

St. Pius Tenth CATHOLIC CHURCH

February 22nd & 23rd, 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.



7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Give, and gifts will be given to you.”

- Lk 6:38

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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

Faith Formation—

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

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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, Laura Hayden, Mary Elaine Johnson, Rina Lyle, Theresa Murphy, Dan Murray, Corky and Elaine 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

Carmel Home: Audline Johnson, Annette Wimsatt, Laura Hayden

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, and Vincent Hayden

Pray for Our Military

2nd 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

ATTENTION:

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!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

February 21-23-Koinonia

March 1-Mardi Gras @ 6pm

March 13-15 & 20- Church Directory Photo Appointments

March 16-18-Lenten Parish Mission

Introduction to Liturgy of the Word

-1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9 David and Saul

12-13, 22-23

-Psalm 103 "The Lord is kind and merciful."

-1 Corinthians 15:45-49 We shall bear the image of the heavenly one.

-Luke 6:27-38 The measure with which you measure will be measured out to you.

Love your enemies, Jesus teaches his disciples. Bless them when they curse you, give more to them when they take from you, turn the other cheek when they strike you. Luke doesn't tell us how the disciples react, but this is a radical teaching. However, we get to see mercy practiced in the first reading, when David chooses to spare his enemy, Saul, when given the chance to slay him. Listening to today's readings, let us consider why we should choose mercy over getting even.



The week of February 23-March 2, 2025

Sunday: 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am—Our Parish Family

11:00am—Lloyd† & Juanita Gray†

Monday:

NO MASS

Tuesday:

12:00pm—Jonathon Murphy

Wednesday:

6:00pm—Brad† & Bob Shrewsberry†

Thursday: St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot and Doctor of the Church

12:00pm—Danny Murphy†

Friday:

8:00am—James Donald Wimsatt†

Saturday:

8:00am—Mary Ann Lindsey†

5:00pm—Corey Mattingly†

Next Sunday: 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am—Our Parish Family

11:00am—Pat Lewis†

FIF 2024-2025 SCHEDULE

COMMUNITY BREAKFAST/DONUTS-9:05 AM

CLASS- 9:30AM-10:30AM

SPRING SEMESTER

| | | |
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| 3/2 | COMMUNITY BREAKFAST | (CLASS) |
| 3/9 | DONUTS | (CLASS) |
| 3/16 | DONUTS | (CLASS) |
| 3/23 | DONUTS | (CLASS) |
| 3/30 | NO BREAKFAST | (NO CLASS) |

Matthew Knight, Youth Minister
mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

YOUTH 2000

MARCH 14th - 16th
@ Brescia University

Youth 2000 is a Eucharistic Retreat where youth ages 13+ have an opportunity to listen to different talks to help them foster a stronger connection to the Eucharist. This event is in town so you will be responsible for your child's transportation. **SIGN UPS AND FORMS CAN BE FOUND IN THE VESTIBULE. COST IS \$65 AND MONEY AND FORMS ARE DUE MARCH 2ND!**

"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

Youth Meetings:

Wednesday, February 26th -
HS Youth @ 6:00-7:30pm

Come out and joining Danny May as we learn how to pray with art. It's a night full of creativity.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5TH -
NO YOUTH GROUP DUE TO ASH
WEDNESDAY

Confirmation

NEXT MEETING MARCH 2ND

Due to a double booking we will be moving our next Confirmation class to MARCH 2ND instead of February 23rd. This is also the class in which the kid's Bishop Letters are due!

Our Community

Lenten Fish Fry Knights of Columbus 3540 E 10th St. Council 817

Fish Fry Dinner Adults—\$15
Children 6-10yrs.— \$7
Under 6yrs.— free

All you can eat!

Meal includes: Fish, hushpuppies, coleslaw, baked beans, cornbread, French fries, and drink

Serving —5pm-6:30pm

(Every Friday in Lent except Good Friday)



Laitly Invited to Graduate Theology Open House:

Attend a workshop hosted by Saint Meinrad's Institute for Sacred Music on Feb 27-28. Featuring a concert by Grammy-award winning group the Fisk University Jubilee Singers, the workshop "Sacred Music & Race in the American Church" will examine perspectives on race as heard through sacred music, with attention to historical, cultural, and liturgical contexts. No previous musical knowledge or skill is required.

See more info at saintmeinrad.edu/sacred-music.



St. Pius X Parish Mission

March 16, 17, 18, 2025 at 6:00 pm.

A light meal will be served at 5:00-5:45pm in the Parish Hall.

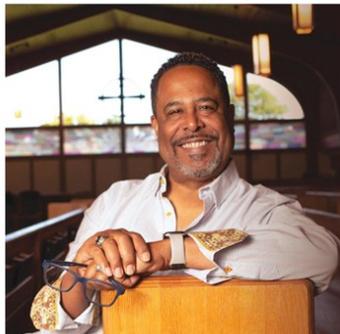
Childcare will be provided.

TOPIC: "Revive-Renew-Rebirth"

SPEAKER:

Catholic Evangelist
Richard Lane

Please join our parish family for this special opportunity to grow in your faith.



This year OBKY Catholic Young Adult Ministry presents "Teach Us to Pray." Each month we will gather for a teaching on a specific discipline of prayer and then take time to have a prayer experience together. These gatherings will be from 6PM-8PM. Please follow <https://www.facebook.com/OBKYCatholic> for more information.



SVDP FOOD PANTRY Full-Time Manager

Responsibilities Include:

- Organize & Coordinate Volunteers
- Manage Assets
- Solicit Donations
- Assist the Advisory Committee in Formulating the Policies & Services of the Food Pantry

To Apply:

Submit resume and two references on or before March 15, 2025 to:

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul
734 W. Delaware St.
Suite 243
Evansville, IN 47710

Learn More at
SVDPEvansville.org/seeking-food-pantry-manager/



Reminder: If you have a student that will be enrolled in the Owensboro Catholic School system of the 2025-2026 school year please turn in your tuition assistance form to the church office as soon as possible. If you have any questions please contact Debra in the church office. Thank you!

St. Pius X Cook Dates

March 29—Chicken & Burgoo

April 19— Easter Ham & Boston Butts

May 10— BBQ Fest Chicken & Burgoo

June 14—Picnic

October 4—Chicken & Burgoo

November 1—Team Member Cook

November 26— Thanksgiving Ham & Boston Butts

* All cooks will be at St. Pius X

St. Pius X Daycare Job Openings

We are looking for an Assistant Director and two full time Daycare Workers.

If you are interested please contact Sonya Budd at sbudd@stpiustenthparish.org

St. Pius X Daycare

Director: Sonya Budd
(sbudd@stpiustenthparish.org)

- Curriculum: 1's Cozy Corner-Beep! Beep! Vroom! (How things work & go)
- 2's Creative Curriculum- Tubes and Tunnels Study
- Religion Class Preschool A: Holy Family (Jesus, Mary, Joseph)
- Preschool A-B- LiteraSci: What is a Farm, Pretend to milk a cow, Living Things

Letter Hh & Number Review

Important Dates:
Feb.-28th Silly Sock Day!



The St. Pius X Mardi Gras committee needs YOUR help to make this fundraiser successful and fun for our parish!

How can you help?

- Buy a ticket to the March 1st event! Doors open at 6pm.
- Buy one or more bourbon raffle tickets!
- Desserts needed!! Drop off desserts on Friday, 2/28 or the morning of 3/1.
- Donate unopened bottles of any type of wine for our Wine Pull game!
- Crafty? Donate handmade items for the silent auction.
- Volunteer! Email spxfundraising23@gmail.com to let us know you would like to volunteer.
- Spread the word. Tell your family and friends about the bourbon raffle and the event.
- Pray! Let's all pray for the success of this event for our parish.

Donations of wine and silent auction items may be dropped off at the parish office. Thank you!

Save the Date!

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Parish Directory Photoshoot

March 13, 14, 15, & 20

- FREE Directory for participating families
- Specially priced portraits and frames
- Portraits available in Full Color, Black, White, & Sepia

Credit Cards Accepted



Liturgical

Ministry Schedule for March 1 & 2, 2025

| Sat, 5:00 PM (Church) | Sun, 8:00 AM (Church) | Sun, 11:00 AM (Church) |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| James Fleischmann - Captain/Bread 1 | Mary Jo Westerfield - Captain/Bread 1 | Robert Smith - Captain/Bread 1 |
| Fr. John Paul Mang - Bread 2 | Fr. John Paul Mang - Bread 2 | Fr. John Paul Mang - Bread 2 |
| Peggy Castlen - Captain Asst./Bread 3 | Tina Zoglmann - Captain Asst./Bread 3 | Charles Moore - Captain Asst./Bread 3 |
| CoraAnne Roberts - Bread 4 | Carol Payne - Bread 4 | Amy Silvert - Bread 4 |
| Laura Veach - Cup 1 | John McCarty - Cup 1 | Denice Moore - Cup 1 |
| Katelyn Storm (sub req.) - Cup 2 | Charlotte Hedges - Cup 2 | Michelle Jones - Cup 2 |
| Kathy Jo Clary - Cup 3 | Melody Clark - Cup 3 | Shelly Maffia - Cup 3 |
| Thomas Veach - Cup 4 | Wil Storm - Cup 4 | NOT FILLED - Cup 4 |
| Jennifer Ball - Gift Bearer | Paula Annin - Gift Bearer | Madison Silvert - Gift Bearer |
| Steve Hollman - Lector 1 | Dennis Zoglmann - Lector 1 | Brenda Coombs - Lector 1 |
| Gene Strehl - Lector 2 | Ellen Dugan-Barrette - Lector 2 | Bree Simone (sub req.) - Lector 2 |
| Amanda Storm - Greeter D-1 | Thomas Payne - Greeter D-1 | John Crawford Silvert - Greeter D-1 |
| Jane Strehl - Greeter D-2 | Cindy Mattingly - Greeter D-2 | Josh Maffia - Greeter D-2 |
| Caleb Freels (sub req.) - Server 1 | NOT FILLED - Server 1 | Jessica Payne - Server 1 |
| Jon Andrew Ball - Server 2 | NOT FILLED - Server 2 | Carter Maffia - Server 2 |
| Sam Potts - Captain/Usher 1 | Eddie Mattingly - Captain/Usher 1 | Brion Marlowe - Captain/Usher 1 |
| Tommy Velotta - Usher 2 | Eric Ratliff - Usher 2 | Tim Bowen - Usher 2 |
| Jonah Damin - Usher 3 | Danny Morris - Usher 3 | Ellen Marlowe - Usher 3 |
| Scott Wallace (sub req.) - Usher 4 | Larry Murphy - Usher 4 | James E. Howard - Usher 4 |
| Karen Hollman - Rosary Leader | Carol Payne - Rosary Leader | Beverly Estes - Rosary Leader |

MUSIC MINISTRY

March 1-2
(Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5PM—Roger, Alice, & Clint

8AM—Matt, Charlie, & Clint

11AM—Nathan, Susan, Dane, Connor, & Clint

Choir Practice: Thursday, Feb. 27 @ 6PM

Weekly Mass Count:

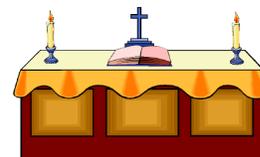
February 15-16

5PM-103

8AM-114

11AM- 155

Total-372



Spiritual Life Committee

Fasting, Explained

The practice of fasting predates Christianity. The Old Testament is full of examples of righteous men and women mortifying their flesh for the purpose of making atonement or simply to grow closer to God. Jesus himself fasted for forty days and forty nights in preparation for the beginning of his public ministry, and we see his disciples following his example in the Acts of the Apostles.

Fasting continues to be an important part of Christian devotional life today. Many people feel the practice of fasting enhances their prayer and helps them fulfill St. Paul's advice to "put to death the deeds of the body" (Romans 8:13) to grow in the Spirit. Most Catholics will associate fasting with the liturgical season of Lent, which begins and ends with obligatory fasting for all members of the Latin Catholic Church between ages 18 and 59.

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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 Melody Clark, 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.

Stewardship & Service

| General Collections | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| Fiscal year begins in July* | Week of : 2/16 | 2025 |
| | | Year To Date |
| General Collection | 18,143.86 | 523,075.80 |
| Budget Goal | 14,425.00 | 504,875.00 |
| Over/(Short) TOTAL | 3,718.86 | 18,200.80 |

| Capital Campaign | | |
|---------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| | Week of: 2/16 | Total |
| Total Cost of Reno | | 1,628,687.00 |
| Pledges Received | | 1,567,916.96 |
| Collected | 999.00 | 1,586,765.31 |

7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Want to learn more about
ONLINE GIVING?

visit <http://bit.ly/StpxOboro>

or scan our 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:
March
Marion Bates



God's Housekeepers:
February 24-Mar 1 Team 1
Gary & Beverly Estes
Mark & Donna Howard
Anna Carrico
Timothy & Betty Bowen
Andrew Ngun Pheh & Martha Min Sung
Thomas & Zoey Melton
Becky Pedley
Michelle Jones

Staff Contact Information

Parish Office (270) 684-4745

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Director of Music Ministry (207)

Clint Campbell: ccampbell@stpiustenthparish.org

Youth Ministry (Ext. 206)

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Daycare (270) 684-7456

Daycare Director (Ext. 211)

Sonya Budd: sbudd@stpiustenthparish.org

Assistant Daycare Director (Ext. 208)

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>).