



. "I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven."

Jesus was a good Jew. He learned and lived the "Law," which for a good Jew prior to Jesus was the Law that Moses handed down to the Israelites on the tablets given to him by God - the Ten Commandments. Jesus came to fulfill that Law by his life and teaching. He did that with exceptional faithfulness. However, unlike the scribes and Pharisees, he was not as scrupulous about the laws of ritual purity. He and his disciples gleaned ears of corn to feed themselves on the Sabbath and he consorted and had meals with many who were considered "unclean." But Jesus calls his disciples - that includes us - to go beyond mere compliance with the Law. He challenges us to go the extra mile, to go beyond *good* and want to be *better*, to try to be the *best* in "righteousness" by constantly striving to be all that God created us to be. So what Jesus is doing here is he is making clear that not only is murder a sin, but anger and insults, even they, are sinful and are liable to judgment. To enter into his kingdom, to become holy, we can't kill with our hearts or tongues either. Jesus did that himself. It was not easy or convenient or without risk for him. It is no different for us. But Jesus tells us the consequence for failing to try - "you will not enter the kingdom of heaven."

### Mass Intentions

#### February 7th-15th

Saturday 4pm  
 (Spanish) 6pm  
 Sunday 8am  
 10am  
 (Spanish) 12pm  
 6pm  
 Monday 5:30pm  
 Tuesday 5:30pm  
 7:30pm  
 Ash Wednesday 12pm  
 5:30pm  
 9Spanish) 7pm  
 Thursday 5:30pm  
 Friday 5:30pm  
 Saturday 4pm  
 (Spanish) 6pm  
 Sunday 8am  
 10am  
 (Spanish) 12pm  
 6pm

Dorothy Schartung & Dee Aud  
 Holy Name Society  
 Violet Cassidy  
 Paul & Anna Marie Haynes  
 Parishioners  
 Charlie Hood  
 Mary Lou & Robert H. Steele  
 WT & Helen Franey  
 For Vocations  
 Richard Thomas; John Roberts  
 Pam Porter  
 Sts. Joseph & Paul Parish  
 Sarah Edge  
 Jack Steele  
 Lee Franey;  
 James & Myrtle Coomes & Family  
 Fr. Corey Bruns  
 Melvin & Maxine Fleischmann & Family  
 Tony McPherson  
 Parishioners  
 Brice Howard

#### From Death of New Life

Please keep in prayer Marilyn Howard whose niece, **Ann Greer**, passed away recently. Please keep in prayer Jude(Christie) Steele & Family whose father, **Jack Steele**, passed away. May the Lord grant them perpetual light and eternal peace.

You're Invited to a

# VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER

Join us for an evening of  
food, fellowship, & gratitude for all you do for our parish

**MARCH 2ND AT 6:15PM**  
**Sts. Joseph & Paul Catholic Church**  
**Parish Hall**

If able, join us for 5:30pm Daily Mass

**RSVP: 270-683-5641**

## In Need of Prayer

**HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS:** Fran Bartley, Ann Lila Bower, Theresa Arlene Dunn, Frances Hayden, Tom & Joyce Hayden, Jackie Mann, Mitzi Mann, Marshall Reynolds, Rita Stiff, Mickey & Carol Taylor, Sharon Velasquez, Rhonda Walker.

**NURSING HOME PARISHIONERS:** **CARMEL HOME:** Norma Bivins, Agnes, Harrington, Doug & Dorothy Hood, Rose Keller, Charlotte Underhill, Auda Wink; **CHAUTAQUA HEALTH:** Tony Glahn; **HEARTLAND VILLA:** Russell Roby, Felicia Stiff; **HERMITAGE:** Sue Ann Daugherty, James Millay, **ASSISTED LIVING:** **CALUMET TRACE:** Linda Hagan, **ONE PARC PLACE:** Jeanne Lindow.

**OTHERS IN NEED OF PRAYER:** Carolyn Abel, Robin Abel, Belinda Abell, Jennifer Adwell, David Baker, Christa Bennett, John Boehman, Sheila Byrne, Mike & Monica Blandford, Colin Cahill, Tim Cahill, Deacon John & Davena Cecil, Patricia Cecil, Scott Clouse, Theresa Clouse, Jackie Danetz, Ron & Susan Daugherty, Leo Dickens, Shane Dickens, Westyn Dickens, Earlene Docimo, Arlene Dunn, Shirley Evans, Melvin Fleischmann, Bill Franey, John Goetz, Jennifer Greenlee, Jennifer Gullett, Drew Hagan, Joelle Boarman Hagan, Martha Hardesty, Michael Hardesty, Scott Hardin, Evonne Harl, Genie Harrison, Charlotte Hayden, Mary Higdon, Robin Hinton, Doug & Dorothy Hood, Judy Hood, Jan Howard, Marilyn Howard, Margaret Johnson, Jessica Jones, Tina Keller, Tony Keller, Jerry Lundy, Ruben Matais, Karen McBride, Michael Mills, David Montgomery, Debby Mulligan, Steve Newby, Janet O'Bryan, Nancy O'Bryan, Adelyn Payne, Theresa Pedley, Thomas Porter, Marti Rhinerson, Braxton Rhodes, Russell Roby, Linda Sapp, Joe Stelmach, Phil & Anne Storm, Martha Taylor, Gary & Nadine Trogden, Sarah Ward, Darryl & Linda Warren, Scott Warren, Cotton Wilhite, Marshall Willett, Jeff Wolfe, Joyee Yeiser.

**FIRST RESPONDERS:** Houston Babbs, Eric Conder, Lane Dickens, Dalton Howard, Brad Leonard, Steve Leonard, Jason Luedke, Cory Mattingly, Kolbe Mattingly, Bryce Young.

**ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY:** Gabriel Davis

Please call the parish office to add/remove names to these lists. Thank you!



Welcome to our new members recently:  
 Jeffrey & Allison Andres Family, Austin Ebelhar, Mackenzie Merritt, Marti Rhinerson, Barbara Seaton, Joseph Mayfield, Troy Duncan, Randell Capps, Kyle & Kylee Fischer & Family, Christina Donofrio, Crystal Perez, Wilmer Perez, Beverly Cureton Family.

### Parish Pastoral Council Members

Belinda Abell, chair	belindaabell@gmail.com
Aynde Bennett	ayndelady@gmail.com
Jessica Conder, vice-chair	jessicaconder@att.net
John Congleton	jcongleton@gmail.com
Paul DiGiorgio	paul_digiorgio@hotmail.com
Gustavo Gonzalez	chico.chiquilin87@gmail.com
Jane Lovekamp	jlovekamp@gmail.com
Steve Newby	snewby1957@gmail.com
Christina Parsley	cheminokey@hotmail.com
Virginia Phillips	vvsjbp@roadrunner.com
Laura Rhodes	laurarhodes63@gmail.com
Karen Volk, secretary	knevolk@gmail.com

### Upcoming Meetings

-Knights of Columbus Meeting—Sunday, February 22nd/5pm/FTC  
 -Parish Pastoral Council—Tuesday, February 24th/6:15pm/OFC-CR  
 -Finance Committee Meeting/Tuesday, March 17th/1pm/OFC

### Adoration Volunteers Needed:

We are in need of additional **weekly volunteers & subs** to help with adoration on Thursdays. If you feel you are being called to help us with this ministry and would like to spend an hour in adoration each week, please contact April at the Parish Office 270-683-5641.

Catholic Men's Conference of Western Kentucky

# FATHERHOOD & HEROIC DISCIPLINESHIP

Saturday Feb 21, 2026

## RIVERPARK CENTER

101 DAVIES STREET  
OWENSBORO, KENTUCKY

DOORS OPEN 8:30AM

PROGRAM 9:30-4:00

**COST \$40**

**\$15 STUDENT**  
**RELIGIOUS FREE**

[www.kycatholic.com](http://www.kycatholic.com)

4:30pm Mass with Bishop  
William F. Medley @ St.  
Stephen Cathedral



## 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

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 the greatest Shrines and Churches of Christendom. Encounter the Eucharistic Miracle of Lanciano



Rev. Julio Barrera  
Pastor, Holy Redeemer & Holy Trinity

Spots for Singles & Doubles available

SCAN FOR ITINERARY & SIGNUP:



270.952.2911

[marianna@FaithinTravel.com](mailto:marianna@FaithinTravel.com)

	ASH WEDNESDAY 2/18 12pm	ASH WEDNESDAY 2/18 5:30pm	February 21 Saturday, 4:00 PM	February 22 Sunday, 8:00 AM	February 22 Sunday, 10:00 AM	February 22 Sunday, 6:00 PM
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Dawn Cameron-Body J. Edward Haynes - Body Kathy McCarty - Body Deacon John Cecil - Blood Brenda Payne - Blood	Sandy Henry - Body <b>NOT FILLED</b> - Body <b>NOT FILLED</b> - Body Jackie Danetz - Blood Jennifer Wilson - Blood	Paul Mitchell - Body Nadine Trogden - Body Gary Trogden - Body Deacon John Cecil - Blood Sharon Embry - Blood	Delores Brown - Body Kathy McCarty - Body Thomas Porter - Body Theresa Bailey - Blood Christina Parsley - Blood Carolyn Porter - Blood Randy Porter - Blood	Karen Volk - Body Yvonne Wathen - Body Dan Wathen - Body Houston Babbs - Blood Janet Johnson - Blood Brandon Lynn - Blood Matthew Tierney - Blood	Katie Levesque - Body Sandy Henry - Blood Karen Tromly - Blood
<b>Hospitality Minister</b>	Linda Mitchell - Main Paul Mitchell - Main Linda Hall - Bolivar Marilyn Howard - SE	<b>NOT FILLED</b> - Main <b>NOT FILLED</b> - Main <b>NOT FILLED</b> - Bolivar <b>NOT FILLED</b> - SE	Tony Lindow - Main Michael O'Bryan - Main Danny Barnard - Bolivar Linda Mitchell - SE	Leannah Blondin - Main Phil Blondin - Main Jim Wilson - Bolivar Mike Hagan - SE	Lindsey Hughes - Main Mack Pryor - Main Darlene Petri - Bolivar Jacob Ezell - SE	Chris McDaniel - Main Jamie Henry - Bolivar Larry Simon - SE
<b>Lector</b>	Joanne Mason - 1 John Blankendaal - 2	Laura Shoulders - 1 Gustavo Gonzalez - 2	Gustavo Gonzalez - 1 Mary Haynes - 2	Janie Stiff - 1 Linda Greathouse - 2	Ashley Wilkerson - 1 Michael Bennett - 2	Kim Isbill - First & Second
<b>Liturgical Coordinator</b>	<b>NOT FILLED</b>	<b>NOT FILLED</b>	Adam Zborowski	Jennifer Wilson	Cheryl Judd	Kandie McDaniel
<b>Server</b>	<b>NOT FILLED</b> <b>NOT FILLED</b>	Gabriel Gonzalez <b>NOT FILLED</b>	Gabriel Gonzalez Evllyn Zborowski	Alaina Blondin Emma Kate Parsley	Bryson Brown Atticus Brown	Will McCarty <b>NOT FILLED</b>
<b>CLW</b>					<b>NOT FILLED</b> - Aide Patti Gutierrez - Lead- er	
<b>Cantor</b>	Katherine Mischel	Gina King	Gina King	Kenny McCarty	Katherine Mischel	Celeste Medley- Hood
<b>Prayer Partner</b>			Joanne Mason Emilee Ward	Kathy McCarty Alan Sims	Laura Baker Yvonne Wathen (sub req.)	Debbie Simon
<b>Homebound Eucha- ristic Minister</b>			J. Edward Haynes Mary Haynes Rose Roberts Gary Trogden	Alan Sims		

### Treasure Counters

- ◆ February—Carolyn Porter, Joyce Lambert
- ◆ March—Carole Storm, Lois Warren

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 2/14 Camille Clark, Marina Lanham, Garrett Nealen, Paul Porter
- 2/15 Rachel Bruns
- 2/16 Marian Blondin, Carolyn Boyens, Andrea Umbral, Juliette Wallace
- 2/17 Kathleen Skeens, Logan Skeens, Carole Storm, Aiden Zambrano, Ethan Zambrano
- 2/18 Aynde Bennett, Greg Thomas
- 2/19 Mary Russelburg
- 2/20 Jennifer Gortz, Dorothy Hood, Marshall Reynolds
- 2/21 Jackie Danetz, Kimberly Hawk, Mary Terri Wick
- 2/22 Chase, Burch, Joseph Cox, Isaiah Hagan, David Ward

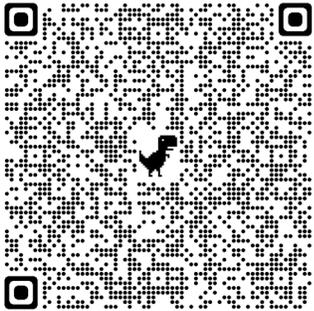


**\*\* We are in need of additional sponsors for St. Joseph School in Haiti. We help provide lunch for the students each day and the teachers' salaries.**

### Anniversaries

- 2/14/92 Steven & Debra Shoulders
- 2/14/14 Jeffery & Allison Andrews
- 2/18/78 John & Marla Storm
- 2/19/77 Ken & Marina Lanham
- 2/20/98 Ron & Martha Hardesty

<b>January 2026 Monthly Sunday Giving Report</b>	
January Giving (Envelopes) 4 Sundays	\$ 44,148.10
January Online Giving	\$ 15,847.98
<b>Total January Sunday Collection</b>	<b>\$ 59,996.08</b>
<b>Weekly Sunday Giving Budget/Average</b>	
Weekly Budget 2025-26	\$ 19,050.00
Weekly Average (January) 4 Sundays	\$ 14,999.02
Weekly Average (YTD) (30 Sundays) 2025-26	\$ 17,971.98
<b>July– January 2026</b>	
Total Sunday Giving Year-to-Date(Actual)	\$ 539,159.42
Total Sunday Giving Year-to-Date (Budget)	\$ 571,500.00
<b>Over/Under YTD Budget</b>	<b>\$(32,340.58)</b>



**Sts. Joseph & Paul  
QR Code for  
Online giving**



**1st Communion Retreat**  
Saturday, April 25th/9am-11:30am/PH

**1st Communion Mass**  
Sunday, April 26th at 3pm/CH

Sts. Joseph & Paul Parish Activities Committee Invites you to Join Us & other parish members for:



**US**

**THEM**

*All are welcome*

Please RSVP for food count  
Call the office (270-683-5641) or text (270-316-2778)

Taco Bar



Door Prizes



**Saturday**

**February 21, 2026**

**5:30 - 8:30**

**Parish Hall**

*\$5 per person*  
*Pay at the door*

Open to all ages

**Confirmation Retreat**  
Saturday, May 2nd/ Time & Place TBA

**Confirmation Mass**  
Wednesday, May 6th/6pm/CH



## Baptism Prep For Parents

Prepare yourself for your child's baptism by coming to Baptism Preparation. Please call the Parish Office to register or for more information, 270-683-5641.



Thursdays 7am-5:15pm  
7-8pm

*Adoration*

**Coffee & Donuts**  
Sunday, February 22nd  
after 8am Mass  
in the Parish Hall.



## Anointing of the Sick

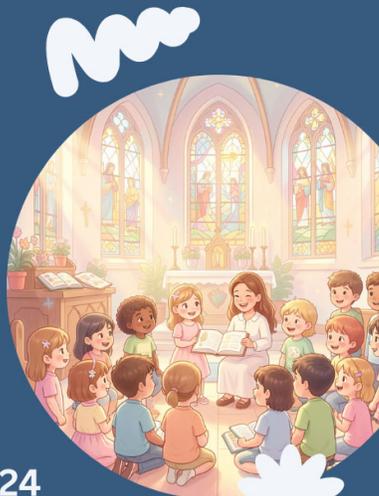
Friday, February 27th at 5:30pm  
Mass. Anointing of the sick is held the 4th Friday of each month at 5:30pm Mass.

## Children's Liturgy Training

Inspire young hearts and minds to know Jesus!

Children's Liturgy takes place during the 10am Mass for children who are aged 4-6, so they can hear the readings for Mass in a way they can understand.

**Tuesday, February 24**  
**5pm in the Parish Office**



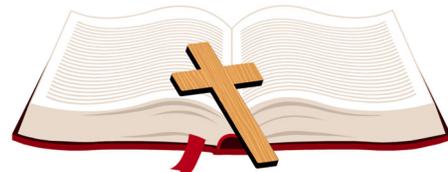
## Youth BIBLE STUDY

**Monday Evenings Bi-Monthly**

**6 pm at the Activities Center**

**February 16**

*Bring your bible! If you don't have one, we'll have some available.*



# LENT

Pray + Fast + Give

## LENT: A TIME OF CONVERSION AND PRAYER

During this upcoming season of Lent, the People of God partake in this holy time of Conversion, Prayer, and Fasting to prepare ourselves for the Easter waters of new life. We offer many opportunities for Conversion, Prayer, and Almsgiving with fasting. Please take note of the following and consider them a part of your prayer during this coming Lenten Season.

### OPPORTUNITIES FOR PRAYER

#### *Eucharistic Liturgy (Mass)*

will be celebrated daily, Monday - Friday at 5:30pm in Church

#### *The Way of the Cross*

will be prayed on Wednesdays of Lent at 12:00noon in Church. Fridays during Lent after 5:30pm Mass

#### *Exposition and Benediction*

will be offered every Thursday during Lent beginning at 7am and concluding with Benediction at 5:15pm

7-8pm Thursdays

### OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALMSGIVING

February 18-April 5—CRS Rice Bowl  
 February 18—Mandeville, Jamaica Collection  
 February 28 - Care of Infirm Priest Collection  
 March 8—Catholic Relief Services Collection  
 April 3—Good Friday-Holy Land Collection  
 April 5—Easter—Seminary Collection

### OPPORTUNITIES FOR CONVERSION

#### *The Sacrament of Reconciliation*

will be celebrated on Thursdays at 12noon & 6pm

### LENTEN COMMUNAL Penance SERVICES

Thursday, March 5th	6pm	Sts. Joseph and Paul
Sunday, March 8th	2pm	Blessed Mother
Sunday, March 15th	2pm	Sts William/Lawrence
Monday, March 16th	6pm	Our Lady of Lourdes
Tuesday, March 17th	6pm	St Pius X
Monday, Mar 23rd	6pm	St Mary of the Woods

### FASTING AND ABSTINENCE

All persons who have completed their fourteenth year are to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent including Good Friday. All



## STATIONS of the CROSS

Wednesdays of Lent at 12pm  
 Fridays of Lent 6:15pm

Ash Wednesday  
 Masses  
 February 18  
 12pm & 5:30pm  
 English  
 7pm Spanish



Join Us This Lent at  
 Sts. Joseph & Paul Catholic Church

# STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Wednesdays at 12pm &  
 Fridays after 5:30pm Mass

## Lenten Soup & Sandwiches

Sts. Joseph & Paul  
 Catholic Church  
 Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup>  
 Stations of the Cross  
 after 5:30pm Mass  
 in Church  
 Soup & Sandwiches  
 following Stations in  
 Parish Hall

## EQUIPO DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO

**Oficina:** Horas - Lunes a Viernes 8am - 4pm  
Numero - 270-683-5641  
**Pastor:** Padre Jean-Rene Kalombo - ext. 222  
frjkalombosjpc@gmail.com  
**Diácono:** Cristobal Gutierrez 270-880-8018  
**Coordinator of Religious Education & OCIA:** Aynde Bennett  
**Musica:** Kristin Mikulcik

## AMBIENTE SEGURO

**Para Hacer Informe de Alegatos de Abuso Sexual**  
Para denunciar una sospecha de abuso, llame a la Línea Directa de Protección Infantil de Kentucky: 1-877-KYSAFE1 o 1-877-597-2331 (llamada gratuita) o comuníquese con su Fiscal Local del Commonwealth. Para reportar abuso, actual o pasado, a la diócesis por parte de cualquier persona que actúe en nombre de la Iglesia, llame a Scott Ingram, Coordinadora de Asistencia Pastoral (inglés) al 270-852-8380, o Miguel Quintanilla, Coordinadoras de Asistencia Pastoral (español) al 270-880-8360. También puede visitar la Oficina de Ambiente Seguro ([owensborodiocese.org/safe](http://owensborodiocese.org/safe)) para obtener más información. Para hacer un informe de abuso sexual de un menor de edad o conducta inapropiada relacionada por parte de algún obispo, visite <https://reportbishopabuse.org/es>.

Iniciación

Servicio y Misión

Curación



## SACRAMENTOS

**Contactos para obtener información sobre:**  
**Bautismo:** Diácono Cristobal  
**Primera Comunión y Confirmación:** Aynde Bennett  
**O.I.C.A.** (Iniciación Católica para Adultos): Aynde Bennett  
**Matrimonio:** Padre Juan  
**Uncion de Enfermos:** Padre Juan  
**Ordenes Sagradas:** Padre Corey



Ash Wednesday

Miércoles de Ceniza

FEBRUARY 18TH

18 DE FEBRERO

Services - Misas

12:00pm - 5:30pm  
7:00pm (Español)

Saints Joseph and Paul  
609 East 4<sup>th</sup> St  
Owensboro KY, 42303

# Martes de Vocaciones

La Iglesia Católica de San José & San Pablo  
609 E. 4th St. Owensboro, KY 42303

Orar intencionalmente por y acerca de las vocaciones en la Diócesis de Owensboro.

6:30 PM Hora Santa y Confesiones

7:30 PM Misa Votiva del Espíritu Santo

Hablar con un Sacerdote:

OwensboroVocations.com

(270) 421-7868

FatherBruns@OwensboroVocations.com



@OwensboroVocations

# Vocation Tuesday

Sts. Joseph & Paul Catholic Church  
609 E. 4th St. Owensboro, KY 42303

to intentionally pray for and about  
Vocations in the Diocese of Owensboro

6:30 PM Holy Hour & Confessions

7:30 PM Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit

Speak with a Priest:

OwensboroVocations.com

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# CONSTRUYENDO UNA FAMILIA DE FE

Talleres ofrecidos por la Diócesis de Owensboro

\* Toda la Familia es Bienvenida y los invitamos también a traer Comida y compartir juntos\*



- Herramientas para cada edad y etapa
- Construya lazos familiares duraderos
- Aprenda a hablar con sus hijos
- Conéctese con comunidad

21 de Febrero  
Parroquia de Santos  
José y Pablo  
Owensboro, KY  
8:00am-12:00pm

Presentado por

Don. Cristobal Gutierrez  
Director del Ministerio Hispano

Susana Solerza  
Coordinadora de la Pastoral Juvenil

Encuentre  
alegría y  
propósito  
en la crianza  
católica

Escanee aquí para encontrar talleres y registrarse

Para más información, llame al (270)852-8341

