

# SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord  
March 29, 2026

## 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

28-Sat, 5 PM	Alma Ruschman
29-Sun, 8 AM	People of the Parish
29-Sun, 10 AM	LeRoy Carl, Sr.
30-Mon, 8 AM	Cliff & Edna Heiert
31-Tues, 8 AM	LeRoy Carl, Sr.
01-Wed, 7 PM	John Kremer
<b>02-Thurs, 7 PM</b>	Diane Haubner
<b>03-Fri, 3 PM</b>	<b>Good Friday Liturgy</b>
<b>04-Sat, 8:30 PM</b>	Ruschman & Leick Families
<b>05-Sun, 8 AM</b>	Ralph Kremer
<b>05-Sun, 10 AM</b>	People of the Parish

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

03-22-2026	\$4,922.00
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## Upcoming Events

- Apr. 2 Holy Thursday Mass 7 p.m.  
Apr. 3 Good Friday Liturgy 3 p.m.  
Stations of the Cross 6:30 p.m.  
Apr. 4 Easter Vigil Mass 8:30 p.m.  
Apr. 5 Easter Sunday Masses 8 & 10 a.m.

## Parish News

We enter today upon the most sacred and solemn days of the year, Holy Week, in which we recall and celebrate the mysteries of our redemption. During these holy days, we journey with the Lord from His triumphant entrance into Jerusalem to His Last Supper with His disciples, at which He instituted the Eucharist and the priesthood. We keep watch with Him on the night of Holy Thursday, and then venerate His Cross on Good Friday as we recall His saving passion and death. We wait in quiet and stillness on Holy Saturday while He lies in the tomb, until the darkness and silence are broken by the glorious news of His Resurrection at the Easter Vigil and the Masses of Easter Sunday. Through the sacred liturgies and ancient traditions that characterize this week, the Church invites us to allow the great things done for us by God to enter more deeply into our hearts, to walk more closely with the Lord as He goes up to offer Himself for our salvation, to encounter more profoundly the face of the God who bows down to us in order to raise us up. I encourage you to make the most of this week, to participate in the liturgies of these sacred days as fully as possible, to let the grace of this time fill your hearts and your lives. God has done such amazing things for us; let's respond to Him with generous and loving hearts.

Fr. Stenger

### **Church Cleaning**

Team Three: Mar. 30 – Apr. 12

Team One: Apr. 13 – Apr. 26

Team Two: Apr. 27 – May 10

### **Upcoming VIRTUS Trainings**

Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial

Auditorium, 1125 Madison Avenue, Covington,  
Kentucky 41011

Wednesday, April 15, 2026

9:00 AM to 11:30 AM

6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

Thursday, April 30, 2026

9:00 AM to 11:30 AM

6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

The VIRTUS bulletin was posted on March 1 and is due March 31.

### **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 Barganier, 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, Bernice Kremer, Germaine Kremer, Helen Kremer, Jim Kremer, Ron Kremer, Nancy Lagedrost, Kathy Leahy, Iva Leick, Al Lovell, Dick Mader, Wilma Maschinot, Lynn McCormick, John Muench, Pam Leahy Nagle, Linda Neltner, Josh Penney, Joyce Pfefferman, Adelyn Porter, Phyllis Prodoehl, Dominic Ramler, Lorrie Rawe, Rana Reckner, Rowen Redmond, Krista Roetting, Virginia Schadler, Dan Schalk, Casen Schrock, Gail Schultz, Ella Stieby, Shirley Studer, Diane Taylor, Steve Tischner, Karen Vananco, Pauline Wade, Larry Wagner, Joe Whitford, Julie Wientjes, Candice Yelton

### **Holy Week Schedule**

Palm Sunday (3/29): Mass at 5 p.m. (Sat.), 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. (Sun.)

Tuesday (3/31): Chrism Mass at 7 p.m. at the Cathedral

Holy Thursday (4/2): Mass at 7 p.m.  
Adoration at the Altar of Repose until midnight

Good Friday (4/3): Liturgy at 3 p.m., followed by confessions

Stations at 6:30 p.m.,  
followed by confessions

Holy Saturday (4/4): Easter Vigil at 8:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday (4/5): Mass at 8 a.m.  
Mass at 10 a.m.

### **DPAA 2026**

This year's theme is "*Live as Children of Light*" from Ephesians 5:8. It invites us to be innocent, to trust fully in God's love, mercy, and plan for us. By sharing our spiritual and material gifts, we can be a light to those in need. Please prayerfully consider giving to the 2026 DPAA. Your support strengthens vital diocesan services and ministries. Your generosity reflects our unity in Christ and gratitude for God's blessings. As a reminder our parish goal is \$50,200. This year, the amount raised above our goal will go towards purchasing a digital sign for the church hill. Thank you for your faithful stewardship. God bless you for your generosity!

### **Easter Flower Memorials**

As we celebrate the Lord's Resurrection at Easter, we also remember our loved ones who have died in the hope of sharing that new life with Him. You are invited to use either the envelope in your box or one of the envelopes in the back of the church, write the names of those you wish to remember, and make an offering that will be used to decorate the church with flowers during the Easter season. The names of those being remembered by these gifts will be printed in the Easter bulletin. Please return your memorial envelope to us today, Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>.

### **Holy Land Good Friday Collection**

Our parish has been asked to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support is essential to help the Church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools, and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity, including in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection is necessary to meet the basic needs of the people of God still living this Land

and to maintain a Christian presence where the Church was born.

When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. We greatly appreciate your generosity!

### **List of the Sick**

If you know of someone who needs to be added or removed from the sick list in the bulletin, please contact the parish office. Thank you!

### **Save the Dates: Summer Festival & VBS**

Our Annual Summer Festival is scheduled for June 13, 2026, from 5-10 p.m. Vacation Bible School will take place from June 22-26, 2026. More details to come!

### **Lenten Fish Fry News**

Thanks to all of you who made our Lenten Fish Fries a wonderful success this year! We appreciate all of the hard work you do to help make this fundraiser successful every year!

### **St. Vincent de Paul**

For the month of March, we would like to ask for donations of laundry detergent and canned fruit cocktail. Please check expiration dates on food to ensure that food items are in date before donating. Thank you for your generosity!

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

Our women's Bible study group is taking a break until April 18th. At that time, we will continue our study of Women in the Bible. Contact Jean (859) 630-0247 for more information.

### **2026-2027 Pre-K Registration & Job Posting**

It's registration time for the 2026 - 2027 School Year! If you have a child who will be 3 or 4 and you would like them to join the fun and learning that goes on in our Pre-K every day, reach out to Lisa at [LRoetting@Saint-Joseph-School.org](mailto:LRoetting@Saint-Joseph-School.org) or text/call her at 859-409-9185 today, before all the slots are filled!

We also have an immediate opening for a full-time teacher. Candidates should be energetic and love working with children, self-motivated and flexible. If you are interested, send a cover letter and resume with references to Lisa Roetting at [lroetting@saint-joseph-school.org](mailto:lroetting@saint-joseph-school.org) or text 859-409-9185.

### **BBHS News**

#### **Marker Art Show**

The "Marker Art Show" will take place in the BBHS Art Gallery. There will be nearly 250 entries by grades 5 & 6 representing the four feeder schools.

Saturday March 28 (before, during & after Senior Class Play)

Sunday March 29 (Noon-4)

### **Other News**

#### **Chrism Mass**

The Most Rev. John C. Iffert, Bishop of Covington, invites all the faithful of the diocese to join him for the Chrism Mass on Tuesday, March 31, 2026, at 7:00 p.m., at the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption. The Sacrament of Penance will be available prior to Holy Mass, beginning at 6:00 p.m.

#### **Safe Haven Baby Boxes**

For 22 years, the Safe Haven Law has been in place to provide a safe way to surrender a healthy newborn anonymously without fear of criminal prosecution. Fire stations and hospitals have always been a place to surrender a newborn but since 2016 Safe Haven Baby Boxes have provided a discreet and secure option for parents to surrender their newborns.

As of January 2025, over 300 boxes have been installed in fire and police stations across 20 states and currently there are Safe Haven Baby Boxes in each Northern Ky county except Campbell County. There is a push locally to install one at Central Campbell Fire Station in Cold Spring, Ky. Donations are being sought to accomplish this project. If the mission to end infant abandonment speaks to you, please consider donating to this cause. Any amount is appreciated.

To donate online go to [shbb.org](http://shbb.org) or mail a check to SHBB, PO Box 185, Woodburn IN 46797. For additional information call 888-742-2133 or email [shbb@safehavenbabyboxes.com](mailto:shbb@safehavenbabyboxes.com).

#### **NOW HIRING: Weekend Staff Coordinator for Parish Kitchen**

Catholic Charities Diocese of Covington is seeking a Weekend Staff Coordinator for the Parish Kitchen. This position oversees kitchen and dining room operations on Saturdays and Sundays, supports and coordinates volunteers, and helps ensure a safe and welcoming meal service for guests.

Schedule: Saturdays and Sundays, 7:00am-2:00pm  
Meal Service: 11:30am-1:30pm

To apply, please submit a resume, cover letter, salary history, and three references to Shannon Braun at [sbraun@covingtoncharities.org](mailto:sbraun@covingtoncharities.org).

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