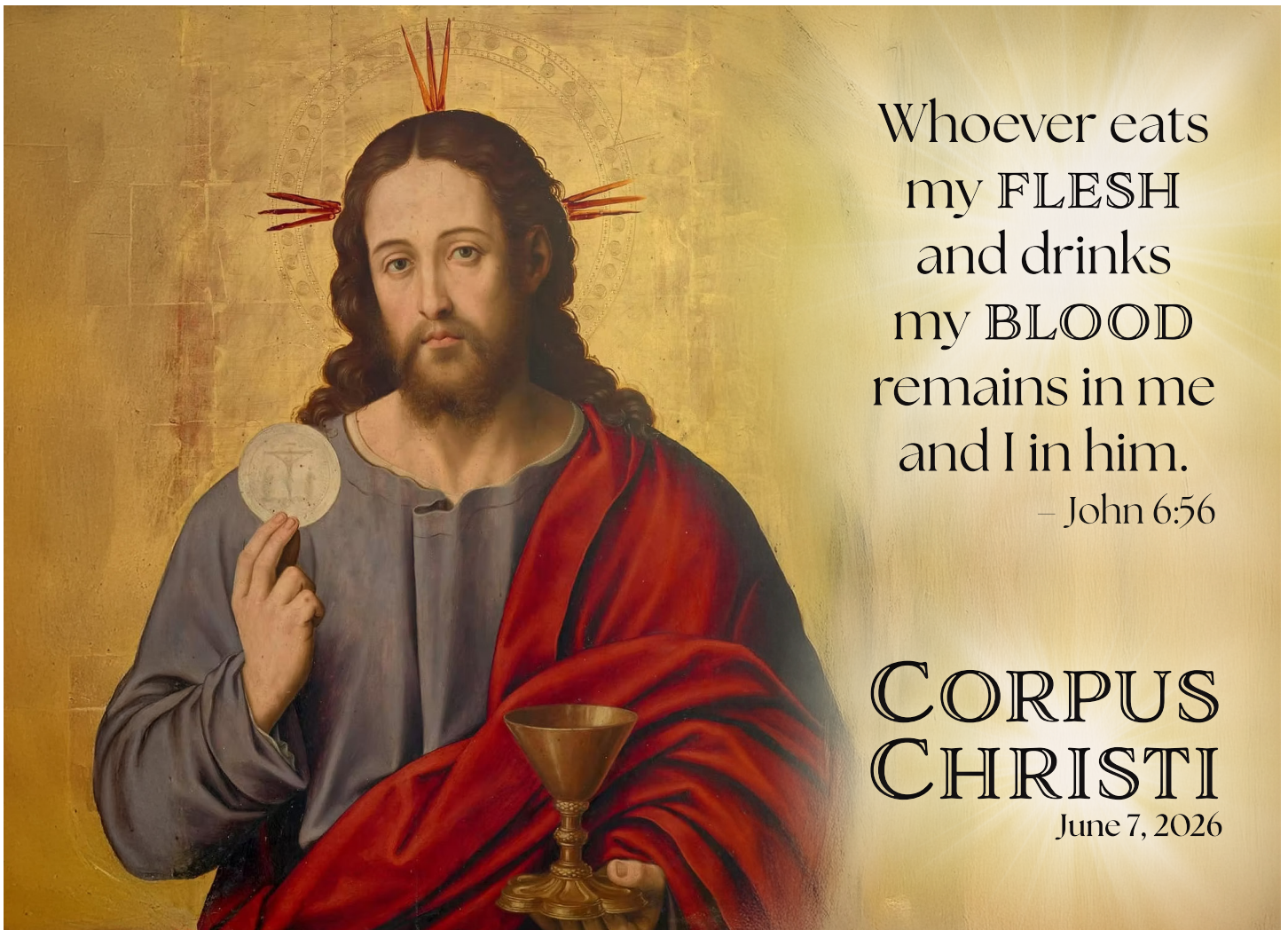




Whoever eats
my FLESH
and drinks
my BLOOD
remains in me
and I in him.

– John 6:56

CORPUS CHRISTI

June 7, 2026

St. Pius X Church

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REV. BAIJU KIDAAGEN, V.C., Pastor
REV. JOHN PAUL, V.C., Parochial Vicar
JIM FEDOR, Deacon
TOM KISSEL, Deacon

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the family of St. Pius X Parish, in union with the Holy Catholic Church seek to become ever more fully a people of God. The mission of St. Pius X Parish is to gather as the body of Christ to worship with one another in prayer, liturgy, and Sacraments; to continually renew our faith as we grow to understand its significance in our daily Christian life; to provide a program of total Catholic education to all members of our parish and community at large; to give of our time, talent, and treasure to benefit our parish, community, diocese and the world; and to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ as Catholic individuals who welcome, support, and love one another with positive attitudes.

CHURCH OFFICE

(859) 341-4900 • FAX (859) 578-8597

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Sunday Masses • Saturday, 4:30 p.m.
Sunday, 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

Holy Day Masses

On the day, 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.
(except Christmas & New Year)

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday, 6:30 a.m. & 8:00 a.m.
Saturday, 8:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Thursday, 7:00 a.m.-8:00 a.m.
Saturday, 3:30 p.m.-4:20 p.m. or by appointment

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Building Maintenance (daytime only)

LEE MAXWELL Ext. 106

NEW PARISHIONERS: To register, call Church Office weekdays between 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Notification prior to leaving parish is appreciated.

BAPTISM: Baptisms are celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of most months. Preparation classes are required and we offer one for new parents, as well as experienced parents. It is recommended that the appropriate class be taken before the birth. To register for the class, please call the church at 341-4900, ext. 201. Parents must be active registered parishioners in the parish in order to have a child baptized here at St. Pius X.

MARRIAGE: Call six months in advance, no date will be set without consulting the parish priest or deacon. At least one party must be registered at St. Pius X.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (Instructions in the Faith): Call Office of Religious Education (Ext. 206).

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Monday, 4:00 p.m.

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ June 7, 2026

SERVICE TIMES & INTENTIONS**Monday, June 8, 2026**

6:30 a.m. Maria Lan & Micae Thinh	Fr. Baiju
8:00 a.m. In Thanksgiving The Vu Family	Fr. John Paul

Tuesday, June 9, 2026

6:30 a.m. Peg Schumacher	Fr. John Paul
8:00 a.m. Chris Wachsmuth	Fr. Baiju

Wednesday, June 10, 2026

6:30 a.m. Stanley Sheft	Fr. Baiju
8:00 a.m. Dan Mayer	Fr. John Paul

Thursday, June 11, 2026

6:30 a.m. Joseph Han	Fr. John Paul
8:00 a.m. Herbert Vaske	Fr. Baiju

Friday, June 12, 2026

6:30 a.m. Edward & Bernice Bitzer	Fr. Baiju
8:00 a.m. The Intentions of Nancy & Wayne Willenbrink – 50th Wedding Anniversary	Fr. John Paul

Saturday, June 13, 2026

8:00 a.m. Joan Doggett	Fr. Baiju
3:30 p.m. Reconciliation	Fr. John Paul
4:30 p.m. Rose Zumbiel	Fr. John Paul

Sunday, June 14, 2026

8:00 a.m. Patricia Schulte	Fr. John Paul
9:30 a.m. Bill McGee	Fr. Baiju
11:30 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. George Fairbanks	Fr. Baiju

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Youth Group meets on the **FIRST** and **THIRD** Sundays of the month after 9:30 a.m. Mass! Youth Group is open to 6th graders and up! Newcomers are ALWAYS welcome to join! If you would like more information, reach out to our Youth Ministry Director, Ashley Marshall, or our DRE, Joanna Tallarigo in the Parish Office. Also, look out for updates on our FACEBOOK page!

STEWARDSHIP AND OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

May 31, 2026 Actual	\$ 19,841.31
May 31, 2026 Goal	\$ 19,600.00
Fiscal Year to Date Actual Thru May 31, 2026	\$ 1,657,069.64
Fiscal Year to Date Goal Thru May 31, 2026	\$ 1,498,050.00
Fiscal Year to Date Goal Surplus/Deficit Thru May 31, 2026	\$ 159,019.64
Social Action for May 2026	\$ 4,308.00
St. Vincent de Paul for May 2026	\$ 3,665.00

Tired of Forgetting Your Church Envelopes? The best way to avoid this hassle is to set up an automatic bill-pay from your bank. All you have to do is make out the payment to St. Pius X and put your envelope number in the memo. The rest is AUTOMATIC!

Are you a member of the St. Pius X Legacy Society? If St. Pius X is in your will or trust, then you are! Please contact Fr. Baiju so he can enter your name into the St. Pius X Legacy Society. If St. Pius X is not in your will or trust, and you would like to become part of the St. Pius X Legacy Society, please contact Fr. Baiju, at 859-341-4900, ext. 212, and he will explain the process to you. You also can visit the St. Pius X website (www.stpiusx.com) and click on the Legacy Society tab for more information.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Doris Beierle, Jim Bischoff, Pat Bischoff, Mike Bramlage, Pam Bussard, Michelle Cobble, John Cocker, Pat Cross, Kathy Danneman, Angela Dattilo, Beverly Draud, Jon Draud, Connie Drews, Rob Feldman, Kim Flesch, Kathy Forrester, Emily Franxman, Sharon Goetz, Janet Harden, Charlie Hayes, Dr. Raymond Hebert, Jim Hengehold, Karen Henson, Pat Holten, Bruce Hummel, Judy Isler, Julie Janszen, Joan Jasper, Aaron Jones, Joseph Kassis, Dan Keller, Antonia Koplyay, Mary Krahe, Linda Lawrence, Kim Lipscomb, Mary Luebbers, Bob Macke, John Matz, Barrett Mershon, Joan Merten, Colleen Michael, Joe N., Rose Mary O'Brien, Joseph & Dolores Oldendick, Deborah Redfield, Kathleen Reynolds, Arlene Riesenberg, Max Rosing, Gary Salmons, Kevin Scheper, Karan Schutt, Lauren Siegrist, Luke Steffen, Michelle Tabben, Lori Taylor, Tom Theobald, Martha Vu, Michael Will, Christopher Zalla

Please pray for all parishioners of St. Pius X who are ill and/or confined to their homes or nursing homes. If anyone you know and love needs a hospital visit or a prayer blanket, please contact the Parish Office.

IN OUR PARISH

In Remembrance: We at St. Pius X extend our sincere prayers and sympathy to family and friends of David Ayres who was buried from our parish recently.

Adoration – Adoration takes place inside St. Pius X Church on Thursdays from 8:30 a.m. through 8:00 p.m. and on the First Friday of each month from Friday, 7:00 p.m., through Saturday, 8:00 a.m. The doors are open to all parishioners to join in prayer during these times. **Adorers Needed:** If you are interested in helping, please contact Terri Neidenbach at 859-341-4900, ext. 201 or tneidenbach@staff.stpiusx.com.

Parish Office Hours – Parish Office hours are 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Monday-Friday.

Holy Items in Parish Office – Fr. Baiju and Fr. John Paul brought beautiful holy items (rosaries, tabletop crosses, keychains, etc.) back from their recent travels in India! They are now being sold in our Parish Office. All items have been blessed and are offered at very affordable rates. If interested, feel free to come take a look Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Diaconate Program – Anyone interested in the Diaconate program, please contact Msgr. Gerald Reinersman at greinersman@covdio.org; Deacon Brian Cox at bcox@covdio.org or 859-392-1568; or Ms. Shannon Barnes at sbarnes@covdio.org or 859-392-1587.

Funeral Planning – If you have an interest in talking with someone regarding Funeral Planning, we are here to help. Feel free to call the Parish Office at 859-341-4900, ext. 201, for more details.

Gift Bearers – If your family is interested in bringing up the gifts at Mass, please visit our church website to sign up. You will find the sign-up link on the top righthand side of the website under the search bar. When you attend Mass, please check in with an usher to let them know you are there.

St. Monica Club – Do you or anyone you know have a child who has left their Catholic faith? Come join the St. Monica Club on the First Thursday of every month at St. Pius Parish. Join us for the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Adoration immediately following with congregation followed by a Rosary with the group. No RSVP required; open to anyone.

Amen App – The Amen App is a free Catholic prayer app that inspires your daily conversation with God through faithful meditations, nourishing Scriptures, and relaxing sleep sounds. From daily Mass readings to the dramatized Bible, from traditional Catholic prayers to sleep stories and meditations, there is something for everyone. This offering is from the Augustine Institute. Get the Amen App for free at amenapp.org/pray or through your device's App Store.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Finance Committee

JAKE BEIL/JOE TALLARIGO

Worship Committee

LARRY BROERING, 426-7327

Charismatic Prayer Community

BRENDA DAULTON, 331-7541

Bereavement Committee

EILEEN SCHROEDER, 341-5843

Funeral Receptions

KAREN LANDWEHR, 859-512-0261

DEBBIE HARDEN, 859-240-8250

Christian Outreach Group

DAN MEIER, 331-9323

Pro-Life Representative

DIANE TUEMLER, 859-380-6435

Board of Total Cath. Ed. (BOTCE)

KEN JUMP

jumpken50@gmail.com

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JOANNA TALLARIGO, 341-4900

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ANGIE JOHNSON, 859-814-1577

St. Vincent de Paul

CAROL HARTLAUB, chart3977@aol.com

513-604-3957

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JASON NORVELL, 310-947-7722

Cub Scouts

CHRIS SANDFOSS, 816-3125

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LARRY BROERING, 426-7327

Youth Ministry

ASHLEY MARSHALL, 859-512-5273

Martha's Cleaning Ministry

MARTHA BARNES, 250-1174

Decorating Team

JIM KRUEER, 859-653-2698

Walking with Purpose

LISA ZALLA

lisazalla.wwp@gmail.com, 859-468-7252

PARISH ATHLETIC PROGRAM

Athletic Association President

DAN HACKMAN, 859-803-6273

Boys Basketball

JOHN HOLTZAPFEL, 859-803-2325

Girls Basketball

JOHN HOLTZAPFEL, 859-803-2325

Girls Volleyball

MARY MCCULLOUGH, 859-250-2450

MEGAN MILLER, 513-203-6004

Boys Volleyball

KRISTIN HAGEDORN, 859-802-6939

Golf

SCOTT MCKINLEY, 653-6696

STEVE MEIER, 859-750-0251

Gym & PAC Scheduling

KEONI CHRISTENSEN,
859-468-0558



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ROSARY

Daily Rosary is prayed in the church as a group **before the 8:00 a.m. Mass** (beginning around 7:35 a.m.), **Mondays through Saturdays**.

Thursday Night Rosary – Come join us on Thursdays at 7:00 p.m.

June 11, 2026	Patriotic Rosary
June 18, 2026	Patriotic Rosary
June 25, 2026	Solemn Healing Rosary
July 2, 2026	Patriotic Rosary

Solemn Healing Rosary on June 25th – Join us for a special SOLEMN HEALING ROSARY to be prayed as a group for all those in need of healing **Thursday, June 25th at 7:00 p.m.**, in St. Pius X Church. During this time, we will ask Our Lord Jesus Christ for healing and to make us and our loved ones whole. We will pray before the Blessed Sacrament in the church. A **personal prayer list** will be available June 20th at the back of church for anyone wishing to add names and intentions. Please bring a rosary. Reservations are not necessary.

For further information, please contact Kathy Monahan at 513-646-6369.

OUR MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES

Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands.

Protect them as they protect us.

Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need.

We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

PV2 Chad Julian; LT. COL. Joseph Bosch; Spc. Mark Jones; Airman 1st Class Nathan Meyer; LT. COMM. Ed VonBerg; PFC Talon Pope; Capt. Chris Boelscher; COMM. Todd Hooks; LT. COMM. Elizabeth Hooks; Major Tom Beck; First LT. Nathan Gleckler; PFC Alex Thorburn; Staff Sergeant Jeffrey Halfacre; Airman 1st Class Justin Lunsford; Major George Lewis; Capt. William J. Buerger; Sgt. Mark Fledderman; Major William Tobergte; Major Louis Tobergte; Midshipman Logan Thomas; Senior Master Sgt. Melissa M. Smith; Sgt. Daniel Burk; Captain Sydney Gleckler; SSG Tyler Odoy

If you have a family member actively serving in the military, please call the Parish Office at 859-341-4900, ext. 201, so they can be placed on our prayer list.

ST. PIUS X PARISH FESTIVAL

FRI JULY 10
6pm - Midnight
SAT JULY 11
6pm - Midnight
SUN JULY 12
4pm - 10pm



ST. PIUS X

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LIVE MUSIC!

FRIDAY
TIMESTAMP
8PM-MIDNIGHT

SATURDAY
DEREK ALLEN BAND
8PM-MIDNIGHT

SUNDAY
VINYL COUNTDOWN
7PM-10PM

Grand Raffle!

Grand Raffle Prize Winner Receives

\$20,000 CASH

*Early Bird winners are eligible for grand prize drawing. All winners are subject to income and sales/use tax provisions. Participants must be 18. Winners need not be present at the time of drawings.



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St. Pius X Festival/Silent Auction/Helping Hands Trees – St. Pius X Parish Festival is always a success thanks to the generosity of our parish members. We would be grateful if you could help once again this year through a donation to our Festival's Silent Auction. These items can take lots of forms: gift cards, business services, wine and liquor, sports and/or event tickets, vacations and get away weekends, sports memorabilia, electronics, gift certificates, rounds of golf, etc. We are also in need of medium and large baskets. **The "Helping Hands" trees and donation bins will be in the church vestibule beginning the weekend of May 9th with all items to be returned by June 21st.** For those wishing to make their donation through Amazon, please use the provided QR Code to access the Festival Amazon Wishlist. When ordering, please check your delivery location – St. Pius Parish/Silent Auction, 348 Dudley Road, Edgewood, KY 41017.

Festival Volunteers Needed – We need your help to make this Festival a success and ensure we can have all the booths that people enjoy. Please consider signing up to staff a booth. It's a great opportunity to hang with your friends as well as see people you haven't seen in a while. To sign up, please visit <https://www.nkybestFestival.com/volunteer>.



Festival Raffle Tickets – Mark your calendars and make sure you get your 2026 Grand Raffle tickets purchased. We have started selling tickets after the 4:30 p.m. Mass on Saturdays and the 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Masses on Sundays. Also, tickets can be purchased online by scanning the QR Code or visit <https://www.nkybestfestival.com/grandaffle>.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL – ST. PIUS X



All are welcome at our next meeting on Wednesday, June 10th at 7:00 p.m. in the PMRs.

Spring Cleaning: Our SVdP NKY stores are looking for donations of **housewares**. This includes: small kitchen appliances, lamps, radios, cookware, glassware, dishes, decor, area rugs, toys, and art. Please take donations to: **2655 Crescent Springs Road** or visit svdpnky.org to schedule at-home pickup. Please do not place these items in our Blue Bin located in the SPX parking lot.

**SPX St. Vincent dePaul in partnership with Christian Outreach
Household Necessities and Food Drive**

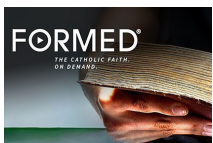
June 27-28th - Bins located in the back of church
We are one of the few pantries in our area providing laundry detergent to our neighbors. Clean clothing helps restore dignity, confidence, and normalcy to our neighbors in need. Please consider donating **powder or liquid laundry detergent** or any of the following items listed below. Thank you for your generous support!

Granola bars
Peanut Butter
Canned Beans
Mac & Cheese
Tuna/Chicken
Canned Fruit
Chili
Cereal
Hearty Soups
Pasta



Shampoo
Toothbrushes
Cleaners
Paper Towels
Soap
Toothpaste
Toilet Paper
Dish Detergent
Laundry Detergent

Flocknotes – Please remember to join the St. Vincent de Paul – SPX group on Flocknotes to stay up-to-date on service opportunities, meeting info, and other SVdP events in our area.



FORMED.org – St. Pius X Parish families have been gifted a subscription to **FORMED.org**. This is an exciting online Catholic platform where you can access the truth, beauty and meaning of the Catholic faith anytime, anywhere. Visit **FORMED.org** and click on “Find Your Parish Subscription”

or download the FORMED app on your cell phone. Sign up at **Formed Daily** (<https://daily.formed.org/>) to receive daily reflections directly to your inbox. Start off your day right. Be inspired and renewed each morning with a short video from Dr. Tim Gray. Also, visit <https://app.formed.org/app/collections/121221> to view all Daily Reflections videos.

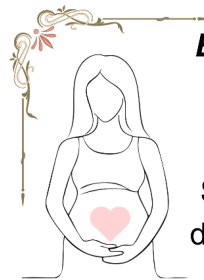
Emergency Contact – In the event a priest is required after office hours, please call 859-341-4900 and enter extension 261. This will connect directly to the Rectory. The general office voicemail is not checked on weekends or holidays. Thank you.

RESPECT LIFE

Are you or someone you know experiencing an untimely pregnancy? Free and confidential help is available for you. Locally, contact Care Net Pregnancy Services at 859-431-9178, www.carenetnky.org, or New Hope Center at 859-341-0766, www.newhopecenter.com. You can also call 800-712-4357 to find pregnancy centers near you or visit www.optionline.org and enter your Zip Code.

Care Net NKY offers an Abortion Healing program for women and men who have been involved in abortion (had one or encouraged or pressured someone else to have one) with women who have been through it and have experienced God's healing and forgiveness. Contact Tara at tara@carenetnky.org to discuss the program or register for the next meetings.

Saint Francis: Visionary of Life – Pope Leo XIV has decreed that for 2026, “a special Year of Saint Francis shall be proclaimed, in which every faithful Christian, following the example of the Saint of Assisi, shall become a model of holiness of life and a constant witness of peace.”[2] The taking of innocent human life through abortion, assisted suicide, and other acts of violence destroys peace in our world.[3] We are called to be witnesses of peace by boldly proclaiming the dignity of the human person and working for the protection of all human life. In this Year of Saint Francis, may he help us to see the beauty of life in all of creation, in particular, in the weakest and most vulnerable among us. Together, let us pray for the protection of human life and the courage to defend it. For more information and resources, visit <https://www.respectlife.org/francis-visionary-of-life>.



**Blessing of the Child
in the Womb**

will be offered
Sunday, August 2, 2026
during the 9:30 a.m. Mass
at St. Pius X.

Parents wishing to receive this beautiful blessing
are asked to RSVP to Terri by July 31
at 859-341-4900 ext. 201.

This blessing is offered quarterly at a Sunday Mass.

EVENTS IN THE COMMUNITY

Virtus

Wednesday, June 17th, 2026, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday, June 17th, 2026, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Wednesday, July 1st, 2026, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday, July 1st, 2026, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday, August 4th, 2026, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday, August 4th, 2026, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday, August 11th, 2026, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday, August 11th, 2026, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday, August 18th, 2026, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday, August 18th, 2026, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday, September 1st, 2026, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday, September 1st, 2026, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Wednesday, September 23rd, 2026, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday, September 23rd, 2026, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Thursday, October 8th, 2026, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Thursday, October 8th, 2026, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday, October 20th, 2026, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday, October 20th, 2026, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium,
1125 Madison Avenue, Covington, Kentucky 41011.

Saturday, June 20th, 2026, 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.,
St. Joseph (Camp Springs, KY)

The June Bulletin is posted and due July 7, 2026. Go to <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/> to log in and complete your bulletins.

Catholic Charities Employment Opportunities – Catholic Charities, Diocese of Covington is currently hiring for a variety of positions. Join a team that serves with compassion and purpose while enjoying full-time employment, great benefits, and the opportunity to do mission-driven work alongside a dedicated staff. Visit <https://www.covingtoncharities.org/news-events/job-opportunities>. Thank you!

Eucharistic Minister Volunteers Needed – Eucharistic Ministers are needed, especially on Sundays, at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Edgewood. If you are a Eucharistic minister, or are interested in becoming one, please contact the Pastoral Care office or the Volunteer office at St. Elizabeth for more information, 859-301-2000.

Free Daily Lunch – Parish Kitchen – Catholic Charities offers a free hot lunch every day from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Parish Kitchen, 1561 Madison Avenue, Covington (corner of 16th and Madison). This is an especially helpful resource during the summer months when students may not have access to school meals. All are welcome to enjoy a warm meal in a caring community.

The Diocese of Covington is Offering FREE In-Person Adult Catholic Faith Formation Workshops, June 8-11, 2026, at Thomas More University's Administration Building (Library classrooms). All workshops are broken into two parts and scheduled for two consecutive days, 1.5 hours per day. Instructors will provide topical information, video content, and open discussion time. Create a free account under your parish or school to access these and 200+ additional workshops at <https://franciscanathome.com>. These workshops are open to EVERYONE who wants to learn more about their Catholic faith, including those entrusted with the formation of others, whether professional or volunteer – parish, school and homeschool leaders; catechists; teachers; DREs/CREs; youth and young adult ministers; family life ministers; OCIA/OCIC directors/coordinators; Bible Study/rosary groups; retreat teams; coaches; parents; grandparents; married or single; etc. There is something for every group! Please, come and join us for these wonderful faith growth workshops! *There are 63 Workshops to choose from!* Visit <https://covdio.org/register> or contact Isaak A. Isaak at 859-392-1529 or iisaak@covdio.org.

Middle School CONNECT Summer Retreat – June 27th, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Thomas More University. A great way for any incoming 6th-8th graders across the Diocese to grow closer to Jesus, have fun, and strengthen their faith over the summer with other middle schoolers! Youth ministers can bring their whole youth group, or individual students can come that aren't part of an existing youth group. Open to all students – public school, Catholic school, homeschool. Register at www.covdio.org/youth or contact Angie Poat with questions at apoat@covdio.org.

Youth Ministry Leadership Retreat – We invite you to join us **Friday, July 17-Sunday, July 19, 2026**, for an all-inclusive formation and retreat experience for both individuals and groups who desire to pray, grow, and learn how to “Set the World on Fire with the Holy Spirit!” High school (YCET) students, college interns, and adult leaders will attend communal AND specialized tracks. Parishes are encouraged to send potential youth ministry volunteers or core team leaders. This is a great way to start, renew, or grow a thriving Youth Ministry Team. RSVPs will be accepted until **Wednesday, July 1, 2026**, or until all 65 spaces are filled. Weekend and day attendance options are available. To register, go to <https://covdio.org/youth/>. Save your spot now!



Need a Rosary Repaired?

Bob Rottman, a member of St. Pius X, will fix your rosary for you at no cost. He will either repair it and return it or try to use the parts to repair other rosaries and then properly dispose of the unusable parts. Contact Bob at 859-331-0303.

World Youth Day 2027, Seoul, South Korea – The 17th International World Youth Day (WYD) will be held in **August 2027** in Seoul, South Korea. The Diocese of Covington has experts committed to helping you from registration through experiencing WYD alongside millions of Catholics to a follow-up gathering upon your return home. **To register, go to <https://forms.gle/9JW61qveAUGbdWxy6>**. For costs, payment schedule, and other questions, go to <https://www.covdio.org/register/> or contact Isaak A. Isaak at 859-392-1529 or iisaak@covdio.org. We look forward to seeing you in Seoul!

Support Group for Separated and Divorced – New Beginnings is an 8-week program that provides the opportunity to heal and move forward despite a complicated situation. Led by facilitators who have been through their own personal losses, this program invites participants to move toward their own new beginnings. **Registration is required.** To register, visit <https://covdio.org/new-beginnings-2/> or call 859-392-1529. The next session will be held on **consecutive Tuesdays, August 18-October 6, 2026, 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.** at Catholic Charities (3629 Church Street, Covington, KY 41015).

Graduating High School Seniors – We're here to help you find a faith community as you head into what's next after high school. Newman Connection/Faith Forward – <https://signupnc.newmanministry.com/>.

SAVE THE DATE – 2026 Seminary Ball – Save the Date! **Friday, October 16th**, Receptions Event Center in Erlanger. Please join Bishop John Iffert and the Diocese of Covington Seminarians for the 2026 Seminarian Ball. For more details on attending or sponsoring the event, go to www.covdio.org/seminaryball.

Pickett's Corner, a ministry of Catholic Charities, is now up and running! Pickett's Corner bicycle repair clinic and distribution are offered from March through November, on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month, at Parish Kitchen, located at 1561 Madison Avenue, Covington, KY 41011, from 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. We are grateful for the support that has enabled us to donate 1,138 bikes since the ministry began. As we look ahead, we are seeking bike donations to help us continue supporting members of our community. To donate a bike, please contact: pickettscorner23@gmail.com.

SCHOOL NEWS



LaRosa's Buddy Cards – The PTG is now offering Buddy Cards as an ongoing fundraiser for the school's general fund. For just \$10.00, you get 14 “buy a large, get a large cheese free” offers. Scan the QR code to order your cards. Additionally, Buddy Cards will be available for purchase in the Parish Office. Contact Jill Scheckels at jshex1023@gmail.com with any questions.

How do I earn Box Tops with my digital receipt? Great news! If you shop for groceries online or have a digital version of a receipt, you can submit them to earn Box Tops for your school. Here's how:

1. Make sure you're on a compatible OS and you have the latest version of the Box Tops app downloaded to your device.
2. Open the Box Tops app.
3. Tap the + button labeled “Scan” at the bottom of the home screen and select “Digital Receipt” from the list when prompted.
4. Choose the retailer you recently purchased from and follow the directions provided. Each retailer is unique, so please be sure to read the directions carefully in order to receive eligible earnings for your school in a timely manner.
5. That's it! You will receive a confirmation email following your digital receipt submission. If you were directed to take screenshots of your purchase, please note that it may take up to 5 business days for your digital receipt to be processed.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR JUNE 13 & 14

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Altar Servers
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.	E. Rawe	K. Romito, P. Van Le, C. Harris, M. Stovik, K. Oleynik & A. Johnson	A. Bacigalupo, J. Peters, A. Smith, A. Smith & M. Theobald
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	N. Niehaus	L. Durrett, R. Durrett, A. Beck & M. Ruberg	A. Arrasmith, J. Holocher & A. Willenbrink
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.	E. Rawe	R. Noll, E. Flick, M.J. Flick, N. Seiter, J. Tallarigo & M. Little	D. Carnes, G. Dailey, K. Hungler, C. Meyrose & V. Yung
Sunday, 11:30 a.m.	D. Wurzbacher	D. Mikalauskas, N. Niehaus, S. Simon, C. Baker, D. McQuade & P. Kissel	A. Aldulijan, N. Bain, A. Gibson, L. Roberts & H. Wagner

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