# Our Lady of Lourdes

## Diocese of Covington's Latin Mass Parish

1101 AMSTERDAM ROAD & PARK HILLS & KY & 41011

HOLY FAMILY ORATORY & Liberty Hill Drive & Union & KY

"I do not promise you happiness in this life, only in the next"

Dear Parishioners,

RAISED BE JESUS CHRIST! I hope everyone was able to stay cool this last week with the heat in the upper 90s. Even Lucy the hound didn't want to walk that much because of the heat. When it is hot like it has been, she just goes out and plops in the grass to bask in the hot sun. Silly dog.

Beginning next week, classes will start Monday, September 9th, at 6:30 pm in the undercroft of Our Lady of Lourdes for anyone interested in the Catholic Church. (Classes will be on subsequent Mondays at 6:30 pm). I know that there have been a few that have been interested in joining the Church. Now is the time! Feel free to just show up, and we will dive right in to the teachings of our beautiful Catholic Faith. May God bless you all, Fr. Matt



Je suis L'Immaculée Conception

#### Pastor

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### **Baptism and Marriages**

All Sacraments at Our Lady of Lourdes are performed according to the *usus antiquior* of the Roman Rite, with the 1962 liturgical books being normative. Contact the pastor for any sacramental needs.

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## Mass Calendar & Intentions

SUNDAY September 1: 15th Sunday after Pentecost

7:00 AM (+) Vivian Turton

(Union) 7:00 AM Holy Souls in Purgatory

9:00 AM George Riehle 11:30 AM Pro Populo

MONDAY September 2: St. Stephen of Hungary, King & Confessor

\*\* **9:00 AM** (+) Maria Merklin

TUESDAY September 3: St. Pius X, Pope & Confessor

6:30 AM (+) Philip & Pauline Vea 12:10 PM (+) Kathy Wheatley George

WEDNESDAY September 4: Votive of St. Joseph

12:10 PM James Peugh

THURSDAY September 5: St. Lawrence Justinian, Bishop & Confessor

6:30 AM David Mangin 12:10 PM Fletcher Calder

FRIDAY September 6: Sacred Heart of Jesus

6:30 AM Gloria & (+) Fred Zienowicz

12:10 PM Constantine Gereny

SATURDAY September 7: Immaculate Heart of Mary

9:00 AM Mothers of MSJB



## Weekly Financial Report Week of Sunday August 25, 2024

Sunday Collection:	
Checks Cash & Coin	\$2665.00
Cash & Con	\$666.55
Online & Other Donations	\$250.00
Candles	\$51.25
TOTAL	\$3632.80
Weekly Budgetary Needs	\$4,395

- † There is only one Mass offered at OLOL tomorrow, September 2nd, at <u>9am</u>. No early morn or noon Mass.
- + St. Michael the Archangel KC Council is hosting a dinner and talk featuring Dan Schachle and his family, who are the recipients of a Vatican-certified miracle that has been attributed to Blessed Michael McGivney. The dinner will be on Monday, September 16, at 6 p.m. Visit for more info: https://stmichaelkofc.org/event/its-a-miracle-dinner/
- + That Man is You! is an interactive men's program that combines the teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the



saints to develop authentic male leaders capable of transforming themselves, their families, and greater society. Join us for food, fellowship and faith [Sept. 11, 6-7:30 AM, Murphy Hall undercroft of St Agnes.] All men are welcome. Learn more at tmiy.org.

## MOVENA TO THE SORROWFUL MOTHER OF GOD

#### SEPTEMBER 6-14

AIL MARY, FULL OF SORROWS, the Crucified is with thee; tearful art thou amongst women, and tearful is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of the Crucified, give tears to us, crucifiers of thy Son, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

MARY. MOTHER OF SORROWS, I beseech thee, by the bitter agony thou didst endure at the foot of the Cross,



offer to the Eternal Father, in my name, thy Beloved Son, Jesus, all covered with Blood and Wounds, in satisfaction for my sins, for the needs of Holy Church, the conversion of sinners, the relief of the souls in Purgatory, and for the special grace I now implore. Amen. (mention your request). Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be...



#### ON THE NEED FOR PRAYER

HE NECESSITY OF PRAYER is founded on the necessity of actual grace. Except for the first grace, which is gratuitously given to us without our praying for it, since it is the very principle of prayer, it is a thoroughly established truth that prayer is the normal, efficacious, and universal means by which God wishes that we should obtain all the actual graces we need. This is why Our Lord inculcates so often the necessity of prayer to obtain grace. He says: "Ask, and it shall be given you: seek, and you shall find: knock, and it shall be opened to you. For everyone that asketh, receiveth: and he that seeketh, findeth: and to him that knocketh, it shall be opened." He recalls this necessity of prayer to obtain actual grace, especially when temptation is to be resisted: "Watch ye, and pray that ye enter not into temptation. The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak." In prayer we ought to recognize that God is the Author of all good: and therefore all confidence not founded on prayer is presumptuous. Therefore the Council of Trent declares in St. Augustine's own words: "God never commands the impossible, but in commanding He tells us to do what we can, to ask for that which we are not able to do, and He helps us in order that we may be able." By His actual grace He even helps us to pray. There are, consequently, actual graces which we can obtain only by prayer. We could not insist too strongly on this point, for many beginners, unwittingly impregnated with practical naturalism, as the Pelagians & semi-Palagians were, imagine that everything can be attained with will and energy, even without actual grace. Experience soon shows them the profound truth of Christ's words: "Without Me you can do nothing," and also that of St. Paul's statement: "It is God who worketh in you both to will and to accomplish." Therefore we must ask Him for the actual grace ever more faithfully to keep the commandments, especially the supreme precept of the love of God and of our neighbor.

- The Three Ages of the Interior Life

## Act of Resignation



ORD, I know not what to ask; I merely present myself to Thee. Thou seest my miseries. Thou lovest me. Supply my needs according to Thy Mercy. I adore, without seeking to

understand, Thy Holy Will. I resign myself to Thee, entirely and absolutely. I have no other desire but to do what Thou dost wish me to do. Teach me to pray, O Jesus! Pray within me Thyself. *Amen*.

To dress becomingly for God and neighbor, and in keeping with the reverence due to the Blessed Sacrament, kindly refrain from wearing shorts, tee-shirts, tank-tops, revealing blouses, sleeveless or backless dresses, or form-fitting clothing of any sort. Please wear dresses and skirts that fall below the knee when sitting even with leggings (around mid-calf). With due regard to time and circumstance, all are encouraged to wear decorous attire befitting sacred and divine worship.