



St. Pius Tenth Catholic Church

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.



THEN JESUS SAID
TO HER IN REPLY,
“O WOMAN,
GREAT IS YOUR
FAITH! LET IT BE
DONE FOR YOU
AS YOU WISH.”
—MT 15:28

20TH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

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Nineteenth Sunday

August 16th, 2020

PARISH STAFF:

Pastor—Fr. Tom Buckman

Dir. of Faith Formation—Sr. Suzanne Sims O.S.U.

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Director of Music—Francis Zelinka

Youth/Young Adult Ministry—Matt Knight

Daycare Director—Brook Mattingly

Daycare Asst. Dir.—Jennifer Howard

Bulletin Deadline: Monday at Noon

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM and 11:00 AM

Monday and Friday: 8:00 AM

Tuesday and Thursday: 12:00 Noon

Wednesday: 6:00 PM

Holy Day Vigil: 6:00 PM

Holy Day: 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM

Confession: Saturdays at 12-1:00 PM

Adoration: First Friday of the month 9 AM—8 PM

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9 AM—4 PM

Friday 9 AM—1 PM

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WORSHIP and PRAYER

Readings for the week of August 16, 2020

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

Monday: Ez 24:15-24/Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21 [cf. 18a]/Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab [39c]/Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [Ez 36:25]/Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [1]/Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7ab/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 10b]/Mt 23:1-12

Next Sunday: Is 22:19-23/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8 [8bc]/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20

Everyday Stewardship: The Challenge of Stewardship

Every day we are called by Christ to respond in some way. The more practice we have at giving of ourselves freely and living in His presence, the easier it is to discern that call. Once we hear the call, the choice is ours: will we respond with yes or no? We could say that we are not required to say yes because God has given us free will. However, our response speaks much to where we are in our maturity of faith. If we truly are disciples of Jesus Christ and are serious about growing in our faith, we will say "yes."

This is the challenge of a stewardship way of life. Have we matured enough to say yes when God calls, regardless of how much our answer may cost us? What matters more to us: what it will cost us, or our relationship with Jesus? Some days we will easily be able to say yes. The grace and love he gives us will be plenty to see us through. However, we are imperfect beings and there will be days when we are more into ourselves than him. It is on those days that we find ourselves at a true crossroads of a challenge. The choice is always ours. Hopefully, our faith will be strong enough. His call is never for his own sake. He calls us because the world he created and the Church he instituted need us. They wait just as he does.

Question of the Week

First Reading

After Israel's return from their captivity in Babylon, Isaiah prophesied the Lord's salvation to all people of faith and good will, not just Israel. Why do you think some people resist the idea of God's impartiality?

Second Reading

Paul sees the rejection of Jesus by the Jews as the vehicle for God's mercy to all, both Jew and Gentile alike. When has God turned a negative into a positive in your life?

Gospel Reading

Jesus initially reacts negatively to the Canaanite (Gentile) woman. But Jesus showed the disciples that faith in him transcends the historic divide between Jew and Gentile. When have you allowed your faith in Christ heal a division?

Pray for the Sick: Cecilia Aud, Mary Coy, Lois Davis, Axel Fleischmann, Larry Harralson, Dorothy Mattingly, Alex McGehee, Theresa Murphy, Corky and Elaine Norcia, JR Payne, Robert Shrewsberry, Julie S., Ron Tucker, Sharon Warren, Carrie Weaver. **Please call the office to add names.**

Carmel Home: Eugene Head, Audline Johnson, Margaret and Randal Richeson

Hillcrest: Kathleen Clark

Owensboro Center: Cecilia Aud, Peggy Livers

Heritage: Ed Howard

Golden Living Center, Tell City, IN: Joe McKay

Pray for the Homebound: Arch Bamberger, Tamara Burns, Richard Crowe, Wilford Crowe, Betty Greenwell, Donald & Sylvia Hamilton, Gerald Haynes, Joe McCarty, Sharon Merkley, Janet Rehrauer, Nathan Rumage, Margaret VanBussum, John Williams

Please Pray for Our Military

Stuart Castlen: Navy, Fort Meade, Maryland

LTJG Patrick Clouse: Navy; Norfolk, VA

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

Tony Pace: National Guard

Joshua Jones: Army National Guard Greenville, KY

Nathan Jones: Army National Guard Greenville, KY

Cory Vance: US Marines

Scott Wallace: National Guard

Prayer Chain Requests:

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



Weekly Mass Count

Saturday 35

Sunday 106

Sunday 70 +48 live-stream

ST. PIUS X LITURGICAL LIFE

Observances for the week of August 16, 2020

Sunday: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 am — Bobby Barnett †

11 am — Our Parish Family

Monday: Ordinary Time

8 am Kevin Murphy birthday

Tuesday: Ordinary Time

12:00 Noon — Charles Leo Howard †

Wednesday: St. John Eudes, Priest

6 pm — Daniel Fuzz Blair †

Thursday: St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church

12:00 Noon — Carl O'Bryan

Friday: St. Pius X, Pope

8 am — Laverne Aud †

Saturday: The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

5 pm — Laura Jane Green †

Next Sunday: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 am — Our Parish Family

11 am — Helen Dorothy Knott †

The fundamental posture at the **Eucharistic Prayer** while Mass is in the Parish Hall is standing. A profound bow should be made when the priest genuflects after the consecration. ~Fr. Tom

The **Parish Feast Day Social on August 22nd** is **canceled** due to COVID-19. [Feast Day Mass will still be at 5 PM.](#)

The parishioner who won a gift certificate from Panera was **Robert Smith** for the final week of sales.

The parishioner who sold the most tickets was **Alicia Wells**.

RCIA classes will begin on September 10th. Could God be calling you to the Catholic Church? Contact the parish office for more information. All are welcome!

Picnic Raffle Ticket Winners:

Quilt A: Jill Campbell **Quilt B:** Pat Jones

\$100 cash: Bobby Barnett, Jr.

Wooden Porch Swing: Aaron Williams

\$250 cash: Charlotte Aud

Gatlinburg Cabin: Judy Roby

\$2500 cash: Melody Clark

THANK YOU to all parish members for your prayers, generosity and turning in your pledge cards! *If you have not turned in a pledge card, please turn them in as soon as possible so we can meet our goal!* If you cannot contribute financially, we ask that you please still return your pledge card and pray for the parish renovation.

Nominations for Parish Council

Nominations for 3 new members on the Parish Council is from August 21-31. Due to COVID-19, nominations can be returned by email or call Parish Office, Laura Naviaux, navaiaux@pastoral.org. Ballots are also at church doors: complete and drop in collection basket. Completing their terms are: *Carolyn McCarty, Larry Murphy, Eddie Stallings*. Thank you for your faithful service

OCS SCRIP PARTNERSHIPS

Our Myanmar families are navigating the use of **SCRIP**. Most of them have no extended family to assist them in this tuition benefit. IF you would like to partner with a family (or the Parish) to use your SCRIP purchases, please discuss the need with Sr. Suzanne. This is a great way to support our local Catholic Schools and our Parish families. Go to:

www.owensborocatholic.org and click on the **SCRIP** tab for information.



Women Shaped by Faith: Shaping Bodies & Hearts for God's Purposes

Join us at Mount St. Joseph for an inspiring and motivating day developing and nurturing our spirit, mind and body. Theresa Rowe will teach on the health benefits of combining our faith, mindset and fitness, using biblical principles for daily application. Also included is a *Pilates for the Soul* mat workout. The cost is \$30 which includes lunch if you sign up in advance. The cost is \$40 at the door.



St. Pius X Daycare

Position: Childcare workers

Flexible schedule

Start pay: \$9.25/hr (no experience required)

Must have a high school diploma or GED

Applicant must be at least 18 years of age

Please contact Brook Mattingly at (270) 684-7456 for more information and to apply.

ST. PIUS X YOUTH NEWS

Matthew Knight, Youth Minister
mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

PARENTS

It turns out that we may have multiple opportunities to minister to your youth. With the public schools moving to an AB schedule we are looking for new and innovative ways to help you as parents. I am praying through potentially offering youth ministry during the day focused on topics of our faith, new small groups, and just days to chill and hang out. In order to do this more effectively please let Matt know if you would be interested in trying something new this fall via text (270)454-0404. I am super excited to see what all we can do this next year. Just because everything may be different the message Christ has for us is still the same.

HS & MS YOUTH

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, August 19th – Praise and Worship via Instagram Live

Francis and I have pushed back Praise and Worship to 6:50PM as we will be singing from the church space now in the parish hall. I hope you will log on and praise with us. **YOU CAN ALSO CATCH IT ON THE PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE RIGHT AFTER WE FINISH ON INSTAGRAM LIVE.**

CONFIRMATION

FRIDAY NIGHT, August 21st – OUR LAST CLASS @ 6:00pm

Due to scheduling conflicts at the church we will be meeting for an hour on Friday night to go over the last couple things before you all get confirmed on Friday Night September 11th at 6:00pm. Please let Matt know if you have any questions (270)454-0404. We will also have Reconciliation offered from 6-8:00pm



Families in Faith



FAMILIES IN FAITH PLANS FOR FALL

We plan to start on **Sunday, September 13 between Masses, 9:30-10:45 am.** At this time, we will not be allowed to have food or drink provided. **Registration** will be done **online OR from a packet mailed** to your home from **August 16-29.** Several options are being explored for parental choices. Stay tuned.

URSULINE SISTERS' ANNUAL RAFFLE

Please take a flyer from Church or pick up one at the office. Take a chance for \$5 to win \$10,000! This raffle is totally online or by mail with all proceeds going to care for many elderly and sick Sisters at Mount Saint Joseph. They love the Church and gave their lives in the ministry of teaching and pastoral work. The Ursulines have a 65+ year relationship with SPX and I am privileged to be in that line of those who served here. Thank you for your support.

SR. MARY THANG ENDS INTERNSHIP

We wish Sr. Thanh well as she concludes her time with us as of 8/9/20. We are grateful for all that she did this summer. She practiced reading the Scripture in English for daily liturgies, helped with some of our small groups, and took an active role on the staff.



She will return to classes at Brescia University next week for her senior year.

20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom and cured every disease among the people."

Matthew 4:23



Music Ministry

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"Do not abandon yourselves to despair. We are the Easter people and hallelujah is our song."

~Pope John Paul II

It is easy in our current cultural and political climate to be drawn into the cares, concerns, and battles of the world. Often, despair seems like the most appropriate response to the evil that we see advancing against us. We usually bring that feeling of despair and weariness from a long week with us to Mass. Perhaps even more so now as Mass looks and feels so different since the COVID restrictions. Our hope and faith are fragile and easily shaken, but Pope John Paul II gives us the remedy to this despair that hovers over us like a cloud. The praise of God. As we know, our praise of God is not for God's benefit, but for our good. When we praise God, even in the midst of our struggles and trials, it turns our hearts toward Him like flowers toward the sunlight; then we are able to show the beauty of God to the world. So let us look for opportunities throughout our day to speak (or sing) the praises of God. On the mountain and in the valley may His name be praised!

Daily Mass Music: Francis on vacation

August 20th St. Bernard of Clairvaux

Bernard was sent at an early age to a college at Chatillon, where he was conspicuous for his remarkable piety and spirit of recollection. Fearing the snares and temptations of the world, he resolved to embrace the newly established and very austere institute of the Cistercian Order. His superior soon after, seeing the great progress he had made in the spiritual life, sent him with twelve monks to found a new monastery, which afterward became known as the celebrated Abbey of Clairvaux. He founded numerous other monasteries, composed a number of works and undertook many journeys for the honor of God. The reputation of St.



Bernard spread far and wide; even the Popes were governed by his advice. He was commissioned by Pope Eugene III to preach the second Crusade. St. Bernard was eminently endowed with the gift of miracles.

St. Pius X Daycare

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We have a wonderful week ahead of us!

Summer Curriculum: Pond Themes

Student of the Week: Three's- Boone E., Great

Job, Preschool A- Paige H., Terrific, Preschool

B- Madeline C., Way to Go!

Friday, August 21st



August 21st St. Pius X Pope

On May 29, 1954, Giuseppe Melchiorre Sarto became the two hundred fifty-ninth pope and canonized St. Pius X. Two of the accomplishments of this saintly Pope were the inauguration of the liturgical renewal and the restoration of frequent communion. He also waged an unwavering war against heresy and evils of Modernism, gave great impetus to biblical studies, and brought about the codification of Canon Law. His overriding concern was to renew all things in Christ. From St. Pius X we learn again that "the folly of the Cross", simplicity of life, and humility of heart are still the highest wisdom and the indispensable conditions of a perfect Christian life, for they are the very source of all apostolic fruitfulness. His last will and testament bears the striking sentence: "I was born poor, I have lived in poverty, and I wish to die poor."



STEWARDSHIP and SERVICE



Altar Linens : August

Debbie Lanham

God's Housekeepers: August 17-22

Mark and Donna Howard	Anna Carrico
Timothy and Betty Bowen	Cynthia Reed
Andrew and Martha Pheh	
Faustina Thwa Meh	
Thomas and Zoey Melton	
Hta Meh	



Musician's Schedule: August 22-23, 2020

5 PM Francis

8 AM Francis

11 AM Francis

St. Vincent DePaul: Volunteers are available on Tuesday and Thursday mornings 9-11:00 AM.

For online giving or from your electronic device:

Web address is: <http://bit.ly/StpxOboro>

or QR code



Mass Ministers: August 22nd & 23rd, 2020

Sat, 5:00 PM (Church)

Fr. Tom Buckman	Eucharistic Minister - Bread 2
James Fleischmann	Eucharistic Minister - Bread 3
Connie Fleischmann	Lector - Lector 1
Gary Estes	Greeter - Greeter D-1
Beverly Estes	Greeter - Greeter D-2
Robert Freels	Usher - Captain/Usher 1
Eric Hicks	Usher - Usher 2

Sun, 8:00 AM (Church)

Fr. Tom Buckman	Eucharistic Minister - Bread 2
Beth McKay	Eucharistic Minister - Bread 3
Madison Silvert	Lector - Lector 1
John Crawford Silvert	Greeter - Greeter D-1
Emma Silvert	Greeter - Greeter D-2
Nick Howard	Usher - Captain/Usher 1
Danny Morris	Usher - Usher 2

Sun, 11:00 AM (Church)

Fr. Tom Buckman	Eucharistic Minister - Bread 2
Colleen Bachmeier	Eucharistic Minister - Bread 3
Jeanie Lewis	Lector - Lector 1
Kristina Jones	Greeter - Greeter D-1
Michael Lewis	Greeter - Greeter D-2
Robert Millay	Usher - Captain/Usher 1
Eric Miles	Usher - Usher 2

Guidelines for Resuming Parish Gatherings Outside the Liturgy

Effective immediately (July 1, 2020), parish gatherings outside the liturgy (Religious Education classes, RCIA meetings, small groups, etc.) may resume with ten people or less, with the following guidelines:

- All must continue practicing physical distancing of six feet from those not living within the same household.
- All must wear a mask if closer than six feet to anyone not living within their household.
- Attendance limited to 50% of maximum permitted occupancy
- No communal food may be shared.
- Encourage all to wash hands frequently before, during, and after the gathering.
- Encourage all to avoid touching their eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Those at high risk over 65 with heart, lung, or kidney disease, are still asked not to gather.

Guidelines for resuming public worship are available by visiting: <https://owensborodiocese.org/return-to-public-mass/>.

RENOVATION UPDATES

7/12/20



7/13/20



7/14/20



Stain glass windows from the church are available 29" x 110". Donations accepted. Please contact the parish office and ask for Jeanie Lewis. 270 684-4745