

St. Mark Catholic Church

September 7, 2025

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Carlos Acutis and Pier Giorgio Frassati Image made by AI photo by: Euclides Fernandes

Eucharistic Adoration: 4 pm Tues., Oct. 7th

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

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Church website: <https://stmarkeddyville.weconnect.com>

Mass Scheduled Intentions + Deceased blank Living

Monday, Sept. 8	No Mass
Tuesday, Sept. 9	St. Mark 5 pm Karen Elder +
Wednesday, Sept. 10	St. Paul 6:30 pm Mommy Tin Pham CCD following
Thursday, Sept. 11	St. Mark 9 am Dottie Thomas +
Friday, Sept. 12	St. Paul 9 am No Mass
Saturday, Sept. 13	St. Mark 5 pm Charles Gaylord
Sunday, Sept. 14	St. Mark 8 am For the People of our Parishes
	St. Paul 10 am Eslava and Adams Family

Next Sunday's Readings: Numbers 21: 4b- 9; Philippians 2:6-11; John 3: 13-17

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

Labor Day has come and gone. Now it is time for our students to settle in for school. Your next break will be Fall break. It is also time to make our Wednesday evening Faith Formation (CCD) a family priority. We begin each Wednesday night with Mass at 6:30 and all parishioners are invited. Then after Mass there is class until 8 PM followed by snacks. Thank you to the volunteer parents who help to teach the classes. Your time is valuable, and I am very appreciative for your stewardship of time in this ministry.

This also means that we will start to have less people at Sunday Mass at both St. Mark and St. Paul. Thank you for being a part of our catholic communities during these summer months.

As I drive back and forth to both St. Mark and St. Paul it is obvious that this year's harvest is in full swing. I see field after field of corn that has been shelled. I pray for safety for all the drivers of equipment and trucks. I also pray for patience for people like me who get behind a combine, tractor, or truck. I also pray for rain. We are very dry and the late soybeans and maybe our gardens could use some water.

I will be taking a week of vacation beginning this Thursday afternoon and will return for 9 AM Mass on Friday, September 19.

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: Keith Adcock, Steven Dahl, Marie Berger, 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, 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, Reene 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: Lee Weidner, Shirley Carney, Ronald Harper, Carol Adams, Tracy Hadlock, Michael Gray, Liam Stevenson, , Paul Corder, Pam Childress, Emily Stolz, Robert Peek, Troy Jewell, Jason Goodwin, Iris Brandon, Sandy Haberlock, Laura Jean Basso, Christa Strong, Teresa Boyd, Rodger Rush, Norm and Millie Thomas, Max Reil, David Cansler, Matthew Schalk, Margot Shirley, Kendra Redd, Teresa Angelilli, Rick Bennett, Mary Reil, Beth Berton, Lewis Wurtman, Ronald Weidner, Mary Cheeseman

Happy Birthday!

Tammy ONan Sept. 11th

Greg Swierczynski Sept. 18th

Maggie Pierson Sept. 28th

Jan Chaplin Sept. 7th

William Terry Sept. 14th

Maddie Rivera Sept. 18th

Terence Carlin Sept. 28th

Zane Pierson Sept. 8th

JoAnn Bogle Sept. 17th

Margaret Tinsley Sept. 21st

Liam Stevenson Sept. 30th

Happy Anniversary

Sept. 8th Bill and Michelle Thayer - 7th

Sept. 28th Roy and Geraldine Maynard – 57th



Sept. 22nd Leslie and Michael Oliver – 21st

Save the Date!

This Weekend - **First Sunday Breakfast St Mark after 8 am Mass**

Canonization of Blesseds Carlo Acutis and Pier Giorgio Frassati

Thursday, Sept. 11th – St. Mark Church Cleaning- **No experience necessary!** Come join the fun.

Next Sunday- Sunday Sept. 14th - **Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser /Second Sunday Social St. Paul**

Sunday, Oct. 12th – **St. Mark Parish Picnic**



35th - Annual Marian Congress “*Pilgrims of Hope through Mary.*”

Oct. 4, 2025, from 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at St. Joseph Parish in **Bowling Green**. The featured speaker is Fr. Peter Stryker, CPM. Fr. Peter serves at the Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help, the only Vatican-approved Marian Apparition in the United States.

The day will start with Mass at 8:30 am. Followed by opportunities for Jubilee indulgence, brunch, May crowning, rosary procession, Divine Mercy chaplet, confessions, Adoration and Benediction. Questions: Patricia Hicks at (270) 943-1812.

If you are new to St. Mark, **WELCOME!** Please see Fr. Brad or Kathy Talley 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.

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.

Bulletin Announcements should be sent directly to Regina Hosey at reg8926@gmail.com or text (931)801-6514 **by Tuesday evening**.

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>.

Our New Saints

Carlos Acutis (1991- 2006) is known for his deep faith and digital expertise. He used his computer-coding skills to draw attention to Eucharistic miracles around the world. His miracles' exhibit, featuring more than 100 documented miracles involving the Eucharist throughout history, has since traveled to thousands of parishes across five continents.(Including the Cathedral in Owensboro.)

Acutis called the Eucharist “my highway to heaven,” and he did all in his power to make the real presence known.

People who place themselves before the sun get a tan; people who place themselves before the Eucharist become saints.

~ Carlos Acutis

Jesus is with me. I have nothing to fear.

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Pier Giorgio Frassati, who died at the age of 24 in 1925, is loved by many for his enthusiastic witness to holiness that reaches “to the heights.”(Nothing to do with the Kelce Brothers.)

He was an avid mountaineer and Third Order Dominican known for his charitable outreach. At 17, he joined the St. Vincent de Paul Society and dedicated much of his spare time to taking care of the poor, the homeless, and the sick as well as demobilized servicemen returning from World War I. Frassati died of polio on July 4, 1925. His doctors later speculated that he had caught polio while serving the sick.

John Paul II, called him a “man of the eight beatitudes,” describing him as “entirely immersed in the mystery of God and totally dedicated to the constant service of his neighbor.”



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“Wherever you are, aspire to great things—to holiness. Do not settle for less. Then you will see the light of the Gospel grow every day in you and around you.”

Pope Leo XIV at Jubilee of Youth

St. Mark		Altar Server	Lector	Greeters/ Ushers	Eucharistic Ministers	Counters	Financial Rep.
Saturday 9/13	5 pm		Regina Hosey	Doug McCartney Volunteer	Deacon Paul Doug McCartney Joe Merimee		JoAnn Bogle
Sunday 9/14	8 am		Bill Stalter	Bill and Nancy Stalter	Deacon Paul Joe Rivera Roger Edelbrock	Bridget Dukes Nancy Stalter	Nancy Stalter

August 30th -31st Stewardship

Thanks for your support!

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