



# SAINT ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Covington, Tennessee

# AVE MARIA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ripley, Tennessee

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July 31, 2022

The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## MASS SCHEDULE

### SAINT ALPHONSUS

Saturday Vigil	4:30 pm
Sunday	10:30 am

### AVE MARIA

Sunday	8:30am
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### SAINT ALPHONSUS Daily

Monday	12:00 pm
Tuesday	12:00 pm
Wednesday	12:00 pm
Friday	8:30 am
Saturday	8:30 am

## SACRAMENTS

### SAINT ALPHONSUS

#### Confession

Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday	10:00 am

### AVE MARIA

Sunday	8:00 am
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or by appointment

Baptism or Marriage preparation

Call for appointment

## DEVOTIONS

### SAINT ALPHONSUS

#### Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday and First Saturday of each month following 8:30 am Mass

#### Rosary

First Saturday	8:00 am
Sunday morning	10:05 am

## ST. ALPHONSUS & AVE MARIA MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of St. Alphonsus & Ave Maria Parishes is to proclaim and share the Gospel of Jesus Christ and His Church through liturgy, education, community service, social events, and witness for Christ who has blessed our lives in the larger community of Tipton & Lauderdale Counties and beyond. Our parish life is centered on the Eucharist during which we celebrate, in joy, the presence of the Risen Lord among us.

## What's Happening this Week!

### Saturday, Jul 30

4:30 pm Vigil Mass

### Sunday, Jul 31

8:30 am Mass - Ave Maria

10:05 am Rosary - St. Alphonsus

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### Monday, Aug 01 Feast of St. Alphonsus

6:00 pm Bible Study Summer Break

### Tuesday, Aug 02

9:00 am Friends of the Poor/Food Pantry

### Wednesday, Aug 03

10:15 am Legion of Mary

### Thursday, Aug 04

10:30 am Bible Study Summer Break

4:00 pm Choir

### Friday, Aug 05 First Friday- Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 am St. Parasceva Crocheting/Knitting Ministry

### Saturday, Aug 06 The Transfiguration of the Lord

First Saturday-Eucharistic Adoration



*Quote by St. Alphonsus:*

*Acquire the habit of speaking to God as if you were alone with Him, familiarly and with confidence and love, as to the dearest and most loving of friends.*

### SAINT ALPHONSUS

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Mailing Address • PO Box 430 • Covington, Tennessee 38019

Parish Office 901.476.8140 • FAX 901.476.9650 • Rectory 901.501.6105

### AVE MARIA

(just South of Highway 19 junction)  
664 S. Washington St. (SR 209) • Ripley, Tennessee





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Liturgical Ministers				
	Lectors	Servers	Sacristans	Extra Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers
Jul 30	L. Pesnell	K. Sass	E. Teer	B. Wellbrock
		J. Schaefer		
		J. Watkins		
Jul 31	C. Clark	EP. Moreno	J. Buda	K. Clark
	J. Terry	J. Jasper		E. Teer
		C. Buda		G. Buda/Loft
Aug 06	E. Teer	K. Sass	A. Calvet	A. Calvet
		J. Schaefer		
		J. Watkins		
Aug 07	C. Jones	Ju. Walker	E. Teer	R. Wheeler
	J. Terry	N. Gogel		J. Tankersley
		M. Buda		R. TankersleyLoft

Attendance Last Week				
Jun 12	St. Alphonsus		Ave Maria	
	Adult	Children	Adult	Children
4:30 pm	44	1		
8:30 Mass			25	3
10:30 Mass	46	15		

**Sunday 2nd Collection:  
None**

**August 7th NEXT WEEK'S  
Maintenance**


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Mass Intentions			
Saturday	7/30	4:30 pm	For Special Intention
Sunday	7/31	8:30 am	For the Parishioners of Ave Maria
Sunday	7/31	10:30 am	For the Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
Monday	8/01	12:00 pm	+Mike Brower by Juanita & Gary Buda
Tuesday	8/02	12:00 pm	+Brother Knight Mike Yarbrough by K of C
Wednesday	8/03	12:00 pm	Fr. John Hourican by Juanita & Gary Buda
Friday	8/05	8:30 am	+Jack Haywood by Angela & BJ Price
Saturday	8/06	8:30 am	+Mike Yarbrough by Dave & Andrea Hessling

Jul 03, 2022	Saint Alphonsus	Ave Maria	Saint Alphonsus 2021	Ave Maria 2021
Budget	\$ 2,615.00	\$ 581.00	\$ 2,615.00	\$ 490.00
Regular	\$ 1,855.00	\$ 336.00	\$ 2,125.00	\$ 327.00
<b>YTD SURPLUS (Jul-Jul) 4 wk.</b>	<b>\$975.00</b>	<b>\$171.00</b>	<b>\$ -1,938.00</b>	<b>\$ -258.00</b>
Friends of the Poor	\$ 200.00	\$	\$ 00.00	\$
Food Pantry	\$ 00.00	\$	\$	\$

Volunteers				
	Church	Parish Hall	Altar Linens	Lawn
Aug 6	M. Lombardo	J. Walker	R. Wheeler	Hayden/Brown
Aug 13	L. Pesnell	K. Clark	R. Wheeler	Buda/Watkins
Aug 20	T. Clowes	R. Esquivel	R. Wheeler	Gobellan/Moreno

**Prayer for the sick and those in need:**

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole and free downcast spirits. May these special people find lasting health and deliverance, and so join us in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believed. Amen.



**“Life does not consist in abundance of possessions ”**  
 If simplicity of life and the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience especially attract you, discover that life as a priest, sister or brother

Visit:  
[www.memphisvocations.com](http://www.memphisvocations.com)  
 Or call the Office of Vocations at 373 - 1244

*Please Pray*



Our Ill Priests	
Fr. John Hourican	Fr. Bryan Timby
Fr. Jolly Sebastian	Fr. Robert Ponticello

Our Loved Ones	
Shirley Arnold	Terry Jergens
James & Robin Barnett	Christie Johnson
Tim Baltz	Mary&Michael Johnson
William Barrett	Ester Jones
Joe Bergen	Mode Jones
Daniel Borrego	Jerry Kay
Virginia Bowden	Cynthia/Ed Kilpatrick
Jane Bringle	Phillis King
Darlene Brooks	Judy Kovach
Dan Browers	Cindy Lavelli
Daniel Buda	Dietmar Linden
Dave Buda	Susana Linden
Joe Bynum	Linda Medford
Christina Cahaly	Danny Miller
Angela Canady	Ronnie Nipp
Patrick Christy	Sally Paulus
Lottie Crofton	Joe Pavletic
Bella Crosby	Tom Pavletic
Liz Crosslin	Sandra Pellegren
Bobbie Jean Crouse	William Perry
Lillie Daves	Beverly Pratt
Dixie Duncan	Joan Robertson
Michael Ellis	Allan Rose
Rob Engel	Russom Family
Willie Ferrell	Mike Sadler
Karri Flannigan	Mary Schaefer
Holliebeth Flowers	Kerry Short
Ella Forkum	Andrea Stafford
Tammy Freeman	Sam Stitt
Kathy & Ronda Gentry	Jay St. John
Elizabeth Guntert	Cathy Stowers
Pam Grimsley	Toni Swindell
John Hardesty	Jennifer Tidwell
Shannon Heindel	Peter Vanderven
Kay Hernandez	Meredith Veeder
Gunther Hitchcock/family	Mr. & Mrs. J. Watkins
Lisa Hogan	Donna Williams
Betty Hopper	Steve Williams
Lisa Hutton	Coila Winters

Our Parishioners	
Leonard Bergen	Maria McConnell
Jerry Bryant	Jerry & Rose Mills
Peter Burkhardt	Eleanor Nunn
Florinda Clark/Family	Doloris Pfountz
Kay & Gene Cross	Lynda Rogers
Ellen Daily	Holly Schaefer
Jack Duff	Barbara Schneider
Derek Durham	Joan Smith
John Folden	Cyburn Sullivan
Jim & Lois Hayden	Elizabeth Sullivan
Pat Haynes	Annette Tustin
Billie Hutchins	Patton Williams
Beverly Jiminez	Irma Wilson de Roze
Lenny Lind	

**Readings for Aug 01 -Aug 07**

Monday-St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop,  
 Doctor of the Church  
 Jer 28:1-17 Ps 119:29-102 Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday-St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop  
 Jer 30:1-22 Ps 102:16-29 Mt 14:22-36

Wednesday  
 Jer 31:1-7 (Ps) Jer 31:10-13 Mt 15:21-28

Thursday -St. John Vianney, Priest  
 Jer 31:1-31-34 Ps 51:12-19 Mt 16:13-23

Friday  
 Na 2:1-7 (Ps) Dt 32:35-41 Mt 16:24-28

Saturday-The Transfiguration of the Lord  
 Dn 7:9-14 Ps 97:1-9 2Pt 1:16-19 Lk 9:28-36

Sunday-19th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Wis 18:6-9 Ps 33:1-22 heb 11:1-19  
 Lk 12:32-48

**July-Pope’s Prayer Intention: *For those living thru old age***  
 Let us pray for the elderly, that they may become teachers of tenderness so that their experience and wisdom may help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.”

# UPCOMING EVENTS

**CHURCH KEYS**– With the Fiscal Year ending on June 30th and new office personnel an inventory of Church keys is being conducted. If you have a church key please come to or call the Parish Office.

## Rite of Christian Iniation (RCIA)

If you are interested in learning about the Catholic Faith or becoming Catholic please join us for the RCIA classes.

Classes will begin on Tuesday August 23rd at 6 p.m. Contact the Parish Office for more details.

**St. Parasceva Crocheting/Knitting Ministry** meets on the 1st & 3rd Friday of the month following Mass. Come and join us in helping others, fellowship & fun!

## PILGRIMAGE TO ISRAEL

Bishop David is welcoming 20 more disciples to visit and tour Israel with him Feb 6 thru Feb 19.



Contact Maggie McDaniel 419-290-8782

## St. Therese's Altar Society

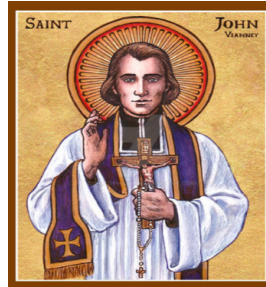
### Annual Fall Bazaar

The bazaar is held at the end of October with crafts, baked goods, second hand store and a silent auction. This bazaar supports our Sanctuary Altar. A leader is needed to direct, organize, and coordinate all aspects for the bazaar. If you are interested please contact the parish office.

## BIBLE STUDY

St. Augustine Bible Study on Catholic Customs, Practices and Traditions will begin on Monday August 22 at 6 p.m.

POC is Beth Teer 901-605-7337



Holy Mass offered for Our Priests  
Thursday, August 4th  
*The Feast of St. John Vianney*  
Rosary 5:45 p.m.  
Mass 6:00 p.m.  
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church

*Sponsored by the St. John Vianney Prayer Cenacle of Memphis*

## PRE REGISTRATION

PRE registration has started for this upcoming year 2022-2023. Please register your youth on the following Sundays– 7/24, 7/31, 8/7 and 8/21.

Classes will start on Sunday August 21st.



## Happy Birthday!

Thomas Bottoms 8/01

Chloe Buda 8/03

Jamie Brower 8/04

Consider offering or attending Mass, or visiting a church to pray before the Blessed Sacrament for yourself or a loved one's birthday, thanking God *for the gift of family and life.*

If you would like to have your name added to the birthday list please call the parish office.