



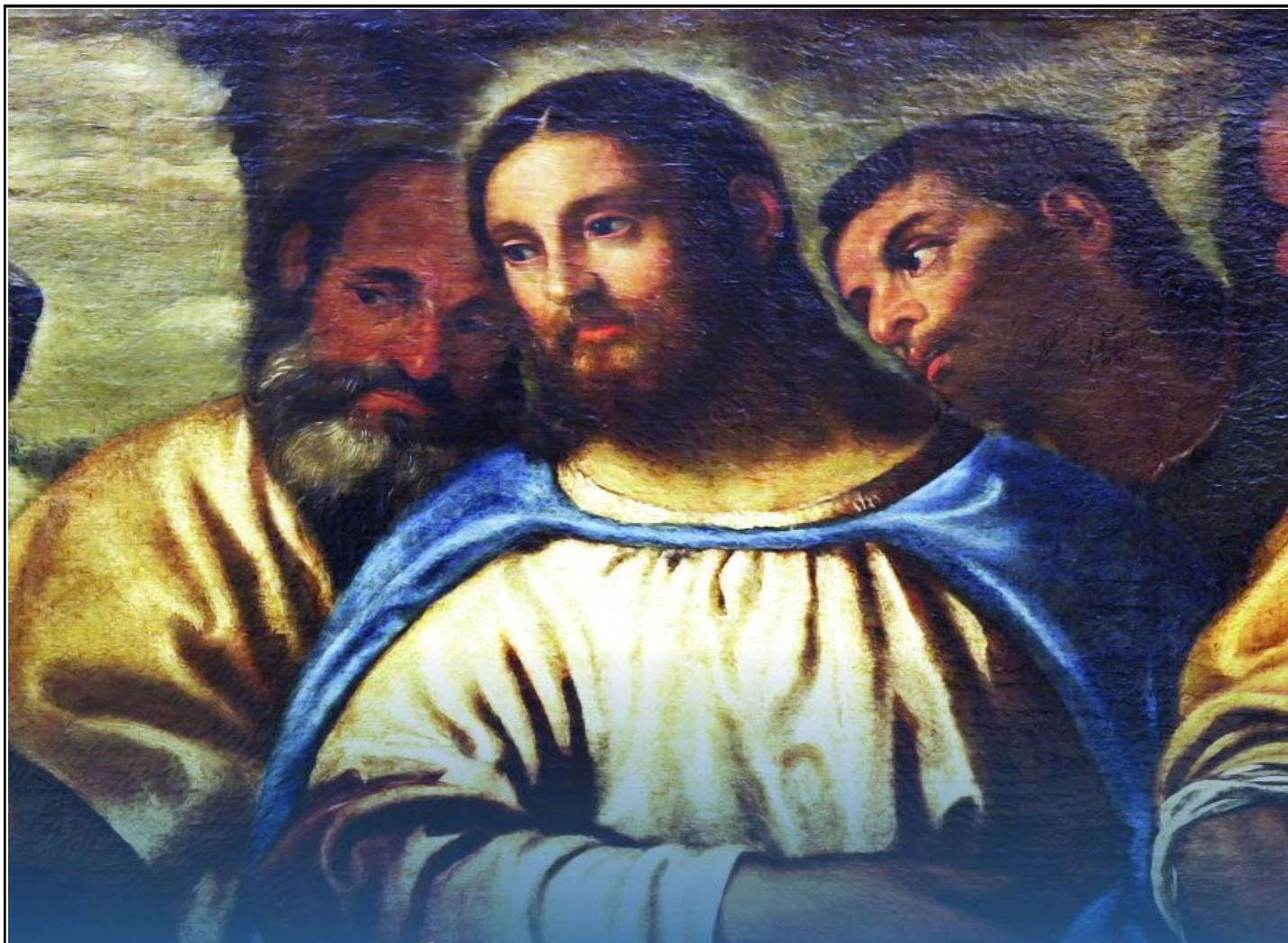
PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Twenty second Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 3rd , 2023



22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person; but the things that come out from within are what defile.” - Mk 7:15

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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, 8:00 AM	September 4th Mike Thompson †
Tuesday, 7:00 AM	September 5th Steve Fogle †
Wednesday, 6:00 PM	September 6th Vickie Belcher †
Thursday 7:00 AM	September 7th Gene Roberts †
Friday 12:00 PM	September 8th Tony Payne Family
Saturday 5:00 PM	September 9th Louis Cecil †
Sunday 8:00 AM	September 10th Our Precious Blood Family
10:30 AM	Betty Lynn VanHoosier †



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

PRAYER requests

Katie Basham, Jamie Berry, Nelda Bickwermer, 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 9, 5:00 PM	September 10, 8:00 AM	September 10, 10:30 AM
Ushers	#1 - Larry Abel Sheila Abel Joe Newton Larry Mullen	#1 - Jeanette Goodwin Cheryl Gabbert Diann Shock Jennifer Murphy	#1 - Michael Ebelhar Carrie Ebelhar Carson Ebelhar Alexis Ebelhar
Communion	#1 - John Fulkerson Kristy Fulkerson Sam Fulkerson Michael Murphy Amanda Murphy Norma Moss Deacon Jay VanHoosier	#1 - Taylor Sturgeon Jennifer Ebelhar Deacon Jay VanHoosier	#1 - Tom Peak Lisa Wimsatt Kristen Powers Briley Powers Debbie Durbin Tom Durbin Deacon Jay VanHoosier
Servers	Mady Murphy Elly Murphy	Myles Sturgeon	Eli Wimsatt Sofia Wimsatt Mason Clark
Lector #1 Lector #2	Vickie Payne Dianne Kelly	Kim Collignon Steve Collignon	Bob Wimsatt Betty Whitehouse
Gift Bearers	Phillip & Kelly Thompson	Michael & Gerri Thompson	Jeannie Howard / Denise Pace
Vocation Statue	Bruce & Sharon Tucker	Bill & June Johnson	Brian & Melissa Huebel
Sacristan	Chrissy Axley	Jeanette Ebelhar	Susie Westerfield
Rosary Leader	Deacon Jay VanHoosier	Deacon Jay VanHoosier	Betty Whitehouse
Children's Liturgy	Rachel Taylor		Leslie Clark

Pastor's Corner

Time Talent Treasure: I want to thank everyone who brought back their time talent treasure sheet. So far we only have 95 families brought back their time talent sheet out of 353 families. When we get involved in the Church we feel belong to that parish. We want everyone of our parishioners to be active parishioners and not passive. So please take some time and go through the time talent sheet and see where you can get involved. If you need an extra time talent sheet it is in the vestibule of the Church.

Waddling ducks: Soren Kierkegaard, the Danish philosopher, once told about a make-believe country where only ducks lived. On Sunday morning all the ducks came into Church, waddled down the aisle, waddled into their pews and squatted. Then the duck minister came in, took his place behind the pulpit, opened the Duck Bible and read, "Ducks! You have wings, and with wings you can fly like eagles. You can soar into the skies! Ducks! You have wings!" All the ducks yelled, "Amen!" and then they all waddled home. No one flew or even tried. There's just too much truth to that little fable. All of us have different gifts and talents and it is unique to each of us. We have to use our God-given talents and blessings for us and for the welfare of others, thus glorifying God and becoming eligible for our eternal reward.

The Nativity of Blessed Virgin Mary: September 8th Church celebrates the birthday of our Lady. The Church celebrates only three persons birthday in the church and they are Jesus, Mary and St John the Baptist. Born a great saint, her "soul was the most beautiful" ever created by God, exults St Alphonsus De Liguori. He adds, 'Having been destined to become the Mother of the Eternal Word, this Child was enriched with so great a grace that even at the moment of her Immaculate conception she exceeded all the Saints and Angels in sanctity, for she was given a higher order of grace, which corresponded to her dignity of Mother of God. Mary is the joy of the Father who was delighted with her, His marvelous masterpiece. Mary is the joy of the Son who contemplated in her the tabernacle wherein He was to take flesh in order to save the world unto the Father. Scripturally, there is no certainty as to the birthplace of Mary, however tradition positions it in Jerusalem. Let us always know that we have a mother in heaven who intercedes for us always to her son Jesus.

St. Teresa of Calcutta. Agnes Gonzha Bojaxhiu was born on 27th August 1910 in Yugoslavia. At the age of 18, having completed her studies, she joined Loreto Abbey in Ireland on 25th September 1928 and took the name "Teresa". In 1929 she was sent to Calcutta, India, where she taught for 16 long years at St Mary's School and mastered the local language. On 10th September 1946 she was travelling by train to Darjeeling (India) for rest and recuperation from a long illness, when she got what she referred to as "the call within the call", to be God's love in action to the poorest of the poor. She realized that she was called "to take care of the sick and the dying, the hungry, the naked, the homeless". Having sought and obtained due permission from her congregation, she abandoned the comfort and security of the Loreto Convent on 16th August 1948 to go out into the world and face harsh realities of the slums of Calcutta. Clad in a coarse blue-bordered white sari, a crucifix pinned at her shoulder, a Bible in hand and with less than Rupees Five in her pocket, but with boundless faith and courage, she set about in right earnest serving Jesus in the Poorest of the poor. She nursed the sick and the dying with the utmost tender care and lovingly cleansing their maggot-infested wounds, washing their naked bodies, cradled them into the Lord's peace the way only someone divinely possessed could. In time, the life of this "Saint of the Gutters" as she came to be known, inspired her Sisters and Brothers to live frugal but disciplined lives like her, voluntarily foregoing all kinds of modern day comfort and recreation. In time, Mother Teresa came to be bestowed with innumerable awards in recognition of her work, the most notable being the Nobel Peace Prize and the Bharat Ratna (The highest award in India). Mother Teresa died on September 5th 1997 and was beatified on October 19th 2003.

Blessings,

Fr. Suneesh Mathew

You Are My Inheritance, O Lord (Psalm 16)



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Weekly Budget to meet expenses	9,400.00
August 27th, 2023 Contribution	6,875.36
Under/over this week	-2,524.64
under/over (July 1,2023 to present)	- 11,176.26
Building /Reno fund	
August 27th, 2023	530.00
Total Parish Renovation fund	52,240.38

September Schedule for Religious Ed

Month	Day	Comments
September	6	First Day-Mass/Welcome Introductions/ Late Registration
	13	Birthdays/Pizza and Cupcake Party Session 1
	20	Session 2
	27	Session 3

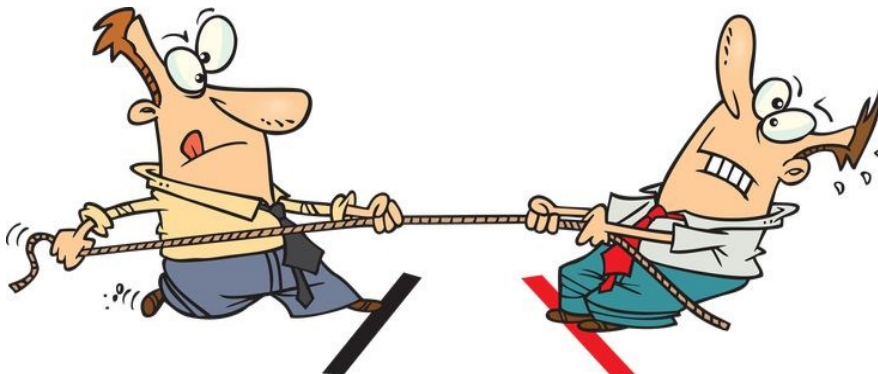
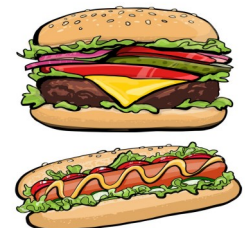


Safe Environment The safety of our children is the responsibility of every Christian. Anyone aware of the abuse of a person under the age of eighteen is required by law to report this to the proper state authorities contact the Commonwealth Attorney's 270-685-8429; local law enforcement at 270 -687-8888 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 Pastoral Assistance Coordinator 270-852-8380.

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



- * Precious Blood will be hosting our 63rd Parish Anniversary Picnic.
- * September 24th at 4pm.
- * Food *Games *Volleyball
- * Tug Of War (for all age groups)
- * Bingo
- * Lots of Laughs and Fellowship.



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LOOKING AHEAD

Monday, September 4th

Labor Day

* Mass: 8am

OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, September 5th

Mass 7:00 am

Wednesday, September 6th

Communion to the homebound 9:00am

Mass 6:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration 5:00 to 5:45pm

Confession 5-5:45pm

Thursday, September 7th Mass 7:00am

Friday, September 8th Mass 12:00pm

Saturday, September 9th Mass 5pm

Confessions 4pm to 4:45pm

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

HAPPY
Birthday!

9/04 Natalie Goodwin, Judy Hoffman, Stephen McCarthy,

Lilee Nicky McFadden

9/06 Melissa Connor, Shirley Ellis

9/07 Gavan Ebelhar, Rhonda Logsdon, Barbara Murphy

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

Kristie Meserve

9/09 Kataleya Adams, Bibby Pinkston

9/10 Abbey Thompson, Eli Zoglmann



Happy Anniversary

9/06 William & Susan Wedding (54)

9/08 Johnathon & Morgan Brown (5)

Chad & Samantha Burcham (16)

9/09 John & Yvonne Rudy (28)

Angie & Dennis Blair (28)

Chris & Emily Ayers (19)

Ross & Kim Hardy (11)

9/10 Paul & Carolyn Dornburg (30)

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



A Word from Ray:

1. **Ushers** - be aware that, as the Diocese asks of us every year, we will be counting the number of persons in attendance at all masses during the month of September. An informational letter will be forthcoming to those of you who are scheduled during September.

2. **All Liturgical Ministers** - I will need to start working on the October - December ministry schedule soon, so I need any and all dates that you will be unavailable. (Due to fall break, sports tournaments, vacations, holidays, health reasons, etc.) I will need this information by **September 10th**.

Thanks, Ray

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