



# SAINT ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Covington, Tennessee

# AVE MARIA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ripley, Tennessee

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**October 23, 2022**

**The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Green**

## 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!

<b>Monday, Oct 24</b>	
6:00 pm	St. Augustine Bible Study
<b>Tuesday, Oct 25</b>	
9:00 am	Friends of the Poor/Food Pantry
1:00 pm	Tiny Blessings Ministry
6:00 pm	RCIA
<b>Wednes, Oct 26</b>	
10:15 am	Legion of Mary
<b>Thursday, Oct 27</b>	
10:30 am	St. Robert Bellarmine Bible Study
4:00 pm	Choir Practice
<b>Friday, Oct 28</b>	
9:15 am	St. Parasceva Crocheting/Knitting Ministry
<b>Saturday, Oct 29 NO MORNING MASS</b>	
4:30 pm	Vigil Mass
<b>Sunday, Oct 30</b>	
8:30 am	Mass- Ave Maria
8:45 am	PRE Classes- St. Alphonsus
10:05 am	Rosary- St. Alphonsus
10:30 am	Mass-St. Alphonsus



*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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AVE MARIA

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## Liturgical Ministers

	Lectors	Servers	Sacristans	Extra Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers
Oct 22	S. Stegall	A. Calvet	A. Calvet	B. Wellbrock
		J. Schaefer		
Oct 23	G. Buda	A. Moreno	M. Griffis	J. Buda
	J. Wheeler	M. Buda		R. Wheeler
		N. Gogel		R. Tankersley/Loft
Oct 29	E. Teer	K. Sass	A. Calvet	A. Calvet
		J. Watkins		
		J. Schaefer		
Oct 30	J. Terry	A. Calvet	J. Buda	E. Teer
	G. Buda	E. Moreno		J. Tankersley
		C. Buda		R. Tankersley/Loft

## Attendance Last Week

Aug 14th	St. Alphonsus		Ave Maria	
	Adult	Children	Adult	Children
4:30 pm	34	7		
8:30 Mass			21	4
10:30 Mass	76			

**Sunday 2nd Collection:  
World Mission Sunday**

**October 30th- NEXT WEEK'S  
NONE**

## Mass Intentions

Saturday	10/22	4:30 pm	For Special Intention
Sunday	10/23	8:30 am	For the Parishioners of Ave Maria
Sunday	10/23	10:30 am	For the Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
Monday	10/24	12:00 pm	+Emily Maglio by Linda Maglio
Tuesday	10/25	12:00 pm	+L.K. & Maggie Wilborn by Kay & Leonard Bergen
Wednesday	10/26	12:00 pm	Austin Schultz
Friday	10/28	8:30 am	+Rev. Richard Cortese
Saturday	10/29	8:30 am	<b>NO MASS due to Eucharistic Adoration at IC Union City</b>

Oct 16, 2022	Saint Alphonsus	Ave Maria	Saint Alphonsus 2021	Ave Maria 2021
Budget	\$ 2,615.00	\$ 581.00	\$ 2,615.00	\$ 490.00
Regular	\$ 2,029.00	\$ 245.00	\$ 2,401.00	\$ 298.00
<b>YTD SURPLUS (Jul-Aug) 16 wk.</b>	<b>-\$ 1,082.00</b>	<b>\$ 103.00</b>	<b>\$ 577.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,345.00</b>
Friends of the Poor	\$ 100.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 320.00	\$ 0.00
Food Pantry	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Tiny Blessing	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Helping Hands		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

## Volunteers

	Church	Parish Hall	Altar Linens	Lawn
Oct 29	Lombardo Family	Walker Family	A. Hessling	Volunteer
Nov 5	Sass Family	Calvet Family	K. Clark	Volunteer
Nov 12		Teer Family	K. Clark	Volunteer



# UPCOMING EVENTS



All Saints Day Mass Times at St. Alphonsus  
Tuesday November 1st: 12 p.m. and 7 p.m.

## CHOIR INFORMATION

Tuesday November 1st- Choir Practice at 4 p.m.  
Mass will follow at 7 p.m. for All Saints Day

Thursday November 3rd- NO CHOIR PRACTICE

A message from Pope Francis on  
World Mission Sunday- 10/23/22

“Christ’s Church will continue to ‘go forth’ towards new geographical, social and existential horizons, towards ‘borderline’ places and human situations, in order to bear witness to Christ and his love to men and women of every people, culture and social status,” Pope Francis said.

World Mission Sunday reminds us of that. Celebrated on October 23 this year, World Mission Sunday is a day in which we call to mind all we’ve accomplished through the Pope’s Missions and recommit ourselves to that work mandated by our Lord and so needed by our brothers and sisters in the Pope’s missions.

World Mission Month begins October 1. We invite you to read highlights of Pope Francis’ message to prepare your hearts to give generously and inspire prayer for its success.

## ALTAR FLOWERS

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## SUNDAY OCTOBER 23rd- OCTOBERFEST & Fr. Rob’s Birthday Celebration

Come join in the Octoberfest & Fr. Rob’s Birthday celebration with a cookout on Sunday 10/23 at Noon. K of C will supply meat, buns and beverages. Please sign up to bring a side dish to share with all. Sign up sheets are in the Hall.

ALL SOULS DAY- Wednesday November 2nd  
Mass is at 12 p.m.

Envelopes for All Souls Day are due to the Parish Office No Later Than Sunday October 23rd so that your loved ones name will be included on the special prayer list. Extra envelopes are in the pews.

## DIOCESE EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

Saturday October 29th at Immaculate Conception in Union City from 10 am to 12 pm. All are welcome to attend. Contact the Parish Office, Beth Teer or Jean Terry to carpool with others.

## SAVE THE DATE

St. Alphonsus/Ave Maria Annual Christmas Party will be on Sunday December 11th at Ave Maria Parish Hall, Ripley starting at 1:00 p.m. More information to follow. If interested in helping contact the parish office or Beth Teer @ 901-605-7337.



Happy Birthday!  
Leonard Bergen 10/24  
Sandy Burkhardt 10/28

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.

**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.

**In Prayerful Remembrance**

Pray for the reposed of the soul of

James Phillip Harbin

*Eternal rest grant unto him,  
O'Lord and let perpetual light  
shine upon him.*

*May he rest in peace.*

*Please Pray*



**Our Parishioners**

Leonard Bergen	Jerry & Rose Mills
Jerry Bryant	Doloris Pfountz
Peter Burkhardt	Lynda Rogers
Florinda Clark/Family	Holly Schaefer
Tammy Clowes	Barbara Schneider
Kay & Gene Cross	Joan Smith
Ellen Daily	Cyburn Sullivan
Jack Duff	Elizabeth Sullivan
Derek Durham	Annette Tustin
Jim & Lois Hayden	Dottie Wellbrock
Pat Haynes	Patton Williams
Billie Hutchins	Irma Wilson de Roze
Beverly Jiminez	Eva Wright
Maria McConnell	

**Readings for Oct 24 - Oct 30**

Monday-St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop,  
Eph 4:32-5:8 Ps 1:1-6 Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday

Eph 5:21-33 Ps 128:1-5 Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday

Eph 6:1-9 Ps 145:10-14 Lk 13:22-30

Thursday

Eph 6:10-20 Ps 144:1-10 Lk 13:31-35

Friday-Sts Simon & Jude, Apostles

Eph 2:19-22 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 6:12-16

Saturday-

Phil 1:18-26 Ps 42:2-5 Lk 14:1-11

Sunday-31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 11:22-12:2 Ps 145:1-13 2Thes 1:11-2:2  
Lk 19:1-10

**Our Ill Priests**

Fr. John Hourican	Fr. Bryan Timby	Fr. Burke
Fr. Jolly Sebastian	Fr. Robert Ponticello	

**Our Loved Ones**

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

**October-Pope's Prayer Intention:**

*For a Church open to everyone*

We pray for the Church; ever faithful to, and courageous in preaching the Gospel, may the Church be a community of solidarity, fraternity and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of synodality.