

St. Pius Tenth CATHOLIC CHURCH

August 2nd & 3rd, 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.

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
After Mass on First Friday
Or 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

Pastor—

Fr. Larry Hostetter

Associate Pastor—

Fr. Martin Ling

Business Manager—

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

Music Ministry—

Clint Campbell

Youth Ministry—

Matt Knight

Daycare Director—

Sonya Budd

Assistant Daycare Director—

Lexy Edge

• 18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME •

ONE'S LIFE
DOES NOT CONSIST
OF POSSESSIONS.

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Worship & Prayer



Prayer Chain Requests:

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

Pray for the Sick: 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

Hillcrest: Marilyn Van Bussum

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

- *Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21–23* All things are vanity!
- *Psalms 90* "If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts."
- *Colossians 3:1–5, 9–11* In Christ you have died. In Christ you have been raised up.
- *Luke 12:13–21* Avoid greed in all its forms.

"Vanity of vanities," we hear right off the bat today, a condemnation of our inclination to labor and obsess over the many material goods we have or hope to accumulate. In the Gospel, Jesus invites us to listen to a parable that addresses this pointless avarice. We get to hear the surprise awaiting the rich man whose harvest was so huge his barns couldn't hold it. In between, we hear Saint Paul's advice to the Colossians: "seek what is above." It's too late for the rich man in Jesus' parable, but it's always timely advice for us.



The week of August 3-10, 2025

Sunday: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am—Jill Johnson

11:00am—Our Parish Family

Monday: St. John Vianney, Priest

8:00 am—Doug Howard†

Tuesday: The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major

12:00pm—Katelyn Storm Birthday

Wednesday: The Transfiguration of the Lord

6:00pm—Brad† & Bob Shrewsberry†

Thursday: St. Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs;
St. Cajetan, Priest

12:00pm—David Johnson

Friday: St. Dominic, Priest

8:00am—Danny Murphy†

Saturday: St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr

5:00pm—Corey Mattingly†

Next Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am—Timmy Mattingly†

11:00am—Our Parish Family


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
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

Matthew Knight, Youth Minister
mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

HS LEADERSHIP TEAM

Our HS leadership team meets with Matt twice a year, once in the Fall and once in January, to plan the fall and spring events for the year. If you think you are interested, please contact Matt Knight. Applications can be picked up in the Vestibule, in the parish office, or by contacting Matt. **PLEASE HAVE APPLICATIONS TURNED IN BY AUGUST 5TH!**

MS AND HS MEETING

Tuesday, August 5th - Atlantis
10:00-5:00pm

Join us as we end the summer with a bang! We will be having a come and go type of day at Atlantis were you can come the whole time or just for a little while. **Cost is \$5 per person and will need money for concessions for lunch.** This is open to all MS and HS Youth. I just ask that you give me a heads up so I know who all will be coming.

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"

YOUTH MINISTRY UPDATES

I can't believe that summer is almost over and it's almost time to start back up! How I send out updates and information about our meetings is through Remind and through email.

To sign up for remind just simple text the following information to 81010:
@spxhs11 (High School)
@spxms22 (Middle School)
@spxp33 (Parents)

PLEASE CONTACT MATT IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE REMIND!

Dad Joke of the Week

Why did the priest bring a pencil to Mass?

ANSWER: Because he wanted to draw closer to God.

Our Community

ADORATION NEWS

- Beginning in August, **First Friday Adoration** will take place following the **8:00 A.M. Mass** and continue until **8:00 P.M.**
- **Adorers are especially needed from 6:00–7:00 P.M. and 7:00–8:00 P.M.** on First Fridays.
- Additional adorers are welcome at all hours, but especially between **12:00–1:00 P.M.** and **1:00–2:00 P.M.**
- If you are unable to attend on First Fridays, please consider visiting Our Lord in the chapel **any weekday (Monday through Friday) from 5:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.** The church is open during office hours, or you can contact:
 - Steve at (270) 993-9733
 - Sara at (859) 667-3854
 - Joe at (859) 667-2224 for an entry code.
- Last month, **87 parishioners** attended First Friday Adoration or visited the chapel during the week.
- Please remember to **sign the registry** located to the **left of the Baptismal Font** when you visit.

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

**Ebelhar Family
Robert & Beth**

Please Note that if you currently receive tithing envelopes the green capital campaign envelopes will continue until February. We are done with the capital campaign so if you submit the capital campaign fund envelope from this point forward that donation will go to our building maintenance fund since our capital campaign is fulfilled. Sorry for any confusion.

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.

Sunday Reflection

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus' teaching concerns, precisely, true wisdom and is introduced by one of the crowd: "Teacher, bid my brother divide the inheritance with me" (Lk 12: 13). In answering, Jesus puts him on guard against those who are influenced by the desire for earthly goods with the Parable of the Rich Fool who having put away for himself an abundant harvest stops working, uses up all he possesses, enjoying himself and even deceives himself into thinking he can keep death at an arm's length. However God says to him "Fool! This night your soul is required of you; and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" (Lk 12: 20). The fool in the Bible, the one who does not want to learn from the experience of visible things, that nothing lasts for ever but that all things pass away, youth and physical strength, amenities and important roles. Making one's life depend on such an ephemeral reality is therefore foolishness. The person who trusts in the Lord, on the other hand, does not fear the adversities of life, nor the inevitable reality of death: he is the person who has acquired a wise heart, like the Saints. (Pope Benedict XVI, Angelus, Castel Gandolfo, 1 August 2010)

Support our Senior Priest Apartments

The Diocesan Priest Council voted to pursue funding for apartment housing for our senior priests last February. To share details about this important initiative, the Diocese will host a series of receptions for all parishioners. The goal is to raise funds to build the apartments and establish an endowment to subsidize rent and support upkeep.

All are invited to attend (Please RSVP). Receptions begin at 6:00 PM, unless otherwise noted.

- * Wednesday, August 13: Immaculate Parish, Owensboro
- * Thursday, August 14 (6:30 PM): Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Owensboro
- * Monday, August 18: Sts. Peter and Paul Parish, Hopkinsville
- * Tuesday, August 19: St. Thomas More Parish, Paducah
- * Wednesday, August 20: Holy Spirit Parish, Bowling Green

Please RSVP by calling (270) 683-1545 or the host parish so we can get an accurate headcount.

To see a special message from Bishop Medley about this campaign, and more information, please visit: <https://owensborodiocese.org/senior-priests-apartments/>

St. Pius X Daycare

Director: Sonya Budd

(sbudd@stpiustenthparish.org)

Assistant Daycare Director: Lexy Edge

(lexy.edge@stpiustenthparish.org)

- Curriculum: 1's Cozy Corner- Up down all around (the ways we move)
- 2's Creative Curriculum- Beginning of Year study Religion Class Preschool A: Sign of the cross
- Preschool A-B- LiteraSci: Hand writing practice and summer crafts!

Important Dates:

August 8th Water Day (weather permitting)

August 15th Chalk Day

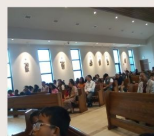
August 18th First Day of preschool

August 22nd Crazy hair day

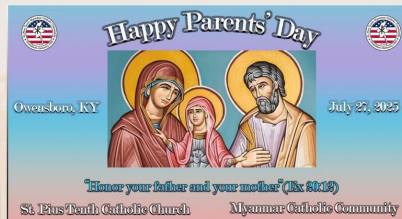
August 29th Bow Tie Day



Mynamar Community PARENT'S DAY



Parent's Day Mass



Group Song



Parent's Day Celebration



Community Meal

Liturgical

Ministry Schedule for August 9th & 10th, 2025

Sat, 5:00 PM (Church)

Laura Veach - Captain/Sacred Host 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling - Sacred Host 2
Cathy Franey - Captain Asst./Sacred Host 3
Keith Franey - Sacred Host 4
Thomas Veach - Precious Blood 1
Peggy Castlen - Precious Blood 2
Truby Velotta - Precious Blood 3
Kathy Jo Clary - Precious Blood 4
Jennifer Ball - Gift Bearer
NOT FILLED - Lector 1
Thomas Conrey - Lector 2
Deborah Daugherty - Greeter D-1
Robert (Bob) Storm - Greeter D-2
Jon Andrew Ball - Server 1
Kami Fulkerson - Server 2
Robert Freels - Captain/Usher 1
Tommy Velotta - Usher 2
Jeff Fulkerson - Usher 3
Charles Aud - Usher 4
Alice Freels - Rosary Leader

Sun, 8:00 AM (Church)

David Fleischman - Captain/Sacred Host 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling - Sacred Host 2
Melody Clark - Captain Asst./Sacred Host 3
Wil Storm - Sacred Host 4
Carol Payne - Precious Blood 1
Heather Haynes - Precious Blood 2
John McCarty - Precious Blood 3
Paula Annin - Precious Blood 4
Steve Clark - Gift Bearer
Dennis Zoglmann - Lector 1
Rosemary Smith - Lector 2
Michael Hamlet - Greeter D-1
Jerry Wells - Greeter D-2
James Thawng - Server 1
Oliver (Ollie) Mattingly - Server 2
Thomas Payne - Captain/Usher 1
Larry Murphy - Usher 2
Steven Haynes - Usher 3
Eric Ratliff - Usher 4
Carol Payne - Rosary Leader

Sun, 11:00 AM (Church)

Amanda Kauffel - Captain/Sacred Host 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling - Sacred Host 2
Brenda Coombs - Captain Asst./Sacred Host 3
Robert Smith - Sacred Host 4
Rebecca Jones - Precious Blood 1
Shelly Maffia - Precious Blood 2
Amy Silvert - Precious Blood 3
Josie Kroeger - Precious Blood 4
Tim and Becky Pedley - Gift Bearer
Bree Simone - Lector 1
Madison Silvert - Lector 2
David Jones - Greeter D-1
Pat Jones - Greeter D-2
Luke Kauffeld - Server 1
Max Kauffeld - Server 2
Zackary Kauffeld - Captain/Usher 1
Sean Bolling - Usher 2
Ellen Marlowe - Usher 3
Brion Marlowe - Usher 4
Beverly Estes - Rosary Leader

MUSIC MINISTRY

Clint Campbell, Director of Music
ccampbell@stpiustenthparish.org

August 9th & 10th
(19th Sunday in Ordinary Time)
5:00PM-Kim, Melanie, Connie, Kendall, & John
8:00AM-John & Kendall
11:00AM-John & Kendall

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 Larry Hostetter at 270-684-4745 or lhostetter@stpiustenthparish.org.

First Reconciliation/Holy Communion, and Confirmation

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

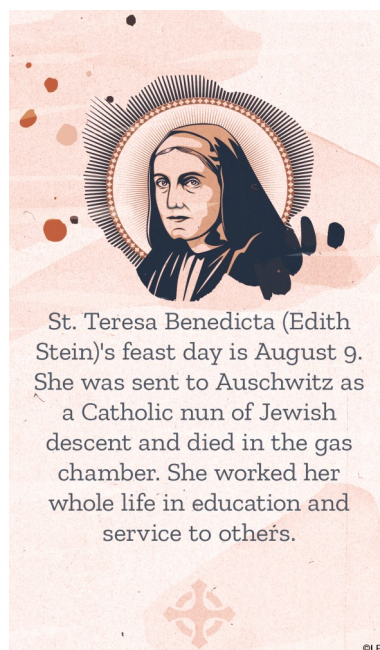
For more information for children age 3-8th grade and First Communion, please contact Amie Stevens, Faith Formation Coordinator at 270-684-4745.

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

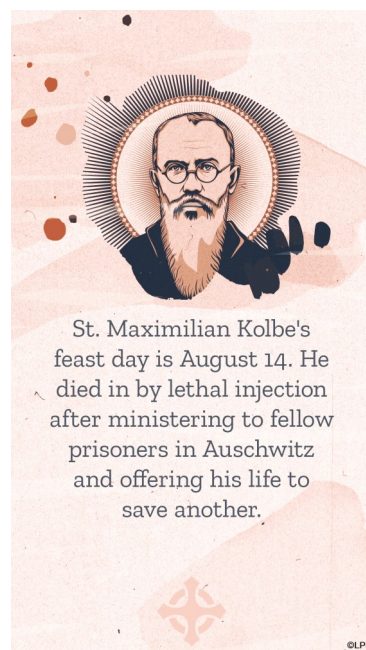
Order Of Christian Initiation Of Adults

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. Teresa Benedicta (Edith Stein)'s feast day is August 9. She was sent to Auschwitz as a Catholic nun of Jewish descent and died in the gas chamber. She worked her whole life in education and service to others.



St. Maximilian Kolbe's feast day is August 14. He died in by lethal injection after ministering to fellow prisoners in Auschwitz and offering his life to save another.

Stewardship & Service

General Collections		
<i>Fiscal year begins in July*</i>	Week of : 7/27	2025
		Year To Date
General Collection	15, 180.74	64, 992.17
Budget Goal	15, 847.79	63, 391.15
Over/(Short) TOTAL	(667.05)	1, 601.02



MASS COUNT

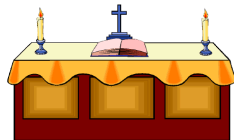
July 26th & 27th

5PM-165

8AM-185

11AM-220

Total-570



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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:

August

Laura Veach



God's Housekeepers:

August 4-5 Team 8

Tom & Carol Payne

Gene & Jane Srehl

Beverly & Charlie Aud

Nick & Carolyn Howard

Marian & Roger Jones

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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>).