

St. Pius Tenth CATHOLIC CHURCH

June 28th & 29th, 2025



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.



STS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

**"I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven.
Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in
heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be
loosed in heaven." - Mt 16:19**

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM & 11:00 AM
Monday: 8:00 AM
Tuesday & Thursday: Noon
Wednesday: 6:00 PM
Friday: 8:00 AM
Holy Day: 6:00 PM Vigil
8:00 AM Day of
First Fridays & Saturdays :
Mass @ 8:00 AM

Confession:

Saturdays 3:30-4:30 PM
Wednesdays: 5:00-5:45 PM
By appointment
Adoration: First Friday of the
month 9 AM—6 PM
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

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Fr. Larry Hostetter

Associate Pastor—

Fr. Martin Ling

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Melody Clark

Director of Religious Ed.—

Amie Stevens

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Debra Brown

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Shane Aud

Building and Grounds—

Ed Mattingly

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Clint Campbell

Youth Ministry—

Matt Knight

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Sonya Budd

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Worship & Prayer



Prayer Chain Requests:

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

Pray for the Sick: Lois Davis, Pat Harralson, Mary Elaine Johnson, Rina Lyle, Theresa Murphy, Dan Murray, Liz Parker, Chris Payne, Joseph A. Roby, Jr., Louella Stroud, Carrie Wieder, Elizabeth Johnson, Joe Roby, Linda Roby, Alexis Bibb, Marvin Bickwerment, Mark Bullock, Jack Hutton, Frank Murphy, Steven Thompson, Joe Rearden, Harold Rearden, Sam Hayden, Joyce Yeiser, & Bryan Jones

Carmel Home: Audline Johnson, Annette Wimsatt

Chautauqua Health & Rehab: Cecilia Aud

Heritage: Ed Howard

Fern Terrace: Gary Horn

Pray for the Homebound: Tamara Burns, Louise Crowe, Richard Crowe, Wilford Crowe, Donald Hamilton, Rob Hamilton, Geraldine Keller, Joseph Roby, Mildred Smith, & Vincent Hayden

Pray for Our Military

1st LT Xavier Evans: Marine Corps, Japan

Spc. Zachary Nalley: National Guard

Stuart Castlen: Space Force, CO

LT Patrick Clouse: Navy, Washington, DC

Master Sgt. Jeffery Cooper: Greenville, KY

Kaleb Hedden: Iraq

MAJ Ben Hedges, U.S. Army Reserves, Fort Knox, KY

Sgt. Brandon Johnson: National Guard

Brian A. McDaniel: Marine Corps

Wesley Osborne: National Guard

Tony Pace: National Guard

Joshua Jones: Army National Guard Greenville, KY

Nathan Jones: Army National Guard Greenville, KY

Lt. Col. Joshua Murphy: Army Colorado Springs, CO

Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word

- Acts 12:1–11 *The angel of the Lord rescues Peter.*
- Psalm 34 *"The angel of the Lord will rescue those who fear him."*
- 2 Timothy 4:6–8, 17–18 *"I have finished the race."*
- Matthew 16:13–19 *"You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."*

Because today we celebrate two saints who lived during the time that the New Testament was written, our readings feature significant events from their lives. We hear how Peter is freed from prison by an angel the night before he is to be executed. Paul, knowing that he would soon give his life for his faith, writes a farewell to his close friend and fellow disciple, Timothy. In the Gospel, Peter proclaims Jesus as the Messiah, the Christ. May their strong faith in the Lord be a model for us.



The week of June 29-July 6, 2025

Sunday: Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles

8:00am—Our Parish Family

11:00am—Mike Marlowe†

Monday: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

8:00 am—Gary Daugherty†

Tuesday: St. Junípero Serra, Priest

12:00pm—Ollie Hagan†

Wednesday:

6:00pm—Timmy Jackson†

Thursday: St. Thomas, Apostle

12:00pm—Jeanette & Gary Noel†

Friday: Independence Day

8:00am—David L. Howard family

Saturday: St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal

8:00am—Charles Wathen†

5:00pm—Corey Mattingly†

Next Sunday: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am—Our Parish Family

11:00am—Joseph Mattingly†

If you have or know a parishioner that would like to receive a bulletin in the mail please contact the church office at 270-684-4745 or email:

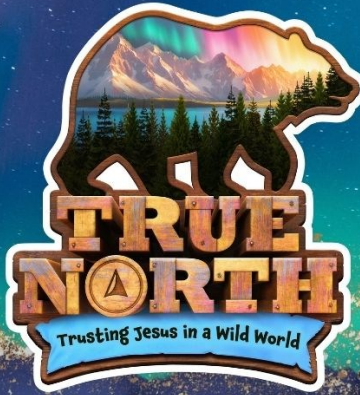
dbrown@stpiustenthparish.org.

THANK YOU!

Faith Formation

Amie Stevens, Director of Religious Education
astevens@stpiustenthparish.org

St. Pius X
VBS



JULY 16-18
4 - 7 PM

Help Needed for VBS!
We need adult volunteers to help make this event a success. If you can lend your time, please contact Amie Stevens at 270.684.4745

Matthew Knight, Youth Minister
mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

Youth Ministry

"Jesus Christ loves you; he gave his life to save you; and now he is living at your side everyday to enlighten, strengthen, and free you!"

-Pope Francis "Evangelii Gaudium"

MISSION NEW ORLEANS:

Parent & Team Meeting
Monday, June 30th - 6:00pm

We will meet Monday to go over packing list, work projects, logistics, forms, etc. **PLEASE MAKE THIS A PRIORITY.** It is important to know what all we are going to do and know our expectations.

Dad Joke of the Week

What do you call fake spaghetti?

ANSWER: An impasta!



Our Community

Ursuline Sisters launch 55th Raffle and you could win \$10,000! Drawing Sept. 14

The Mount Raffle has been a tradition for 55 years and is an important source of funding for the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph in Maple Mount, Ky. The price of the raffle tickets has stayed the same – they are only \$5 each. The top prize is \$10,000! Participants also get a chance to win \$5,000, \$2,000, and a handmade quilt valued at \$1,000. The beautiful queen-size quilt features hand-embroidered butterflies amid quilted squares of purple, teal and white. It was created by the Ursuline Sisters and friends. The drawing will take place on Sunday, Sept. 14, 2025, at 4 p.m. in Maple Hall at Mount Saint Joseph, at the conclusion of Quilt Bingo. We encourage supporters to buy raffle tickets online: visit <https://ursulinesmsj.org/mountraffle>. If you would prefer to order tickets through the mail, write your check to Ursuline Sisters and send to: Mount Raffle, 8001 Cummings Road, MapleMount, KY 42356.

Questions? Contact Carol Braden-Clarke, Director of Development, at 270-229-2008 or carol.braden-clarke@maplemount.org.

For more information about Quilt Bingo and to sign up for that event, visit: <https://ursulinesmsj.org/quilt.bingo/>

Grace Marriage

Save the Dates----

The 5th season of the Grace Marriage ministry will start in August 2025.

The session dates have been set:

Saturday, August 23, 2025

Saturday, November 8, 2025

Saturday, February 28, 2026

Saturday, April 25, 2026

The meeting location will be the St. Pius X Catholic Church's parish hall. The

sessions will start at 9 a.m. and conclude at 1 p.m., with breakfast and lunch

provided. More information will be available in late summer. Prayerfully consider

joining this ministry. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact Gary

Estes at 270-314-4419.

Fr. Larry's Reflection...

Today is the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul, the founders and pillars of the Church in Rome. These two apostles are given credit for being the first to bring the Gospel of the great city of Rome. As such, today's feast is one of the oldest in the Church, going back to the first centuries. There are two things we can learn from these great saints:

First, we don't always have to agree on everything to do the Lord's work. Both Peter and Paul were at the center of the first great controversy in the Church—the question of whether non-Jewish converts (Gentiles) should follow Jewish law. Paul, as a preacher to the Gentiles was opposed to adding this requirement, while Peter seemed ambiguous in his position. After an incident in Antioch which Paul writes about in his letter to the Galatians, Paul challenges Peter. He writes that he “opposed [Peter] to his face.” Eventually the early church comes to a compromise and moved on to the next controversy, but the point is that good people, even Peter and Paul, can disagree but still work for the same goal. If they can do it, so should we.

Second, the lives of Peter and Paul remind us that sometimes living the values of the Gospel will get you into trouble. Both apostles were martyred in the Neronian persecution around 64 AD. Paul, as a Roman citizen was beheaded, and Peter was crucified upside down as he did not consider himself worthy to die as Jesus did. In preaching the Gospel they presented values that challenged powerful people and the status quo. Ultimately that is why they and many others were killed—for their faith. While it is unlikely that any of us will face martyrdom, there is a cost to our discipleship. If we live the Gospel, we too will upset the status quo and make others uncomfortable. I suspect there will be a cost to that, but like Peter and Paul, we can rejoice when we are found worthy to suffer for the sake of the Gospel.



***Wishing Everyone a Safe & Blessed
Fourth of July!***

Fr. Larry, Fr. Martin, & Staff

PLEASE NOTE:

Mass for July 4th will be at
8 AM.

The church office will be closed on
Thursday, July 3rd at
1 PM and all day on
Friday, July 4th.

FEMA DISASTER ASSISTANCE

To apply and get answers to your questions,
call:

1-800-621-3321

711 or Video Relay Service (VRS):

1-800-621-3362

See bulletin board in the vestibule for more
details.

GOD'S HOUSEKEEPERS

Want to become a member of God's House
keepers? NOW is the perfect time to be a part of a
team that keeps our beautiful church clean. We
need to increase the number of people on a couple
of our current teams and create one or two more
teams. This is a wonderful opportunity to connect
with members of our parish. For more information
contact Alicia Wells at (270) 925-2146 by July 9th.
Looking forward to hearing from you. God bless!

St. Pius X Daycare

Director: Sonya Budd

(sbudd@stpiustenthparish.org)

Assistant Daycare Director: Lexy Edge

(lexy.edge@stpiustenthparish.org)

- Curriculum: 1's Cozy Corner- Summer Break
 - 2's Creative Curriculum- Summer Break
 - Religion Class Preschool A: Summer Break
- Preschool A-B- LiteraSci: Hand writing practice and summer crafts!

Important Dates:

July 4th CLOSED for Independence Day

July 11th backwards shirt day

July 18th everyone wears red.

July 25th - bubble day



Saint Meinrad
Archabbey and
Seminary & School of Theology

Saint Meinrad Summer Chant Workshop

Anyone interested in learning to sing chant in a monastic setting is invited to register for the summer workshop at Saint Meinrad Archabbey from **July 21-25, 2025**. The week will focus on how to read and interpret the earliest sources of chant notation and how it might apply to liturgy in the vernacular today. Come immerse yourself in the ancient spiritual and artistic richness of our Catholic faith. Visit <https://www.saintmeinrad.edu/sacred-music/>

If possible, please include this QR code in the bulletin announcement, which links to the registration page.



ST. PIUS X
O.C.I.A.

SEEKING A DEEPER CONNECTION?
CURIOUS ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

NO MATTER YOUR BACKGROUND, FAITH
JOURNEY, OR QUESTIONS, YOU ARE
WELCOME HERE.

OUR PARISH INVITES YOU TO EXPLORE THE
CATHOLIC FAITH THROUGH THE ORDER OF
CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS
(O.C.I.A.)

THIS IS A SPACE TO ASK QUESTIONS, BUILD
COMMUNITY, AND DISCOVER HOW GOD
MAY BE CALLING YOU.

TO LEARN MORE OR TAKE A FIRST STEP,
CONTACT AMIE STEVENS AT 270.684.4745

Liturgical

Ministry Schedule for July 5th & 6th, 2025

Sat, 5:00 PM (Church)		Sun, 8:00 AM (Church)		Sun, 11:00 AM (Church)	
Laura Veach	- Captain/Bread 1	Carol Payne	- Captain/Bread 1	Gary Estes	- Captain/Bread 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling	- Bread 2	Fr. Hostetter or Ling	- Bread 2	Fr. Hostetter or Ling	- Bread 2
Keith Franey	- Captain Asst./Bread 3	John McCarty	- Captain Asst./Bread 3	Marion Bates	- Captain Asst./Bread 3
Cathy Franey	- Bread 4	Meh Law	- Bread 4	Shelly Maffia	- Bread 4
Truby Velotta	- Cup 1	Paula Annin	- Cup 1	Josie Kroeger	- Cup 1
Thomas Veach	- Cup 2	David Fleischmann	- Cup 2	Charles Moore	- Cup 2
Connie Nalley	- Cup 3	Jill Campbell	- Cup 3	Denice Moore	- Cup 3
Tommy Velotta	- Cup 4	Melody Clark	- Cup 4	Amy Silvert	- Cup 4
Chris Rusher (sub req.)	Gift Bearer	Joelle & Randy Barnett	Gift Bearer	Adam Payne	Gift Bearer
Jane Strehl	- Lector 1	Donna Howard	- Lector 1	Ellen Marlowe	- Lector 1
Gene Strehl	- Lector 2	Mark Howard	- Lector 2	Madison Silvert	- Lector 2
Zachary Masterson	- Greeter D-1	Thomas Payne	- Greeter D-1	Elliet Kroeger	- Greeter D-1
Janice Masterson	- Greeter D-2	Jeannie Foster	- Greeter D-2	Jennifer (Jenna) Nichols	- Greeter D-2
Kami Fulkerson	- Server 1	James Thawng	- Server 1	Eli and Wes Kroeger	- Server 1
Caleb Freels	- Server 2	Oliver (Ollie) Mattingly	- Server 2	Braeden Nichols	- Server 2
Robert Freels	- Captain/Usher 1	Eddie Mattingly	- Captain/Usher 1	Tom Rhodes	- Captain/Usher 1
Joe Brooks	- Usher 2	Denny Campbell	- Usher 2	Brion Marlowe	- Usher 2
Jonah Damin	- Usher 3	David Goetz	- Usher 3	Sean Bolling	- Usher 3
Jeff Fulkerson	- Usher 4	Nick Howard	- Usher 4	Tim Bowen	- Usher 4
Beverly Aud	Rosary Leader	Jill Campbell	Rosary Leader	Beverly Estes	Rosary Leader

MUSIC MINISTRY

Clint Campbell, Director of Music
ccampbell@stpiustenthparish.org

July 5th & 6th

(14th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:00PM-Mary Lou, Roger, & Alice

8:00AM-Clint & Charlie

11:00AM-Brian, Braedan, & Clint

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism

For the Sacrament of Baptism for their child parents must attend a preparation class. Please contact the church office at 270-684-4745.

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 John Paul at 270-684-4745 or frjohnpaul@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 Amie Stevens, Faith Formation Coordinator at 270-684-4745.

For Confirmation please contact Matt Knight, Youth Minister at 270-684-4745 or mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

Order Of Christian Initiation Of Adults

If you are considering becoming a Catholic 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. Please contact the church office at 270-684-4745.

Spiritual Life Committee

St. Elizabeth of Portugal | July 5

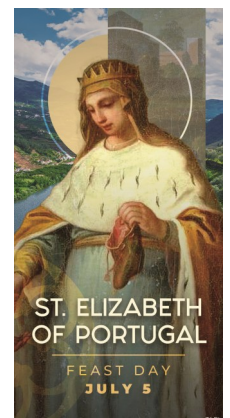
St. Elizabeth was born to Peter III of Aragon and his queen Constantia in 1271. Like most royal girls of the time, she was betrothed at an early age, and was married to King Diniz (or Dinis, English: Denis) at the age of 12. Although her husband's infidelities and life of sin caused much scandal, Elizabeth 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.

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Stewardship & Service

General Collections		
<i>Fiscal year begins in July*</i>	Week of : 6/22	2025
		Year To Date
General Collection	11,169.07	777,841.65
Budget Goal	14,425.00	750,000.00
Over/(Short) TOTAL	(3,255.93)	27,841.65

EVENTS:

July 3rd: Church office closed at 1PM

July 4th-Mass at 8AM; Church Office Closed

July 16th-18th-VBS- 4pm-7pm

MASS COUNT

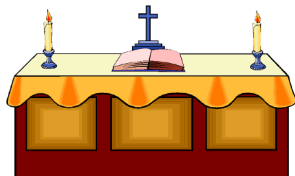
June 21st & 22nd

5PM—148

8AM—175

11AM—240

TOTAL—563



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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.

Altar Linens:

July

Colleen Bachmeier



God's Housekeepers:

June 30-July 5 Team 3

Charles & Lois Hoskins

Sandy & Danny Morris

Tammy & Eddie Mattingly

Sharon Ford

Mary Helen Strehl

Roger Horn

Beth Horn

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John McCarty 270-929-8948

Finance Committee Chairperson

Debbie Daugherty: 270-695-7199

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, Miguel Quintanilla, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator (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>).