



# PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHOLIC CHURCH

3306 Fenmore Street, Owensboro, KY 42301

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*Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*September 17th , 2023*

Our Mission: We are a Catholic Community of Faith, called to be Jesus to all people, Striving to live the message through the Eucharist and the sharing of our time, talent and treasurer.



**Congratulations to Vickie Payne, who received this years Sophia award. Her many works and talents do not go unnoticed at Precious Blood. Let the kindness of the Lord our God be over us. Make the work of our hands last! Psalm 90:17**

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### WE WELCOME YOU

Whether you are a first-time visitor or returning parishioner, we are glad you are here! To learn more about Precious Blood, contact the Parish Office. Welcome Packets with registration forms are available at both of the church entrances. Welcome to our parish family!

### MASS INTENTIONS:

|            |                           |
|------------|---------------------------|
| Monday,    | September 18th            |
| No Mass    |                           |
| Tuesday,   | September 19th            |
| 7:00 AM    | Fr. Richard Powers †      |
| Wednesday, | September 20th            |
| 6:00 PM    | Kenny Velotta †           |
| Thursday   | September 21st            |
| 7:00 AM    | Jennifer Quinn †          |
| Friday     | September 22nd            |
| 12:00 PM   | Austin Millay †           |
| Saturday   | September 23rd            |
| 5:00 PM    | Earl Hayden †             |
| Sunday     | September 24th            |
| 8:00 AM    | Our Precious Blood Family |
| 10:30 AM   | Judy Sullivan †           |



Please pray for our Military. Especially, Dalton Devine who is currently active duty.

## PRAYER requests

Katie Basham, Jamie Berry, Nelda Bickwermert, Kay Berry, Louis Beldotti, Larry Boswell, Christine Brown, Shirley Brown, Phil Carr, Mary June Cecil, Joseph Paul Clements, Tony Clayton, Rachel Ann Cline, Darrell Connor, Guy Connor, Goretti Coomes, Carolyn Crowds, Rosa Cruz, Bill Elder, Tim & Maude Fornes, Jesse Fulkerson, Angela Gentry, Randy Gilles wife Alicia Gilles, Terri Girten, Harold Hall, Tonya Hamilton's friend, Mary Hartz, Adriana Hentz, Marie Hester, Bob Holt, Heather Hudson, Willie Hudson, Lenox Hughes, Robert Jackson, June Johnson, Linda Jollay, Robert Johnson's mother, Randall Jones, Deanna Kaminski, Martha Kamuf, 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, 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, Sandra Posey, Tony Powers, Shirley Ralph, Michael Roach, Doris Schrecker, Bob Slack, Ed Sullivan's brother, Lillian Taylor, Eugene and June Thompsons daughter Debra Peach, Steve Tuttle, Joey Westerfield, Dorothy Wathen and her daughter, and Kirsten Wood.

**ASSISTED LIVING:** Nancy Best, Clara Gilles, Marie Hester, Doug Howard and Lois Sims

| Ministry                       | September 23, 5:00 PM   | September 24, 8:00 AM   | September 24, 10:30 AM                        |
|--------------------------------|---|---|---|
| <b>Ushers</b>                  | #1 - Juanita Cruz<br>Justino Cruz<br>Addison Oller<br>Donna Osborne   | #1 - Monti Millay<br>Eddie Millay<br>Diann Shock<br>Laura Lashbrook | <b>Youth Mass</b>                             |
| <b>Communion</b>               | #1 - Bruce Tucker<br>Amanda Murphy<br>Michael Murphy<br>Sharon Tucker<br>Vickie Osborner<br>John Fulkerson<br>Deacon Jay VanHoosier | #1 - Kellye Halliman<br>Jennifer Murphy<br>Tony Gilmore             | <b>Youth Mass</b>                             |
| <b>Servers</b>                 | Tucker Oller<br>Triston Logsdon   | Ava Calvin  | Connor Johnson<br>Chloe Millay<br>Eli Wimsatt |
| <b>Lector #1<br/>Lector #2</b> | Stefanie Oller<br>Bobby Lomax   | Jeff Danhauer<br>Jeanette Ebelhar                                   | <b>Youth Mass</b>                             |
| <b>Gift Bearers</b>            | Shirley Basham Family   | Michael & Gerri Thompson  | andrew Johnson Family                         |
| <b>Vocation Statue</b>         | Bill & Susan Wedding  | Carla King  | Bobby & Elaine Johnson                        |
| <b>Sacristan</b>               | Janie Howard  | Jeanette Ebelhar  | Sandra Midkiff                                |
| <b>Rosary Leader</b>           | Deacon Jay VanHoosier   | Andrea Finley   | Mary June Cecil                               |
| <b>Children's Liturgy</b>      | Rachel Taylor   |   | Morgan Brown                                  |



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## Religious Education

Sept. 6th Religious Ed Kick Off Gathering was well attended! Kinsley shared her talent and passion for crocheting with her classmates. We played games and enjoyed treats while getting to know new faces and names!

It's not too late to register and join us for a Faith/Fun-filled year.

Thanks to all our catechists and helpers!

## Sacramental Preparation:

We begin First Holy Communion and Confirmation Formation this month.

Sept. 17 – Confirmation

The Formation sessions are 9:15AM-10:15AM. We will meet in the Parish Hall.

Please reach out to me directly if you have any questions or would like to participate in any way.

Counting my blessings,

Helen - DRE



## Upcoming Events for Youth

Holy Fire Nashville  
Saturday, October 21, 2023  
Middle School Youth



At Holy Fire, middle school Catholics are invited and challenged to embrace their baptismal call and the powerful, relevant gospel of Jesus. Through talks by dynamic speakers, witness by peers, inspirational praise and worship, and rich experiences of the Sacraments, Holy Fire helps young people feel seen, welcomed, and invited into a life changing commitment to Christ.



GASPER RIVER CATHOLIC YOUTH CAMP & RETREAT CENTER  
**CHRISTMAS CAMP**  
GRADES 8-12  
DECEMBER 29-JANUARY 1  
REGISTER ONLINE AT  
GASPERRIVERRETREATCENTER.ORG

**SAVE THE DATE:  
SEPTEMBER 24TH,  
4:00PM**

- **Precious Blood** will be hosting our 63rd Parish Anniversary Picnic.
- Please call the Parish Office if you plan to Attend 270-684-6888



**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

|                                      |            |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| Weekly Budget to meet expenses       | 9,400.00   |
| September 3, 2023 Contribution       | 9,940.25   |
| September 10, 2023                   | 7,976.91   |
| Under/over this week                 | -1423.09   |
| Online donation July/August          | 9,689.35   |
| under/over (July 1,2023 to present ) | - 2,369.75 |
| Building /Reno fund                  |            |
| September 3, 10, 2023                | 260.00     |
| Total Parish Renovation fund         | 52,500.38  |

| <b>INCOME</b>                |                       |                       |                     |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
|                              | July 2022 - June 2023 | July 2022 - June 2023 |                     |
|                              | <b>Actual</b>         | <b>Budget</b>         | <b>Over/Short</b>   |
| <b>Collections</b>           | \$524,736.00          | \$473,200.00          | \$51,536.00         |
| Parish Building Fund         | \$34,676.18           | \$30,000.00           | \$4,676.18          |
| Interest/Fees/Other Income   | \$104,973.16          | \$11,000.00           | \$93,973.16         |
| Fundraising - Other          | \$31,865.25           | \$40,000.00           | -\$8,134.75         |
| Fundraising - Raffle         | \$44,845.00           | \$40,000.00           | \$4,845.00          |
| <b>Total Income</b>          | <b>\$741,095.59</b>   | <b>\$594,200.00</b>   | <b>\$146,895.59</b> |
| <b>EXPENSES</b>              |                       |                       |                     |
|                              | July 2022 - June 2023 | July 2022 - June 2023 |                     |
|                              | <b>Actual</b>         | <b>Budget</b>         | <b>Over/Short</b>   |
| Staff Salaries               | \$118,033.24          | \$123,149.00          | \$5,115.76          |
| Staff Benefits               | \$50,188.02           | \$43,588.00           | -\$6,600.02         |
| Property Insurance           | \$21,225.92           | \$20,700.00           | -\$525.92           |
| Utilities                    | \$41,930.78           | \$43,200.00           | \$1,269.22          |
| Repairs/Maint.               | \$76,319.15           | \$34,483.00           | -\$41,836.15        |
| Office supplies              | \$24,286.69           | \$25,320.00           | \$1,033.31          |
| Worship/Ed. Materials        | \$19,282.50           | \$16,100.00           | -\$3,182.50         |
| Misc Outreach                | \$16,637.94           | \$2,000.00            | -\$14,637.94        |
| Fundraising Expense - Other  | \$14,247.01           | \$25,000.00           | \$10,752.99         |
| Fundraising Expense - Raffle | \$25,418.53           | \$25,000.00           | -\$418.53           |
| Schools Assessment           | \$180,822.12          | \$180,822.00          | -\$0.12             |
| Diocesan Assessment          | \$54,838.08           | \$54,838.00           | -\$0.08             |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>        | <b>\$643,229.98</b>   | <b>\$594,200.00</b>   | <b>-\$49,029.98</b> |
| <b>Income minus Expenses</b> | <b>\$97,865.61</b>    | <b>\$0.00</b>         | <b>\$97,865.61</b>  |



A very special thank you to all that helped me celebrate my big 40th birthday!

Many Blessings,

Fr. Suneesh

***Church Cleaning this week:***

9/18 Michael & Judy McGuinn

9/25 Nancy Boyle, Joni Blaire

*Thank you to our volunteers!*



**Eucharistic and Lector Training Dates**

Training for Lectors will be provided after all masses the weekend of October 21st and 22nd. All current and new lectors should plan to attend.

Training for Eucharistic ministers will be provided after all masses the weekend of October 28th and 29th. all current and new Eucharistic ministers should plan to attend.

*Those who  
walk with God,  
always reach their destination*

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**LOOKING AHEAD**

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Mass 7:00 am

**Wednesday, September 20th**

Communion to the homebound 9:00am

Eucharistic Adoration 5:00 to 5:45pm

Confession 5-5:45pm

Mass 6:00pm

Religious Ed 6:45-7:45

**Thursday, September 21st** Mass 7:00am

**Friday, September 22nd** Mass 12:00pm

**Saturday, September 23rd** Mass 5pm

Confessions 4pm to 4:45pm

**Sunday, September 24th** Mass 8:00 & 10:30am

*Have a Beautiful Sunday*

HAPPY  
**Birthday!**

9/18 Tonya Hamilton

9/19 Blaze Dill, Bill Elder, Rachel Parsons

9/20 Lorelei Dickens, Dale Meserve, Lynda Trogden

9/21 Shelby Sparks

9/22 Kendra Brown

9/23 Betty Barr, Lilian Brown, Weston Brown, Ryan Cates,  
Blake Coomes

9/23 Sophia Moss

9/24 Carmen Cruz



**Holy Face Gospel Encounter Group**

Who is Jesus to you? A picture or a statue? Is He flesh and blood to you?

We are a group who gather to meditate on the Gospels, to develop a personal relationship with the Living Word Himself.

To share our experience of the Word, to apply it in a concrete way to our daily lives, and to provide spiritual support to one another.

In short, to "know" Jesus intimately through prayer according to Catholic Tradition and the Doctors of the Church.

Interested? Contact Judy 719-289-4722 or [315es-ther@protonmail.com](mailto:315es-ther@protonmail.com)

"Come and see."

*Happy Anniversary*

9/18 Stephen & Whitney Franklin (13)

9/19 Terry & Jeanie Wahl (36)

***Please pray for these couples, and all of the married couples in our Parish.***

**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 Sheriff'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

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