



St. Mark Catholic Church

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St. Paul Catholic Church

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Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays at St. Mark 4 - 45pm (or by appointment)

Mass Scheduled Intentions + Deceased

Tues, Sept 29	St. Mark 5 pm	Tim Johns
Wed, Sept 30	St. Paul 6:30 pm	Terry McEnaney + YFF
Thurs, Oct 1	St. Mark 9 am	Karen Elder +
Fri, Oct 2	St. Paul 9 am	Anna Mary Gaylord
Sat, Oct 3	St. Mark 5 pm	Patsy Barber +
Sun, Oct 4	St. Mark 8 am	For the People of our Parishes
	St. Paul 10	Therese Falder +

Next Sunday's Readings: Isaiah 5:1-7; Philippians 4:6-9; Matthew 21:33-43

*The image above, Eugène Burnand's, **The Two Sons**, was colorized by AI*

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

Finally, we got some relief this week from the hot and humid weather. For the first time since June, I sat out on the back porch at St. Paul and enjoyed the cool night air and the cool fresh air with my morning coffee. It was delightful. But while I enjoyed this, I could not help but think of the people along the east coast that were getting hammered by wind and rain.

As well as the people in Hawaii getting hit by a third hurricane this year. In the bulletin this weekend is the financial statements for St. Mark and St. Paul. This is for the fiscal year of July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2026. This gives me the opportunity to thank the parishioners and visitors of both parishes for their financial support. Because of your generosity we can pay our bills and on occasion put back a little savings. This also gives me the opportunity to put out a little challenge to those who do not contribute financially to the parish. I remember when I was first ordained talking to my home pastor (Fr. Charlie Fischer) about giving to the church and should I as a priest give financially to the church. He simply asked me, "Do you get paid a salary?" For forty-five years I have been giving financially to the whatever parish I have been assigned to. In fact, over the years, it is more often than not the first check of the month that I write. Like many of you, I also have my favorite charities that I also try and support.

The rectory at St. Mark will soon be getting a new roof. When the guys came to inspect the gutters, they said the roof was in bad repair. We got an estimate and received permission from the diocese to buy a new roof. I think the cost is about \$13,000.00. That should be happening soon.

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

Thank you.

Fr. Brad

Saturday, Oct. 10th Noon- 5 pm
Rain or Shine



Prayer Requests –

St. Mark: Mary Preston, Terry O'Neill, Bob Huebschman, Kate Cash, Luca Carlson, Jeanne Griffin, Sarah Nicole Kemper, Rosemarie Blades, Chris Davies, Debbie Chamberlain, Mary Lathrop, Tommy Hayden, Jim Hosey, Beth Martin, Ellen Hirsch, Joe Eich, Jim Hibbard, Joe Merimee, Alison Price, Mandy McCutchan, Tim Johns, William and Terrence Carlin, Bill Stalter, James Weber, Pete Arriola, Makenna Finnegan, Margie Hibbard, Marie Berger, Bode Family, David Russell, Barbara Hughes, Joe and Wanda Loftus, Mary Huhnke, Sr. Mary Christine Taylor, Ann Munn, Roy Maynard, Wendy Welter Teller, Kevin Stuckner, James I. Hosey, Mawn Family, David Harkins, Austin Benthem, Diane Edelbrock Nelson, Gerry Maynard, Jan Piche, Jim Eich, Maggie Pierson, Lonnie O'Neill, Richard Berger, Shannon Doney, Sr. Joan Claire, Thatcher Parrish

Both Parishes: Lorraine Cecil, Persecuted Christians throughout the world

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 Tyler McElya, Monica Dukes, Tucker Pittmann, Aiden Davies, and Jack Rooyakkers.

St. Paul: Jamie Fralick, Kay Tomes, Callie Adams, Michael Gray, Jalen Morris, Shirley Carney, Tara Jeanne Perez, Jim Herbeck, Gregg Weber, Geoff Wurts, Troy Jewell, Freddie Richardville, Amanda Davis, Dixon Family in Illinois, Madge Murphy, Eileen Harvey, Johnny Roman, Miss Sherri, Lewis Wurtman, Andrea Brumley, Steve Alldredge, Karen Riedeman Schalk, Jansen Hubbard, Pam Childress, Robert Peek, Jason Goodwin, Iris Brandon, Christa Strong, Rodger Rush, Max Reil, David Cansler, Margot Shirley, Kendra Redd, Rick Bennett, Mary Reil, Beth Berton, Ronald Weidner, Mary Cheeseman.

St. Paul Stewardship		Thanks for your support!	
Total deposit	\$2,001.00	Weekly Budget	\$ 3,800.00
Mass Intentions	\$25.00	Year to date collection	\$39,211.91
		Year to date budget	\$45,600.00

St. Mark Stewardship		Thanks for your support!	
Regular Collection	\$2,353.00	Mass Intentions	\$100

Sacraments

Baptism: Please contact the Pastor to schedule a Baptism. One-month notice is required.

Matrimony: To schedule a wedding, please make an appointment with Fr. Brad. At least six months are needed for preparation.

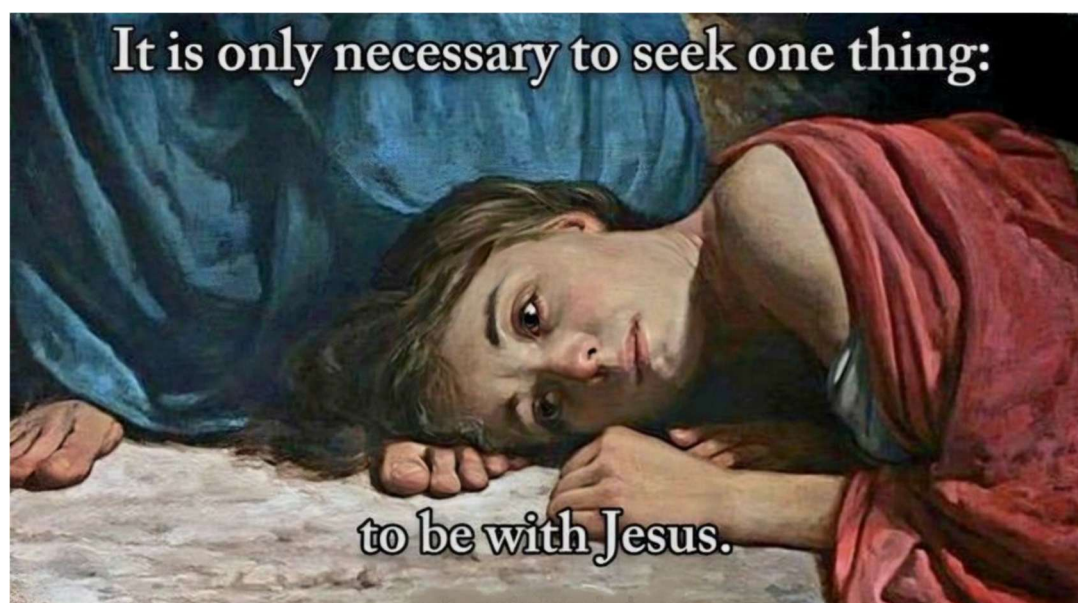
Please contact Fr. Brad at (270) 365-6786 for **Anointing of the Sick, Holy Communion** or **Pastoral calls to the sick, shut-in, or hospitalized.**

WELCOME! Please see Fr. Brad or Kathy Talley to register. If you are a current parishioner with a change in contact information, please notify Kathy Talley kfct@umich.edu or (270) 625-3433.

DIOCESAN POLICY: The safety of our children is the responsibility of every Christian. Anyone aware of the abuse of a person under the age of eighteen is required by law to report this to the proper state authorities: local law enforcement Eddyville Police 270-388-2287, Princeton Police 270-365-2041, the Commonwealth's Attorney (270-388-9494) or the Kentucky Child Abuse Hotline (toll-free: 1-877-KYSAFE1; 1-877-597-2331).

To make a report to the Diocese of Owensboro regarding abuse by anyone acting in the name of the Church, whether long past or recent, please call Scott Ingram Pastoral Assistance Coordinator 270-852-8380 (English) Miguel Quintanilla *Coordinador de Asistencia Pastoral* 270-880-8360 (*Español*) both are confidential phone lines.

The Diocese of Owensboro sexual abuse policy is available at St. Mark on the oak bookshelves in the social hall, in St. Paul on the back table and also on the diocesan web site (<https://owensborodiocese.org/safe/>)



Remember, Shadrach, Meshasch and Abednego. God didn't put out the fire. He just put Jesus in there with them and they came out without smoke. It's not about God stopping all the things that look bad: it's about who is in there with you.