

St. Pius Tenth CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 25th & 26th, 2026



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.



4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

“A thief comes only to steal and slaughter and destroy;
I came so that they might have life and have it more
abundantly.” - Jn 10:9-10

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00PM
Sunday: 8:00AM & 11:00AM
Monday: 8:00AM
Tuesday & Thursday: Noon
Wednesday: 6:00PM
Friday: 8:00AM
Holy Day: 6:00PM Vigil
Day of: MWF 8AM;TTH
12Noon
First Fridays & Saturdays:
Mass @ 8:00AM

Confession: Saturdays 3:30-4:30PM
Wednesdays: 5:00-5:45PM
First Friday 6:30AM until Mass
Or by appointment
Adoration: First Friday of the month
9AM—6PM
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
Administrative Assistant—
Debra Brown
Facilities Manager—
Shane Aud
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Music Ministry—
Clint Campbell
Youth Ministry—
Matt Knight
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Sonya Budd
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Director—**
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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, Steven Thompson, Joe Rearden, Harold Rearden, Sam Hayden, Joyce Yeiser, Bryan Jones, Mary Roberts, Ginger Drake, Frank Fraize, Deborah Carr, Judy Brown, Laure Schadler & Sharon Ford

Carmel Home: Audline Johnson, Beverly Cecil

Chautauqua Health & Rehab: Cecilia Aud

Morning Pointe: Ed Howard

Hillcrest: Marilyn Van Bussum, Frank Murphy, Bryan Jones

Fern Terrace: Gary Horn

Pray for the Homebound: Louise Crowe, Richard Crowe, 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. Cmdr. 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

Clint Payne, CPO, Naval Submarine Force, Kings Bay, GA

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!

The Week of April 26-May 3, 2026

Sunday, April 26th 4th Sunday of Easter

8:00 am-† Doug & Louise Clark

11:00 am-Our Parish Family

Monday, April 27th

8:00 am-David Foster (Living)

Tuesday, April 28th St. Peter Chanel, St. Louis Grignon de Montfort

12:00 pm-† Nancy Ferguson

Wednesday, April 29th St. Catherine of Siena

6:00 pm-† Brad & Bob Shrewsberry

Thursday, April 30th St. Pius V

12:00 pm-† Bob Westerfield

Friday, May 1st St. Joseph the Worker

8:00 am-Katelyn & Taylor West & Family (Living)

Saturday, May 2nd St. Athanasius

8:00 am-† David & Holly Johnson

5:00 pm-† Larry Harralson & Alex McGehee

Sunday, May 3rd 5th Sunday of Easter

8:00 am-Our Parish Family

11:00 am-† Brent Wesley

Liturgy of the Word

- Acts 2:14a, 36–41 The promise is made to all.
- Psalm 23 “The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.”
- 1 Peter 2:20b–25 Jesus bore our sins upon the cross.
- John 10:1–10 Jesus is the gate for the sheep.

On this Good Shepherd Sunday, we hear Jesus call himself the gate to the sheepfold. He opens to lead the sheep to verdant pastures and closes to save them from danger. In the first reading, Peter reminds us that repentance acts as a gate as well. Repenting of our sins brings forgiveness and salvation. As we listen to God’s word, let us pray that we will recognize the voice of the Lord calling us to repentance and the blessings within.

Faith Formation

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



Matthew Knight, Youth Minister
mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

Youth Ministry

MISSION MISSISSIPPI

DATE CHANGE

July 5th - 11th
Walls, MS

Sign ups for our summer mission trip have begun. We will be in Walls, MS the week of July 5th - 11th. Cost is \$360. Your sign up is a \$40 deposit.

Please contact Matt for any questions.

MIDDLE SCHOOL RETREAT

May 2nd-3rd

At Gasper River - Cost \$50

We are making up our MS Retreat May 2-3 at Gasper River. Sign ups are in the vestibule. Contact Matt if you have any questions or concerns. SIGN UP ASAP!

YOUTH MEETINGS

Wednesday, April 29th
MS YOUTH - 6:00-7:30pm

Wednesday, May 6th
HS YOUTH - 6:00-7:30pm

MS MESSY GAMES

Our next MS Meeting on April 29th will be our annual "Messy Games". Please bring a towel and a change of clothes.

DAD JOKE OF THE WEEK

Where do Piriates get their hooks?

At second hand stores

Our Community

"I am going. God will be with me; in God I will go."

~Fr. Martin Ma Na Ling, WKY Catholic, June 28, 2022



Young, young @ heart, everyone invited to the celebration of the Eucharistic Meal followed by a light community meal & Fr. Martin Ling's vocation story.



Wednesday, April 29 @ 6:00 pm
St. Pius X, Owensboro, KY

As Mary trusted in God with her "Yes,"
Fr. Martin trusted & said "yes"

from a small village in the western part of Myanmar,
in a mountainous region called Chin State, to western Kentucky.

Owensboro Serra Club supports
diocesan vocations to religious life
& the priesthood.

~Emie Taliaferro @ emtaliaf1@roadrunner.com



HAPPY
Birthday

Fr. Larry

Wishing you a
Blessed &
Wonderful
Birthday!

OWENSBORO
CATHOLIC BANDS

**50/50
RAFFLE!**

**Win Big While
Supporting our Parish
Youth in the OCS
Band Program!**

Our Parish OCS band members are:
Erica Masterson, Andrew Moore,
Grayson Moore, & John Silvert

MAY 5, 2026

TICKET PRICE:

\$5.00 EACH

**GET YOUR
TICKET NOW!**

AMY SILVERT: 270-315-5437 OR
AMYSILVERT@GMAIL.COM

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ED.HAUSER@OWENSBOROCATHOLIC.ORG



Flying Saints & Eucharistic Miracles

A Pilgrimage to the heart of the Church and the
tombs of the saints in southern Italy

Faith, Good Food, & Lots of Fun

October 12-22, 2026



ROME + LANCIANO + POMPEII +
SAN GIOVANNI ROTONDO +
CAPRI + SORRENTO + NAPLES

VISIT THE SAINTS

Pray at the Tombs of these saints
and others: St. John Paul II,
St. Padre Pio, St. Cecilia,
St. Benedict, and St. Scholastica



Rev. Corey D. Bruns
Diocesan Director of Vocations

DEEPEN YOUR FAITH

Celebrate Mass daily in some of
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Eucharistic Miracle of Lanciano



Rev. Julio Barrera
Pastor, Holy Redeemer & Holy Trinity

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SCAN FOR ITINERARY
& SIGNUP:



270.952.2911

marianna@FaithinTravel.com

Made for Mission Owensboro | Thursday, April 30 | 9:00am-4:00pm

We're inviting Catholic leaders from across the region to step away from the day-to-day and step into something bigger: a shared call to renew the Church and reimagine mission. Made for Mission is a one-day event presented in collaboration with Alpha and Divine Renovation. Created for Catholic parish, diocesan, and apostolate leaders who feel the call to renew the Church and move it from maintenance to mission. Through inspiring keynotes, practical workshops, Mass, and Spirit-filled prayer, you'll gain clarity, confidence, and community as you lead renewal in your local context. Join us at St. Pius X Parish in Owensboro.

Registration is \$25 and you can register by visiting divinerenovation.org/events or scanning the QR Code:



AVAILABLE NOW! PRINT & DIGITAL AD SPACES

The Support of Your Business is Greatly Appreciated

Casie Green from LPI, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church in the upcoming weeks. It is the support of the business community that helps to make our church thrive. Please consider purchasing a print and/or digital ad as your participation makes our bulletin successful, and you attract customers!

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Casie Greene
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Pastor's Reflection

Catholic Social Teaching #11. It is without exaggeration that we can say that the greatest proponent of Catholic Social Teaching in the 20th century was Pope St. John Paul II. Elected to the papacy in 1978, Carol Wojtyla came from Poland while it was still ruled by Communism. His background included witnessing the horrors of World War II and navigating the perilous waters as an Archbishop in a totalitarian regime. It is no surprise then that Pope John Paul would take the side of the downtrodden and exploited. This was clearly evident in his first papal encyclical published in 1981, *Laborem exercens* (On Human Labor). In this encyclical, Pope John Paul affirmed the dignity of Human Work, highlighting that work is a way that we fulfill our vocation and contribute to the betterment of society. He emphasized the primacy of the worker over capital. In other words, workers cannot be viewed as simple cogs in the economic machine and that their rights have greater priority over that of profit. Following the tradition of previous papal teaching, Pope John Paul articulated the rights of workers, which include a just wage; safe working conditions, the right to rest, the right to form unions and bargain collectively, and protections for families and vulnerable workers. In his writing, both here and elsewhere, Pope John Paul also critiqued both capitalism and socialism, arguing that both have the potential to exploit workers. He called for more humane economic structures that would respect the dignity of the human person. Finally, he also promoted a spirituality of work, reminding his readers that Jesus worked with Joseph as a carpenter. He encouraged all workers to see themselves as participating in God's creative work.

Fr. Larry

Liturgical

Ministry Schedule for May 2nd & 3rd, 2026

Sat, 5:00 PM (Church)

James Fleischmann - Captain/Sacred Host 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling - Sacred Host 2
Cathy Franey - Captain Asst./Sacred Host 3
CoraAnne Roberts - Sacred Host 4
Connie Nalley - Precious Blood 1
Thomas Veach - Precious Blood 2
Kathy Jo Clary - Precious Blood 3
Peggy Castlen - Precious Blood 4
Roger Jones Gift Bearer
Jennifer Ballr - Lector 1
Connie Fleischmann - Lector 2
Deborah Daugherty - Greeter D-1
Marlene Murphy - Greeter D-2
Jon Andrew Ball - Server 1
NOT FILLED - Server 2
Sam Potts - Captain/Usher 1
Jonah Damin - Usher 2
Roger (Chip) Thompson - Usher 3
Colton Wallace - Usher 4
Marian Jones- Rosary Leader

Sun, 8:00 AM (Church)

David Fleischmann - Captain/Sacred Host 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling - Sacred Host 2
John McCarty - Captain Asst./Sacred Host 3
Tina Zoglmann (sub req.) - Sacred Host 4
Heather Haynes - Precious Blood 1
Carolyn McCarty - Precious Blood 2
Wil Storm - Precious Blood 3
Mary Jo Westerfield - Precious Blood 4
Danny Morris Gift Bearer
Russell Payne - Lector 1
Eddie Stallings - Lector 2
Peyton Hagan - Greeter D-1
Audrey Hagan - Greeter D-2
Teresa Lian - Server 1
Anthony Khin Lian - Server 2
Eddie Mattingly - Captain/Usher 1
Dennis Zoglmann - Usher 2
Eli Zoglmann - Usher 3
Steven Haynes - Usher 4
Mary Jo Westerfield- Rosary Leader

Sun, 11:00 AM (Church)

James E. Howard - Captain/Sacred Host 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling - Sacred Host 2
Amy Silvert - Captain Asst./Sacred Host 3
Charles Moore - Sacred Host 4
Colin Howard - Precious Blood 1
Denice Moore - Precious Blood 2
Amanda Kauffeld - Precious Blood 3
Sr. Suzanne Sims - Precious Blood 4
Ronald and Beverly Powers Gift Bearer
Madison Silvert - Lector 1
Larry Millay - Lector 2
Zackary Kauffeld - Greeter D-1
Mary Evans - Greeter D-2
Luke Kauffeld - Server 1
Max Kauffeld - Server 2
Ashlie Hurley (sub req.) - Captain/Usher 1
Htwa Reh - Usher 2
Wayne Zoglmann - Usher 3
Peter Hurley - Usher 4
Susan Montalvo-Gesser- Rosary Leader

MUSIC MINISTRY

Clint Campbell, Director of Music
ccampbell@stpiustenthparish.org

May 2nd & 3rd, 2026 (5th Sunday of Easter)
Saturday 5PM-Kim, Connie, Jenn, & Clint
Sunday 8AM-John & Kendall
Sunday 11AM-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 kindergarten-5th grade and First Communion, please contact Amie Stevens, Director of Religious Education 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.

Diocese of Owensboro
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Shrines of
ITALY
June 8 - 17, 2026
\$5,996 per person from Louisville (SDF)
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Your Pilgrimage Includes:

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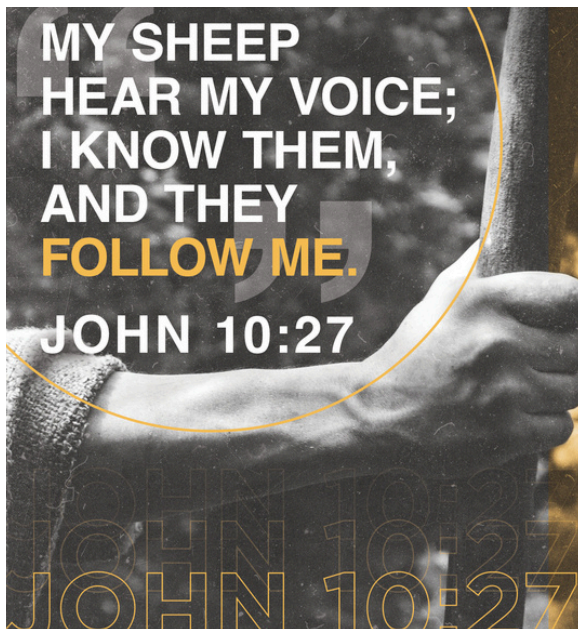
Institute for Sacred Music Chant Workshop:

Spend a week exploring the music and theology of Hildegard of Bingen—composer, mystic, and Doctor of the Church. Led by expert faculty, this workshop integrates her music with liturgical prayer at Saint Meinrad Archabbey. May 17–22. Register today at saintmeinrad.edu/sacred-music.



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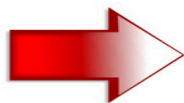
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5pm-174
8am-185
11am-294
Total: 653



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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:
April
Donna Feldpausch



God's Housekeepers:
April 27-May 2 Team 6
Carolyn & Gene Abel
Steve & Sharon Clark
Cindy Mattingly
David Goetz
Sara Clark
Julie Castlen
Lisa Mattingly

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Nick Howard 270-231-7017

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>).