words have a connotative power. The power of these words is to free us from the burden of sin and weakness, to overcome ourselves to become his disciples.

Anyone interested in being a Catechist for the upcoming school year please contact me. Is God calling you to share your faith with our children and youth? If so, I would love to have you join me in this upcoming year!

Matthew Knight, Youth Minister
mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

NCYC 2023

NOVEMBER 16th - 18th @ INDIANAPOLIS, IN

WE STILL HAVE 3 SPOTS LEFT TO FILL FOR NCYC. This is a great opportunity for you youth to experience the Universal Church as well as grow in relationship with Christ. Cost is \$200 but we do have scholarships available. Please contact Matt for any more questions, comments or concerns.

Heavenly Father,

I pray that you would provide encouragement to those of our parish going on this mission trip. Help them remain faithful with the things you've entrusted to them. Let them set examples in speech, life, love and faith. Give them discernment to deal with any problems that may arise.

- AMEN

Youth Ministry

PRAYER REQUEST

Next week our HS Youth will be taking a Mission Team down to Birmingham, AL to work with their Diocese.

Please be in prayer for our team that will be going:

Sydney Adams, Robert Ball, Abby Edge, Luke Estes, Bella Guinn, Madelyn Hardesty, Savannah Masterson, Andrew Moore, Brandon Moore, and Colton Wallace. As well as our Adults: Fr. John Paul, Melanie Wallace, and Renee Guin

Our Community

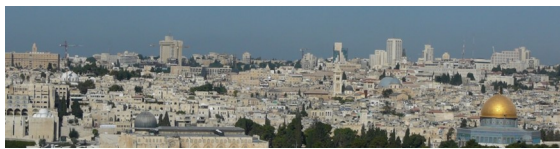
St. Pius X Holy Land Pilgrimage

Sept. 20-29, 2024

After years of hearing the Gospels proclaimed at Mass, after years of proclaiming the Creed and partaking the Body and Blood of Christ at Mass, imagine hearing those Gospels proclaimed, celebrating mass, and receiving the Body and Blood of Christ in the very places where Jesus was born, was baptized, and where he ministered, taught, healed, suffered, died and rose from the dead. On this Catholic Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, you will visit all of these sacred places and more. We will celebrate mass in Bethlehem, on the Mount of Beatitudes, Jerusalem's Garden of Gethsemane, and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, and in the small village where Mary visited Elizabeth and John the Baptist was born.

Our 10-day pilgrimage includes first-class hotels, international flights, overseas airport transfers, breakfast and dinner daily, deluxe motor-coaches, professional guides, all entry fees, and most gratuities.

If you would like to learn more, please contact Shelly Maffia at 812-719-0452 or shellymaffia@yahoo.com.



Vatican International Exhibition *The Eucharistic Miracles* of the World

Experience an amazing Vatican approved
free exhibition conceived and designed by

Blessed Carlo Acutis

on display here at St. Pius X Catholic Church in the
Parish Hall

Saturday, July 15 (Noon-7:00pm)

Sunday, July 16 (7:30am-1:00pm)

The Eucharistic Miracles of the World Exhibit is a traveling display on loan from Mr. Robert Bullock of Immaculate Conception Church in LaGrange, KY. It features 157 beautiful panels that highlight some of the most powerful Eucharistic miracles in the world. Please come and see!

Acts 2:42 Groups

LIVING THE EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

THEY DEVOTED THEMSELVES TO THE TEACHINGS OF THE APOSTLES, THE
COMMUNAL LIFE, THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND PRAYER. - ACTS 2:42

What are Acts 2:42 Host Teams?

Host Teams are a group of two people who come together to open their home(s) in hospitality to their Acts 2:42 small group. A Host Team has a love for hospitality and sharing with others. A host team does not have to be a married couple, they could be a couple or perhaps just two friends who want to take turns opening their home. Host Teams receive support from their Parish Coordinator with supplies, videos, and training for how to effectively lead conversation in their groups. If you feel a call from the Holy Spirit to join a Host Team, please select box on interest form or contact your Parish Coordinator Ed Calhoun.

The Office of Marriage and Family Life

The Office of Marriage and Family life is excited to have the opportunity to offer an in-person PreCana retreat in conjunction with the online program.

The retreat will be held on **August 26, 2023** at Gasper River. This retreat is offered at no further cost for couples already participating in PreCana online formation in 2023 (or who completed the training in 2022).

More details can be found at:
<https://owensborodiocese.org/precana/>



HAPPY
4th of July
Independence
DAY

From: St. Pius X Staff

PETER'S PENCE

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.

**Condolences to the families
of Gay Me Paw and Mary
Edgell, Eternal rest grant
unto
Gay Me and Mary Edgell
O' Lord**

**The Parish Office will be
closed
Tuesday, July 4th
for
Independence Day**



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!

- **DAYCARE CLOSED – JULY 4TH!**
- Student of the Week: Preschool B- Matti, Way to Go, Preschool A- Hazel, Great Job!
- **Important Dates:**
 - ◇ **Friday, July 7th Red, White, & Blue Day!**

**RED,
WHITE,
& BLUE
Day**

Liturgical

Ministry Schedule for July 8-9, 2023

Sat, 5:00 PM (Church)

Kathy Jo Clary	- Captain/Bread 1
Fr. Babu Joseph	- Bread 2
Ava Roberts	- Captain Asst./Bread 3
Keith Franey	- Bread 4
Melanie Wallace	- Cup 1
Spencer Roberts	- Cup 2
James Fleischmann	- Cup 3
Christa Roberts	- Cup 4
Sam Roberts	Gift Bearer
Steve Hollman	- Lector 1
Laura Veach	- Lector 2
Savannah and Zachary Masterson	- Greeter D-1
Janice Masterson	- Greeter D-2
Caleb Freels	- Server 1
Emmy Roberts	- Server 2
Sam Potts	- Captain/Usher 1
Colton Wallace	- Usher 2
Joe Brooks	- Usher 3
Scott Wallace	- Usher 4
Marian Jones	Rosary Leader

Sun, 8:00 AM (Church)

Carol Payne	- Captain/Bread 1
Fr. Babu Joseph	- Bread 2
Wil Storm (sub req.)	- Captain Asst./Bread 3
Nichole Johnson	- Bread 4
Heather Haynes	- Cup 1
Charlotte Hedges	- Cup 2
Michael Haynes	- Cup 3
Susan Peh Meh	- Cup 4
Randy Barnett	Gift Bearer
Mark Howard	- Lector 1
Donna Howard	- Lector 2
Jamison Ray Hughes	- Greeter D-1
Jessica Hughes	- Greeter D-2
Nolan Hardesty	- Server 1
Keaton Mattingly	- Server 2
Thomas Payne	- Captain/Usher 1
Larry Murphy	- Usher 2
David Goetz	- Usher 3
Steven Haynes	- Usher 4
Catherine Barnett	Rosary Leader

Sun, 11:00 AM (Church)

Gary Estes	- Captain/Bread 1
Fr. Babu Joseph	- Bread 2
Charles Moore	- Captain Asst./Bread 3
Nga Reh	- Bread 4
Melody Clark	- Cup 1
Josie Kroeger	- Cup 2
Suzann Millay (sub req.)	- Cup 3
Marion Bates	- Cup 4
Tim Pedley	Gift Bearer
Bryan Krampe	- Lector 1
Brenda Coombs	- Lector 2
James Gerteisen	- Greeter D-1
Elliet Kroeger	- Greeter D-2
Eli and Wes Kroeger	- Server 1
Jessica Payne	- Server 2
Tim Bowen (sub req.)	- Captain/Usher 1
Ellen Marlowe	- Usher 2
Robert Millay	- Usher 3
Brion Marlowe	- Usher 4
Beverly Estes	Rosary Leader

13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MUSIC MINISTRY

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time (July 8th & 9th)



5:00PM—Roger Jones & Alice Freels

8:00AM—Francis

11:00AM—Choir

If you are interested in guitar or piano lessons
email Francis Zelinka at
fzelinka@stpiustenthparish.org

Weekly Mass Count

June 17-18

5:00pm—126
8:00am—147
11:00am—178
1:00pm—38 (Burmese Mass)
Total—489



SPIRITUAL LIFE COMMITTEE

St. Elizabeth of Portugal | July 5

St. Elizabeth was born to Peter III of Aragon and his queen Constanza in 1271. Like most royal girls of the time, she was betrothed at an early age, and was married to King Diniz (or Dinis, English: Denis) at the age of 12. Although her husband's infidelities and life of sin caused much scandal, Elizabeth was a good and pious queen. She attended Mass daily and dedicated her life to helping the poor. She established orphanages and shelters for the homeless. She also founded a convent of Poor Clares at Coimbra, Portugal.

Often called Peacemaker, Elizabeth was from her birth a reconciler of conflict. Her birth brought her father and his estranged father James to peace. Later when her own son and husband came to war out of jealousy, she rode between armies and reconciled the two men. After King Diniz died in 1325, she went to live as a lay member at the convent of Poor Clares that she had founded. But her fight for peace was not over, she undertook a long ride to keep the army of her son Afonso IV, from fighting that of Alfonso XI of Castile. Although she was successful, she died shortly after from a fever.

Saint Elizabeth was canonized on May 25th, 1625, by Pope Urban VIII. In the United States her memorial has been transferred to July 5th since July 4th is Independence Day, a national holiday.



Stewardship & Service

General Collections		
<i>Fiscal year begins in July*</i>	Week of : 6/25	2023
		Year To Date
General Collections	11, 835.65	750,964.98
Budget Goal	14,424.00	750,000.00
Over/(Short) TOTAL	(2,588.35)	964.98



Capital Campaign		
	Week of: 6/25	Total
Total Cost of Reno		1,628,687.00
Pledges Received		1,567,916.96
Collected	2,697.00	1,274,587.23

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QR code



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.

July Altar Linens:
Mary Jo Westerfield



God's Housekeepers:

July 3-8

TEAM #7

Al & Jane Johnson
David Goetz
Roger & Dottie Kirk
Libby & Tom Johnson
Larry & Debbie Murphy

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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>).