Holy Cross Church

Bringing the Good News of Jesus Christ



Rectory: 859-431-0636 or 859-431-5537

Mass Times

-Saturday @ 4:30pm

-Sunday @ 8:30am, 10:30am, Noon

-Monday @ 6:00pm

-Tuesday to Friday @ 9:00am

-Wednesday @ 6:00pm

-1st Friday @ 9:00pm Candlelight Mass

-1st Saturday @ 9:00am

Holy Day Masses

-7:00pm Vigil (unless on a Mon. & Wed. then 6:00pm)

-Day 9:00am, Noon, 7:00pm

(unless on Mon. or Wed. then 6:00pm)

Reconciliation

-Wednesday @ 5:00pm to 5:45pm

-Saturday @ 4:00pm to 4:25pm

-1st Friday @ 8:00pm to 8:45pm or by appointment

-1st Saturday @ 9:30am to 10:00am

Eucharistic Adoration

-Sundays @ 9:45-10:15am

-Monday 5:00pm-5:45pm with Benediction @ 5:45pm

-Wednesday 5:00-5:45pm with Benediction @ 5:45pm

-Friday 8:00-8:45pm with Benediction @ 8:45pm

-Baptisms upon request - call Parish Office

-Rosary on Thursdays @ 6:00pm (May/October)

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Opening Song GATHER THE PEOPLE







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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 25:6-10a

On this mountain the LORD of hosts will provide for all peoples a feast of rich food and choice wines, juicy, rich food and pure, choice wines. On this mountain he will destroy the veil that veils all peoples, the web that is woven over all nations; he will destroy death forever. The Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from every face; the reproach of his people he will remove from the whole earth; for the LORD has spoken. On that day it will be said: "Behold our God, to whom we looked to save us! This is the LORD for whom we looked; let us rejoice and be glad that he has saved us!" For the hand of the LORD will rest on this mountain.

R. Thanks be to God.



Responsorial

Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6

R. I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. In verdant pastures he gives me repose; beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul.

R. I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side with your rod and your staff that give me courage.

R. I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

R. I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life; and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD for years to come.

R. I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

Reading II

Phil 4:12-14, 19-20 Nicene Creed

Brothers and sisters: I know how to live in humble circumstances; I know also how to live with abundance. In every circumstance and in all things I have learned the secret of being well fed and of going hungry, of living in abundance and of being in need. I can do all things in him who strengthens me. Still, it was kind of you to share in my distress.

My God will fully supply whatever you need, in accord with his glorious riches in Christ Jesus. To our God and Father, glory forever and ever. Amen.

R. Thanks be to God.

Gospel Mt 22:1-10

Jesus again in reply spoke to the chief priests and elders of the people in parables, saying, "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son. He dispatched his servants to summon the invited guests to the feast, but they refused to come. A second time he sent other servants, saying, 'Tell those invited: "Behold, I have prepared my banquet, my calves and fattened cattle are killed, and everything is ready; come to the feast." Some ignored the invitation and went away, one to his farm, another to his business. The rest laid hold of his servants, mistreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged and sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his servants, 'The feast is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy to come. Go out, therefore, into the main roads and invite to the feast whomever you find.' The servants went out into the streets and gathered all they found, bad and good alike, and the hall was filled with guests.

R. Praise be to the 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 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

(continued)

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

MANY AND GREAT

Ricky Manalo, CSP Verses the Word: 1. Man-y and great are bear-ers of the Christ 2. Man-y and great are seeds up on the field: the hand 3. Man-y and great are voic - es of de - spair: the rain 4. Man-y and great are peb-bles in the sand: the sun Gath-ered as 1. speaks: the heart seeks. one, we sows; the seeds grow. Take now and eat the Take now and falls: the voice calls. drink the glows; the wind blows. Take now and spread the 1. lis-ten to the Word and share meal of new birth. the 2. cov - e - nant ful - filled, the bread of prom-ise and life. of 3. wine of hope and care; our cup bless-ing we share. 4. Word to ev - 'ry land, the Word good-ness and hope. Refrain The wheat grows from spring-time to fall; the wine flows; in

Christ we re-call the shar-ing of our lives with one and all.

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.

Your Attention Please

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



Communion Song THE SUPPER OF THE LORD

Laurence Rosania Refrain Pre-cious bod - y, pre-cious blood, seen as bread and wine; here the Lord pre - pares the feast di - vine. Bread of love is bro-ken now. cup of life is poured: come, share the sup-per of the Lord.



- the bread of heav'n am 4. "All those who feed on me
- giv ing life to vou; have their life me,
- in 5. All praise to you, O Christ, pres-ent in this feast;



- 2. you that drink from me shall not thirst a gain."
- 3. you that eat this bread shall nev - er die."
- 4. as I have my life in the liv-ing God."
- 5. in this bread, we share in one life, one Lord.

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Closing Song Now Thank WE ALL OUR GOD

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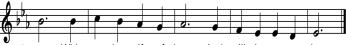




- 1. voic es, Who won-drous things hath done, In whom his world re-
- joy ful hearts And bless ed peace to 2. near us, With ev - er
- 3. giv en, The Son, and Spir it blest, Who reigns in high-est



- 1. joic es; Who, from our moth-er's arms Hath blessed US on our
- 2. cheer us; Pre-serve us in his grace, And guide us in dis -
- 3. heav en, E ter-nal, Tri une God, Whom earth and heav'n a -



- With count-less gifts of love, And still is ours to - day. 1. wav
- 2. tress, And free us from all sin, Till heav-en we pos-sess.
- 3. dore; For thus it was, is now, And shall be, ev - er - more.

Text: 67 67 66 66; Sirach 50:22-24; Martin Rinkart, 1586-1649; tr. by Catherine Winkworth, 1827-1878, alt. Music: Johann Crüger, 1598-1662; adapt. by William H. Monk, 1823-1889, fr. Felix Mendelssohn, 1809-1847.

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.



Baptismal Class

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



We would like to welcome Bennett Westhoff, Felicity Mooney into the community through Baptism. We wish the parents well in fulfilling their duties as Christian parents.

Our Offering to the Lord

Sunday Offering for 10-8-2023 Actual Budget needed weekly

\$10,492.00 \$11,000.00

MASS INTENTIONS — October 16/22, 2023

Monday — Fr. Cooney

+Leslie Christopel 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday - Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Trudy Bezold

Wednesday — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Todd Clark

Robert Feldman

6:00 p.m. +Todd Clark

Thursday — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Chase & Cole Fischer

Friday — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Joseph Thien

Saturday - Fr. Hennigen

4:30 p.m. +Sue Craven

Sunday - Fr.Hennigen

8:30 a.m. +Wayne Neltner 10:30 a.m. +Donald Wendling Holy Cross Parish 12:00 noon

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

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, Leslie, Faith & Grace Green, Joseph Fehr, Greg Trame, Anuel Nevels, Jack Sullivan, Lisa Luken, Martha Allen, Doug Vogelsang, Sean Timmerding, Marilyn & Rob Busch, Darlene Carnes, Ben Reinersman, Dee Arkenau, Lori Schuler, Cate Becker, Linda Daughtery, Eli Cox, Rosemary Joe Crowe, Cheri Menetrey, Mike & Mary Taney, Wahlrab, Jennifer Bailey, Joyce Eibel, Mary Jo Gallagher, Mandy Wainscott, Carolyn Hoffman, George Darpel, Carol Woodward, Rita Hindman, Jared Taney, Kim Fletcher, David Neff, Terry Trame, Julie Trame, Tony Brosky, Sharon Courtney, Winston Fleehearty, Cathy Carlson, Alice Sprague, TJ McFadden, Rob Feldman, Donna Sayers, Janine Stolz, Carol Dohrmann Lozny, Tom McEntee, Debra Fraley, Tommy Talbert, Margie Robbins, Mike Quinn, Danielle & Diana Sydnor, Paul Webster, Rob Millay, Frank Weaver, Oriana Carrington, Mark Gregory, Keith & Valerie Preston, Paul Meyer, Stephen Bailey, Leon, Chris Curry, Wesley Ernest, Todd Franzen, Donna Kohne, Theresa Moore, Joe Krantz

MINISTRIES

LECTORS — October 21/22, 2023

Saturday

4:30 p.m. Paula Seiter

Sunday

8:30 a.m. Donna Foltz

10:30 a.m. Ann Krumpelman

12:00 noon Kevin Dallas

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS — October 21/22, 2023

Saturday

4:30 p.m. Nina Bullock, Joe Reinersman,

Virginia Delaney, Mary Ann Moore,

Jane Grothaus, Allen Singer

Sunday

8:30 a.m. Kim & Terry Mason, Denny Lusby,

Bob & Linda Goetz

10:30 a.m. David Arnold, Jean Edwards,

Vincent & Caroline Owhoso,

Ronald Fehr

Happy Halloween Attention: We Need Your Help!



We are in need of individually wrapped candies in order to make 150 bags for Rosedale Green. A container will be in the back of church for all donations. Please help us out! Thank You.

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.

A Glance at the Week from Fr. Hennigen

- This weekend of the 14th and 15th is donut/ fellowship weekend after all the Masses. Also, on this weekend, religious articles from the Holy Land will be sold after all the Masses.
- This Tuesday, the 17th, is our parish and school Trunk or Treat. All are invited. If you want to decorate your trunk and pass out candy to pull in the back parking lot behind the church between 5:30 and 5:45pm. We will block off the lot at 5:45pm. There will be a band playing and food and drink for a love offering provided by the Knights of Columbus. It is always such a great event.
- October is the month of Our Lady, our Mother Mary. Throughout the rest of this month the rosary is prayed on Thursdays at 6:00pm by the Mary statue out front or in the Church. Also, every Sunday morning the rosary is prayed at 8:00 before the 8:30am
- On Friday the 20th, following the 9:00am Mass the school kids will be praying the Rosary and all are welcome to pray the rosary with them.



Holy Cross Parish Adult Faith Bible Study – Gospel of Matthew

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 references 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.

| Sunday 11:30 AM | 9:45 AM | Session | Topic |
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| To 1:00 PM | To 11:15 AM | | |
| Oct. 15 | Oct. 19 | 17 | Matt. 18 Characteristics of the Christian Community |
| Oct. 22 | Oct. 26 | 18 | Matt. 19 A Demonstration of God's Love |
| Oct. 29 | Nov. 2 | 19 | Matt. 20-21 Stepping Down Into Greatness |
| Nov. 5 | Nov. 9 | 20 | Matt. 22-23 "Let's Get Real" |
| Nov. 12 | Nov. 16 | 21 | Matt. 24-25 Jesus Predicts the End of an Era |
| Nov. 19 | Nov. 30 | 22 | Matt. 26 The Trial of the Christ |
| Dec. 3 | Dec. 7 | 23 | Matt. 27 The Passion of the King |
| Dec. 10 | Dec. 14 | 24 | Matt. 28 The Triumph of the King |
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Location: Parish Education Center, located in the basement of the Rectory.

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.

Holy Cross Parish: We bring the Good News of Jesus Christ!

Second Annual Holy Cross Elementary Fun Run

Come join us for our Fun Run/Walk at Pioneer Park on Saturday, October 21st! The race will start at 10am and it will be rain or shine. The cost is \$15 for students and \$20 for adults. All proceeds will go towards our science and technology programs. Shirts will be guaranteed if registered by Oct. 5th. Contact Holy Cross Elem. school office at 859-581-6599 or stop by the school during school hours to pick up a registration form. We are also looking for sponsors for this event. If you would like to be a sponsor, you can contact the school office for more information. We hope to see you there and thank you for your support!

Spiritual Warfare Prayers

Every Third Wednesday of the month we will have Deliverance Prayers to ask God to help us in our spiritual fight as Saint Paul talks about in Ephesians 6 for us to put on the armor of God. After 6:00pm Mass we with Eucharistic will beain Adoration have Deliverance Prayers that last a little over an hour. The Deliverance Prayers calls for one to make recourse to Sacrament of Reconciliation before and to have fasted prior to the prayers. Confessions are offered prior to the 6:00pm Mass. Questions please contact Dan Pikar at dbpink.art@gmail.com.

Holy Cross Pro-Life Ministry prolife@holycrosscov.org

OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH

Sunday, October 21: Novena Join thousands of Catholics praying the Respect Life Month Novena. Get daily intentions, brief reflections, and more @ https://www.respectlife.org/respect-life-month

Tuesday, October 17, 2023: Diocese of Covington Pro-Life Mass 7:00 p.m. at the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption

Thursday, October 19: Community Baby Shower Serving some of the most vulnerable in our community, this event (sponsored by diocese Pro-Life office and other community agencies) will be held at St Paul Parish in Florence. The theme is "Safe Sleeping". If you would like to donate items (sleepers, swaddles, diapers, etc.) please drop in bin in back of church by Mon Oct 16. Friday October 20: 40 DAYS FOR LIFE MIDPOINT PRAYER HOUR Join us at 7:00PM for an hour of prayer @ public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood (2314 Auburn Avenue Cincinnati). Parking two blocks down at Holy Name Church (2422 Auburn Ave) If you have questions or would like to participate in Holy Cross Pro-Life efforts, please contact Sheri Kuhlman at above email address.

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 5:00-6:00pm. 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 call Parish Office at 859-431-0636.

Angel Pantry/St. Vincent DePaul

THANK YOU! Your neighbors are very thankful for the donations. We are in dire need of: Toothbrushes, shampoo, deodorant, spaghetti's and ravioli. Contact Barb Hausladen at email holycrossstvd@gmail.com or call 859 -466-1222.

Rosary

Each week on Thursday evening from May thru October, the Rosary will be prayed at Holy Cross Parish beginning at 6:00pm (outside weather permitting). We would like to invite you to attend and pray with us.

Virtus

Don't forget the October bulletin posted on Sunday, October 1st, due on Tuesday, November 7th. If your account is suspended contact your primary location where you volunteer or are employed. The next Virtus classes will be held at on the following dates, times and locations:

- October 17th at 9:00am at Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, Covington
- October 17th at 6:00pm at Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, Covington
- November 14th at 9:00am at Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, Covington
- November 14th at 6:00pm at Diocesan Curia, Bishop Howard Memorial Auditorium, Covington

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.

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Miracles of the Eucharist Devised and Planned by Carlo Acutis

Blessed Carla Acutis, who died at age 15 in 2006, during his short life catalogued many spiritual exhibitions including the Miracles of the Eucharist, which stand out. The spiritual effects brought about by this exhibition could not have been predicted beforehand. This exhibition is in many churches in five continents. St. Agnes Church in Ft. Wright has about 30 panels in the church. The Secular Franciscans that meet at this parish plan to bring some of the panels of the Eucharist to Holy Cross. It would be setup in the vestibule and some adjoining areas. You can take a virtual tour of the panels at www.carloacutis.com and www.miracuolieucaristici.org. For information or would like to help Rose Mary Menetrey at menetreyr@yahoo.com or call 859-356-0091.

Knights of Columbus

The Bishop Maes Holy Cross Council #17445 was founded in 2020 and meets on the 1st 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 the campus and many other projects at Holy Cross Church and School. Our next meeting is Saturday, November 4th at 11:00am. Join us for Mass at 9:00am and Service and Fellowship from 9:30am to 11:00am and our meeting at 11:00am. Call Ron Fehr for more info at 859-888-6306.

Parish Mission — St. Joseph Church, Cold Springs

Fr. Jim Sichko is a priest of the Diocese of Lexington and is a full-time Papal Missionary of Mercy. He is also a close friend of Fr. Andrew Young. Fr. Jim will be preaching his "60 Minutes for Jesus" mission Sunday-Tuesday, October 22 thru 24th, 7:00-8:00pm in the church. The mission is one hour each night and each night is a separate talk. If you can't make all three, come to as many as you can. Fr. Jim will be speaking on themes of kindness, trust, and leadership and sharing stories from his life and ministry. I guarantee you want to be here all three nights and you will laugh, cry, sing, and be inspired! Mark your calendar and plan to us join us. I promise you won't regret it.

Morning of Reflection

Fr. Kunath will be discussing "Confession" on Saturday, October 21st. We will begin in the Parish Hall at All Saints Church, in Walton at 9:00am, Mass and Adoration will follow in church at 10:00am. He will also be offering the Sacrament of Confession during Adoration. Everyone is welcome!