

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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The Epiphany of the Lord
January 07, 2024

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass: 5 PM (Saturday), 8 AM, and 10 AM

Daily Mass: 8 AM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday,
Friday; 7 PM Wednesday

Holy Day of Obligation Mass: See bulletin

Eucharistic Adoration begins at 6 PM on
Wednesdays and concludes with **Benediction** at
6:50 PM.

Confession Schedule

Sunday 7:45 AM and 9:45 AM

Wednesday 6:00-6:45 PM

Saturday 4:30 PM

Mass Intentions

06-Sat., 5 PM	Janet Hildebrand
07-Sun., 8 AM	People of the Parish
07-Sun., 10 AM	Ray Schadler
08-Mon., 8 AM	Children Suffering from Cancer
09-Tues., 8 AM	Don Schumacher
10-Wed., 7 PM	Marge Born
11-Thurs. 8 AM	Mr. & Mrs. James Hyden
12-Fri., 8 AM	David Jansen
13-Sat., 5 PM	Don & Milly Whitford
14-Sun., 8 AM	People of the Parish
14-Sun., 10 AM	Richard & Carolyn Schack

To schedule a Mass intention for a person, living or
deceased, or for some other intention, contact the
parish office.

Administration and Staff

Pastor

Very Rev. Ryan L. Stenger, J.C.L., J.V.

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Parish Office Hours

Mondays & Tuesdays 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday Collection

12-31-2023	\$3,574.00
Christmas	\$5,742.00

Upcoming Events

Jan. 11 St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 7 p.m.
Jan. 18 Confirmation 7 p.m.

Parish News

We celebrate today the Epiphany of the Lord, one of the most ancient feast days in the life of the Church. Today's feast commemorates the visit of the Magi to worship the newborn Christ Child. These wise men "from the east" were Gentiles, not Israelites. Their recognition of the star that heralded the Lord's birth was a sign that God had revealed Himself now to all the world, not only to the members of His Chosen People. As St. John wrote, "No one has ever seen God. The only Son, God, who is at the Father's side, has revealed him" (Jn 1: 18). No longer is He a distant God perceived only from afar; He has made Himself known to us and He makes His dwelling in our midst. Let's pray that we might never lose sight of this self-revelation that God has made to us, so that His light will radiate through every aspect of our lives.

Fr. Stenger

Church Cleaning

Team Three: January 15 – January 28

Team One: January 29 – February 11

Team Two: February 12 – February 25

Upcoming VIRTUS Training

Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial

Auditorium, Covington, Kentucky 41011

- Tuesday, January 9th, 2024, 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

- Wednesday, January 24th, 2024, 9:00 AM to 11 :30 AM and 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

- Wednesday, February 7th, 2024, 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

Immaculate Heart of Mary, Britt Hall, 5876

Veterans Way, Burlington, Kentucky 41005

- Thursday, January 11th, 2024, 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

Pray for Those Who Protect Us

PFC Jared Allender, Staff Sgt. Dave Evans, GM1 Ricky Jimenez, SRA Emily Wagner, Staff Sgt. Nicholas Wagner, I CL Petty Officer T.J. Waters. Please pray for those who put themselves in harm's way each day to protect us, including armed service personnel, police, and firefighters.

Pray for the Sick and Homebound

Chris Arlinghaus, Janet Arlinghaus, Brooke Barganier, Kim Brun, Roy Carl, Doug and Ella Carmack, Flo Clair, Keegan Dietz, Joyce Dorgan, Judy Dornbusch, Kent Enzweiler, Jose Flores, Mike Futscher, Henry Glossner, Billy Guthier, Melrose Guthier, Blake Hegner, Tammy Hess, Nathan Hessman, Chandra Huff, Shailynn Jones, Flo Kaffenberger, Garry Kaffenberger, Mary Kettenacker, Bernie Kohls, Betty Kohls, Helen Kremer, Kelli Kramer, Ken Kramer, Ed Kremer, Jim Kremer, Iva Leick, Dick Mader, Donna Maschinot, Wilma Maschinot, John Muench, Kairi Marie Mullins, Josh Penney, Adelyn Porter, Dominic Ramler, Lorrie Rawe, Linda Rupp, April Schack, Virginia Schadler, Dan Schalk, Casen Schrock, Joe Allen Smith, Vicki Steffen, Ella Stieby, Shirley Studer, Steve Tischner, Pauline Wade, Larry Wagner, Joe Whitford, Jim Wolfe, Candice Yelton, Bonnie Zanazzo

Condolences

In your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of Monica Heck, who recently passed away. May she be swiftly welcomed into the company of the angels and saints and may her family and friends experience the peace and hope that Christ alone can give. *Requiescat in pace.*

Faith Enrichment

The Faith Enrichment Group will meet on Wednesday, January 10th in the Parish Office after the 7:00 p.m. Mass. We will be watching Season 3 episode 4 of The Chosen, followed by a short discussion. Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome!

Sewing Seeds

The Sewing Seeds Sewing Group will meet on Wednesday, January 17th, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the cafeteria. We will be working on baby blankets. Join us for service and fellowship. Everyone is welcome!

Family Promise

Our next day to provide dinner is January 16th. Please contact Ann Fay if you are able to make a dish for the meal.

St. Vincent de Paul

Beginning this month, there will be an envelope available for parishioners to make a monthly monetary donation to our conference. Since we have started serving the women and children at the Scholar House in Newport, we have a greater need for financial assistance. There have been requests for furniture, car repairs, cleaning supplies, etc. Since we haven't had a lot of food requests, we plan to use up what we have collected then use the money donated to buy food on an as needed basis. Thank you for your generosity this past year and we look forward to continuing to serve our neighbors in need this year.

Join Our Choir

Please join our choir for weekend masses! All are welcome! Feel free to come to a rehearsal on Monday evenings from 6:00-7:30 p.m. If you have questions, you can speak to Rebecca after weekend masses or email her at MusicWell007@gmail.com

DPAA 2023 – November Update

As of the end of November we have received \$60,890.00 in commitments to this year's DPAA, which puts us over our goal! Our rebate for this year's appeal will go towards offsetting the cost of a new church steeple. Thank you for your generous response to this year's Diocesan Parish Annual Appeal!

Looking Back

We will continue our weekly column from Chuck Taylor to take a "look back" at the rich history of our church.

1867: Francisus Kling and Anna Gubser were married. Witnesses-Mathias Blau and Anna Butscher

1888: Henericus Reinert, son of Nicolaus Reinert and Maria Geisman, was baptized. Godparents-Henericus Geiman and Catherina Blenke

1897: Catherine Haigus died at age 66 from chronic tuberculosis

1899: Elizabeth Futscher, infant daughter of Aloysius and Elizabeth Futscher, passed away

1900: Bernardus Gastauer and Magdelinia Blenke were married. Witnesses- Schaldus Gastauer and Anna Blenke

1954: Donald Frank Heeb, son of Joseph Heeb and Victoria Bezold, was baptized. Godparents- Paul Bezold and Frances Heeb

Bishop Brossart High School News

Bishop Brossart Annual Appeal

Year in and year out, our Annual Appeal funds provide an immeasurable benefit to the countless families that rely on financial assistance in order to send their children to Bishop Brossart. We take pride to carry on one of Bishop Brossart's most cherished traditions that no deserving student be denied the special BBHS educational experience due to financial need. We were able to surpass our \$110,000 goal last year, will you help us do it again?

For more information, please check out the Bishop Brossart website by clicking on the Support BBHS tab and selecting the Annual Appeal option. You can also make a donation to the 2023-2024 Annual Appeal by clicking on the link to access the Pledge Form.

Other News

Kentucky March for Life-Save the Date

Join other Pro-Life Kentuckians on Tuesday, January 23rd for the 2024 Kentucky March for Life & "Love them Both" Rally. The program will begin with Mass at Good Shepard Parish in Frankfort, followed by a rally at the State Capital. The event will end with a procession to the Cemetery of the Innocents in the historic Frankfort Cemetery. The Pro-Life office will be organizing buses that will leave from Northern Kentucky. If you are interested in traveling with other parishioners from the Diocese, please contact the Pro-Life Office for more information, 859-392-1500.

Walking with Purpose Virtual Event

You are invited to a 30-minute virtual Zoom event to learn more about how Walking with Purpose helps women to:

- Learn more about how to read Scripture and apply it to your day-to-day experiences.
- Invest in the hearts of other women and create community in your parish.
- Go deeper and connect Sunday Mass to the rest of the week.

Join us to learn how Walking with Purpose is transforming hearts and bringing women in parish communities closer to Christ. Hear personal testimony from Walking with Purpose volunteer coordinators, Marybeth Bosko and Laurie Munson from St. Barbara parish in Erlanger, Kentucky about how our Bible studies are bringing women together around topics that matter.

For more information, contact Jeannie Gillespie at jean.gillespie@walkingwithpurpose.com or (203) 918-3025.

To register for this complimentary event, go to <https://www.tfaforms.com/5099990>.

Diocesan Youth Ministry Events

Jan. 18, 2024 – High School Mass & Social – Location: Holy Cross Parish, Latonia, 7 – 9pm. Learn more about the Mass and worship with your peers in a vibrant faith community. All are welcome.

Feb. 8, 2024 – THRIVE Peer Ministry Leadership Training – for High School and College Leaders. 6:00 – 8:00pm at the Curia. Attend as an individual peer leader or with your parish, school, music, or retreat team. Newcomer's welcome. RSVP by Feb. 1.

Feb. 10, 2024 – Junior High Connect - Calling all 6th, 7th, 8th graders to a high impact day of connecting with self, others, and God. CONNECT retreat includes: Music, games, witness talks, Adoration, food, and fun. Led by a team of dynamic

college students. RSVP by Feb 1. Location: TMU 9:30am-5pm.

Covington Youth Missionary Team – Seeking high school peer leaders from every high school and parish in the diocese. Team formation begins in February and missionary youth ministry service to the diocese begins this summer. To recommend an individual, email apoat@covdio.org.

National Eucharistic Conference- July 17th - 21st, 2024 in Indianapolis. Marian University (located 15 minutes from Lucas Oil Stadium) is hosting high school teens for the Conference and will by house, feed, transport, mentor and accompany youth ministry groups through the Conference. This is an opportunity for youth from the Diocese of Covington, to dive deeper into their faith and journey with Catholic youth from around the country. Pre-Registration deadline is early January. Inquire asap.

DCCH Center for Children and Families Flea Market

Open: 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Monday, Thursday, & 3rd Saturday (December-April) NEW ARRIVALS DAILY and thousands of items are new and gently used! The Donation Dropbox is open 24/7 and is accepting clothes, shoes, kitchen & Housewares, media electronics, jewelry, collectibles, furniture, artwork, bedding, crafts, toys & more! The first Thursday of every month, items are 50% off! 100% of the proceeds support the children living at DCCH. We appreciate your generosity and support!



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