

# St. Mark Catholic Church

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 3, 2025

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### Next Eucharistic Adoration:

Tuesday, August 5<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm

**Confession:** Saturdays 4 - 4:45  
pm or by appointment. Please call  
the rectory to schedule.

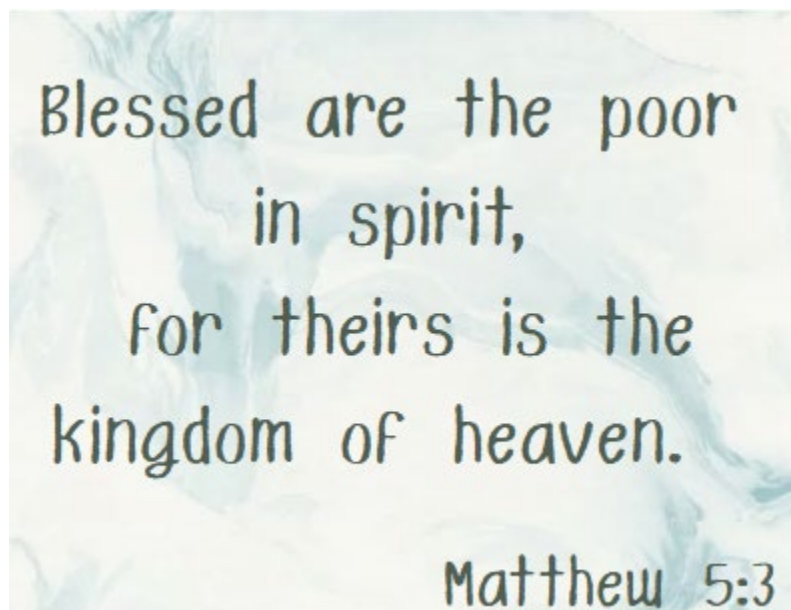
**Holy Rosary:** Saturdays at 4:30  
before 5 pm Mass

**Parish Council:** Sonny Finnegan (314) 550-9169

**Financial Council:** Bob Chaplin (270) 969-8358

### Church website:

<https://stmarkeddyville.weconnect.com>



**Mission Statement:** Let us experience a change in every  
moment of our lives for the better and touch the lives of other  
people whom we meet every day.

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### Mass Scheduled Intentions + Deceased blank Living

Monday, Aug. 3	No Mass
Tuesday, Aug. 5	St. Mark 5 pm Florian Murdzek+ Adoration 4 pm
Wednesday, Aug. 6	St. Paul 6:30 pm Karen Elder+
Thursday, Aug. 7	St. Mark 9 am Anna Mary Gaylord
Friday, Aug. 8	St. Paul 9 am Fr. J. Edward Bradley
Saturday, Aug. 9	St. Mark 5 pm Robert Ayres
Sunday, Aug. 10	St. Mark 8 am For the People of our Parishes
	St. Paul 10 am Mommy Tin Pham

**Next Sunday's Readings:** Wisdom 18:6-9; Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19; Luke 12:32-48

Dear Parishioners and Visitors of St. Mark and St. Paul,

I understand that a new school year starts this week in Lyon County and next week in Caldwell County. It seems that summer just started. I pray for God's blessing on the school year for all students, faculty, administrators, and support staff. I also pray for parents, especially those who will have their first child in school this year and those who will have their last child to graduate in 2026. I know from my own family how challenging these two-family dynamics can affect parents. May everyone have a blessed 2025-26 school year.

Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for their help with the pancake breakfast last Sunday. Thank you to the students who waited on the tables. Thank you to all who came in support of this fundraiser to help send our young people to NCYC in November. This fundraiser brought in \$1,300.00. That is just fantastic.

What a welcome relief from the heat today. (I am writing this on Friday morning). When I walked outside to go to Mass I just stood still for a couple of minutes and thanked God for the cooler air. I think of those who must work outside and how hot it has been the past few weeks. There was the day when I could have done that but not anymore. I saw a farmer baling hay this week and I felt for the workers who had to load that onto trucks to be hauled away. When I was in high school, I worked for a man who milked over a hundred cows. That was before the big round bales we see today. July was the month for baling hay. We would put up a few thousand bales of hay. Did not think anything about it. It was just another job to be done.

May God bless you and your family and our parish families of St. Mark and St. Paul.

Thank you.

Fr. Brad

## **Prayer Requests**

**St. Mark:** Paula Phillips, The Brown Family, Chris Bode, David Russell, Barbara Hughes, Joe and Wanda Loftus, Karen Finnegan, Mary McTiernan, Will Jones, Tom Johnson, Chris Davies, Mary Huhnke, Gail Biskupich, Terry O'Neill, Curtis Fritz, Kathleen and Alan Dale, Zane Pierson, Makenna Finnegan, , Matt (in MI), Chuck Thomas, Rose Oliver, Sr. Mary Christine Taylor, Ann Munn, Roy Maynard, Pat Merimee, Wendy Welter Teller, Kevin Stuckner, Jim Dunning, Joe Merimee, Teresa Fuhrman, James I. Hosey, Mawn Family, David Harkins, Austin Benthem, Diane Edelbrock Nelson, Gerry Maynard, Jan Piche, Jim Eich, Karen Reibel, Kenny Pierson, Lonnie O'Neill, Maggie Pierson, Margie Hibbard, Marie Berger, Reese McCartney, Richard Berger, Ron Eich, Shannon Doney, Sr. Joan Claire, Terence Carlin.

**Both Parishes:** The people of Western KY, Theresa Weidner Griffith ***Please remember our shut-ins and nursing home residents in your prayers:*** Barb Adams, William Moertl, **and all those living in nursing homes. *Pray for our military and their families***, especially Monica Dukes, Tucker Pittmann, and Jack Rooyakkers.

**St. Paul:** Tracy Hadlock, Michael Gray, Liam Stevenson, Lee Weidner, Paul Corder, Pam Childress, Emily Stolz, Robert Peek, Troy Jewell, Jason Goodwin, Iris Brandon, Sandy Haberlock, Laura Jean Basso, Christa Strong, Teresa Boyd,

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Rodger Rush, Norm and Millie Thomas, Max Reil, David Cansler, Jean Dunathan, Matthew Schalk, Margot Shirley, Kendra Redd, Teresa Angelilli, Rick Bennett, Mary Reil, Beth Berton, Lewis Wurtman, Ronald Weidner, Mary Cheeseman

## Happy Birthday!

Dara Tinsley Aug. 4<sup>th</sup>  
Allie Fields Aug. 19<sup>th</sup>  
Bob Chaplin Aug. 27<sup>th</sup>

Lynn Jamieson Aug 5<sup>th</sup>  
Michele Jasis Aug 25<sup>th</sup>  
James Dunning Aug 28<sup>th</sup>

Aeydon Eaves Aug. 17<sup>th</sup>  
Steven Crum Aug 26<sup>th</sup>

## Happy Anniversary!

Steven and Thresa Crum Aug. 8<sup>th</sup> – 44  
Joann and Joseph Bogle Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup> - 52



Jim and Regina Hosey Aug 13<sup>th</sup> - 32  
Roger and Michelle Edelbrock Aug. 26<sup>th</sup> - 47

## Save the Date!

**Sunday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>** First Sunday Breakfast after  
8 am Mass.

**Tuesday, August 5<sup>th</sup>** Eucharistic Adoration

**Sunday August 10<sup>th</sup> – Second Sunday at St Paul**  
Please join us for a summer dinner in the Center after  
the 10 am Mass

**Thursday, August 14<sup>th</sup>** Vigil Mass for (**Holy Day of  
Obligation**) Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
6:30 pm at St. Mark. (Replaces 9 am Mass)

**Friday, August 15<sup>th</sup>** 9 am (**Holy Day of Obligation**)  
Mass at St. Paul Assumption of the Blessed Virgin  
Mary.

### In case you were wondering...


The Youth Ministry Braided Bread Fundraiser added  
another \$1,400.00 to the fund for their trip this  
November.

The Pancake Breakfast last weekend raised over  
\$1,300.00. Special thanks to the K of C and the  
McEnaney Family McDonald's for donating the food.

**Thank You!** Thanks to all who cleaned the church

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**Come visit with him.**



**He's waiting for you.**

**Tuesday, Aug. 5th**  
**at 4 pm**  
**followed by 5 pm Mass**  
**St. Mark Catholic Church**

this past week. You did a fantastic job!

If you are new to St. Mark or St. Paul, **WELCOME!** Please see Fr. Brad or Kathy Talley (at St. Mark) to register. If you are a current Parishioner, but have a change in contact information, please tell Kathy Talley (270)625-3433 or kfct@umich.edu.

**Bulletin Announcements** should be sent directly to Regina Hosey at [reg8926@gmail.com](mailto:reg8926@gmail.com) or (931) 801-6514, no later than Wednesday morning.

**Baptism:** Please contact the Pastor for scheduling of Baptism. One-month notice is required.

**Matrimony:** Please contact and make an appointment with the Pastor for scheduling a wedding. At least six months is needed for preparation.

Please contact Fr. Brad at **(270) 365-6786** for **Anointing of the Sick, Holy Communion or Pastoral calls** to the sick, shut-in, or hospitalized.

**DIOCESAN POLICY:** A full explanation of the diocese's response to sexual abuse concerns can be found in the revised sexual abuse policy, effective July 1, 2014, which is available in the oak book shelf in Fr. Brad's office at St. Mark, on the bookshelf in the back of St. Paul, and online at <https://owensborodiocese.org/safe>.

### Curious about what the **Faithful Foundations** Campaign for Senior Priest Apartments is all about?

Join with Bishop Medley for a reception to learn more!  
There are five evenings to choose from. Register by email, phone, or through the website.

<https://owensborodiocese.org/senior-priests-apartments/> A full-sized flyer is on the bulletin board.



**Faithful Foundations**

**The Campaign for Senior Priest Apartments**  
DIOCESE OF OWENSBORO

**You're invited**

The Diocese of Owensboro with Bishop Medley is hosting receptions as we launch the Faithful Foundations campaign.

**August 13 at 6:00 PM**  
Immaculate Parish Hall  
2516 Christie Place, Owensboro

**August 14 at 6:30 PM**  
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall  
4029 Frederica St., Owensboro

**August 19 at 6:00 PM**  
St. Thomas More Parish Hall  
5645 Blandville Rd., Paducah

**August 20 at 6:00 PM**  
Holy Spirit Parish Hall  
4754 Smallhouse Rd., Bowling Green

**August 21 at 6:00 PM**  
 Sts. Peter and Paul Parish Hall  
 902 E. Ninth St., Hopkinsville

<b>Stewardship</b> <b>Thanks for your support!</b> July 26-27 <sup>th</sup>	
Total Deposit	\$1,777.00
Church in Africa	\$ 10.00
Family Aid	\$ 335.00

St. Mark		Altar Server	Lector	Greeters/ Ushers	Eucharistic Ministers	Counters	Financial Rep.
<b>Saturday</b> 8/9	5 pm	Sonny Finnegan	Ray Heaney	Doug McCartney Volunteer	Volunteer Doug McCartney Joe Merimee		JoAnn Bogle
<b>Sunday</b> 8/10	8 am	Aeydon	Michelle Edelbrock	Michelle and Roger Edelbrock	Roger Edelbrock Jan Chaplin Joe Rivera	Pat Dybel Karen Murdzek	Bob Chaplin