



PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

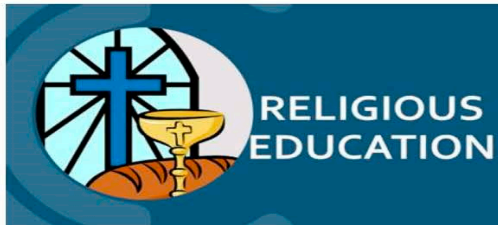
SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2024



Sacramental Preparation Parish Formation Sessions

First Communion – September 8
Confirmation – September 15
9:15-10:15AM in Parish Hall

Contact Helen Bennett @ 270-315-4331



Month	Day	
September	11	Welcome/Registration/Orientation
	18	Pizza/Birthdays/Feeding the hungry
	25	Prayer & Practice (Activity and connect prayer to Scripture)
October	2	Feed the Hungry Scripture/Prayer Lunch
	9	Bags for Confirmation Service Project
		Fall Break - no class

WHEN I AM WEAK,
THEN I AM STRONG



Exploring our resilience in Christ.

CATECHISTS' RETREAT *for Religious Ed & Children's Liturgy Ministries*

**Led by: MARYANN JOYCE,
SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR**

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

Beginning at 8AM with MASS followed by Reconciliation. 9:30AM Program in Sr. Rosanne Room followed by lunch.



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: SEPT. 3RD-SEPT. 8TH

Tues. 7:00a.m. Steve Fogle ✕
 Wed 6:00p.m. Ralph Ramirez ✕
 Thurs 7:00a.m. Becky Stallings Slygh ✕
 Fri 12 :00p.m. Austin Millay ✕
 Sat 5:00p.m. Bob Bowers ✕
 Sun 8:00a.m. OUR PARISH FAMILY
 10:30a.m. All Grandparents Raising Grandchildren

STEWARDSHIP NOT AVAILABLE AT TIME OF PRINT

Are you seeking to be a better steward in your life? Do you want to pray about stewardship in your life?

A balanced Christian view on stewardship is one that recognizes that God is the ultimate owner of all things, and that we are simply His stewards. We are called to use the resources that God has entrusted to us in a way that glorifies Him and benefits others. This includes our time, our talents, our money, and our natural resources.

PRAYER requests

Katie Basham, Jamie Berry, Nelda Bickwermert, Kay Berry, Louis Beldotti, Glen Bickwermert, Marvin & Mary Ann 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, Dot Hodges Bob Holt, Heather Hudson, Willie Hudson, Lenox Hughes, Robert Jackson, June Johnson, Linda Jollay, Elaine Johnson, Robert Johnson's mother, Randall Jones, Deanna Kaminski, Kenny Kelley, Ruth and Kenny Kelly's daughter, Mary Kittinger, Francie Lanham, Janet Lawrence, Bailey Lindsey, Theresa Lowe, Donna Mason, Evelyn Mattingly, 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 brother, Mary Murphy, Karen Osborne's mother, Janie Payne, Mary Edna Payne, Phil Phelps, Sandra Posey, Tony Powers, Shirley Ralph, Michael Roach, Doris Schrecker, Tommy Schwartz, Mike Sims, Bob Slack, Ed Sullivan's brother, Lillian Taylor, Eugene and June Thompsons 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

Ministry	September 7, 5:00 PM	September 8, 8:00 AM	September 8, 10:30 AM
Ushers	#1 - Deanna Newton Stefamie Oller Tucker Olloer Addison Oller	#1 - Jennifer Murphy Karen Hayden Scott Hayden Laura Lashbrook	#1 - Charles Posey Sandra Posey Joe Bittel Charlie Johnson
Eucharistic Min. (EM's designated #1 and #2 are responsible for cleaning the sacred vessels after mass.)	#1 - Kristy Fulkerson #2 - John Fulkerson Amanda Murphy Michael Murphy Vickie Osborne Jeanie Wahl Deacon Jay VanHoosier	#1 - Matthew McCarty #2 - Kellye Pannell Deacon Jay VanHoosier	#1 - Theresa Skaggs #2 - Tim Molnar Matthew Molnar Mike Joyce Bob Wimsatt Lisa Wimsatt Deacon Jay VanHoosier
Servers	Mady Murphy Elly Murphy	Steve Collignon	Dominic Mills Sofia Wimsatt Izabella Rogers
Lector #1	Chrissy Axley	Jeanette Ebelhar	Angela Mills
Lector #2	Dianne Kelly	Jeff Danhauer	Bill Mills
Gift Bearers	Ashley Fulkerson Family	Gary & Stephanie Millay	Bobby & Elaine Johnson
Vocation Statue	Lora McCarty	Laura Lashbrook	Marcia Millay
Sacristan	Janie Howard	Jeanette Ebelhar	Tom Peak
Rosary Leader	Shirley Ralph	Joyce Riney	Andrea Finley
Children's Liturgy	Hannah McCarthy		Leslie Clark

Altar Server Training

We are so thankful for our Altar Servers who help us celebrate Mass week in and week out here at Precious Blood. Beauty is in the details, right? Therefore, please join us for one of the Altar Server Training opportunities in September.

If your child cannot attend, please schedule an alternate training date with Morgan Brown (270-302-2672).

Tuesday, September 3rd 6pm – 7:30pm

Those **interested** in Altar Serving. This will be an introductory to the beauty of altar serving and an opportunity to sign up to **begin** serving at Mass.

Saturday, September 9th 9am – 11am

This training is for **existing** servers. We will review all server duties, focus in on improvements we can make, and gather over food and fellowship with Father Carl!



RESTARTING OUR NURSING HOME EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY

One of the synagogue officials, named Jairus, came forward. Seeing Jesus, he fell at his feet and pleaded earnestly with him, saying, "My daughter is at the point of death. Please, come lay your hands on her that she may get well and live." He went off with him and a large crowd followed him and pressed upon him.
(Mark 5:22-24)

We are excited to announce that Precious Blood has restarted our nursing home Eucharistic Ministry that was stopped during the pandemic. We will visit Davco Rest Home, Twin Rivers (formerly Bon Harbor), and Chautauqua. This ministry can be done on the weekend. Please prayerfully consider volunteering for this opportunity to emulate Jairus and bring Jesus to others. Call/text- Christine Stanfel 270-313-6531.



Catholic Charities of Owensboro offers a unique counseling assistance program called CAP (Counseling Assistance Program). Through CAP, Catholic Charities collaborates with several counselors across western Kentucky who offer their services at a reduced rate for parishioners of the Diocese of Owensboro.

Catholic Charities and many parishes supplement this discounted rate for up to 6 counseling sessions. Each therapist in the CAP program agrees to practice within the teachings of the Catholic Church and is qualified to offer counseling for individuals, couples, and family issues.

HERE'S HOW CAP WORKS:

If a parishioner cannot bill insurance or Medicare, they can simply contact a counselor from the list below and present a proof of parish membership to be eligible for CAP. (For example, a parish directory photo, tithing envelope, etc). The counselor submits a form to Catholic Charities, and Catholic Charities then requests reimbursement from the parish. The fee is usually split equally between the client, Catholic Charities, and the parish.

***Confidentiality is assured.

CAP is structured to provide parishioners with short-term counseling. If extended treatment is needed, counselors will provide an assessment and referral to appropriate mental health resources. If you have further questions, please contact Aimee Greer at 270-683-1545.

The Journey

Young Adult Hiking Retreat
2 NIGHTS/2 DAYS/23 MILES
Friday Evening-Sunday Afternoon
The North Trail at Land Between the Lakes

2024-2025 Dates
Oct. 18-20, 2024
March 28-30, 2025

Office of Young Adult Ministry
DIOCESE OF OWENSBORO

*"Solvitur Ambulando
in walking, it is solved."*
ST. AUGUSTINE

FAMILY & SOCIAL LIFE EVENTS

SEPTEMBER-JANUARY

September 22nd - 64th Parish Anniversary Celebration 4-6PM

October 27th - Trunk or Treat 2-4PM

November 2nd - Milestone Anniversary Mass at 5PM, Dinner at 6PM

November 17th - Over 80's Lunch at Noon (DATE CORRECTION)

December 10th - Volunteer Appreciation Dinner 5:30PM

January 5 - Epiphany Rectory Open House - After 5PM Mass

January 6 - Epiphany Rectory Open House 2-4PM



ATTENTION ALL TEENAGERS WHO RECENTLY RECEIVED THEIR DRIVER'S LICENSES AND ARE DRIVING FOR THE 1ST

TIME – If you are a teenager who recently received their driver's license and began driving for the first time, we encourage you to let our pastor, Fr. Carl McCarthy, know. He will invite you to bring your new driver's license and car keys, if you have a car, to the Altar in our church so they can be blessed. This blessing will celebrate this rite of passage and invoke God's protection around your car and all of those on our roads and highways.



Please take note of our new staff emails below!

PASTORAL TEAM

PASTOR: Fr. Carl McCarthy
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MAINTENANCE: Ed Sullivan
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Knight's to Host Parish Yard Sale

The Bishop Soenneker Knights of Columbus Council will host our First Annual Yard Sale 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, September 21st at Precious Blood (rain or shine).

The Knights will donate 50% of all proceeds to Precious Blood Church.

If you have items that you would like to donate to the yard sale, please contact one of the following Knights to arrange a pick-up or drop-off at the church: Ed Sullivan 270-570-3192, Mike Howard 270-313-8906, or Mike Joyce 812-499-2794. If there is no answer, please leave a message and we will call you back.

Hope to see you on the 21st!

YARD SALE

CHURCH CLEANING FOR SEPTEMBER:

9/2 Kathy Carr/ Laura Langdon
9/5 Carol Riney/Janie Howard
9/16 Meagan Moss /Janet Lawrence
9/23 Louis Clements/ Joni Blaire
9/30 Nancy Boyle/ Kathy Hayden



PARISH MISSION

We will be hosting a September Parish Mission, Sunday, September 29th, Monday, September 30, and Tuesday, October 1, featuring

Father William Garrett, OP. Each evening will be at 6pm

The title of our Mission is: *Trifecta Of Devine Mercy*



Monday, Monday Sept. 2nd—Labor Day
No Mass *Office Closed*

Tuesday, Sept. 3rd— 7am -Mass

Wednesday, Sept. 4th

9am- Communion to the homebound

10am Staff Meeting

5pm Adoration

5:00pm Confession

6pm-Mass

6:45pm Choir Practice

Thursday, Sept. 5th - 7:00am Mass

6pm New Parishioner Dinner Parish Hall

Friday, Sept. 6th— 12pm-Mass

Saturday, Sept. 7th—5:00pm-Mass with
Confessions at 4pm

Sunday, Sept. 8th— 8:00 & 10:30am-Mass

Faith Formation Sessions :

First Communion 9:15-10:15 Parish Hall

Happy Anniversary

9/03 Arlando & Jami Johnson (20)

9/06 William & Susan Wedding (55)

9/08 Chad & Samantha Burcham (17)

Pray for these , and all the married couples in our Parish



09/02 Catie Bailey, Whitney Franklin, Ace Wimsatt,
Caleb Wimsatt

09/03 Rita Cecil, Holly Ebelhar, Michael Murphy,
Janice Reynolds, Dorothy Wathen

9/04 Natalie Goodwin, Judy Hoffman, Stephen
McCarty, Lilee Nicky McFadden

9/05 Tom Millay

9/06 Melissa Connor, Shirley Ellis,

9/07 Gavan Ebelhar, Rhonda Logsdon, Barbara Mur-
phy

9/08 Melissa Daugherty, Rita Jacobs, Susan Jones,
Kristie Meserve

**COME DEEPEN
YOUR FAITH**



**PRECIOUS BLOOD
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Whether you are a practicing Catholic looking to deepen your understanding of the faith or someone from another faith tradition—or perhaps no formal religious background at all—who is curious about the teachings of the Catholic Church, we warmly invite you to join our upcoming OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) sessions. The OCIA is a welcoming and supportive program designed to explore the richness of the Catholic faith, answer your questions, and guide those who are considering becoming Catholic. It's a wonderful opportunity to learn, grow, and share in the love of Christ with others who are on a similar journey. Our sessions will be held on every other Tuesday at 6:00 pm in the Sr. Rosanne Room. Our next session is September 3 and the topic is the Trinity. No commitment is required to attend these sessions—just an open heart and a willingness to explore. We encourage everyone, whether you are baptized or not, whether you have been away from the Church or have always been with us, to come and see what the Lord may have in store for you. For more information, or to sign up, please contact **Dcn. Jay** through the parish office.