

May 16, 2021  
The Ascension  
of the Lord



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Office Hours

St. Mary - Monday & Wednesday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm  
St. Theresa - Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

**Bulletin deadline is Wednesday at noon.**

Email bulletin announcements to the parish office.

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**Reception of Sacraments**

(Parish Registration is required for Sacraments of Initiation and Marriage)

**Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation:** Please contact the parish office: St. Mary's at 270-496-4333 on Monday & Wednesday or St. Theresa at 270-496-4362 on Tuesday & Thursday.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Please contact the parish office: St. Mary's at 270-496-4333 on Monday & Wednesday or St. Theresa at 270-496-4362 on Tuesday & Thursday.

**Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick:** Contact Fr. George at 502-718-7106 or e-mail: gillikkal@gmail.com

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Before the weekend Masses: Saturday at St. Mary from 5:15 to 5:45 pm and on Sunday at St. Mary from 7:45 to 8:15 am and at St. Theresa following the 10:30 am Mass, upon request.

**Responsorial Psalm: "This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad."**

## Ministers for May 22nd & 23rd at St. Mary

### Lectors

Sat 6:00 pm Margaret McCoy

Sun 8:30 am Vernon Pike

At this time we will not be scheduling Eucharistic Ministers or Altar Servers.

We are asked not to have Children's Church until further notice. The weekly worksheets used for Children's Church are available in the back of church for the children to take home.

### Fatima Statue

May 16 - Mark & Patty Stull



May 23 - Martin & Brenda Thomas

### St. Mary Friday Bingo May 21, 2021



There will be no bingo on Friday, May 21, 2021- There is interest in starting bingo back up but volunteers are needed to work. The proceeds from bingo each year, help meet the budget. We earn approximately \$800-\$1,000 per week from bingo. Please call the parish office if you can help.

### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday, 6:00 pm at St. Mary

(January through June)

6:00 pm at St. Theresa

(July through December)

Sunday, 8:30 am at St. Mary

Sunday, 10:30 am at St. Theresa



## Ministers for May 23rd at St. Theresa

### Lectors

Sun 10:30 am Paula Miles

At this time we will not be scheduling Eucharistic Ministers or Altar Servers.

We are asked not to have Children's Church until further notice. The weekly worksheets used for Children's Church are available in the back of church for the children to take home.

### Fatima Statue

May 16 - Ralph & Elaine Miller



May 23 -

The sign up sheet for the Fatima Statue is in the vestibule at St. Theresa. Sign-up for the dates of your choice to have the Fatima Statue in your home.

## St. Mary Magdalen of Pazzi Church

### Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday 8:30 a.m. Redmon Family +

Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Ruth Pike +

Saturday 6:00 p.m. St. Mary & St. Theresa Parishioners

Sunday 8:30 a.m. Maggie Waddle +

## St. Theresa Church

### Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Deceased of John & Viola Elder Family +

Thursday 8:30 a.m. Corbett, Leta & Chris Speaks +

Sunday 10:30 a.m. Rev. J. Ronald Knott

### Stewardship of Treasure

St. Mary Weekly goal	3,684.00
May 9th collection	4,292.63
OVER/UNDER minimum weekly goal	608.63
Cemetery Fund	1,160.00
Catholic World Missions	20.00
St. Theresa Weekly Goal	3,076.00
May 9th collection	2,041.00
OVER/UNDER minimum weekly goal	1,035.00
Cemetery Fund	349.00
The Record	20.00

Thank you for your stewardship sacrifice...  
it IS appreciated!

### What's Happening This Week

Sunday, May 16th

8:30 am Mass at St. Mary

10:30 am Mass at St. Theresa

7:00 pm Choir Practice for Fr. Knott's Jubilee at St. Theresa

Monday, May 17th

8:30 am Mass at St. Mary

9am-1pm, 5pm-9pm Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary

7:00 pm St. Mary Parish Council Meeting in St. Mary Hall

Tuesday, May 18th

8:30 am Mass at St. Theresa

6:30 pm Bible Study in Meade-Breck Center

7:00 pm St. Mary Finance Council Meeting at St. Mary

7:30 pm St. Theresa Finance Council Meeting at St. Mary

Wednesday, May 19th

6:30 pm Mass at St. Mary

Thursday, May 20th

8:30 am Mass at St. Theresa

Saturday, May 22nd

7:30 am Men's Prayer Group at St. Mary Gathering Space

6:00 pm Mass at St. Mary

Sunday, May 23rd

8:30 am Mass at St. Mary

10:30 am Mass at St. Theresa in honor of Rev. J. Ronald Knott's  
51st Jubilee

## First Holy Eucharist



Congratulations to the following children who will make their First Holy Communion this Sunday, May 16th.

### **at St. Mary Magdalen**

Jack Henry Barr      Mason Fackler  
Owen Rogers

### **at St. Theresa**

Parker Chism      Colin Stith  
Brantley Webb

## Fr. Ron Knott's Jubilee



Next Sunday, May 23rd, we will celebrate the 51st Jubilee of Father Ron Knott at the 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Theresa. The celebration was postponed last year due to COVID restrictions. Fr. Knott was ordained May 16, 1970.

**Choir Practice** - There will be choir practice at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, May 16, at St. Theresa for anyone wishing to help with music or singing for the jubilee celebration.

## Upcoming Meetings in May

**May 17 - 7:00 pm St. Mary Parish Council in St. Mary Hall**

**May 18 - 7:00 pm St. Mary Finance Council at St. Mary**  
**7:30 pm St. Theresa Finance Council at St. Mary**

**May 24 - 7:00 pm St. Theresa Parish Council in Parish Hall**

**May 26 - 7:00 pm Picnic Meeting at St. Mary Gathering Space**

## 70th Anniversary of Priesthood

Fr. Albert Wilson, former pastor at St. Theresa, was ordained on May 19, 1951 and will celebrate his 70th anniversary of priesthood this year. If you would like to send him a card, his address is: Nazareth Home, 2000 Newburg Road #312, Louisville, KY 40205-1803.

## From Archbishop Kurtz



In a letter dated April 30, 2021 from Archbishop Kurtz, he stated that in light of increased capacity allowed by the Commonwealth of Kentucky and the growing number of people who have been vaccinated, he will now allow parishes to begin to relax the distance between family groups to 3 feet. He emphasized the importance of facial coverings and ask that everyone continue to wear a mask. Because the 60% seating capacity remains insufficient to accommodate all the faithful, he will continue to dispense Catholics in the Archdiocese of Louisville from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days until further notice.

## Graduation Mass



We will be having our Graduation Mass on Sunday, June 6th, at both parishes. We will be honoring last year's graduating class of 2020, this year's upcoming graduating class of 2021, as well as graduating college students. We will need bio forms filled out and returned by May 26th. Forms are in the gathering space at both churches.

## Please Wear Your Mask



Mask wearing at Mass is required, not optional. The only exception to a parishioner wearing a mask would be a medical issue that precludes that individual from wearing one. Masks are available in the vestibule/Gathering Space if you don't have one.

## Adult Bible Study - The Gospel of Mark



Please join us as we explore the Gospel of Mark, starting Tuesdays, June 1 through July 27, from 6:30 to 8 p.m. We will be meeting somewhere at St. Theresa, actual location to be determined depending on the size of the group. No cost, but donations are gratefully accepted! To register, call or text Susan Sears at 270-272-4802.

## Red Cross Blood Mobile



The Red Cross Blood Mobile will have a Blood Drive on **Tuesday, June 1st**, from 3 to 7 p.m. at St. Mary Parish Hall. By appointment only! To make an appointment, please call or text Margaret McCoy at 270-668-4818.

## Lector Sign-up Sheet - July through December

Beginning July 3rd, the Saturday evening Mass will go back to St. Theresa through December. We are asking Lectors to sign up now for the dates of your choice from July through December. Sign-up sheet is in the vestibule/Gathering Space.

## Catholic World Missions Collection



**Our parishes will take up a special second collection on the weekend of May 22nd & 23rd for the Missions Collection** which supports the Catholic Home Missions and international missionary agencies such as the Propagation of the Faith. Your donations help the Church's missionary work, providing monetary assistance for the pastoral and evangelizing programs of the Church in the United States, Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and remote regions of Latin America. Donations fund the education and support of seminarians, religious novices, and lay catechists; the work of religious communities in education, health care, and social services; communication and transportation needs; disaster and emergency relief when necessary; and the Church's ministry of children.

## Crusade for Children

Since 1955, the Archdiocese of Louisville has contributed millions of dollars to the Crusade for Children. This community-wide effort changes the lives of children with special needs, and many families in the Archdiocese have benefited directly from the Crusade as have our schools, which receive grants to assist students with diverse learning needs. **On May 29th & 30th, our parishes will take up a special second collection for the Crusade for Children**, which will conduct its community-wide collection on June 5th & 6th. Those who wish to donate may bring their donation to Mass on May 29/30 or drop off at St. Mary Parish Office before June 1st. **Please make your check payable to the parish and put the word "crusade" in the memo line.** Please be generous!



**READINGS FOR SUNDAY, MAY 16**

Acts 1:1-11  
Ephesians 4:1-13  
Mark 16:15-20



**READINGS FOR SUNDAY, MAY 23**

Acts 2:1-11  
1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13  
John 20:19-23

**Internet Site for Liturgy Readings:**  
www.nccbuscc.org/nab



**Prayer Intention  
for the Week**

For the Church: that, empowered by the Spirit, we may faithfully give witness to the Gospel and continue Christ's mission of bringing hope and healing to all

**HOSPITAL AND HOMEBOUND MINISTRY  
PARISH DISPATCHERS**

**St. Mary:** Brenda Knott 270-497-4418

**St. Theresa:** Brenda Redman 270-496-4329



If you know someone who is ill, been admitted to the hospital, in need of a home visit or food, you are asked to notify our dispatcher. Likewise, **volunteers are needed** to visit those in the hospital, make home visits, send cards or prepare or deliver food. Please contact the dispatcher listed above or call the parish office, if you would like to help. This ministry is not simply for our parishioners but also for all in our community.



Please remember those in the hospital, the homebound and those in need of our prayers!

**Special Prayer Request for.....**

Edd Pike, Diann Shireman, Pat LaChance, Danny Hardesty, Doug Swink, Dawn Snider, Olivia Barr, Jason Rhodes, Dale Vessels, Johnny Vessels, Judy Miller, Marissa French, Jane Williams, Phillip Cooper, Mattie Yates, Audrey Stull, Rita Barr, Shelly LaTondress, Tanki Hoody, Michael Miller, Marty Webb, Charlene Stull, Tenley & Adley Ward, Karen Benock, Terri Nevitt, Hazel Hardesty, Shirley Price, Tucker Hall, Dean Bradley, Hassell Amburgey, Benji Stull, Marilyn Vessels, Tonya Claycomb, Bonnie Miller, Mary Franklin Vessels

*Note: Prayers cards are available in the back of church with a complete list of the sick and homebound in need of our prayers. Please call or email Kathy at the parish office to have names put on or taken off of the prayer list.*

**The Ascension of the Lord**

*"That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation resulting in knowledge of him."*  
Ephesians 1:17

We love and serve a god we cannot see, yet we see Him in everyone and everything around us. Being good stewards of all that is around us is how we show our love of God.

**Discussions**



**Meade County Catholic Radio-WLHN 95.3 FM** has a local talk show "**Discussions**" featuring a different guest each month. Tune in and listen! The show airs six days a week:

**5:00 p.m. on Mondays & Fridays**  
**9:00 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays**  
**11:00 a.m. on Wednesdays & Saturday**

Our current show features **Fr. David Farrell** from St. John the Apostle with his story about how he fell in love with Jesus. You can hear any past guest on You Tube. Search Meade County Catholic Radio and the monthly guests can be found.

**Address Changes**



So that we can keep our parishioner information up-to-date, please call or email the parish office when you have a change in address or phone number or if someone moves in or out of the household.

**Safe Environment Training**

The Archdiocese of Louisville is committed to ensuring that children and youth who worship, study or participate in church sponsored activities can do so in the safest and most secure setting possible. In an effort to fulfill this commitment, **all employees or volunteers who have contact with children or youth** (18 and under) for ANY lengthy of time are required to participate in one of the 2-hour Safe Environment Training Workshops. **At this time, the trainings are limited to 50 individuals. All trainings are first come/first served. No advance registration is necessary.** The next scheduled are:

**May 19 - 6:30 p.m. St. Gabriel**, Gymnasium, 5505 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291

**June 1 - 6:30 p.m. St. Gabriel**, Gymnasium, 5505 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291

**June 14 - 6:30 p.m. St. Albert**, Parish Life Center, 1395 Girard Drive, Louisville, KY 40222

**June 15 - 6:30 p.m. St. Joseph Catholic Church**, Parish Hall, 310 W. Stephen Foster Avenue, Bardstown, KY 40004

**Please note: Masks are required.** Participants must wear a mask for entry into the training. Masks will be available if you don't have one. It is advisable to arrive at least 15 minutes before training to complete paperwork. No one under the age of 17 are allowed to attend these meetings, including infants.

For the latest schedule of training or for more information, go to:  
<https://www.archlou.org/about-the-archdiocese/archdiocesan-policies-guidelines-and-handbooks/restoringtrust/safe/>