



**PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—JANUARY 26, 2025**



**Congratulations to Luke Dickens And Haley Davis who celebrated the sacrament of marriage on January 10, 2025 Pictured above: Luke, Haley and Miles Dickens.**



Whether you are a first-time visitor or a returning parishioner, we are glad you are here! Welcome Packets with registration forms are available at both entrances. For more information about Precious Blood, please contact the office 270.684.6888. We would love to hear from you!

**OFFICE HOURS:** M-TH 8-2pm & Friday 8-12pm  
**SVDP OFFICE HOURS:** M & TH 9-11am

**MASS INTENTIONS: JAN. 28– FEB. 2**

- Tues. 7:00am Vicky Belcher ✕
- Wed 6:00pm Vickie Payne Family
- Thurs 7:00am Tony Gilmore
- Fri 12 :00pm Johnny Simms ✕
- Sat 5:00p.m Judith McGuinn
- Sun 8:00a.m Bill Elder ✕
- 10:30a.m OUR PARISH FAMILY

**STEWARDSHIP PRAYER** Oh Lord, giver of life and source of our freedom, we are reminded that Yours is “the earth in its fullness; the world and those who dwell in it.” We know that it is from your hand that we have received all we have and are and will be. Gracious and loving God, we understand that you call us to be the stewards of Your abundance, the caretakers of all you have entrusted to us. Help us always to use your gifts wisely and teach us to share them generously. May our faithful stewardship bear witness to the love of Christ in our lives. We pray this with grateful hearts in Jesus’ name. Amen

**PRAYER requests**

Katie Basham, Jamie Berry, Nelda Bickwermert, Kay Berry, Louis Beldotti, Lauren Bertke, Glen Bickwermert, Marvin Bickwermert, Larry Boswell, Christine Brown, Shirley Brown, Mary June Cecil, Shelby & Breanna Clark, Joseph Paul Clements, Tony Clayton, Rachel Ann Cline, Darrell Connor, Guy Connor, Goretti Coomes, Rosa Cruz, Tonie Denton, Shane Dickens, Huberta Edge, Bill Elder, Tim & Maude Fornes, Jesse Fulkerson, Angela Gentry, Terri Girten, Debby Glenn, Sheila Head, Terri Hendon, Tonya Hamilton’s friend, Charles Henderson, Adriana Hentz, Marie Hester, Bob Holt, Heather Hudson, Willie Hudson, Lenox Hughes, Robert Jackson, June Johnson, Linda Jollay, Elaine Johnson, Robert Johnson’s mother, Randall Jones, Kenny Kelley, Ruth and Kenny Kelly’s daughter, Mary Kittinger, Francie Lanham, Janet Lawrence, Bailey Lindsey, Theresa Lowe, Donna Mason, Carolyn McDaniel, Mamie McDaniel’s great niece, Ray McDaniel, Barbara Magan, Jordan McIntosh, Charlene Meadows, Mary Miller’s son Charles Miller, Raden Poll, Anna Carol Murphy & her daughter Oleta, Gary Murphy’s John Patton, brother, Mary Murphy, Karen Osborne’s mother, Janie Payne, Mary Edna Payne, Phil Phelps, Sandra Posey, Tony Powers, Shirley Ralph, Frank Riney, Michael Roach, Doris Schrecker, Tommy Schwartz, Mike Sims, Bob Slack, Ed Sullivan’s brother, Lillian Taylor, Eugene and June Thomp-sons daughter Debra Peach, Steve Tuttle, Dorothy Westerfield, Joey Westerfield, Dorothy Wathen and her daughter, and Kirsten Wood.

**ASSISTED LIVING: Chautauqua:** Nancy Best **Fern Terra:** Clara Gilles. **Hillcrest:** Marie Hester, **Carmel Home:** Doug Howard, Lois Sims and Rose McCarter. **Hermitage:** Tommy Schwartz **Cedarhurst:** Pat Fogle

Ministry	February 1, 5:00 PM	February 2, 8:00 AM	February 2, 10:30 AM
<b>Ushers</b>	#1 - Michael Johnson Susan Johnson Rhonda Logsdon Jarred Jones	#1 - Jeanette Goodwin Cheryl Gabbert Phillip Carr Kathy Carr	#1 - Brian Powers Tim Molnar Bridgette Molnar Matthew Molnar
<b>Eucharistic Min. (EM's designated #1 and #2 are responsible for cleaning the sacred vessels after mass. )</b>	#1 - Bruce Kittinger #2 - Mary Kittinger John Fulkerson Kristy Fulkerson Vickie Payne Michael Murphy Deacon Jay VanHoosier	#1 - Taylor Sturgeon #2 - Jeanette Ebelhar Deacon Jay VanHoosier	#1 Kristen Powers #2 - Briley Powers Tom Peak Monica Augustine John David Rudy Lisa Wimsatt Deacon Jay VanHoosier
<b>Servers</b>	Mady Murphy Elly Murphy	Myles Sturgeon Maddox Sturgeon	Adalyn Mayfield Cain Coomes Adelyn Franklin Eli Wimsatt
<b>Lector #1</b>	Christine Stanfel	Steve Collignon	Mark Augustine
<b>Lector #2</b>	Chrissy Axley	Jeff Danhauer	Denise Pace
<b>Gift Bearers</b>	Stefanie Oller Family	Lovetta Davis / Laura Lashbrook	Brian & Melissa Huebel
<b>Vocation Statue</b>	Janie Howard	Tony Gilmore	Jeannie Howard
<b>Sacristan</b>	Sharon Bumm	Tony Gilmore	Michelle Baize
<b>Rosary Leader</b>	Pat May	Joyce Riney	Betty Whitehouse
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Amanda Murphy		Morgan Brown

## From the Deacon's Desk: Discerning the Gifts of the Spirit

In this Sunday's readings, Saint Paul reminds us that "there are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit." Each one of us has been uniquely blessed by the Holy Spirit with gifts that are meant to be shared for the common good. Whether it is the gift of wisdom, knowledge, faith, healing, or any of the countless ways the Spirit empowers us, these gifts are not given for our benefit alone but to build up the Body of Christ.



As members of this parish community, we are called to reflect on how we are using the gifts entrusted to us. Are we allowing the Spirit to work through us to serve the Church and our neighbors? Take some time this week to pray and discern: What are the gifts the Holy Spirit has given me? How can I use these gifts to serve others and glorify God?

Perhaps you have the gift of teaching and could assist in our faith formation programs, or the gift of encouragement and could join our outreach to the homebound. Maybe you feel called to share your time and talent in liturgical ministries, social justice efforts, or simply by being a listening ear to those in need. Whatever your gifts may be, know that the Spirit will guide you to where you are needed most.

Let us ask the Lord to open our hearts to recognize His gifts and to inspire us to use them boldly in service to one another. Together, as one body in Christ, we can accomplish great things through the power of the Holy Spirit.

Deacon Jay VanHoosier



In Heartfelt Sympathy—We extend our prayers to the family of our parishioner William "Bill" Elder who died on Tuesday, January 14th. Bill's Funeral was held here on January 20th at Precious Blood Church. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.



The Precious Blood 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Reverse Raffle and Steak Dinner will be held on Saturday, March 8, 2025 in the Parish Hall! Tickets are \$75 each and include a steak dinner, open bar and a chance to win \$5000.00!!!! ONLY 220 tickets will be sold!! Tickets will be sold after all of the masses on the weekend starting January 25<sup>th</sup>!! These tickets will sell quickly!!!! If you want tickets, please buy them early before the sell out!! The parish office will have some tickets, or call

### CHURCH CLEANERS FOR JANUARY

1/27 Kathy Hayden / Nancy Boyle



**LIFE-GIVING**  
*Wounds*

HEALING RETREAT FOR  
*Adult Children of Divorce*  
MARCH 14 - 16, 2025

**REGISTRATION  
NOW OPEN!**



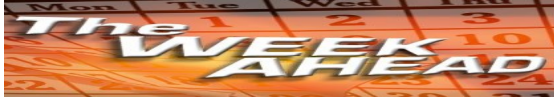
Learn more and register here

**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 contact the Commonwealth Attorney's 270-685-8429; local law enforcement at 270 -687-8888 OPD or Daviess County Sherriff's Dept at 270-685-8444; 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 Assistance Coordinator 270-852-8380.



*Thank You for joining in the time-honored tradition of adorning our beautiful church by making a total donation of \$1473 in memory or honor of a loved one or in thanksgiving for God's blessings.*

Walter and Lois Arnold  
Joseph and Mildred Augustine  
Howard Bartlett  
Rosie Sims Bartlett  
Beldoth Family  
Dennis Blair  
Chris and David Boarman  
Otis and Francis Boswell  
Fr. Ed Bradley  
WC and Juanita Bradshaw  
Rob Brown  
Pat Bumm  
Clinton and Hazel Carr  
Andrew Cooper Cecil  
Frankie and Jimmy Cecil  
Jeffrey Scott Cecil  
Keith Joseph Cecil  
Louis and Liz Cecil  
Randall Louis Cecil  
Joe and Frances Chapman  
Jim Clark  
Todd Clark  
Earl and Betty Claycomb  
Earlene Claycomb  
Clouse Brothers  
Rudy and Mary A. Clouse  
Paul Randall Coomes  
Clay Davis  
Logan Davis  
Logan Davis  
Devins Family  
Joseph DiProssimo  
Charles L. Ebelhar  
Anthony Dickens Ezell  
Thomas and Leigh Flood  
Steve Fogle  
Robert A. Ford  
Evelyn Fulkerson  
Franklin Fulkerson  
William and Mary Jo Fulkerson  
Donna Fuller  
Wanda Girtin  
Maxine Graves  
Edith and Edgar Greenlee  
Alma Haire  
Catherine Hamill  
Earl Hayden  
Nicky Hayden  
Mike Head  
Helen Howard  
Steve Johnson  
Justin Kassinger  
Knight and Wahl Families  
George Levy Lanham III  
James McCarter  
Gerald and Helen McCarty  
Gene McDaniel  
Robby McIntosh  
Shirley Merimee  
Austin Millay  
Harold and Corrine Mills  
Robert and Frances O'Bryan Sr.  
John and Clara Patton  
Janice Pike  
Ralph Ramirez  
Timothy Rodman Riney  
Gene Roberts  
Clyde Robinson  
Wanda Russelburg  
David Sapp  
Debbie Sapp  
Margaret and William Sapp, Sr.  
Milan and Frances Sarchet  
Johnny Sims  
Mary J. and John M. Sims Sr.  
Tony Skinner  
Clarence and Anna Belle Stites  
Ann and Eugene Sullivan  
David Sullivan  
Judy Sullivan  
Billy Taylor  
James and Bessie Taylor  
Anthony and Carmella Telli  
Dan, Martha and Joey Thompson  
Hayden Thompson  
Mike Thompson  
Brent Trogden  
Joe, Sheen, Jude, Randy, Monk and Helen Trogden  
Tracy Trogden  
Carol Wathen  
Mannie Wathen  
Pat and Birdie Wedding  
Paul Westerfield  
Joyce and Bernard Wimsatt



**Monday, Jan. 27th**

**SVDP - 9-11am**  
**No Mass**

**Tuesday, Jan. 28th**

**7am Mass**  
**9:00am Communion to the homebound**  
**10am Staff Meeting**  
**Pastoral Council meeting 6pm**

**Wednesday, Jan. 29th**

**Extended Adoration 9:00am-9:00pm**  
**5pm Confessions**  
**6pm Mass**  
**6:45pm Religious Ed**  
**6:45pm Choir Practice**

**Thursday, Jan. 30th**

**7am-Mass**

**Friday, Jan. 31st**

**12pm-Mass**

**Saturday, Feb. 1st**

**5pm-Mass with Confessions at 4pm**

**Sunday Feb. 2nd**

**8:00am & 10:30am-Mass**  
**Youth Night 4-6pm**

**ANNIVERSARIES**

*Please pray for all the married couples in  
our Parish*



**BIRTHDAYS:**

1/29 Jami Johnson, Luke May, Larry Mullen,  
Miller Sturgeon  
1/30 Anne Alexander, Tony Gilmore, Vickie  
Payne  
1/31 Donald Jones  
2/01 Sandra Posey  
2/02 Mathew Durbin, Gerald Goetz, Coen  
Mejia

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**Catholic Schools Week is  
January 26-31, 2025!**

Owensboro Catholic Schools This year's theme,  
"Catholic Schools: United in Faith and Communi-  
ty," celebrates the mission of Catholic schools to  
nurture the whole child—academically, spiritual-  
ly, and through acts of service.

Join us in praying for our Catholic schools, their  
students, teachers, and staff. Let's celebrate their  
dedication to fostering faith, learning, and love in  
our communities!