

PRIOR SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

Weekend of Aug. 9—\$2,956 ACUE-\$116.00, Weekend of Aug. 16-\$1,589

MASS SCHEDULE		
(L=Living, † =Deceased)		
TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
Sat. Aug. 22	5:00 PM	For † Eugene Bach
Sun. Aug. 23	9:00 AM	For the Living and Deceased People of Our Parish
Mon. Aug. 24	XXX	NO PUBLIC MASS
Tue. Aug. 25	8:00 AM	For Michelle Fariello
Wed. Aug. 26	8:00 AM	For Tyler McKinney
Thur. Aug. 27	8:00 AM	For † Sr. Georgia Marie Messingschlager
Fri. Aug. 28	8:00 AM	For Rie Noll
TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
Sat. Aug. 29	5:00 PM	For † Ruth Elbert
Sun. Aug. 30	9:00 AM	For the Living and Deceased People of Our Parish

PRAYER LIST—Kate & Colton Sherold, Jeff suffering from Meniere’s disease, Tony Bach, Andy Sper, Billie Huffman, Roger High, Sherry Jackson, Sarah Gripshover, Bill Schneider (at Dominion), Wanda Bach, Maverick Orth , Daniel Cahill, Pax Minch, Todd Kloentrup, Gina Cooper, Tom and Connie Breeze, Valetta Proctor, Melba Hauser, Larry Cappel, Mary Beth Feldmann, Griffin Cornell, Jeff Piehl, Annamarie Schroeder, Jody Rodriguez, Aiden Magee, Jeff Groneck, Carl Rebholz, Eric Thomas Sr., Roman Lee Ralston, Doug Russell, Cameo Bach, Virginia Gripshover, Dennis McNay, Dan Blye, Mary Miller, Rita and Bill Funke, Katie Messingschlager, and Rie Noll.

BIRTHDAYS-Aug. 6-Anthony Jude Eten, Aug. 13-Teresa Grant, Aug. 17-Andy Redmond, Aug. 19-Matthew Broering, Aug. 22-Cheyenne Kiser, Aug. 24-Angie Huffman, Aug. 25-Grace Moore, Aug. 27-Brian Moore, Aug. 30-Brad Cooper

ANNIVERSARIES-Aug. 4-Dennis and Brenda Baker

LECTOR- August 23-Bill Funke, August 30-Andrea Hummel, Sept. 6-Lisa Cooper, Sept. 13-Linda Fryman

CLEANING –August-Tim and JoAnn Schlachter

Please send any requests for prayers or memorials to the parish email or call to make a request. If anyone’s birthday or anniversary is not listed, let Linda Fryman know. 859-240-2377.



SAINT MATTHEW CHURCH

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Mass Schedule:
Saturdays – 5:00 PM Sundays – 9:00 AM
Weekdays [Tue through Fri] – 8 AM Holy Days– 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM

Confession Times:
Saturdays – 4:00-4:45 PM Sundays – 8:00-8:45 AM

Parish Staff and Volunteers
Religious Education – Lindsay Rawe (859) 250-7415
Bulletin/Prayer List – Linda Fryman (859) 240-2377
Parish History/Cemetery Info – Patty Neuspickel (859) 472-2508

THE TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 23, 2026

TWO LITERS NEEDED— Please bring in two liters for the ring toss that is coming back this year due to popular demand. If possible, please bring more brand named drinks. More people play that way.

NEXT FESTIVAL MEETING— The next festival meeting will be Wednesday, **August 26**, at 6:30PM downstairs in the parish hall. Please try to come. We value everyone's input.

FESTIVAL SIGN UP SHEETS -Sheets are available in the back of church. Please sign up if you intend to volunteer! This is part of an effort to more effectively schedule volunteers for particular booths or jobs at particular times. This helps with covering things well, but also gives people a chance to enjoy some festival fun time for themselves, so they're not just continually "covering where needed" (which is always appreciated too!)

DOMESTIC NEEDS OFFERING-Next weekend, the Domestic Needs Collection, one of our Diocesan Special Combined Collections, will be conducted in every parish and mission throughout our 14 counties. Gifts to this one Collection fund the ministries of six Catholic Appeals as they work to strengthen the Church and Her people here in the United States.

DPAA- This is just for your consideration. You may recall that this year the diocese asked each parish to begin a new goal for the DPAA called a **"Participation Goal."** This was to encourage new, including young, families to begin their tradition of giving to the DPAA. While we have met our parish pledge goal, I wanted to share with you that we are at 27 donors. That is 8 short of our Participation Goal of 35. It would be neat to meet our goal, especially being so close. So, especially if you're an individual or family that has never given before, please consider doing so. Please call the parish office for details or see covdio.org.

CCD SIGNUPS— Forms for signing up for CCD classes with the tentative schedule for the year will be in the back of church. Please fill out the sign-up sheet information for each student in your family and return it to Lindsay Rawe . Please see Lindsay for any questions.

CCD SNACK SHEET SIGN UPS-It is our custom to bring snacks and drinks for everyone to share after Mass and before the CCD class begins. If you would like to volunteer to do this one week, please sign the sheet in the back of church. For questions see Lindsay Rawe. Thanks.

HOLY CROSS INDIAN SUMMER FESTIVAL-Holy Cross High School's 36th Indian Summer Festival will be on Friday, August 28th, from 6:00 pm to 12:00 midnight & Saturday, August 29th, from 5:30 pm to 12:00 midnight on the Holy Cross campus, 36th & Church Streets, Lato-
nia. Live music on Friday by Doghouse and on Saturday by Gee, Your Band Smells Terrific. Great food, beer, games, booths, prizes, inflatables, kiddie land and grand prize raffle of \$10,000. **NEW for 2026 RIDES** from Ohio Carnival Company. All profits benefit Holy Cross High School. For grand prize raffle tickets or more information visit our website at www.holycrossfest.com or call 859-431-1335.

Vatican II Workshop: Proclaiming the Joy and Hope of Christ to the Modern World!!! *Joy and Hope of Christ to the Modern World."* Presented by **Prof. Lucas Pollice**, Chief Mission Officer for the Diocese of Colorado Springs, this day of formation will explore the enduring vision of the Second Vatican Council and its relevance for evangelization and catechesis today. The workshop will be held from **8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** at **Thomas More University's Ziegler Auditorium (Academic Center)**. Clergy, parish catechetical leaders, OCIA directors & coordinators, principals, Catholic Schoolteachers, catechists, Homeschoolers, Bible study Groups, Rosary Groups, Coaches, Parents & Grandparents, and all those involved in catechetical ministry throughout the Diocese of Covington are encouraged to attend. Please register by **Friday, October 23, 2026**. Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information, contact **Isaak Abraham Isaak** at iisaak@covdio.org or **859-392-1529**.

FESTIVAL NEEDS- Once again, we will begin to gather items downstairs that will be in the bag raffles at the festival. Please bring in new or like new used items and leave them on the tables downstairs. You can even ask businesses you frequent for gift cards, too. Gift cards are very popular. We will have empty laundry baskets for you to take home and fill with groceries, gift cards for groceries, themed baskets with baby items or whatever you would like. They will be raffled off at the festival. Thanks for all you do!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEEDS— We partner with the St. Vincent de Paul Society at St. Cecilia and do several collections to help them out throughout the year. They called this week with their current needs. These needs are canned corn, green beans, tomato soup, chicken noodle soup, canned fruit, tuna fish, and jars of gravy and jelly. If you would like to help them restock their pantry, bring in your items and set them over by the baptismal font so we know they are not festival items. Thanks so much.