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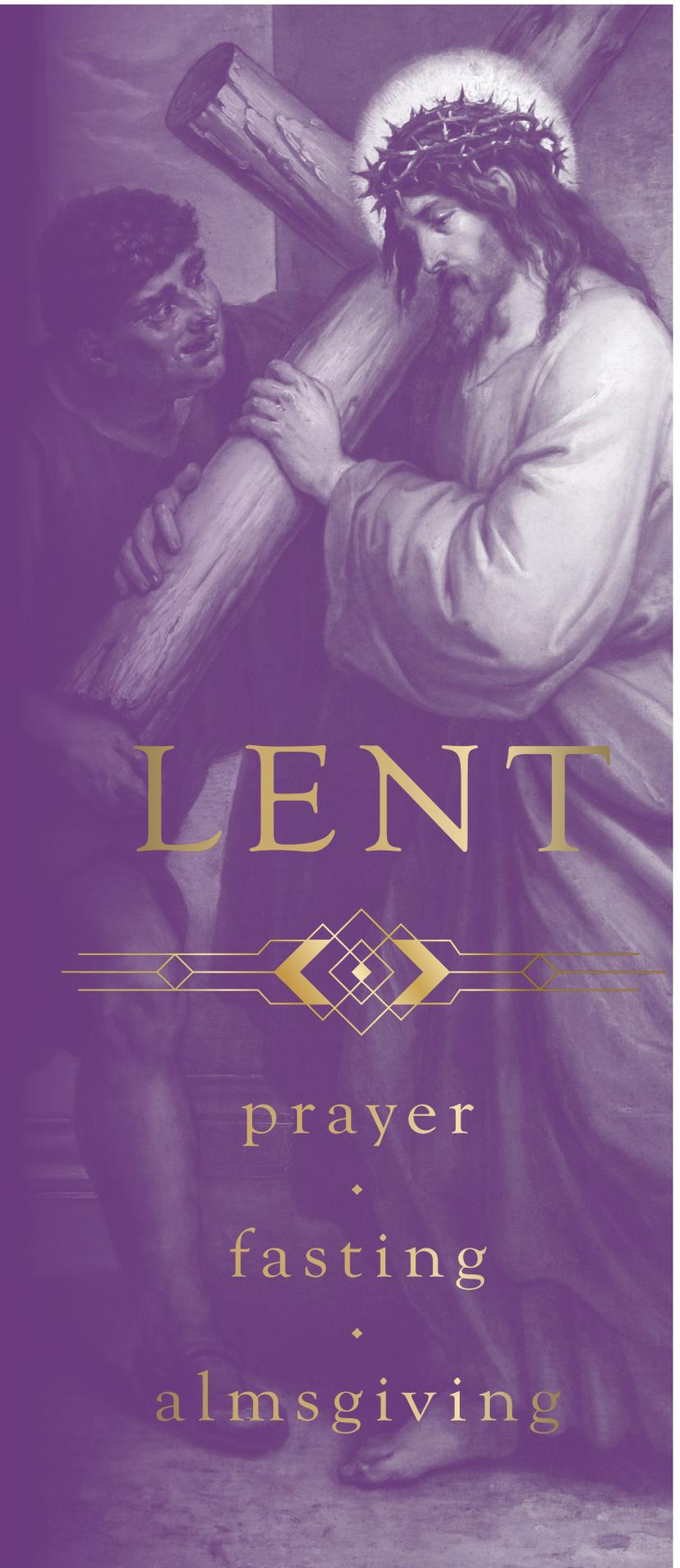
Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday 5:30pm
Saturday 4pm (English) 6pm (Spanish)
Sunday 8am, 10am, 6pm, 12 noon (Spanish)

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Thursday 12 noon and 6pm

Adoration Thursday 7am-5:15pm

Holy Hour Thursday 7-8pm (Spanish)



LENT

prayer

fasting

almsgiving



This is My Beloved Son, Listen to Him!"

According to tradition the "Transfiguration" took place on top of Mount Tabor, a craggy, cone shaped mountain across the lush Jezreel Valley from both Nazareth and Cana. Jesus is with three of his friends when they see him appear quite different and standing with Elijah, the great prophet, and Moses,

the great lawgiver. From the clouds they hear a voice proclaim "This is my beloved son, listen to him." God was telling Peter, James and John, and He is telling us, to get to know Jesus. Learn all you can about him so you can imitate him. Learn about him now so when the opportunity presents itself, you can be like Jesus without hesitation. Earlier, at a wedding feast in Cana, Mary told servants to "Do whatever he tells you." The message from both the earthly mother of Jesus and his Heavenly Father is very simple: "Listen to Him!" and "Do whatever he tells you!" Peter and the others wanted to stay in the comfort and safety of the top of the mountain. Are we willing to get out of our comfort zone to "Do whatever he tells you."

Mass Intentions

February 28-March 8

Saturday	4pm	Helen Ward
(Spanish)	6pm	Fr. Corey Bruns
Sunday	8am	Charlie Russelburg
	10am	Nina Van Bussum
(Spanish)	12pm	Parishioners
	6pm	Declan Roads
Monday	5:30pm	Tony McPherson
Tuesday	5:30pm	Mary Geraldine Hearld Payne & Family
	7:30pm	For Vocations
Wednesday	5:30pm	Dolores Blincoe
Thursday	5pm	Mary Lou & Robert H. Steele
Friday	5:30pm	Hal & Laida Mischel
Saturday	4pm	Joe & Tammi O'Bryan
(Spanish)	6pm	Fr. Corey Bruns
Sunday	8am	Melvin & Maxine Fleischmann & Family
	10am	Violet Cassidy
(Spanish)	12pm	Parishioners
	6pm	Charlie Hood

Daily Mass will be at 5pm, Thursday, March 5th due to Lenten Penance Service at 6pm.

On Ash Wednesday, Melvin Fleischmann accompanied parish staff to distribute ashes and communion to some of our parish homebound. (Mickey & Carol Taylor and Rita Stiff pictured below). After giving them communion he reminded us that our heart is now a tabernacle for Jesus. Thank you, Melvin, for all you continue to do for our parish and for being a great example to us all.



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; **CHAUTAUQUA 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, Jennefer 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, Joyce 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!

From Death of New Life

Please keep in prayer the family or René Howard who passed away. May the Lord grant her perpetual light and eternal peace.

Let Us Know

If you or a fellow parishioner are in the hospital, having surgery, become homebound, need to be added to our communion call list, anointed, etc... please call the church office at 270-683-5641 & let us know. (Please also let the hospital know that you are a member of Sts. Joseph & Paul so they can update their records.)

Thank You

Sts. Joseph & Paul Parish,
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 ~Birthright



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
March 8 - Care of Infirm Priest Collection
March 15—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
Tuesday, March 10th	6pm	St. Augustine, Reed
Thursday, March 12th	6pm	St. Alphonsus Parish
Sunday, March 15th	2pm	Sts. William/Lawrence
Monday, March 16th	6pm	Our Lady of Lourdes
Tuesday, March 17th	6pm	St Pius X
Thursday, March 19th	6pm	St. Sebastian, Calhoun
Monday, March 23rd	6pm	St Mary of the Woods
Monday, March 23rd	6pm	Immaculate Parish
Thursday, March 24th	6pm	Precious Blood Parish
Sunday, March 29th	2pm	St. Stephen Cathedral

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 persons who have completed their eighteenth year to the beginning of the Sixtieth are to Fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

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

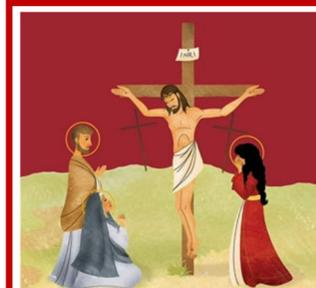
STATIONS OF THE CROSS

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



Lenten Soup & Sandwiches

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

Stations of the Cross led by our parish youth, Friday, March 20th after 5:30pm Mass. If your child would like to help, please contact Aynde or April at the Parish Office.

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

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Parish Hall**

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

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Upcoming Meetings

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

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.

March 7 & 8	Saturday, 4:00 PM	Sunday, 8:00 AM	Sunday, 10:00 AM	Sunday, 6:00 PM
Eucharistic Minister	Lucy Maroto - Body Laura Shoulders - Body Adam Zborowski - Body Deacon John Cecil-Blood Nadine Trogden - Blood	David Congleton - Body Charlie Sims - Body Alan Sims - Body Mike Barna - Blood Leannah Blondin - Blood Delores Brown - Blood Deacon John Cecil - Blood	Bryson Brown - Body Dan Wathen - Body Yvonne Wathen - Body Deacon John Cecil-Blood Janet Johnson - Blood Emily Lynn - Blood Matthew Tierney - Blood	Brenda Payne - Body Deacon John Cecil-Blood Emily Irby - Blood
Hospitality Minister	Alicia Blankendaal -Main Onee Clark - Main Steve Newby - Bolivar Cathy Newby - SE	Linda Hall - Main Jim Wilson - Main Robin Barna - Bolivar Phil Blondin - SE	Sarah Thomas - Main Craig Thomas - Main Barry Strehl - Bolivar Mack Pryor - SE	Jamie Henry - Main Greg Clark - Bolivar Sandy Henry - SE
Lector	John Blankendaal - 1 Gary Trogden - 2	Jennifer Wilson - 1 Jared Scales - 2	Helen Ann Hays - 1 Jacob Roberts - 2	Lisa Young -1 & 2
Liturgical Coordinator	Dawn Westerfield	Terri Congleton	Cheryl Judd	Kandie McDaniel
Server	Madeline Scherrer Evlyn Zborowski	Mary Blondin Ellen Blondin	Jaxton Scott Scarlett Scott	Isabel Gutierrez Will McCarty
CLW			NOT FILLED - Aide Kristina Collins - Leader	
Cantor	Gina King	Kenny McCarty	Katherine Mischel	Celeste Medley-Hood

Treasure Counters

- ◆ March—Carole Storm, Lois Warren
- ◆ April—Mary Haynes, Pat Hamilton

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

2/28 Sarah Kiper, Landen Thomas, Alan Vera
 2/29 Jacquelyn Tretter-Parker
 3/1 Shaylynn Gonzalez-Gomez, Daniel Heard, Kathryn Levesque
 3/2 Evolet DeLeon, Alexandra Flores, Benjamin Isbill, Matthew Tierney
 3/3 Gracie Hudson, Dean Roberts, Elowen Miller, Steve Tong, Evlyn Zborowski
 3/4 Peter Cahill, Windy Kretman, McKallen Tierney
 3/5 Michael Ayer, Laura Gipson, Kim Isbill, Bobby Mulligan, April Scherrer
 3/6 Olivia Blondin, Lucas Hernandez, Karen Thomas

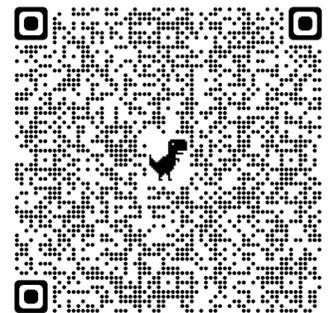


**** We are in need of additional sponsors for St. Joseph School in Haiti. We help provide lunch for the students each day and the teachers' salaries.**

Anniversaries

2/27/81 Gerry & Cami Frey
 2/27/16 Daniel & Stephanie Heard
 3/4/72 William & Donna McDaniel

January 2026 Monthly Sunday Giving Report	
January Giving (Envelopes) 4 Sundays	\$ 44,148.10
January Online Giving	\$ 15,847.98
Total January Sunday Collection	\$ 59,996.08
Weekly Sunday Giving Budget/Average	
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
July- January 2026	
Total Sunday Giving Year-to-Date(Actual)	\$ 539,159.42
Total Sunday Giving Year-to-Date (Budget)	\$ 571,500.00
Over/Under YTD Budget	\$(32,340.58)



**Sts. Joseph & Paul
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Online giving**



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

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

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.

Coffee & Donuts
Sunday, March 29th
after 8am Mass
in the Parish Hall.



Youth Bible Study
Monday, March 2nd
6pm Activities Center



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

Adoration



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

Handbell Choir

Wednesdays,
7:15 PM – 8:15 PM
in the Church beginning
February 25, 2026

Call Patty Brown at the Parish Office for more information.

Ring in Harmony – All Skill Levels Welcome!

JOIN THE Youth Choir FOR EASTER SUNDAY!

Celebrate with us
Rehearsals on Thursdays at 6:15pm

**Youth Choir will sing at the 8am or 10am
Mass on Easter Sunday**

Join Our Adult Choir

**Be Part of the Triduum and Easter
Sunday Celebrations**

**Adult Choir will sing on Palm Sunday at
10am, Holy Thursday at 6pm, Good
Friday at 6pm and Easter Sunday at
10am.**

*Lift Your Voice With Us,
Rehearsals are Wednesdays at 6:15pm!*

Call Patty Brown at the Parish Office for more info.

EQUIPO DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO

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AMBIENTE SEGURO

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 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) 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>.



SACRAMENTOS

Contactos para obtener información sobre:
Bautismo: Diácono Cristobal
Primera Comunión y Confirmación: Aynde Bennett
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Matrimonio: Padre Juan
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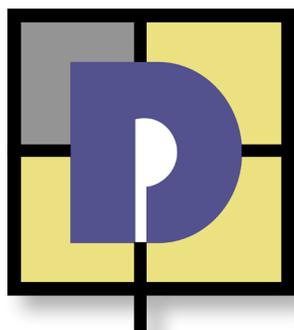
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