

# SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 16, 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 Wednesday 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

15-Sat, 5 PM	Jan Schabell
16-Sun, 8 AM	Pat Tolle, Tom Boyer, & The Boyer Family
16-Sun, 10 AM	People of the Parish
17-Mon., 8 AM	Bud & Marcie Gubser
18-Tues., 8 AM	Dorothy Keller
19-Wed., 7 PM	Roberta Reilly
20-Thurs, 8 AM	Mary Schultz Ard
21-Fri, 8 AM	John Showalter
22-Sat, 5 PM	Don & Milly Whitford
23-Sun, 8 AM	People of the Parish
23-Sun, 10 AM	Edward & Marie 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

**Monday & Tuesday 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.**

## Sunday Collection

11-9-2025	\$4,016.00
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## Upcoming Events

Nov. 27	Thanksgiving Day Mass 9 a.m.
Nov. 29/30	First Sunday of Advent
Dec. 8	Immaculate Conception Masses at 9 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Dec. 13/14	Christmas Flower Memorials Due Retired Religious Collection

## **Parish News**

We find ourselves in these days quickly approaching the end of the Church's liturgical year. Next Sunday we'll celebrate the feast of Christ the King, and then the new Church year begins the following Sunday with the First Sunday of Advent. And so, as we close out the year, it's very fitting that we hear in our Gospel reading this Sunday the Lord's words about the end of time. He foretells the destruction of the Temple and he warns of "wars and insurrections" and "earthquakes, famines, and plagues." These words are sobering, but they shouldn't be cause for fear or anxiety. Instead, they should challenge us to take an honest look at our priorities and values and choices. When we're told that this world is passing away, the question should arise: "Well, how much of my time and energy and resources are being invested in those things that pass away, rather than in the things that endure for eternity?" Let's pray that these days that call to mind the coming of Christ may help to shake us out of our complacency with the ways of the world, so that we may live more and more as citizens of His Kingdom without end.

Fr. Stenger

### **Church Cleaning**

Team Two: Nov. 10 – Nov. 23

Team Three: Nov. 24– Dec. 7

Team One: Dec. 8 – Dec. 21

### **Upcoming VIRTUS Trainings**

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

Thursday, November 20th, 2025

9:00 AM to 11:30 AM

6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

The VIRTUS bulletin was posted on November 2<sup>nd</sup> and is due on December 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### **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, Vyneta Barnett, Missy Bauer, Kim Brun, Teri Buckler, Roy Carl, Doug and Ella Carmack, Flo Clair, Tom Corman, Greg Dierig, Keegan Dietz, Joyce Dorgan, Judy Dornbusch, Kent Enzweiler, Jose Flores, Mike Futscher, Chris Gebelt, Henry Glossner, Leigh Gorman, Billy Guthier, Jonathan Harper, Blake Hegner, Tammy Hess, Jon Hickman, Chandra Huff, Flo Kaffenberger, Mary Kettenacker, Karma Kinsella Klingenberg, Bernie Kohls, Betty Kohls, Kelli Kramer, Germaine Kremer, Helen Kremer, Jim Kremer, Ron Kremer, Charles Krift, Nancy Lagedrost, Kathy Leahy, Iva Leick, Al Lovell, Dick Mader, Wilma Maschinot, John Muench, Kairi Marie Mullins, Pam Leahy Nagle, Linda Neltner, Josh Penney, Adelyn Porter, Phyllis Prodoehl, Dominic Ramler, Lorrie Rawe, Rana Reckner, Rowen Redmond, Virginia Schadler, Dan Schalk, Casen Schrock, Vicki Steffen, Ella Stieby, Shirley Studer, Diane Taylor, Steve Tischner, Pauline Wade, Larry Wagner, Joe Whitford, Julie Wientjes, Jim Wolfe, Candice Yelton.

### **2025 DPAA – September Update**

Your DPAA support strengthens vital diocesan services and ministries. Your generosity reflects our unity in Christ and gratitude for God's blessings. Please join the parish households who have already pledged by making your gift soon. As a reminder our parish goal is \$57,600. **So far, our parish pledges total \$70,495.** This year, the amount raised above our goal will go towards replacing the school roof. Thank you for your faithful stewardship. God bless you for your generosity!

### **November SVDP**

Thank you to everyone for continuing to support this ministry with your monthly donations! In addition to that, we also appreciate your support in keeping our pantry stocked when the need for food and toiletries arises for some of our families that require this

assistance. Currently, we are in need of dish soap and toothpaste. Please place donations in the laundry baskets in the vestibule. Thank you for your continued generosity!

### **SVDP Coat Drive**

The SVDP coat drive will run through December 1<sup>st</sup>. We have a barrel in the vestibule of church for donations of new or gently used winter coats. Please consider helping our neighbors in need. Thanks for your generosity!

### **Sewing Seeds Sewing Group**

The sewing group will meet again on Wednesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the school cafeteria. We will be making baby blankets for CareNet Pregnancy Center. No sewing expertise needed, we will find a job for you. Snacks will be available. All are welcome.

### **Women's Bible Study**

Our women's Bible study group will begin a new study on Women of the Bible in January. Look for information in the bulletin after Christmas or contact Jean (859-630-0247) for more information.

### **BBHS News**

#### **Mustang Monthlies**

\$25.00 a ticket for the monthly drawings beginning in November and running through July. Don't miss out on this great opportunity!

*\$3,000 in total Cash Prizes*

*November - One \$525.00 winner*

*November - July - Six \$25.00 winners (54 total)*

*November / February/ May - Four \$50.00 winners (12 total)*

*July - One \$525.00 winner*

#### **BBHS Shadow Day/School Tour**

Any prospective students interested in a shadow day at BBHS or a tour of Bishop Brossart after school hours please contact school, 859-635-2108.

### **Other News**

#### **St. Philip Seniors Meeting**

The November meeting of the St. Philip Seniors and Friends will be held on Monday, November 17, 2025 at noon in the St. Philip Parish Center. We are always happy to welcome new folks who are interested in joining our group. If you want to join us this month, contact Rose Chalk via e-mail at: [RoseZac727@aol.com](mailto:RoseZac727@aol.com), or text/call and leave a message at 859-240-4010.

#### **American Legion Turkey Raffle**

Simon Gosney Post 219 of the American Legion and its Ladies Auxiliary will hold its annual Turkey Raffle on Sunday, November 16, 2025, beginning at 3:00 p.m. at the VFW Hall in Alexandria. The event also includes Split the Pot raffles, silent auction, refreshments and open-faced turkey dinners & sandwiches for purchase. Thank you for supporting our local military families and veterans.

#### **DCCH Open House**

In celebration of National Adoption Month - DCCH Center for Children & Families is hosting an Open House on Wednesday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Anyone interested in learning more about adopting, fostering, mentoring, or volunteering please attend. Starting 6:30 - 8:30p.m. at 75 Orphanage Rd, Ft. Mitchell. Call 859 331-2040 or [www.dcchcenter.org](http://www.dcchcenter.org) for more details.

#### **14th Annual Crafts at the Gubser Tree Farm**

2952 Lower Grandview Rd. (off Stonehouse Rd.)  
Alexandria, Ky

November 22, 23, 28, 29, 30, December 6, 7, 13, 14  
10 a.m. – 3 p.m. Wood Crafts, Wreaths (decorative and fresh), Floral Arrangements, Custom Carved Canes and Figurines, Ornaments, Soy Candles, Tobacco Stake Crafts, Earrings, Crochet Items, Homemade Zucchini Bread, Local Honey, Choose and Cut and Pre-Cut Christmas Trees, and lots more! Call for info 859-635-3143 or visit [www.gubsertreefarm.com](http://www.gubsertreefarm.com)

## **SVDP NKY Volunteer Opportunities**

### Vincent's Angels

This program allows parents and caregivers to personally choose Christmas gifts for their children. Toys are still needed, and parishes, schools, workplaces, and families are encouraged to collect presents so every child can experience the joy of Christmas morning. Donations can be delivered at any SVdP NKY thrift store.

### Adopt-a-Family

To enter more personally into the spirit of giving, consider sponsoring a local family through our Adopt-a-Family program. Sponsors receive a wish list, purchase gifts, and drop off wrapped presents at our Erlanger facility to help a family feel seen and loved this Christmas.

Volunteers are also needed to help with coat sorting, toy distribution, and Christmas preparations. A few hours of your time can be a gift of Christ's light to someone in need. To register for these programs or learn more about volunteering, please visit [www.svdpnky.org/holiday-giving](http://www.svdpnky.org/holiday-giving).

## **Project Rachel**

Project Rachel is a confidential ministry for those who have experienced an abortion and are seeking healing from the wounds of that decision. Please visit <https://covidio.org/pro-life/project-rachel/> for more information about Project Rachel in the Diocese of Covington.

## **Women's Retreat – "The JOY in Discovering Who I Am"**

All women and teenage girls are invited to a special retreat at St. Pius X Church in Edgewood on Saturday, December 6, 2025, from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM (registration begins at 7:30 AM). The day will include Mass, Confession, Adoration, three talks, and two meals. Cost: \$40 (cash or check payable to St. Pius, paid on the day of the retreat). Register: Email [bentjenr@gmail.com](mailto:bentjenr@gmail.com) or text 859-801-6813.

## **Saint Meinrad Winter Chant Workshop**

Discover how sacred music and chant draw you closer to God at Saint Meinrad's Winter Chant Workshop: Praying with Chant, January 12–16, 2026. Explore chant in a theological context and apply your insights in rehearsal. Register today at [saintmeinrad.edu/sacred-music](http://saintmeinrad.edu/sacred-music) to deepen your love of sacred music.

