

Holy Cross Church

Bringing the Good News of Jesus Christ



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

Website: holycrosscov.org

Email: info@holycrosscov.org

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)

Pastoral Team

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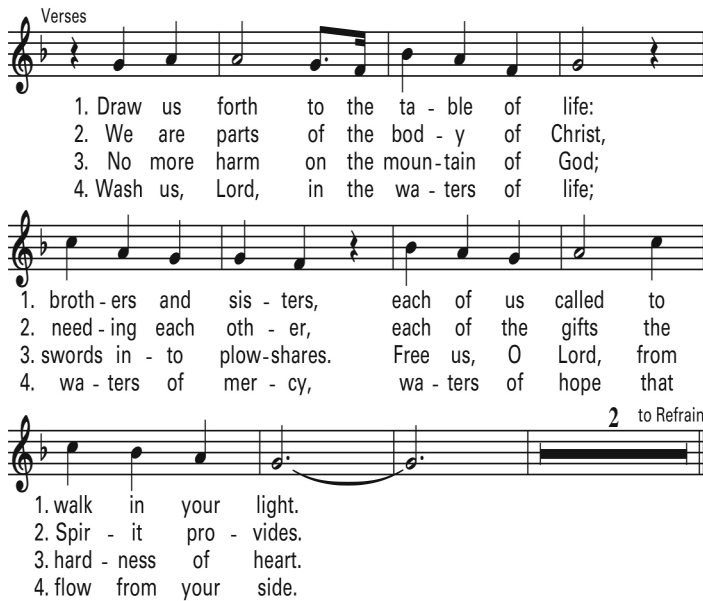
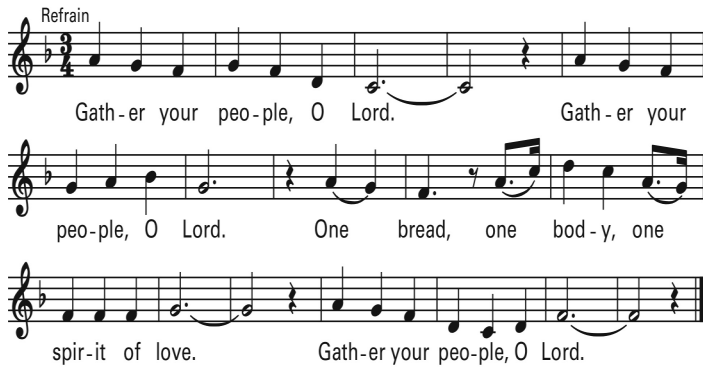
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Opening Song

GATHER YOUR PEOPLE

Bob Hurd



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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

Ex 22:20-26

Thus says the LORD: "You shall not molest or oppress an alien, for you were once aliens yourselves in the land of Egypt. You shall not wrong any widow or orphan. If ever you wrong them and they cry out to me, I will surely hear their cry. My wrath will flare up, and I will kill you with the sword; then your own wives will be widows, and your children orphans. "If you lend money to one of your poor neighbors among my people, you shall not act like an extortioner toward him by demanding interest from him. If you take your neighbor's cloak as a pledge, you shall return it to him before sunset; for this cloak of his is the only covering he has for his body. What else has he to sleep in? If he cries out to me, I will hear him; for I am compassionate."

R. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial

Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51

R. I love you, Lord, my strength.

I love you, O LORD, my strength, O LORD, my rock, my fortress, my deliverer.

R. I love you, Lord, my strength.

My God, my rock of refuge, my shield, the horn of my salvation, my stronghold! Praised be the LORD, I exclaim, and I am safe from my enemies.

R. I love you, Lord, my strength.

The LORD lives and blessed be my rock! Extolled be God my savior. You who gave great victories to your king and showed kindness to your anointed.

R. I love you, Lord, my strength.

Reading II

1 Thes 1:5c-10

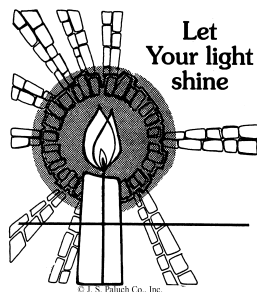
Brothers and sisters: You know what sort of people we were among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, receiving the word in great affliction, with joy from the Holy Spirit, so that you became a model for all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For from you the word of the Lord has sounded forth not only in Macedonia and in Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has gone forth, so that we have no need to say anything. For they themselves openly declare about us what sort of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God and to await his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus, who delivers us from the coming wrath.

R. Thanks be to God.

Gospel**Mt 22:34-40**

When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a scholar of the law tested him by asking, "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" He said to him, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. The whole law and the prophets depend on these two commandments."

R. Praise be to the Lord Jesus Christ.

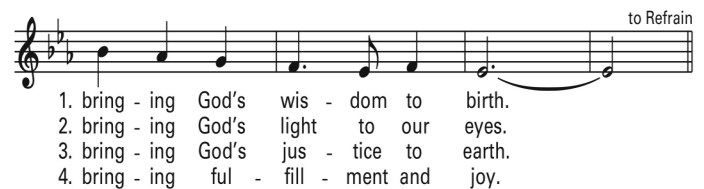
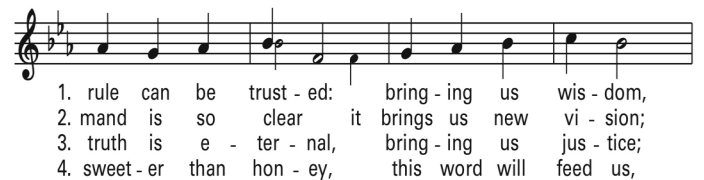
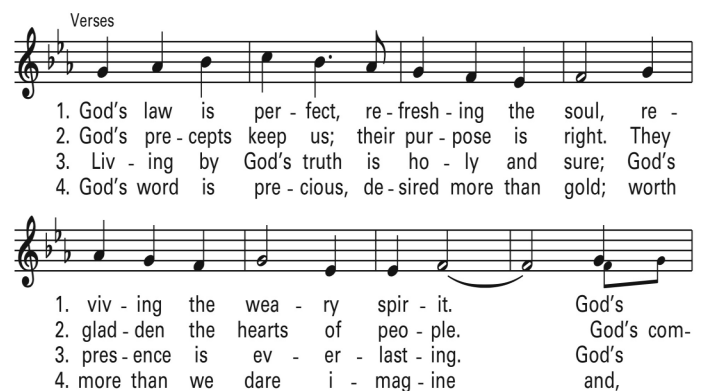
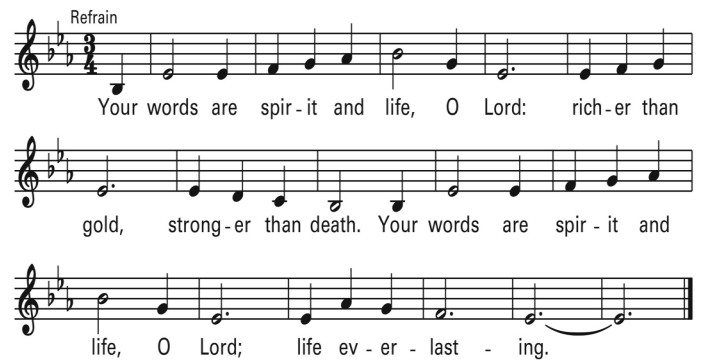
**Nicene Creed**

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 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**YOUR WORDS ARE SPIRIT AND LIFE (PSALM 19)**

Bernadette Farrell



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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

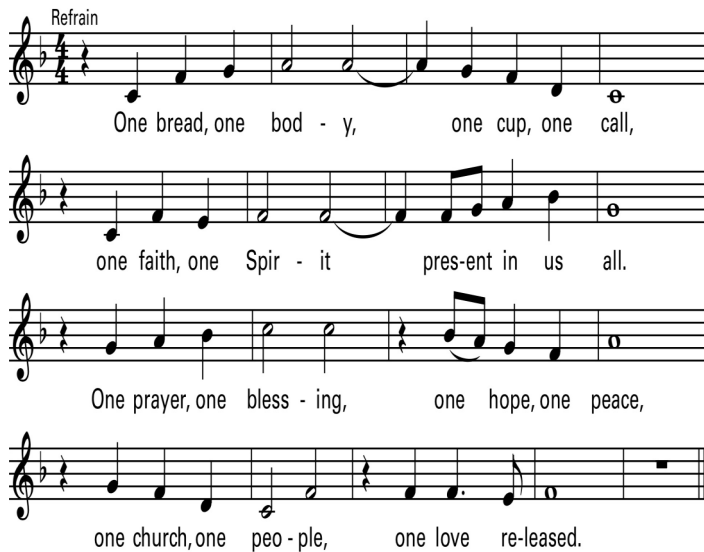
For reception of Holy Communion: to receive on the tongue, go to Father or Deacon's line. Thank you.

Communion Song

ONE LOVE RELEASED

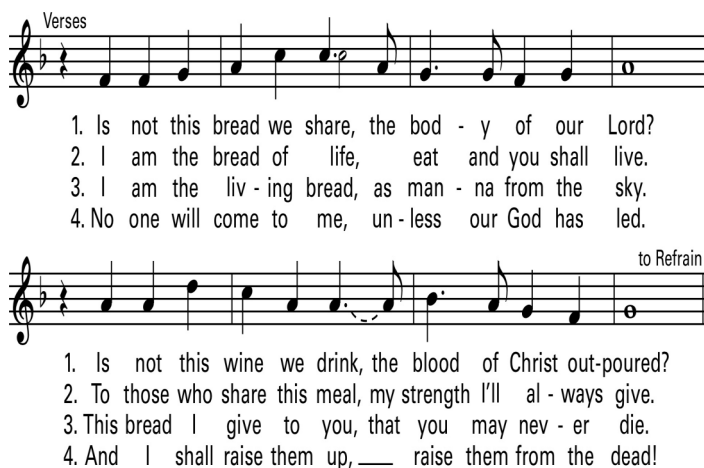
Bob Frenzel and Kevin Keil

Refrain



One bread, one bod - y, one cup, one call,
one faith, one Spir - it pres-ent in us all.
One prayer, one bless - ing, one hope, one peace,
one church, one peo - ple, one love re-leased.

Verses

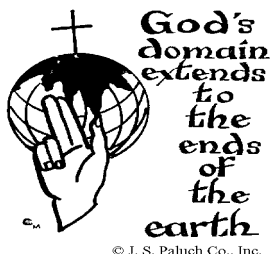


1. Is not this bread we share, the bod - y of our Lord?
2. I am the bread of life, eat and you shall live.
3. I am the liv - ing bread, as man - na from the sky.
4. No one will come to me, un - less our God has led.

to Refrain

1. Is not this wine we drink, the blood of Christ out-poured?
2. To those who share this meal, my strength I'll al - ways give.
3. This bread I give to you, that you may nev - er die.
4. And I shall raise them up, — raise them from the dead!

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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 Emerald Webster into the community through Baptism. We wish the parents well in fulfilling their duties as Christian parents.

Closing Song

HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING

ENDLESS SONG

Verses



1. My life flows on in end - less song; A -
2. Through all the tu - mult and the strife, I
3. What though the tem - pest 'round me roar, I
4. When ty - rants trem - ble, sick with fear, And
5. The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, A

1. bove earth's lam - en - ta - tion. I hear the real though
2. hear that mu - sic ring - ing; It sounds and ech - oes
3. hear the truth it liv - eth. What though the dark - ness
4. hear their death knells ring - ing; When friends re - joice both
5. foun - tain ev - er spring - ing. All things are mine since

1. far - off hymn That hails a new cre - a - tion.
2. in my soul; How can I keep from sing - ing?
3. 'round me close, Songs in the night it giv - eth.
4. far and near, How can I keep from sing - ing?
5. I am his; How can I keep from sing - ing?

Refrain

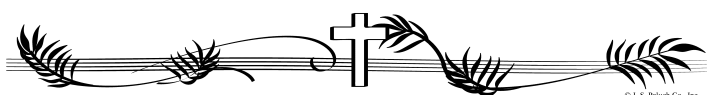


No storm can shake my in-most calm, While to that rock I'm
cling - ing. Since Love is Lord of heav - en and earth,
How can I keep from sing - ing?

Text: 87 87 with refrain; attr. to Robert Lowry, 1826-1899, alt.; verse 3, Doris Plenn. Music: Quaker Hymn; attr. to Robert Lowry.

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.



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MASS INTENTIONS — October 30/November 5, 2023**Monday — Fr. Hennigen**

6:00 p.m. +Norma Webster

Tuesday — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Margaret Peggy Owings

Wednesday — All Saints Day — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Tonya Lewis

12:00 noon +Mary Lee Simpson

6:00 p.m. +Jeff Rennekamp

Thursday — All Souls Day — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Margaret Peggy Owings

Friday — Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Walker Family

9:00 p.m. +Phil Ciafardini

Saturday - Fr. Hennigen

9:00 a.m. +Greg Lews, Sr.

4:30 p.m. +Judy Heidrich

Sunday — Fr. Hennigen

8:30 a.m. +Wayne Neltner

10:30 a.m. +John Kohne

12:00 noon Holy Cross Parish



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 Menetrey, Mike & Mary Taney, Joe Crowe, Cheri 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 Fleeheart, 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

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.

A Glance at the Week from Fr. Hennigen

- This weekend throughout the whole diocese a second collection is being taken up for the education and formation of the seminarians in our diocese. We continue to pray and support especially Will Fuller, a seminarian from our parish.
- Wednesday, the 1st, is the Feast of All Saints, a holy day of obligation. There is no vigil Mass on October 31st. Masses on the 1st are at 9:00am, Noon, and 6:00pm. Note the evening Mass is at 6:00pm not 7:00pm since the Holy Day falls on a Wednesday and we already have a 6:00pm Wednesday Mass. There will still be adoration and confessions at 5:00pm before the 6:00pm Mass.
- Thursday, November 2nd is All Souls Day. Mass is at 9:00am and there is a memorial Mass at 7:00pm for the High School.
- November 3rd is First Friday with 9:00am Mass, 8:00 to 8:45pm confessions and adoration and 9:00pm candlelight Mass.
- November 4th is First Saturday with 9:00am Mass, confessions 9:30 to 10:00am, Service Saturday 10:00 to 11:00am, and 11:00am Knights of Columbus meeting.

Our Offering to the Lord

Sunday Offering for 10-15-2023	\$ 8,417.00
Sunday Offering for 10-22-2023	\$ 8,993.00
Actual Budget needed weekly	\$11,000.00

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.

MINISTRIES

LECTORS — November 4/5, 2023

Saturday

4:30 p.m. Tony Simpson

Sunday

8:30 a.m. Sr. Helen Wilke

10:30 a.m. Kevin Dallas

12:00 noon Nancy Wilson

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS — November 4/5, 2023

Saturday

4:30 p.m. Andrew Munson, Nina Bullock,
Nancy Eyerman, Sherrie Riddell,
Joe Reinersman, Virginia Delaney

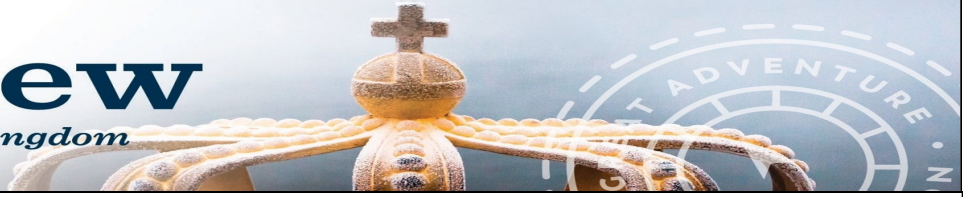
Sunday

8:30 a.m. Amy & Kenneth Dye, Jan Reis,
Bob & Linda Goetz, Jackie Dabbelt
10:30 a.m. David Arnold, Ann Krumpelman,
Fawn Braden, Jill Hamlin, Jan Reis

Thank You for the many contributions of Halloween candy for Rosedale Green.

Matthew

The King and His Kingdom



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 To 1:00 PM	Thursday 9:45 AM To 11:15 AM	Session	Topic
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

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!

Sing for Joy!

Calling all Singers!

Join our Adult Choir as we prepare for the Christmas Season. No experience needed.

Practices Wednesday nights
7pm till 8pm in choir loft.



For more information, email Tony Wagner hc.music.dir@holycrosscov.org

HOLY CROSS
HANDBELL ENSEMBLE

Ring in the holidays with Handbells

Learn to play handbells and spread joy this
Christmas season.

All levels welcome.

Practices are on Tuesdays at 6:30 pm till 8:30 pm
in choir loft starting now till Christmas

For more information, email Tony Wagner
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CCD NEWS

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.

Elementary School News**31st Annual Eighth Grade Pro-Life Essay Contest**

The Diocesan Pro-Life Office and the Department of Catholic Schools are pleased to sponsor the 8th Grade Pro-Life Essay Contest. The Essay contest is open to all 8th graders in the Diocese of Covington. This is a great opportunity to nurture our students on their belief in the Church's teaching on the sanctity of all human life, as well as inspire them to live out their faith. We hope you will encourage all your students to participate in this important phase of their Catholic education. For more information on the essay contest, please contact the Pro-Life Office or visit our website www.covdio.org/pro-life.

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.

St. Vincent DePaul's 16th Annual Turkeyfoot Trot 5K Run/Walk

It will be held at Thomas More University on Saturday, November 18th at 9:00am. Proceeds benefit our ministry of direct service (emergency financial assistance, food, and necessities) to our neighbors in need. Pre-registration by November 17th at www.smdpnky.org. \$25 for adults and \$20 for children 14 years of younger, T-shirts sold separately for \$17 while supply last. Day of race registration begins at 7:30am, \$30 for adults and \$25 for children 14 years or younger. There will be free kids fun run, lots of door prizes, and food donated by local restaurants at the after-party! Sponsorship opportunities are still available. To Sponsor, donate, or for more information, so to www.svdpnky.org or contact Lou Settle at 859-446-7727 or lou.settlesvdpnky.org.

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.

**Miracles of the Eucharist
Devised and Planned by Carlo Acutis**

Born in London and raised in Milan, Carlo's wealthy parents were not particularly religious. Upon receiving his first communion at age seven, Carlo became a frequent communicant, making a point of praying before the tabernacle before or after every Mass. In addition to Francis of Assisi, Carlo took several of the younger saints as his models, including Bernadette Soubirous, Jacinta and Francisco Marto, and Dominic Savio.

At school Carlo tried to comfort friends whose parents were undergoing divorce, as well as stepping in to defend disabled students from bullies. After school hours he volunteered his time with the city's homeless and destitute. Considered a computer geek by some, Carlo spent four years creating a website dedicated to cataloguing every reported Eucharistic miracle around the world. He also enjoyed films, comics, soccer, and playing popular video games.

Diagnosed with leukemia, Carlo offered his sufferings to God for the intentions of the sitting pope—Benedict XVI—and the entire Church. His longtime desire to visit as many sites of Eucharistic miracles as possible was cut short by his illness. Carlo died in 2006 and was beatified in 2020.

As he had wished, Carlo was buried in Assisi at St. Mary Major's "Chapel of the Stripping", where Francis had returned his clothes to his father and began a more radical following of the Gospel.

Among the thousands present for Carlo's beatification at Assisi's Basilica of St. Francis were many of his childhood friends. Presiding at the beatification service, Cardinal Agostino Vallini praised Carlo as an example of how young people can use technology to spread the Gospel "to reach as many people as possible and help them know the beauty of friendship with the Lord." His liturgical feast is celebrated on October 12.

Reflection

Carlo Acutis did not strive to become famous but rather to cooperate as generously as possible with God's grace. That journey brought him many experiences, but they were all united by a burning desire to serve God and others as generously as possible.

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