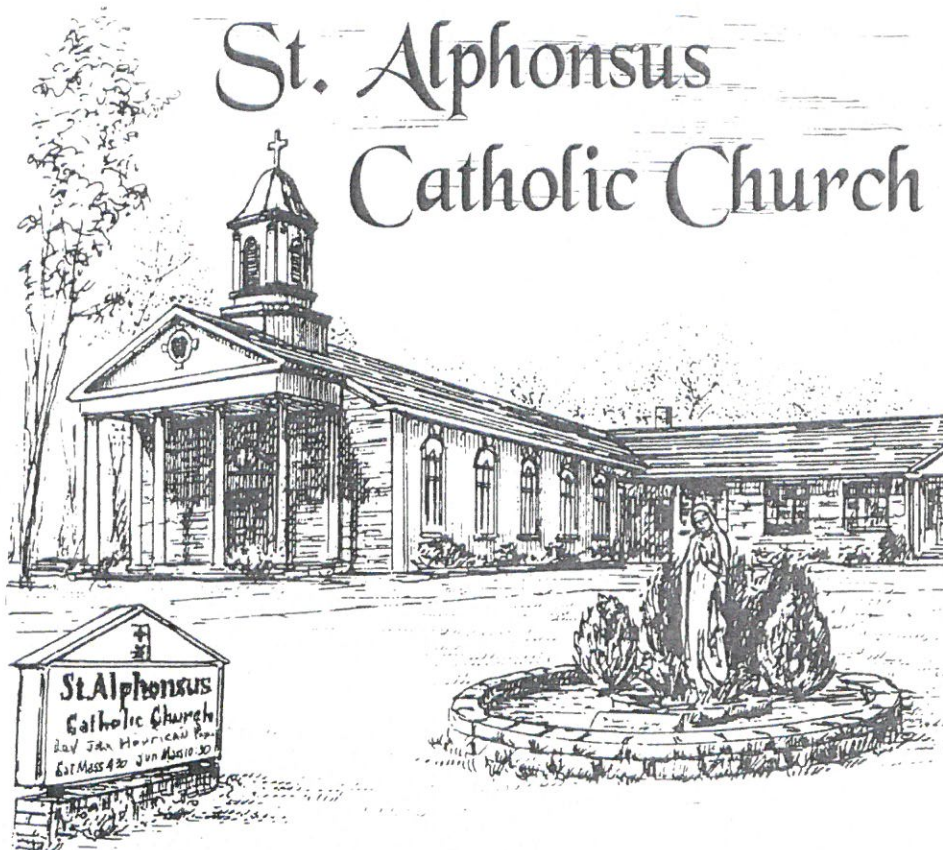


St. Alphonsus Catholic Church



Covington, Tennessee

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Parish Office

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Monday – Thursday

9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

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Rectory

(901) 476-0374

Devotions at St. Alphonsus

Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday & Saturday of
each month following
the 8:30 a.m. Mass

Rosary

First Saturday at 8:00 a.m.

Sunday morning at 10:05 a.m.

Rev. Martin Orjianioko, Pastor

St. Alphonsus Daily Masses

Tuesday ~ 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday & Thursday ~ 12:00 noon

Friday and Saturday ~ 8:30 a.m.

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil ~ 4:30 p.m., St. Alphonsus

Sunday Morning ~ 8:30 a.m., Ave Maria

Sunday Morning ~ 10:30 a.m., St. Alphonsus

Holy Days: The Mass schedule for Holy Days of Obligation is published inside the bulletin.

Ripley, Tennessee

664 S. Washington St. (SR 209)

Just South of the Hwy. 19 Junction

Ripley, TN

Sacraments

Confession: Saturday at 4:00 p.m.

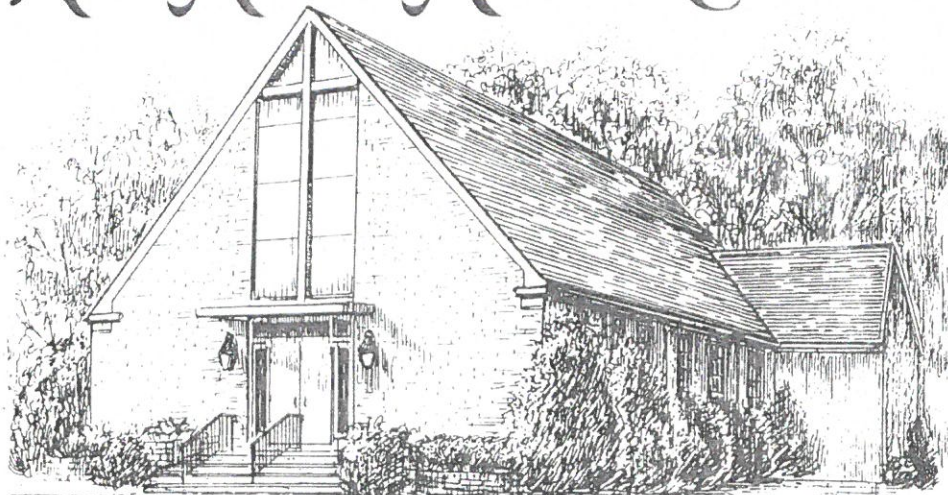
Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

Ave Maria: Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

or by appointment

Call the Parish Office to schedule an
appointment for Baptism, Confession
or Marriage preparation

Ave Maria Mission Church





Mass Times and Intentions for the Week

Saturday	10/21	4:30 p.m.	For the People of St. Alphonsus
Sunday	10/22	8:30 a.m.	+Mary Jergens by Bob & Billie Hutchins
Sunday	10/22	10:30 a.m.	For the People of Ave Maria & St. Alphonsus
Tuesday	10/24	7:00 p.m.	For Thanksgiving for Josephine King's birthday - Anonymous
Wednesday	10/25	12:00 p.m.	For Mr. & Mrs. Nick Belisomo
Thursday	10/26	12:00 noon	+Rinaldo & Kay Grisanti by Mr. & Mrs. Nick Belisomo
Friday	10/27	8:30 a.m.	For Traffic Victims
Saturday	10/28	8:30 a.m.	For Victims of Fire in California

Liturgical Ministers

Date:	October 21	October 22	October 22	October 28	October 29	October 29
Mass:	4:30 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	4:30 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Lector:	C. Jacobs	S. Matras	G. Buda	G. Buda	J. Pavletic	J. Powell
Eucharist:	S. Burkhardt	J. Pavletic	J. Prizina	J. Prizina	S. Farris	K. Cross
Eucharist:	M. Folden		K. Ferguson	M. Folden		J. Terry
E. M. Loft:			L. Lind			K. Ferguson
Server:	K. Sass	J. Fritz	T. Daley	K. Sass	J. Fritz	J. Daley
Server:	J. Schaefer	M. Fritz	Alejandro Garcia	J. Schaefer	M. Fritz	Luis Marquez
Server:	E. Teer	J. Fritz	Aldo Moreno	C. Jacobs	J. Fritz	W. D. Knight
Server:			A. Calvet			
Ushers:	Volunteer	G. Hallock	Volunteer	Volunteer	D. Williams	Volunteer
Collections:	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Gifts:	Volunteer	G. & L. Hallock	Volunteer	Volunteer	D. & K. Williams	Volunteer

Volunteers for October 28, 2017

Volunteers for November 4, 2017

Church: Volunteer	Altar Linens: J. Brower	Church: Volunteer	Altar Linens: M. Folden
Parish Hall: E. Teer	Lawn: Volunteers	Parish Hall: Volunteer	Lawn: Volunteers

Please Pray for Our Parishioners:

Rosemarie Aird, Sr. Doris Blum, Mike, Jason Brower, Jerry Bryant, Juanita Buda, Peter Burkhardt, Mary DiBiasi, Dixie Duncan, Elizabeth, John Folden, Joe Francis, Natasha Gray, Lana Harbin, Pat Haynes, Carmen Jones, Becky Kahl, Joe King, Marge Knight, W. D. Knight, Nancy Lind, Maria McConnell, Barbara McKay, Jerry & Rose Mills, Eleanor Nunn, Pat Pankey, Elaine Perry, Elaina Prizina, Lynda Rogers, Barbara Schneider, Jack & Joan Smith, Frank Stephens, Cyburn Sullivan, Dottie Wellbrock,

Our Loved Ones:

Eva Adams, Wendi Allen, Amanda Barnes Family, William Barrett, James & Robin Barnett, Palma Borgognoni, Juanita Brannon, Debbie Brock, Patti Butner, Joe Bynum, Christina Cahaly, Paul Casagrande, Mary Christy, Patrick Christy, Darlene Cross, Liz Crosslin, Claude Diotte, Cass Douglas, Adah Eakin, Karri Flannigan, Philip Galaska, Kathy & Rhonda Gentry, Lackey, Gloria Louimet, Gilmore, Linda Gray, Dot & Elizabeth Griffin, Jennifer Gross, Philip Harbin, Renate Hirschmann, Patsy Hoffman, Lisa Hogan, Carrie & Craig Horwath, Peter Hubicki, Bob Hutchins, Lisa Hutton, Luanne Jergens, Christie Johnson, Mode Jones, Judy Kovach, Jacob LeFils, Paul M. Lyon, Diane Maness, Debbie Marshall, Kevin Matras, Dennis Meredith, Charlie Moss, Kim Pavletic, Sandra Pellegren, Chris Plourde, David Powell, Beverly Pratt, Joan Robertson, Mary Schaefer, , Mibong Shin, James Smith, Carmen Sosa, Sam Stitt, Ray & Yelba Stevenson, Betsy Sullivan, C.H. Sullivan IV, Peter Vanderven Scharrol Wansley, Tina Weaver, Donna Williams, Steve & Tracy Williams, Gale Wilson, Earl Yeomans

And Our Priests Who are Ill:

Fr. John Hourican *Fr. James Murphy* *Fr. Jolly Sebastian*
Fr. Bryan Timby *Fr. Robert Ponticello*

Please notify the church office to add or remove someone from the lists. **Also, call 476-8140 to let us know if you, or a family member, are admitted to the hospital.**

Readings for October 23, - October 29, 2017

Monday, October 23-St. John of Capistrano, Priest
 Rom 4:20-25; (Ps) Lk 1:69-75; Lk 12:12-21

Tuesday, October 24-St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop
 Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday, October 25
 Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1-8; Lk 12:39-48

Thursday, October 26
 Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 12:49-53

Friday, October 27
 Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:60, 68, 76-77, 93-94; Lk 12:54-59

Saturday, October 28-Sts. Simon & Jude, Apostles
 Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16

Sunday, October 29
 Ex 22:20-26; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; Mt 22:34-40

October 22 is World Mission Sunday, for your convenience you will find envelopes in the Narthex

THIS WEEK AT ST. ALPHONSUS & AVE MARIA

SUNDAY, October 22

8:30 a.m. – Mass at Ave Maria
8:45 a.m. – PRE
10:05 a.m. – Rosary at St. Alphonsus
10:30 a.m. – Mass at St. Alphonsus followed by coffee & donuts
12:30 p.m. – Legion of Mary Recruitment

TUESDAY, October 24

10:00 a.m. – Friends of the Poor at St. Alphonsus
6:30 p.m. – Evening Prayers followed with Mass

WEDNESDAY, October 25

10:15 a.m. – The Legion of Mary at St. Alphonsus
7:00 p.m. – RCIA

THURSDAY, October 26

5:30 p.m. –Choir Practice

SATURDAY, October 28

4:00 p.m. – Sacrament of Reconciliation at St. Alphonsus
4:30 p.m. – Vigil Mass
5:45 p.m. – Knights of Columbus Recruitment

SUNDAY, October 29

8:30 a.m. – Mass at Ave Maria
8:45 a.m. – PRE
10:05 a.m. – Rosary at St. Alphonsus
10:30 a.m. – Mass at St. Alphonsus followed by coffee & donuts
12:30 p.m. – Knights of Columbus Recruitment

2nd Collection

World Mission Sunday

Last Week's Attendance

St. Alphonsus

4:30 p.m. Vigil Mass: 36 adults & 4 children
10:30 a.m. Mass: adults & children

Ave Maria

8:30 a.m. Mass: adults & children

Oct. 15, 2017	St. Alphonsus	Ave Maria	S.A. 2016	A.M. 2016
Budget	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 365.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 365.00
Regular	\$ 1979.00	\$ 226.00	\$ 1761.00	\$ 183.00
Capital	\$ 2648.00	\$ 128.00	\$ 548.00	\$ 60.00
Food Pantry	\$ 60.00	---	\$ 60.00	---
Friends Poor	\$ 500.00	---	---	---

This Week's Birthdays

Lenard Bergen 10/24 Emily Gray 10/25 Sandy Burkhardt 10/10

Knights of Columbus

Will have a membership drive on Saturday, October 28 after 4:30 Mass and Sunday October 29 after Mass in the parish hall. Please stop by and learn about the Knights of Columbus

The altar flowers at Ave Maria are from the garden of Mrs. Mary Ellen Poynter

The altar flowers at St. Alphonsus are provided by Keith & Pat Ferguson in honor of their son's birthday Keith T. Ferguson

If you are interested in providing the altar flowers as a memorial, or for another special occasion, please sign-up in the narthex.

Mass Hymns for October 22, 2017

Bold is for St. Alphonsus () is for Ave Maria

Entrance: **422** (506) All the Earth
Offertory: **594** (517) Christ, Be Our Light
Communion: **336** (400) Eat this Bread
Recessional: **428** (520) You Are My God

Pope Francis' October Prayer Intention: Workers and the Unemployed

That all workers may receive respect and protection of their rights, and that the unemployed may receive the opportunity to contribute to the common good.



St. Salome, Mother of the Apostles James and John: God, You alone are holy and without You no one is good. Through the intercession of St. Salome, grant that we may so live as not to be deprived of Your glory. Amen. *Lives of the Saints*

Holy Day of Obligation

The following Masses will be celebrated for All Saints Day, *which is a holy day of obligation:*

Tuesday, October 31

6:00 p.m. Vigil at Ave Maria

Wednesday, November 1

8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. at St. Alphonsus

All Souls' Day Masses

The following Masses will be celebrated for All Souls' Day on Thursday, November 2

12:00 noon & 7:00 p.m. at St. Alphonsus

All Souls' Day envelopes, which can be found at the church exits or in the pews, may be placed in any collection or brought to the parish office.

St. Alphonsus/Ave Maria Oktoberfest

Your all invited to attend the churches Annual Oktoberfest on October 29th following Mass, behind the parish hall. Please bring a lawn chair and a jacket. The Knights of Columbus will supply hamburgers, hotdogs, brats, and drinks. If possible bring a side dish or desert, but not required.

Eucharistic Adoration

On Friday, **November 3**, Eucharistic Adoration will immediately follow the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Sign up in the narthex. On Sat., **November 5**, the Rosary will be prayed at 8:00 a.m., followed by Mass at 8:30 and Adoration until 3:45 p.m.

Legion of Mary

We are looking for a few good warriors for Christ. Come join our Holy Mother and her legion to regenerate the world in Jesus Christ. It is time to take your place in the ranks of her legion. There will be a table set up at 12:30 pm, please stop by with any questions or information needed. You can also contact Pat Haynes at 476-8697 or Kay Bergen at 476-6614

"Thought for Prayer"- People don't do anything until they are inspired. But once they are inspired there is almost nothing they will not do." From Dynamic Catholics "**Teach, Lead, Serve**"

Medical Mission trip in Nigeria

Come with us for a life changing opportunity to impact the lives of others. Our trip includes cultural experience, mission projects, and hands on work. No medical qualifications are required. One of the hospitals will be one that Sister Deborah works. We will be leaving for Nigeria, January 4 thru January 16, 2018 this is based on flight schedules. The cost is to be determined on how many volunteers we have. Interested persons should contact the parish office at 901-476-8140.

Save the Date for the 2017 Annual Christmas Party

On Sunday, December 10, the St. Alphonsus / Ave Maria Christmas Party will be held at the United Methodist Church Christian Life Center in Covington

Our Lady Queen of Peace Retreat Center

This Year's theme will focus on the sustaining gift of peace that passes human understanding. It is a gift that is not dependent on circumstances but on the promises of the Trinity itself.

October 20-22, 2017 Women's Retreat -
2017, Men's Retreat

November 10-12,

February 9-11, 2018 Women's Retreat
2018, Men's Retreat

February 23-25,

March 9-11, 2018 Women's Retreat
Men's Retreat

March 13-15

April 13-15, 2018 Women's Retreat

August 10-12, & 17-19, 2018 Women's Retreat

Flyer and registration forms are available in the parish office.

4th Degree Knights of Columbus Meeting

The 4th degree K of C will have a social meeting on Monday, October 23.

ALTAR SOCIETY

All women of St. Alphonsus and Ave Maria are members of the Altar Society. We need your help with the Fall Bazaar. Any assistance is greatly appreciated. Please contact LeeAnne Pesnell (904)955-2201 or Kathy Matras (731)635-7394

Are you called to the Priesthood or Religious Vocation: Reflections for the Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Give to God what is God's." You belong to Christ and Christ is God's! How will you respond to so great a love? Is He asking you to follow Him by serving in the priesthood or consecrated life? Call Father Patrick Gallagher at (901) 323-3817 or write: VocationsDirector@vocations.cdom.org.

For a growth in reverence for the gift and mystery of vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life and a readiness to give to God what is God's in response to His call, we pray to the Lord.

Decimonoveno Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario -- 22 de octubre de 2017

Para que crezca la reverencia al don y misterio de las vocaciones al sacerdocio y la vida consagrada y la buena disposición para dar a Dios lo que es de Dios en respuesta a su llamado. Roguemos al Señor.

GREAT NEWS!!! We Just Updated

Our eGiving!

Take a Look and Enjoy the Convenience of Electronic Giving

St. Alphonsus/Ave Maria wants to remind parishioners that we offer electronic giving as a way to automate your regular weekly offering. Electronic giving offers convenience for individual congregation members and provides much-needed donation consistency for our congregation.

Direct Debit Giving is used to automatically transfer funds from your checking or savings account to the church's bank account.

Online Giving lets you go to www.stalphonsuscovington.org at any time to set up an automatic donation plan, change your donation plan, make a one-time donation or view your online donation history.

As you contemplate future contributions, please consider electronic giving. Authorization forms and additional information is available from the church office. We can help set you up.