



SAINT ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Covington, Tennessee

AVE MARIA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ripley, Tennessee

Rev. Robert Ballman, Pastor

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October 10, 2021

The Twenty-Eighth 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!

Saturday, Oct 09

4:30 pm NO Vigil Mass

Sunday, Oct 10

8:30 am Mass - Ave Maria

8:45 am NO PRE

10:05 am Rosary - St. Alphonsus

10:30 am Mass-St. Alphonsus

Monday, Oct 11

5:00 pm Ave Maria Finance Council Meeting

6:00 pm NO St. Augustine Bible Study

Tuesday, Oct 12

9:00 am Friends of the Poor

6:00 pm NO RCIA

Wednesday, Oct 13

10:15 am Legion of Mary

Thursday, Oct 14

10:30 am NO St. Robert Bellarmine Bible Study

4:00 pm Choir

The All Souls Day Mass will be at 12 noon on Tuesday, November 2nd. Envelopes are available in the pews and in your envelope packet. Please turn in by Tuesday, October 26 so the office can prepare the list of names for remembrance during the month of November.

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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Mass Intentions



Saturday	10/09	4:30 pm	No Mass
Sunday	10/10	8:30 am	For the Parishioners of Ave Maria
Sunday	10/10	10:30 am	For the Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
Monday	10/11	12:00 pm	For John Golightly by Carol Yarbrough
Tuesday	10/12	12:00 pm	+Benedict Kim by Song Lent
Wednesday	10/13	12:00 pm	For Those Celebrating Birthdays in October by Beth Teer
Friday	10/15	8:30 am	
Saturday	10/16	8:30 am	For Lula Belue by Len & Kay Bergen

Promises & Blessings

Scripture verses

Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see... By faith Abel offered God a better sacrifice than Cain did. By faith he was commended as a righteous man, when God spoke well of his offerings. And by faith he still speaks, even though he is dead.
-Hebrews 11:1, 4

**Ave Maria Finance Council meeting
will be October 11th at 5:00 pm**

The Parish office will be closed October 11th thru October 15th. Please give any bulletin notices no later than October 7th for week October 17th.

Readings for Oct 11 - Oct 17

Monday-St. John XXIII, Pope
Rom 1:1-7 Ps 98:1bcde, 2-4 Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday
Rom 1:16-25 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday
Rom 2:1-11 Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9 Lk 11:42-46

Thursday-St. Callistus I, Pope M
Rom 3:21-30 Ps 130:1b-6b Lk 11:47-54

Friday-St. Teresa of Jesus, V, DOC
Rom 4:1-8 Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11 Lk 12:1-7

Saturday-St. Hedwig, Rel., & St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, V
Rom 4:13, 16-18 Ps 105:6-9, 42-43 Lk 12:8-12

Sunday
Is 53:10-11 Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22 Mk 10:35-45

We will be holding altar server training on October 30, after the 8:30am mass. It is open to all who have received their first communion and desire to serve. This is a great opportunity to deepen your faith and actively participate at mass. To allow us to have an adequate number of handouts, please contact the Church Office or Anne Calvet at 901-387-8642 prior to October 27th if you plan to attend the training.

Ave Maria/St. Alphonsus

The Knights of Columbus will have their annual Fall Festival on October 17th at St. Alphonsus. Please bring your favorite side dishes, and desserts.

Your all invited to attend the Oktoberfest on October 17th following Mass, on the church grounds behind the parish hall.

If you have lawn chairs, please bring them along, and don't forget your jacket!

DATES TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR

October 17th-K of C Fall Festival

October 23rd-Fall Bazaar

December 12th-Christmas Party

**November 7th at Midnight time change!

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.

Please Pray



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

Our Parishioners	
Mike & Jamie Brower	Beverly Jiminez
Jerry Bryant	Lenny Lind
Peter Burkhardt	Maria McConnell
Florinda Clark/Family	Jerry & Rose Mills
Lottie Crofton	Eleanor Nunn
Kay & Gene Cross	Doloris Pfountz
Ellen Daily	Ginger Poteete
Jack Duff	Lynda Rogers
Dixie Duncan	Holly Schaefer
Derek Durham	Barbara Schneider
John Folden	Joan Smith
Lucila Gamez	Frank Stephens
Floanne Garrett	Cyburn Sullivan
Evan Grueling	Elizabeth Sullivan
Jack & Peggy Haywood	Annette Tustin
Jim & Lois Hayden	Irma Wilson de Roze
Pat Haynes	Martha Wenning
Billie Hutchins	

Our Loved Ones	
James & Robin Barnett	Christie Johnson
William Barrett	Ester Jones
Lula Belue	Mode Jones
Joe Bergen	Phillis King
Sydney Bosworth	Judy Kovach
Virginia Bowden	Emile Latour
Darlene Brooks	Cindy Lavelli
Dan Browsers	Jacob LeFils
Dave Buda	Dietmar Linden
Joe Bynum	Susana Linden
Christina Cahaly	Alisa Lindsey
Angela Canady	Anita McLean
Patrick Christy	Linda Medford
Charlie Clark	Danny Miller
Bella Crosby	Ronnie Nipp
Liz Crosslin	Sally Paulus
Bobbie Jean Crouse	Sandra Pellegren
Heather Daniels	Beverly Pratt
Michael Ellis	Virginia Prestly
Danny & Sheila Elrod	Joan Robertson
Rob Engel	Mike Sadler
Willie Ferrell	Mary Schaefer
Karri Flannigan	Anna Short
Melissa Flores	Carmen Sosa
Ella Forkum	Andrea Stafford
Tammy Freeman	Ray & Yelba Stevenson
Kathy & Ronda Gentry	Sam Stitt
Natasha Gray	Jay St. John
Elizabeth Guntert	Cathy Stowers
Robert E. Harbin	Bailey Sucharitakul
James Phillip Harbin	Trevor Sucharitakul
John Haywood, Jr.	Toni Swindell
Shannon Heindel	Jennifer Tidwell
Kay Hernandez	Peter Vanderven
Gunther Hitchcock/family	Brad & Paige Warmath
Lisa Hogan	Donna Williams
Betty Hopper	Steve Williams
Lisa Hutton	Coila Winters



Happy Birthday!

Virginia Duff 10/1
Mya Brown 10/9

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.*

October Prayer Intention of Pope Francis
Intention for Evangelization:
Missionary Disciples
We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.


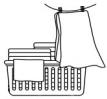
Liturgical Ministers				
	Lectors	Servers	Sacristans	Extra Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers
Oct 09	S. Stegall	K. Sass	K. Sass	
Oct 10	J. Buda R. Wheeler	Ju Walker D. Gobellan E. Moreno	M. Griffis	G. Buda
Oct 16	A. Calvet	K. Sass	K. Sass	
Oct 17	J. Terry M. Moreno	A. Moreno EP Moreno Ja Walker	J. Buda	J. Tankersley

Volunteers			
	Church	Parish Hall	Altar Linens
Oct 09	M. Lombardo	K. Sass	J. Buda
Oct 16	J. Tankersley	S. Harmon	J. Buda
Oct 23	E. Teer	K. Clark	J. Buda

Attendance Last Week				
Oct 3	St. Alphonsus		Ave Maria	
	Adult	Children	Adult	Children
4:30 pm	24	2		
8:30 Mass			25	1
10:30 Mass	62	27		

Sunday 2nd Collection: None

Oct 3, 2021	Saint Alphonsus	Ave Maria	Saint Alphonsus 2020	Ave Maria 2020
Budget	\$ 2,615.00	\$ 490.00	\$ 2,250.00	\$ 365.00
Regular	\$ 3,441.00	\$ 485.00	\$ 2,726.00	\$ 317.00
YTD SURPLUS (Jul-Oct) 14 wks.	\$ 919.00	\$ 1209.00	\$ (778.00)	\$ 1713.00
Friends of the Poor	\$ 110.00	\$	\$ 310.00	\$

ALTAR LINEN (*WE STILL NEED 6 MORE VOLUNTEERS*)

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED TO WASH AND IRON THE LINENS USED DURING THE MASS.
PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE AT 901-476-8140

THANK YOU JUANITA BUDA, MARTHA WENNING, KATHY LAXTON, BETH TEER,
KAREN CLARK, AND ANDREA HESSLING FOR VOLUNTEERING TO HELP WITH ALTAR LINENS.

WE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR ADDITIONAL VOLUNTEERS.

The Fall Bazaar will be on Saturday, October 23rd at St. Alphonsus Parish Hall.

St. Therese's Altar Society will be collecting items from

Monday, October 18th thru Friday, October 22nd.

We need volunteers to help with the Bazaar