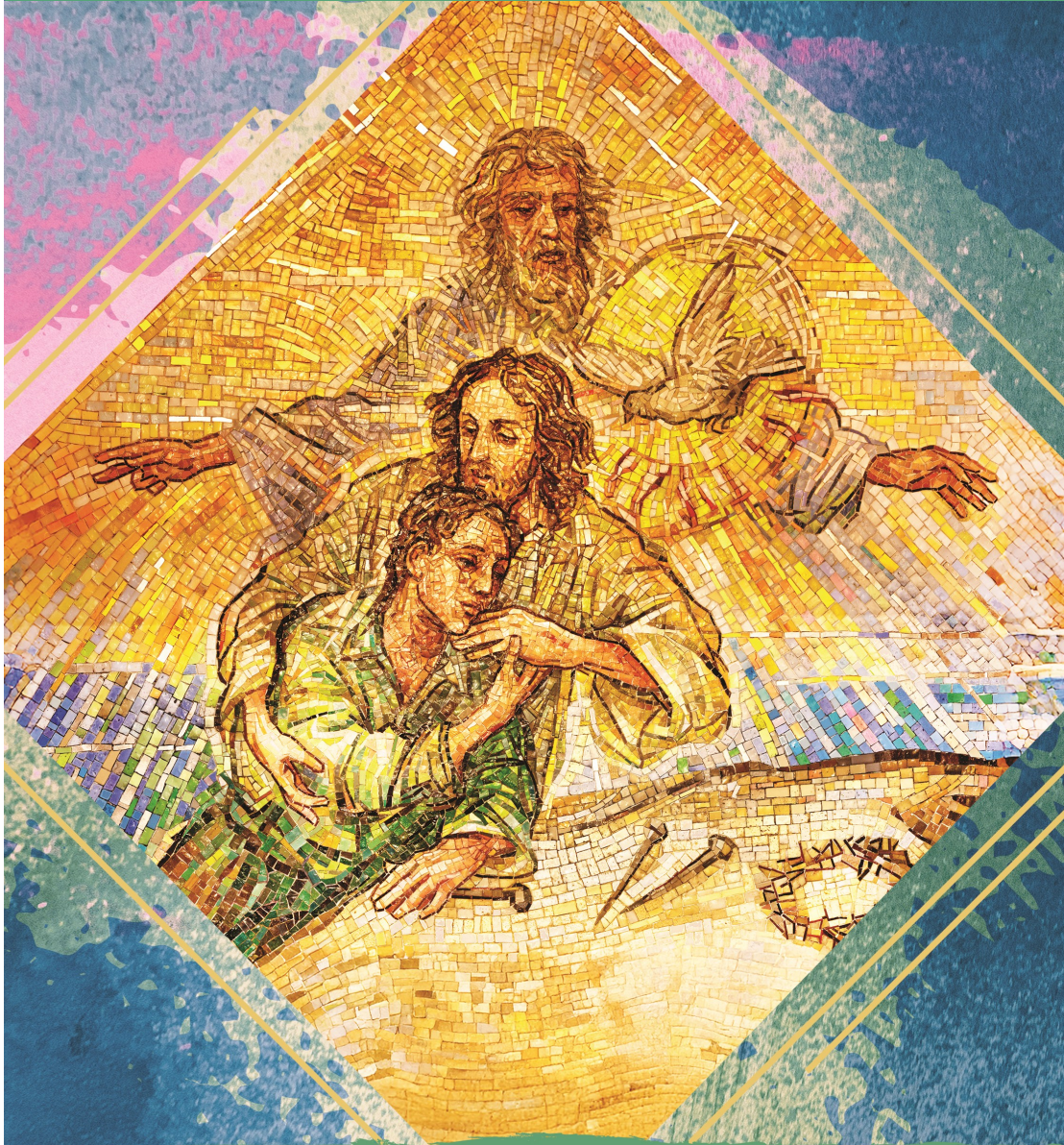


# St. Pius Tenth CATHOLIC CHURCH

May 24th & 25th, 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.*



## 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**“Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you.”  
- Jn 14:27a**

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### 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

**First Fridays & Saturdays :**  
Mass @ 8:00AM

**Confession:**

Saturdays 3-4:00 PM

**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. John Paul Mang

**Business Manager—**

Melody Clark

**Director of Religious Ed.—**

Amie Stevens

**Administrative Assistant—**

Debra Brown

**Facilities Manager—**

Shane Aud

**Building and Grounds—**

Ed Mattingly

**Music Ministry—**

Clint Campbell

**Youth Ministry—**

Matt Knight

**Daycare Director—**

Sonya Budd

**Assistant Daycare Director—**

Lexy Edge

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# Worship & Prayer



## Prayer Chain Requests:

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

**Pray for the Sick:** Cecilia Aud, Lois Davis, Pat Harralson, Mary Elaine Johnson, Rina Lyle, Theresa Murphy, Dan Murray, Corky Norcia, 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 Liturgy of the Word Easter Sunday

- Acts 15:1–2, 22–29 Faced with controversy, the disciples reach a decision under the Holy Spirit's guidance.
- Psalm 67 "O God, let all the nations praise you!"
- Revelation 21:10–14, 22–23 John sees the city of God illumined in splendor.
- John 14:23–29 Jesus promises to send the Holy Spirit to guide his followers.

Today's readings reel from the practical to the visionary and back again. In the first reading, the original apostles, guided by the Holy Spirit, decide what to require of uncircumcised Gentile converts, of which there were many. Next, we hear another vision of John's from Revelation. Finally, Jesus prepares the apostles for the time after he has ascended to the Father. His message is both practical and visionary. May God's word also enhance our faith in both ways.



## The week of May 25-June 1, 2025

**Sunday:** 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

8:00am—David Johnson

11:00am—Our Parish Family

**Monday:** St. Philip Neri, Priest; Memorial Day

**NO MASS**

**Tuesday:** St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

12:00pm—Josh Maffia†

**Wednesday:**

6:00pm—Michelle Haire

**Thursday:** The Ascension of the Lord (holy day of obligation in some U.S. dioceses); St. Paul VI, Pope

12:00pm—Charles Scott†

**Friday:**

8:00am—Jonathan Payne†

**Saturday:** The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

5:00pm—Raymond Aud†

**Next Sunday:** The Ascension of the Lord; 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter; World Communications Day

8:00am—Pat Lewis†

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](mailto:dbrown@stpiustenthparish.org).

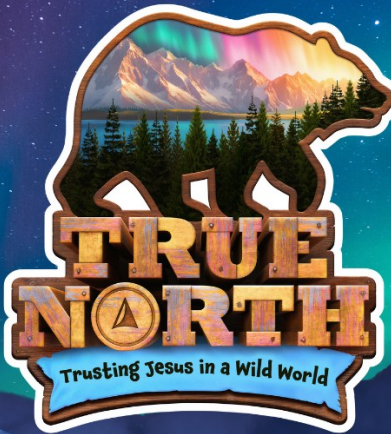
THANK YOU!

# Faith Formation

Amie Stevens, Director of Religious Education  
[astevens@stpiustenthparish.org](mailto:astevens@stpiustenthparish.org)

**JULY 16-18**  
**4 - 7 PM**

Registration  
can be found in the  
Vestibule & Parish Office



**St. Pius X**  
**VBS**

Join us for an exciting adventure at St. Pius X Parish Center as we explore the Alaskan theme: True North - Trusting Jesus in a Wild World!

Children will discover how to trust Jesus as their "True North" through fun activities, music, crafts, Bible stories, and more!

**Matthew Knight, Youth Minister**  
[mknight@stpiustenthparish.org](mailto: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"*

We would like to wish Abby Fish a big Congratulations!! This past weekend she received one of the SLIM (Servant Leaders in Ministry) Award from the Diocese of Owensboro. She has been a huge part in our youth ministry program being a part of our leadership team!  
**CONGRATS ABBY!!**

(See picture on the left)

### Youth Meetings:

***WE WILL BE TAKING A BREAK FOR THE SUMMER.***

*However, there will be times in which we meet periodically so stay tuned to emails and remind.*

*We will start back up again in August. I hope everyone has a great summer break.*



# Our Community

## 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.

## Visit the Ursuline Sisters' Rosary Walk & Shrine Walk

Since the day it was blessed and dedicated in 2006, the Rosary Walk on the grounds of the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph has offered people a chance to express their spirituality among the beauty and splendor of the "holy ground" at Maple Mount (8001 Cummings Road, 12 miles west of Owensboro, Ky., on Hwy. 56). It is located on the front of the grounds (northwest corner) and includes the Christ the King statue. Visitors can use their cell phones to reach this webpage and listen to an audiotope of the rosary (recorded by Sister Elaine Burke, OSU) to accompany their walk: <https://ursulinesmsj.org/rosary-shrine-walk/> Or visitors can stroll to see the inspiring shrines on the grounds of the Motherhouse. They can visit this webpage to find a list of the shrines and to hear a recording about them (recorded by Sister Nancy Murphy, OSU): <https://ursulinesmsj.org/shrine-meditation-walk/> People can also listen to these recordings on their computers. No appointment is necessary to see the Rosary Walk or the shrines. There are new sidewalks on the west side of campus available for anyone to use.

## Parish Drive Through Only Picnic June 14th at 3:30pm

*As you may know, our picnic this year is drive through only. Our drive through will open to the public at 3:30pm. We have a new meat option this year of whole Boston butts.*

### Raffle Tickets:

*Don't pass up the chance for you or your friends to win \$2,500 plus other great prizes!*

*Please pickup and return your sold ticket packets as soon as possible.*

*Raffle Tickets are \$5 each and quilt raffle tickets are \$2 each.*

*Drop them off in the collection basket or bring them by the Parish Office. For those that turn in an entire sold packet of tickets, you will be eligible for a weekly \$25 gift card drawing. SPX will also award a \$50 gift card to the individual selling the most raffle tickets!*

*The winner of this week's drawing is*

***Ben Harrington***

*Congratulations on your \$25.00 gift card to*

## Broken Rosaries

**The Rosary Making Committee would like to repair your broken rosaries. These rosaries may be dropped off in the church office.**

**Please place the rosaries in an envelope and provide your contact information when turning them in.**

**Thank you!**



IN HONOR OF THOSE WHO HAVE SELFLESSLY  
GIVEN AND VALIANTLY SERVED OUR NATION,

# THANK YOU



The Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry will be offering a Young Adult Retreat Day for all young adults (18-39) throughout the diocese on Saturday, July 26, 2025, at St. Thomas More Parish in Paducah, KY. The theme of the retreat is Hope and it will feature Fr. Chris Kight and Karina Romero as the presenters. The cost of the retreat is \$25 per participant which will include a light breakfast and lunch.

The retreat is from 9AM-6PM and will conclude at the 5PM Mass at St. Thomas More. There will be an optional dinner outing after the retreat that is not included in the registration fee.

Participants can expect a wonderful day of prayer, discussion, and fellowship. The deadline for registering is Wednesday, July 23. To register online and see a detailed schedule, please visit:

<https://owensborodiocese.org/young-adult-retreat-day-3/>.

Please contact Robin Tomes

at [robin.tomes@pastoral.org](mailto:robin.tomes@pastoral.org) with any questions.

Please see the bulletin board in the vestibule for information on the retreat.

## AVAILABLE NOW! PRINT & DIGITAL AD SPACES

**Build your business and help us grow a vibrant faith community!**

Casie Greene from LPi, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church in the upcoming weeks. As a valuable member of the business community, we invite you to expand your reach and grow your business with a print ad in our parish bulletin and/or a digital ad featured on ParishesOnline.com.



Casie Greene

859-608-4634 | 859-295-1942 x 1942

## 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: The 10 Commandments
- Preschool A-B- LiteraSci: Nature scavenger hunt & Spring Crafts

Letter & Number Review

**Important Dates:**

**May 26<sup>th</sup> Closed for Memorial Day**

**May 30<sup>th</sup> Movies and Popcorn Day**



## Explore Graduate Theology at Saint Meinrad

Lay men and women are invited to an **online Open House** for the Graduate Theology Program of **Saint Meinrad Seminary and School of Theology** on **Tuesday, June 3** at 6:30pm CT.

Discover how our **Master of Arts** and **certificate programs** in theology can deepen your understanding of the faith and support your call to ministry or discipleship.

Visit [saintmeinrad.edu/openhouse](https://saintmeinrad.edu/openhouse).



# Liturgical

## Ministry Schedule for May 31st & June 1, 2025

Sat, 5:00 PM (Church)		Sun, 8:00 AM (Church)		Sun, 11:00 AM (Church)	
Laura Veach	- Captain/Bread 1	Charlotte Hedges	- Captain/Bread 1	Catherine Marlowe	- Captain/Bread 1
Fr. John Paul Mang	- Bread 2	Fr. John Paul Mang	- Bread 2	Fr. John Paul Mang	- Bread 2
Christa Roberts	- Captain Asst./Bread 3	John McCarty	- Captain Asst./Bread 3	Amanda Kauffeld (sub req.)	- Cpt. Asst./Brd. 3
CoraAnne Roberts	- Bread 4	Gail Wallace	- Bread 4	Marion Bates	- Bread 4
Peggy Castlen	- Cup 1	Heather Haynes	- Cup 1	Rebecca Jones	- Cup 1
Connie Nalley	- Cup 2	Wil Storm	- Cup 2	Shelly Maffia	- Cup 2
Thomas Veach	- Cup 3	Paula Annin	- Cup 3	Amy Silvert	- Cup 3
Melanie Wallace	- Cup 4	Jill Campbell	- Cup 4	Donna Feldpausch	- Cup 4
Larry and Stacey Freels	Gift Bearer	Jesse Baldwin	Gift Bearer	Adam Payne	Gift Bearer
Thomas Conrey	- Lector 1	Eddie Stallings	- Lector 1	Larry Millay	- Lector 1
Steve Hollman	- Lector 2	Russell Payne	- Lector 2	Madison Silvert	- Lector 2
Deborah Daugherty	- Greeter D-1	Maddie Baldwin	- Greeter D-1	Mary Evans	- Greeter D-1
Lisa Sisk	- Greeter D-2	Jamison Ray Hughes	- Greeter D-2	Jennifer (Jenna) Nichols	- Greeter D-2
Lucas and Ella Freels	- Server 1	James Thawng	- Server 1	Eoghan Nichols	- Server 1
Emmy Roberts	- Server 2	Parker Baldwin	- Server 2	Weston Payne	- Server 2
Sam Potts	- Captain/Usher 1	Jerry Wells	- Captain/Usher 1	John & Beth Clements	- Captain/Usher 1
Colton Wallace	- Usher 2	Bryan Jones	- Usher 2	Samuel Clements	- Usher 2
Scott Wallace	- Usher 3	Denny Campbell	- Usher 3	Brion Marlowe	- Usher 3
Caleb Freels	- Usher 4	Steven Haynes	- Usher 4	Sean Bolling	- Usher 4
Karen Hollman	Rosary Leader	Jill Campbell	Rosary Leader	Beverly Estes	Rosary Leader

## MUSIC MINISTRY

**Clint Campbell, Director of Music**  
[ccampbell@stpiustenthparish.org](mailto:ccampbell@stpiustenthparish.org)

**May 31st & June 1st**  
**(The Ascension of the Lord)**  
 5:00PM-Mary Lou, Amanda, & Michelle  
 8:00AM-Clint  
 11:00AM-John, Kendall & Casey

### 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](mailto: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](mailto: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. Philip Neri (1515 – 1595)**

was born in Italy and went to school as a child at the Dominican monastery in Florence. His family had hopes that he would work with his uncle, a wealthy merchant, and ultimately inherit his business and fortune but, shortly after beginning his work with him, Neri had a personal conversion. He decided to move to Rome to live a life of service.

For 13 years in Rome, Neri lived as a layperson, daily engaged in prayer and the apostolate. Even as a layperson he brought the Gospel of Jesus to everyone he met. He was eventually ordained to the priesthood and became known as a compassionate confessor, quick to disarm those around him with a joke or a kind word.

He is remembered as extremely approachable and jovial. He was kind, entertaining, and spontaneous in his approach which inspired many. He led prayer groups and excursions to visit other churches which often included music and picnics, and his council was sought by rich and poor alike. He was a strict vegetarian and was known to relocate animals and birds found inside the church back into the wild.

St. Philip Neri founded The Congregation of the Oratory. This secular order included priests and brothers and did not bind them under religious vows, but instead by a *bond of charity*. These men lived together in community and served those in need with happy hearts.

St. Philip Neri's ability to increase his fellow religious leader's faith coupled with his closeness with the common people in Rome cemented his reputation as the Apostle of Rome, called by God to evangelize the Holy City. His Congregation of the Oratory is still active today accomplishing the same mission. St. Philip Neri, pray for us!

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# Stewardship & Service

General Collections		
<i>Fiscal year begins in July*</i>	Week of : 5/10	<b>2025</b>
		Year To Date
General Collection	10,436.84	716,260.27
Budget Goal	14,425.00	677, 975.00
<b>Over/(Short) TOTAL</b>	<b>(3,988.16)</b>	<b>38,285.27</b>

## EVENTS:

**May 26th**-Memorial Day-Church office closed

**June 14th**-Drive Thru Only Picnic- 3:30pm,  
Mass 6PM

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

## MASS COUNT

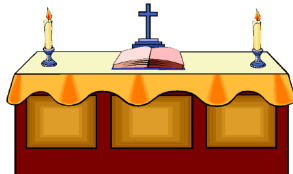
**May 17th & 18th**

**5PM—122**

**8AM—172**

**11AM—193**

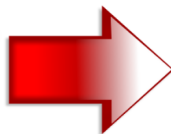
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## Counseling

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](https://owensborodiocese.org/counseling).

## Altar Linens:

**June**

Donna Feldpausch



## God's Housekeepers:

May 26-31 Team 6  
Carolyn & Gene Abel  
Steve & Sharon Clark  
Cindy Mattingly  
David Goetz  
Sara Clark  
Julie Castlen  
Lisa Mattingly

## Staff Contact Information

**Parish Office (270) 684-4745**

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### Facilities Manager (Ext. 201)

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### Youth Ministry (Ext. 206)

Matt Knight: [mknight@stpiustenthparish.org](mailto:mknight@stpiustenthparish.org)

## Daycare (270) 684-7456

### Daycare Director (Ext. 211)

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### Assistant Daycare Director (Ext. 208)

Lexy Edge: [lexy.edge@stpiustenthparish.org](mailto:lexy.edge@stpiustenthparish.org)

### Parish Council Chairperson

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>).