

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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The Baptism of the Lord

January 12, 2025

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

11-Sat., 5 PM	Tom Boyer, Pat Tolle, & The Boyer Family
12-Sun., 8 AM	People of the Parish
12-Sun., 10 AM	John & Rose Heck
13-Mon., 8 AM	Richard & Carolyn Schack
14-Tues., 8 AM	Don & Milly Whitford
15-Wed., 7 PM	Roberta Reilly
16-Thurs., 8 AM	Fay Taylor
17-Fri., 8 AM	Special Intention (RS)
18-Sat., 5 PM	Gennevieve Lutkenhoff & The Lutkenhoff Family
19-Sun., 8 AM	People of the Parish
19-Sun., 10 AM	Hilda Messmer

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

Monday & Tuesday 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday Collection

01-05-2024	\$5,807.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$1,748.75

Upcoming Events

Jan. 12 Take down Christmas decorations
after 10 a.m. Mass
Jan. 15 Sewing Seeds Group 9:30 a.m.
Jan. 19 Sanctity of Life Baby Bottle
Campaign Begins

Parish News

The Church celebrates today the feast of the Baptism of the Lord, recalling Jesus' baptism in the Jordan River by St. John the Baptist. Christ, of course, had no need for baptism, but in humbling Himself to be washed in the waters of the Jordan, He showed us the necessity of receiving the baptism that He Himself would institute. Today is a great opportunity for us to thank God for making us His adopted children through baptism, for making us members of His Body, the Church. Let's pray that we may always be faithful to the promises made in our name on the day that we were born into the new life of grace.

Fr. Stenger

Church Cleaning

Team Two: Jan. 13 – Jan. 26

Team Three: Jan. 27 – Feb. 9

Team One: Feb. 10 – Feb. 23

Upcoming VIRTUS Trainings

-Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, 1125 Madison Avenue, Covington, Kentucky 41011. Tuesday, January 14th, 2025, 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM.

-Bishop Brossart High School, Munninghoff Family Performing Arts Center, 4 Grove St., Alexandria, Kentucky 4011. Wednesday, January 15th, 2026, 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

-Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, 1125 Madison Avenue, Covington, Kentucky 41011. Thursday, January 30th, 2025, 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM.

-Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, 1125 Madison Avenue, Covington, Kentucky 41011. Thursday, February 13th, 2025, 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

The VIRTUS bulletin will be posted on January 5th and is due February 4th.

Pray for Those Who Protect Us

PFC Jared Allender, Staff Sgt. Dave Evans, 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, Dolores Armstrong, Brooke Borganier, Missy Bauer, Sue Bradley, Kim Brun, Roy Carl, Doug and Ella Carmack, Flo Clair, Keegan Dietz, Joyce Dorgan, Judy Dornbusch, Kent Enzweiler, Jose Flores, Mike Futscher, Chris Gebelt, Henry Glossner, Leigh Gorman, Billy Guthier, Blake Hegner, Tammy Hess, Nathan Hessman, Chandra Huff, Shailynn Jones, Flo Kaffenberger, Mary Kettenacker, Bernie Kohls, Betty Kohls, Germaine Kremer, Helen Kremer, Kelli Kramer, Ken Kramer, Jim Kremer, Charles Krift, Kathy Leahy, Iva Leick, Al Lovell, Dick Mader, Wilma Maschinot, John Muench, Kairi Marie Mullins, Pam Leahy Nagle, Josh Penney, Adelyn Porter, Dominic Ramler, Lorrie Rawe, Donny Reis, Rana Reckner, Rowen Redmond, Linda Rupp, April Schack, Virginia Schadler, Dan Schalk, Casen Schrock, Gwen Shields, Vicki Steffen, Ella Stieby, Shirley Studer, Steve Tischner, Pauline Wade, Larry Wagner, Joe Whitford, Julie Wientjes, Jim Wolfe, Candice Yelton, Bonnie Zanazzo

Thank You

Thanks to everyone for the prayers, those who gave their condolences, and to Fr. Stenger and the parish for the lovely arrangement that was sent for my grandmother's funeral service. Your continued prayers for my family during this difficult time are appreciated.

-Lauren Ritter and family

St. Vincent de Paul Updates

Monthly Donations: Thank you again for your monetary donations each month! For the month of January, we are asking for donations of soap, laundry detergent, or bathroom cleaners. Donations can be left in the laundry baskets under the counter in the vestibule of the church. We appreciate all of your support!

Sanctity of Life Baby Bottle Campaign

January is Sanctity of Human Life Month. To promote awareness we will be participating in CareNet's Baby Bottle Campaign. CareNet Pregnancy Services of Northern Kentucky offers compassion and resources to women and couples facing unplanned pregnancy. From pregnancy tests and ultrasounds, to mentoring and material support, they help their clients gain the knowledge and confidence to make life-affirming decisions. Please take a baby bottle from the vestibule beginning next weekend, January 19th, fill it with loose change, cash, or a check, and return it to church by Sunday, February 16th. Your change can help women and couples choose life. Thank you for your support!

DPAA 2024 – November Update

We have surpassed our goal of \$51,800! As of the end of November, our commitment total is currently \$73,620.00. The funds raised above the goal will be returned to our parish to help pay for the recent painting and repairs done in the cafeteria and kitchen in the school. Thank you to all who have already made a generous contribution to this year's appeal! If you haven't given yet, there are envelopes in the back of the church, or you can visit the parish website to give online. Thank you for your support!

Sewing Seeds Sewing Group

Our next sewing date will be Wednesday, January 15th. We will continue to make baby blankets for Care Net Pregnancy Center and Rose Garden Home Mission. Join us in the cafeteria from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. All are welcome.

Faith Enrichment Group

The Faith Enrichment Group will be meeting on Wednesday, January 22nd, in the Parish Office after the 7:00 Mass. We will be watching The Chosen, Season 4, Episode 4. For those interested in more background information to the scriptures for this episode watch the "Round Table" found under "Bible Stuff" on the Chosen App. Everyone is welcome. Light refreshments will be served.

Pre-K Registration

St. Joseph Camp Springs Pre-K still has some openings for the 2024-2025 school year! Contact Lisa Roetting at (859) 409-9185 or email LROetting@saint-joseph-school.org with questions or to register.

Pre-K Box Tops

This week the Pre-K received a check from Box Tops for \$90.50! Thank you to everyone who scanned receipts in the Box Tops App! You can download the app on your smartphone and every receipt you scan with participating items will earn money for our Pre-K!

Bishop Brossart High School News

8th Grade Placement Test Results Night

The High School Placement Test results night is scheduled for Thursday, January 16, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. at BBHS in the Munninghoff Theatre. On this evening, we will review Placement Test Results, Courses offered at BBHS, Academic Support, Tuition, Financial Assistance, FACTS, Registration, Scholarships, and announce our Merit Scholarship winners from the HSPT.

Girls Basketball Grade School Night

1/18: 4th grade JV @ 3:30 pm Varsity @ 5:00 pm
1/21: 5th grade JV @ 6:00 pm Varsity @ 7:30 pm
1/23: 6th grade Freshman @ 5:00 p.m. JV @ 6:00 p.m. Varsity @ 7:30 p.m.
1/27: 7th grade JV @ 6:00 p.m. Varsity @ 7:30 p.m.
1/31: 8th grade Freshman @ 5:00 p.m. JV @ 6:00 p.m. Varsity @ 7:30 p.m.

Girls Basketball Alumni Night

Our Girls Basketball Alumni Night is scheduled for Saturday, January 18th as our Lady 'Stangs take on Harrison County in the Seither Center! As always, Girls Basketball Alumni will receive free admission to the games and will be recognized at halftime of the Varsity game! JV at 3:30 pm and Varsity at 5:00 pm.

Boys Basketball Grade School Night

Our Boys Basketball Grade School night is scheduled for Wednesday, February 5th as our Mustangs take on Calvary in the Seither Center! All Grade School students will receive free admission to the games! Let's Go, Mustangs! JV at 6:00 p.m. and Varsity at 7:15 p.m.

Boys Basketball Alumni Night

Our Boys Basketball Alumni Night is scheduled for Thursday, February 13th as our Mustangs take on Bellevue in the Seither Center! As always, Boys Basketball Alumni will receive free admission to the games and will be recognized at halftime of the Varsity game! JV at 6:00 p.m. and Varsity at 7:15 p.m.

BBHS Girls Softball Program

The Bishop Brossart Fast Pitch Softball Program Seeks 7th and 8th grade girls who would like to play on the school's 2025 Freshman Fast Pitch Softball team this coming year. Our freshman team will mainly be all 7th and 8th graders. We are also very excited that our sports complex has started and we hope to be playing homes games on our new turf field this coming year. If your daughter is interested contact Varsity Head Coach, Tom Baynum at softball@bishopbrossart.org or call or text 859-393-5235.

2024-25 Annual Appeal

Our enrollment continues to grow and we have so many wonderful things happening at BBHS! Our students are thriving academically, spiritually, and athletically all while truly striving to live out our school motto, "Charity First." Our Annual Appeal is the single biggest source of support to directly benefit our students and staff. We are increasing opportunities for our teachers to help them grow and continue to be a strength at our school. We continue to improve our course offerings, faith formation, facilities, and many other avenues for our students. We could not do this without our Mustang Communities continued support! Are you interested in donating to this year's appeal? Please email Christie Schroder, Director of Advancement

at cschroder@bishopbrossart.org for more information and request this year's Annual Appeal magazine. To make an online donation, please use this link: <https://bishopbrossart.org/appeal/>

Other News

Irena's Vow – Catholic Culture at The Aronoff
Step into the shadows of Nazi-occupied Poland and witness the gripping, true story of Irena Gut Opdyke, a young Catholic housemaid who risked her life to shelter over a dozen Jews in the home of a German officer. Presented by The Angelico Project, this is more than theater—it's a chance to support local Catholic culture and invite friends and family to encounter Truth, Goodness, and Beauty! Learn more by visiting AngelicoProject.org

Showtimes:

January 17 at 7 p.m.

January 18 at 2 p.m. & 7 p.m.

Location: Jarson-Kaplan Theater, Aronoff Center

Tickets: CincinnatiArts.ORG | (513) 621-2787 (ARTS)

Save the Date- Kentucky's March for Life

Join us at Kentucky's state capitol to walk with purpose and hope for life!

Wednesday, February 12, 2025

Registration opens on December 1st

For more information, please visit kyrighttolife.org or call (502) 895-5959



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