

Holy Cross Church

Bringing the Good News of Jesus Christ



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Mass Times

Saturday, 4:30PM
Sunday, 8:30AM & 10:30AM
Holy Day Vigil Mass, 7:00PM
Holy Days, 9:00AM, 12 noon & 7:00PM
Monday & Wednesday evening, 6:00PM, Tuesday—Friday mornings, 9:00AM
1st Saturday only, 9:00AM
1st Friday only, 9:00PM Candlelight Mass

Baptisms upon request - call Parish Office
Rosary every Thursday at 6:00PM
May/October

Weekday Celebrations

Eucharistic Adoration
Monday 4:30 to 5:45PM with Benediction
Wednesday 5:00 to 5:45PM with Benediction
1st Friday 8:00 to 8:45PM with Benediction

Reconciliation

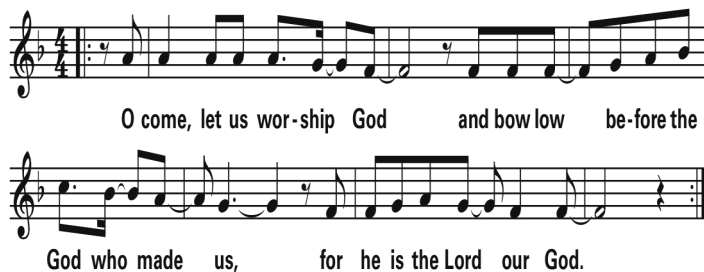
Saturdays 4:00 to 4:25PM
Wednesdays 5:00 to 5:45PM
1st Friday 8:30 to 9:15PM

3612 Church Street Covington, KY 41015

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

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Opening Song
TABLE OF PLENTY

Dan Schutte



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Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God heavenly King, O God, almighty Father, Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.



Reading I

Is 58:7-10

Thus says the LORD: Share your bread with the hungry, shelter the oppressed and the homeless; clothe the naked when you see them, and do not turn your back on your own. Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your wound shall quickly be healed; your vindication shall go before you, and the glory of the LORD shall be your rear guard. Then you shall call, and the LORD will answer, you shall cry for help, and he will say: Here I am! If you remove from your midst oppression, false accusation and malicious speech; if you bestow your bread on the hungry and satisfy the afflicted; then light shall rise for you in the darkness, and the gloom shall become for you like midday.

R. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial

Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

R. The just man is a light in darkness to the upright.

Light shines through the darkness for the upright; he is gracious and merciful and just. Well for the man who is gracious and lends, who conducts his affairs with justice.
R. The just man is a light in darkness to the upright.

He shall never be moved; the just one shall be in everlasting remembrance. An evil report he shall not fear; his heart is firm, trusting in the LORD.

R. The just man is a light in darkness to the upright.

His heart is steadfast; he shall not fear. Lavishly he gives to the poor; His justice shall endure forever; his horn shall be exalted in glory.

R. The just man is a light in darkness to the upright.

Reading II**1 Cor 2:1-5**

When I came to you, brothers and sisters, proclaiming the mystery of God, I did not come with sublimity of words or of wisdom. For I resolved to know nothing while I was with you except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. I came to you in weakness and fear and much trembling, and my message and my proclamation were not with persuasive words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of Spirit and power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God.

R. Thanks be to God.**Gospel****Mt 5:13-16**

Jesus said to his disciples: "You are the salt of the earth. But if salt loses its taste, with what can it be seasoned? It is no longer good for anything but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot. You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushel basket; it is set on a lampstand, where it gives light to all in the house. Just so, your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father."

R. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**Nicene Creed**

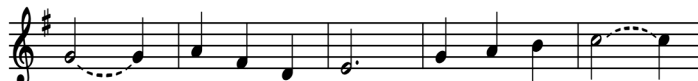
I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible, I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made, For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (at the words that follow up to and including and became man, all bow,) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end, I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Offertory Song**CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT**

Bernadette Farrell



- Verses
1. Long-ing for light, — we wait in dark-ness. Long-ing for
 2. Long-ing for peace, — our world is trou- bled. Long-ing for
 3. Long-ing for food, — man - y are hun - gry. Long-ing for
 4. Long-ing for shel-ter, man - y are home-less. Long-ing for
 5. Man - y the gifts, — man - y the peo - ple, man - y the



1. truth, — we turn to you. Make us your own, —
2. hope, — man - y de - spair. Your word a - lone —
3. wa - ter, man - y still thirst. Make us your bread, —
4. warmth, — man - y are cold. Make us your build - ing,
5. hearts that yearn to be - long. Let us be ser - vants



1. your ho - ly peo-ple, light for the world to see.
2. has pow'r to save us. Make us your liv - ing voice.
3. bro - ken for oth-ers, shared un - til all are fed.
4. shel - ter - ing oth-ers, walls made of liv - ing stone.
5. to one an - oth-er, mak - ing your king - dom come.



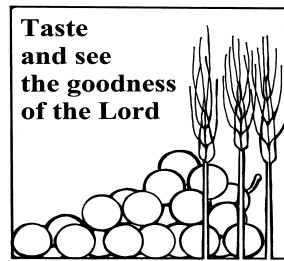
Refrain

Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the dark - ness.



Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gath-ered to-day.

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**Your Attention Please**

For reception of Holy Communion: to receive on the tongue, go to Father or Deacon's line. Thank you.

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

COMMUNION ANTIPHON [II]

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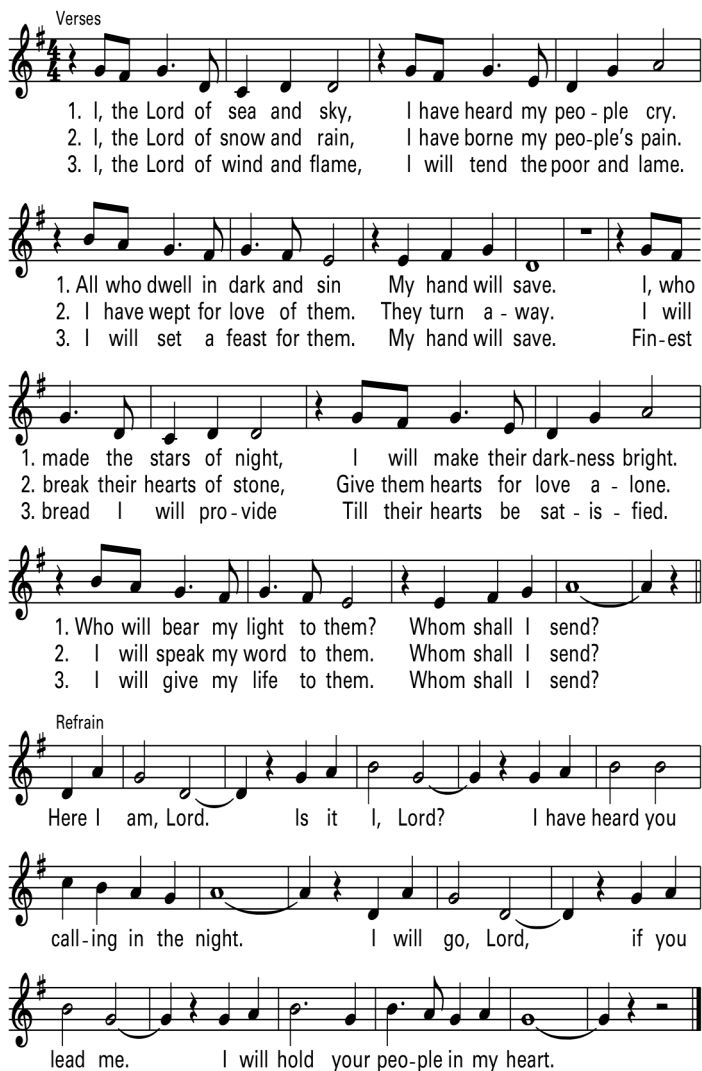


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Communion Song

HERE I AM, LORD

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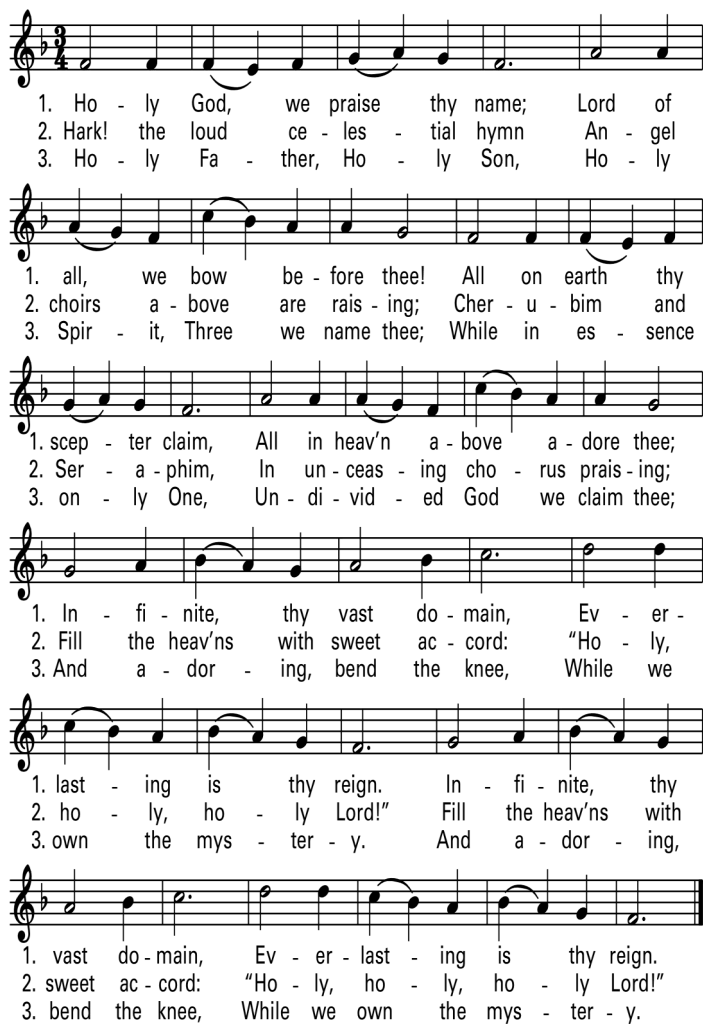


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Closing Song

HOLY GOD, WE PRAISE THY NAME

GROSSER GOTT



Text: 78 78 77 with repeat; *Te Deum laudamus*; attr. to St. Nicetas, ca. 335-414;
Grosser Gott, wir loben dich; tr. ascr. to Ignaz Franz, 1719-1790; tr. by Clarence A. Walworth, 1820-1900.
Music: *Allgemeines Katholisches Gesangbuch*, Vienna, ca. 1774.

Saint Michael the Archangel Prayer

(Prayer after Final Blessing)

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humble pray, and so thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



Our Offering to the Lord

Sunday Offering for 1-29-2023
Actual Budget needed week

\$ 11,478.00
\$11,000.00

A Glance at the Week from Fr. Hennigen

- This weekend we will have the blessing of throats at all the Mass for the Feast of Saint Blaise that was celebrated on Friday.
- Wednesday the 8th is Men's Group at 6:30pm.
- Thursday the 9th is Women's Group at 6:00pm and OCIA at 7:30pm.
- Every Sunday before the 8:30am Mass is Rosary at 8:00pm.

MASS INTENTIONS — February 6/12, 2023

Monday — Fr. Hennigen

6:00 p.m. +Rosemary Merrell

Tuesday — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Norbert Eilers

Wednesday — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Katherine Eilers

6:00 p.m. +Billy Neff/Fr. Gedney
+Joan A. Segelhurst/Fr. Gedney

Thursday — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Clay Eifert

Friday — Fr. Gedney

9:00 a.m. +Norbert & Katherine Eilers

Saturday — Fr. Gedney

4:30 p.m. +John Kohne

Sunday — Fr. Gedney

8:30 a.m. +Wayne Neltner

Fr. Hennigen

10:30 a.m. Holy Cross Parish

12:00 noon +Steve Oldiges

YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE: Eucharistic Adoration every Monday beginning at 4:30pm and on Wednesday beginning 5:00pm, closing with Benediction at 5:45pm. Mass celebrated at 6:00pm both days.

MINISTRIES

LECTORS — February 11/12, 2023

Saturday

4:30 p.m. Allen Singer

Sunday

8:30 a.m. Donna Foltz

10:30 a.m. Jean Edwards

12:00 noon Kevin Dallas

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS — February 11/12, 2023

Saturday

4:30 p.m. Keith & Sherrie Riddell, Cathy Carlson, Nina Bullock

Sunday

8:30 a.m. Steve & Missy Mullens, Richard Menning

10:30 a.m. David Arnold, Sr. Michelyn Beckerich, Erin Tharpe

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Pray for the sick of Holy Cross, Rosedale Green, friends and family, that they will experience God's loving presence in their lives through us, especially: Freda Sharp, Patricia Johnson, Louise Simonson, Debbie Fehr, Ron Fehr, Kathy Bonta, Tony Bezold, Peggy Owings, Leslie, Faith & Grace Green, Tommy Hahn, Joseph Fehr, Jo Lear, Dennis Baker, Clare Kentrup, Greg Trame, Anuel Nevels, Jack Sullivan, Lisa Luken, Karen Krantz, Martha Allen, Doug Vogelsang, Sean Timmerding, Marilyn & Rob Busch, Angie Eldridge, Tom Moore, Darlene Carnes, John Seiler, Ben Reinersman, Dee Arkenau, Lori Schuler, Cate Becker, Linda Daughtery, Eli Cox, Diane Dorman, Margaret Craven, Rosemary Menetrey, Mike & Mary Taney, Joe Crowe, Cheri Wahrlab, Kelsey Rohen, Jennifer Bailey, Joyce Eibel, Mary Jo Gallagher, Mandy Wainscott, Carolyn Hoffman, George Darpel, Carol Woodward, Rita Hindman, Jared Taney, Freddie Dohrmann, Kim Fletcher, David Neff, Terry Trame, Julie Trame, Tony Brosky, Sharon Courtney, Winston Fleehearty, Cathy Carlson, Alice Sprague, TJ McFadden, Rob Feldman, McKenzie, Donna Sayers, Jo Ann Wagner, Tara Rowekamp, Kayla Craven, Janine Stolz, Carol Dohrmann Lozny, Tom McEntee, Debra Fraley, Tommy Talbert, Margie Robbins

Care of the Sick

If you know of a parishioner who is in the hospital or care center who would like a visit from the parish please contact our Parish Office at 859-431-0636. Because of the privacy laws often times we do not receive a phone call from the institution. We rely on family or friends to let us know when someone is in the hospital.

Attention Parish Family

The Holy Rosary will be prayed and led every Sunday morning at 8:00am before the 8:30am Mass. It is a beautiful way to prepare for Mass, to ask for our Mother Mary's intercession, and to stand with her at the foot of Jesus' Holy Cross as a beloved disciple.

Holy Cross Mom's Group

Currently the Mom's Group is meeting about two Saturdays per month at 9-11am in the parish meeting room. Next meeting will be held on February 18th. Our goal is to create a community to support each other in Catholic motherhood and to nurture our spiritual growth. Our meetings are moms only (exception of nursing babies). Our future plans are to continue meeting for prayer and other bible/faith-based studies; to host social events and liturgical activities — sometimes including the kids; and to do service projects together. For more information contact holycrossmoms@gmail.com



Holy Cross Handbell Choir

Come and Join our Handbell Choir
for the Spring Season
We are learning for Easter Season

NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

Weekly practices are held on Tuesdays
from 6:30 pm-8:30 pm and held in the
Choir Loft in Church

Holy Cross Women's Group

All women are invited to join the Holy Cross Women's Group. We meet the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month from 6:00-7:00pm in the Parish Meeting Room. Please contact Ann Krumpelman for more information.

Welcome Home

We are pleased that you came to church today. If you are interested in becoming a member of the Church, please complete this form and mail it to the rectory or drop it in the basket.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

_____ Yes, I would like to register at Holy Cross.

_____ Yes, I would like for someone to call me.

Matthew

The King and His Kingdom

Holy Cross Parish Adult Faith Bible Study – Gospel of Matthew

As the Gospel of Matthew is being proclaimed at our Sunday Masses, join us in studying Matthew: The King and His Kingdom, which shows how Jesus fulfills God's promises to Israel and establishes his kingdom on earth. Through referenced to the Old Testament promises of God to his people and the messages God sent them through the prophets, Matthew Provides the key to understanding the rest of the New Testament and Christ as the fulfillment of God's plan.

<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Schedule</u> <u>Session</u>	<u>Topic</u>
9:30AM	11:30AM		
Feb. 16	Feb. 19	9	New Wine, New Wineskins
Feb. 23	Feb. 26	10	Jesus Commissions the Twelve
Mar. 2	Mar. 5	11	Jesus Confronts an Evil Generation
Mar. 9	Mar. 12	12	Jesus Confronts an Evil Generation
Mar. 16	Mar. 19	13	Parables of the Kingdom
Mar. 23	Mar. 26	14	Instructions to the Twelve
Mar. 30	Apr. 2	15	Instructions to the Twelve
Apr. 13	Apr. 16	16	Jesus Establishes the Church

Location: Parish Education Center, located in the basement of the Rectory.

Workbook: The cost of the workbook is \$35. (Fee will be waived, if needed.)

To Register:

Contact David and Mary Ann Arnold at adultfaith@holycrosscov.org

Or call the Parish Office at (859) 431-0636 and leave your name and phone number.

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Holy Cross Elementary School News

Please keep us in mind if you save Boxtops, Coke reward points, the tabs from cans, etc. We also have an account through Amazon so your purchases could earn the school and church money and we are signed up for Kroger reward points as well. Thank you also for those saving Coke reward points for us and those entering them.

Thank you for all your support—we appreciate the school supply donations. We are in need of certain items as we work to restock the shelves. We are in need of: crayons, markers, glue sticks, pens, pencils, scissors, highlighters, sharpies, rulers, three ring binders, baggies, post it notes, paper clips, and deodorant (for middle students) Our students have benefited greatly. Thank you for your generosity

Angel Pantry/St. Vincent DePaul

Thank you for your generosity! The pantry is getting low on many items, but we are currently out of shampoo, deodorant, baked beans and paper towels. Please help where you can, and God bless. Our next meeting is February 6th at 6:45pm after Mass in the Parish Meeting Room. Call Eileen Walter at 859-802-7862 or email at holycrossstvdvp@gmail.com for more information.

Welcome

We would like to extend a welcome to our newly registered members: Mark & Susan Williamson, Frank Eilers, Matthew & Ketrina Stahl, Joseph & Lisa Zornes, Zoey & Zorrus, James & Mary Elizabeth Woods, David & Lisa Stecht, Daniel Naomi Recznik & Maron, Cody & Katie Waterman, Cole & Ava, Molly Hitter

Knights of Columbus

The Bishop Maes Holy Cross Council #17445 was founded in 2020 and meets on the first Saturday of each month. We invite men of the parish to join our council for charity, unity and fraternity. The council assists with projects in the Holy Cross community including: Friday Night Knights, Food Booth at Parish Festival, Church, Renovations, Thanksgiving and Christmas assistance to St. Vincent dePaul, flags and crosses around campus and many other projects at Holy Cross Church and School. For more information contact Ron Fehr at 859-888-6306.



We would like to welcome Caroline Bell, Piper Kathman into the community through Baptism. We wish the parents well in fulfilling their duties as Christian parents.

Baptismal Class

We are now holding virtual Baptismal Classes. Please call the parish office to register at 859-431-0636.

CCD NEWS

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Holy Cross Parish CCD program is enrolling K-8 for the 2021-2022

school year. Classes have begun on Mondays. Classes will be held at Holy Cross Elementary from 4:45-5:45pm. Families are welcome to attend Mass at 6:00pm. Curriculum and materials are free to students enrolled. New students are always welcomed. To enroll or if you are interested in teaching CCD, please email Jody Bohman at ccd@holycrosscov.org.

Memorial Mass for the Loss of a Child

This Mass is being offered for parents, grandparents, family members and friends of those who have lost a child through miscarriage, stillbirth, early infant death, abortion, illness, suicide, accident or any other reason. Mass held on Wednesday, March 15th at 7:00pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary, Rev. Michael Comer preside. All are welcome to attend. For more information please contact the Diocese of Covington Pro-Life at 859-392-1545.

National Catholic Youth Conference

The Office of Catechesis and Evangelization invites you to join us at the 2023 NCYC. Fully Alive conference on November 16-18 at the Indiana Convention Center In Indianapolis. <https://ncyc.us/about/>

National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) is a unique three-day experience of prayer, community, evangelization, catechesis, service, and empowerment for Catholic teens and their adult chaperones. Hearing inspiring Catholic speakers, celebrate Mass with thousands of teens, and participate in reconciliation and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Enjoy praise and worship music led by award-winning artists and experience interactive exhibits with games, crafts, obstacle courses and more.

For more information please contact Isaak Abraham Isaak at 859-392-1529 or ilisaak@covdio.org.

Join us for World Youth Day August 1-6, 2023

The Diocese of Covington is coordinating a pilgrimage to World Youth Day 2023 in Lisbon, Portugal, for youth and young adults, ages 16 and up. If you are interested in attending, leading a group, or making donations to help the youth of our diocese attend this powerful experience, please contact Isaak Abraham Isaak at 859-392-1529 or iisaak@covdio.org.