



SAINT ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Covington, Tennessee

AVE MARIA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ripley, Tennessee

Rev. Robert Ballman, Pastor

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August 13, 2023

The 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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ST. ALPHONSUS & AVE MARIA MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of St. Alphonsus & Ave Maria Parishes is to proclaim and share the Gospel of Jesus Christ and His Church through liturgy, education, community service, social events, and witness for Christ who has blessed our lives in the larger community of Tipton & Lauderdale Counties and beyond. Our parish life is centered on the Eucharist during which we celebrate, in joy, the presence of the Risen Lord among us.

MASS SCHEDULE HORARIO de MISAS SAINT ALPHONSUS

Saturday/Sábado 4:30 pm

Sunday/Domingo 10:30 am

Misa en español 12:15 pm

Sunday/Domingo

AVE MARIA

Sunday/Domingo 8:30am

ST. ALPHONSUS Daily/Diario

Monday/Lunes 12:00 pm

Tuesday/Martes 12:00 pm

Wednesday/
Miercoles 12:00 pm

Friday/Viernes 8:30 am

Saturday/Sábado 8:30 am

DEVOTIONS/DEVOCIÓN at ST. ALPHONSUS

Eucharistic Adoration/Adoración Eucaristía

First Friday and First Saturday of each month following 8:30 am Mass

Primero Viernes y Sábado de cada mes despues 8:30 am Misa

Rosary/Rosario

First Saturday/Primero Sábado 8:00 am

Sunday morning/Domingo por la mañana 10:05 am

SACRAMENTS/SACRAMENTOS

SAINT ALPHONSUS Confession/Confesión

Saturday/Sábado 4:00 pm

Sunday/Domingo 10:00 am

AVE MARIA

Sunday/Domingo 8:00 am

or by appointment/Llame para pedir cita

Baptism or Marriage preparation
Bautismo o Matrimonio preparacion

Call for appointment/Llame para pedir cita



I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit



SAINT ALPHONSUS

1225 Highway 51 South (at Tatlock) • Covington, Tennessee
Mailing Address • PO Box 430 • Covington, Tennessee 38019

AVE MARIA

(just South of Highway 19 junction)
664 S. Washington St. (SR 209) • Ripley, Tennessee

Parish Office 901.476.8140 • FAX 901.476.9650



www.stalphonsuscovington.org

SACRAMENT REQUIREMENTS/ REQUISITOS PARA LOS SACRAMENTOS

BAPTISM

Registered 3 months with Parish
Parents/Godparents attend 1 hour class within the past 2 years;
Letter or document for attending a class is required from the parish
Two godparents & One godparent (preferably both) must be Catholic in "good standing"



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BAUTISMO

Registrado 3 meses con Parroquia
Los padres / padrinos asisten a clase de 1 hora en los últimos 2 años;
Se requiere una carta o documento para asistir a una clase de la parroquia
Dos padrinos y un padrino (preferiblemente ambos) deben ser católicos de "buena reputación"

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Registered with the Parish
Letter or document of baptism
Attend 2 year PRE class
Attend 1 day Retreat/Reconciliation



PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

Registrado en la Parroquia
Carta o documento de bautismo
Asistir a la clase PRE de 2 años
Asistir a 1 día de Retiro/Reconciliación

CONFIRMATION

Registered with the Parish
Letter or document of baptism
Letter or document of 1st Holy Communion
Attend 2 year PRE class
Attend Confirmation Retreat
Participate in Community Service
Sponsor(s) must be a Catholic in "good standing"
Sponsor must provide a letter from their home parish



CONFIRMACIÓN

Registrado en la Parroquia
Carta o documento de bautismo
Carta o documento de la 1ª Comunión
Asistir a la clase PRE de 2 años
Asistir al retiro de confirmación
Participar en el servicio comunitario
Los patrocinadores deben ser católicos de "buena reputación"
El patrocinador debe proporcionar una carta de su parroquia de origen

MATRIMONY

Registered with the Parish and a Catholic "in good standing"
Letter or document of baptism, first communion and confirmation
Six months marriage prep classes
Diocesan marriage prep activities
Witness(es) must be Catholic in "good standing"



MATRIMONIO

Registrado en la parroquia y católico "en buen estado"
Carta o documento de bautismo, primera comunión y confirmación
Seis meses de clases de preparación para el matrimonio
Actividades diocesanas de preparación matrimonial
Los testigos deben ser católicos en "buena reputación"

Prayer for the sick and those in need:

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole and free downcast spirits. May these special people find lasting health and deliverance, and so join us in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believed. Amen.

Our Ill Priests/Nuestros Sacerdotes Enfermos		
Fr. John Hourican	Fr. Bryan Timby	Fr. Burke
Fr. Jolly Sebastian	Fr. Robert Ponticello	



Pray for all of our loved ones and for those who are ill



Our Loved Ones/Nuestras Seres Queridos	
Shirley Arnold	Ester Jones
James & Robin Barnett	Anna & Jerry Kay
Tim Baltz	Cynthia/Ed Kilpatrick
William Barrett	Phillis King
Joe Bergen	Judy Kovach
Jane Bringle	Janice Kuyoth
Darlene Brooks	Cindy Lavelli
Dan Browers	Sondra Lewis
Randy Eastwood	Dietmar Linden
Joe Bynum	Louanne Little
Christina Cahaly	Kelly Mayfield
Angela Canady	Nancy McClanahan
Alissa Chandler	Linda Medford
Patrick Christy	Danny Miller
Bella Crosby	Ronnie Nipp
Liz Crosslin	Sally Paulus
Bobbie Jean Crouse	Joe Pavletic
Danny Duff	Sandra Pellegren
Dixie Duncan	William Perry
Michael Ellis	Beverly Pratt
Rob Engel	Joan Robertson
Willie Ferrell	Diane Robinson
Karri Flannigan	Russom Family
Holliebeth Flowers	Mike Sadler
Tammy Freeman	Mary Schaefer
Luke Garza	Andrea Stafford
Kathy & Ronda Gentry	Sam Stitt
Elizabeth Guntert	Jay St. John
Pam Grimsley	Toni Swindell
Guy & Julie Hassan	Jon & Faith Teer
Shannon Heindel	Jennifer Tidwell
Kay Hernandez	Peter Vanderven
Gunther Hitchcock/family	Mr. & Mrs. J. Watkins
Lisa Hogan	Donna Williams
Betty Hopper	Steve Williams
Chris Huffman	Lee Ward
Larry & Jane Isome	William Whitehorn
Terry Jergens	
Christie Johnson	

Our Parishioners/Nuestros Feligreses	
Leonard Bergen	Michael & Margaret
Jerry Bryant	Doloris Pfountz
Peter & Sandy Burkhardt	Lynda Rogers
Florinda Clark/Family	Holly Schaefer
Tammy Clowes	Joan Smith
Kay & Gene Cross	Cyburn Sullivan
Ellen Daily	Elizabeth Sullivan
Derek Durham	Annette Tustin
Evan & Jen Greuling	Dottie Wellbrock
Jim & Lois Hayden	Patton Williams
Pat Haynes	Irma Wilson de Roze
Billie Hutchins	
Beverly Jiminez	Eva Wright
Maria & David McConnell	Maryanna Leon
Jerry & Rose Mills	Maria Vasquez

August-Pope's Prayer Intention:
 For a World Youth Day- We pray The World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives..

Notices/Avisos

August 15th, Feast of the Assumption Masses:
Ave Maria at Noon & St. Alphonsus at 7 p.m.

15 de agosto, Fiesta de las Misas de la Asunción:
Ave María al mediodía y San Alfonso a las 7 p.m.

CHRISTMAS PARTY– Sunday December 10
SAVE THE DATE

FIESTA DE NAVIDAD – Domingo 10 de diciembre
GUARDE LA FECHA

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Altar Server Training will be held on Saturday August 19th from 9:15 to 11 am. Training is open for all wishing to be altar servers who have received their First Communion. Current Altar Servers are encouraged to participate in training to refresh their skills and to help new altar servers. Please contact the Parish Office at 901-476-8140 or email at office@stalphonsuscovington.org to register for planning purposes.

ENTRENAMIENTO DE MONAGUILLOS

El Entrenamiento de Monaguillos se llevará a cabo el sábado 19 de agosto de 9:15 a 11 am. La capacitación está abierta para todos los que deseen ser monaguillos que hayan recibido su Primera Comunión. Se anima a los monaguillos actuales a participar en la capacitación para actualizar sus habilidades y ayudar a los nuevos monaguillos. Comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial al 901-476-8140 o envíe un correo electrónico a office@stalphonsuscovington.org para registrarse con fines de planificación.



Happy Birthday! Feliz Cumpleaños!

Jack Shaefer 08/18 Dave Calvet 08/21

Pat Haynes 08/25 Harriet Bordelon 08/31

Consider offering or attending Mass, or visiting a church to pray before the Blessed Sacrament for yourself or a loved one's birthday, thanking God *for the gift of family and life*. If you would like to have your name added to the birthday list please call the parish office.

Parish Religious Education (PRE) will begin on Sunday August 20th at 8:45 am. Registration will begin on Sunday July 16th. Classes are for ALL youth from 3 years of age thru high school. Teachers and assistants are still need to help make this a successful program! Point of contact is Beth Teer at 901-605-7337 or the parish office at 901-476-8140

La Educación Religiosa Parroquial (PRE) comenzará el domingo 20 de agosto a las 10:30 am. Las inscripciones comenzarán el domingo 16 de julio. Las clases son para TODOS los jóvenes desde los 3 años de edad hasta la escuela secundaria. ¡Los maestros y asistentes todavía necesitan ayudar a que este sea un programa exitoso! El punto de contacto es Beth Teer al oficina parroquial al 901-476-8140

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) will begin on Tuesday August 22nd at 6 pm. All who are interested in learning about the Catholic Faith are welcome to attend. Please contact Beth Teer at 901-605-7337 or the parish office at 901-476-8140 for more information.

El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (RICA) comenzará el martes 22 de agosto a las 6 pm. Todos los que estén interesados en aprender sobre la fe católica son bienvenidos a asistir. Comuníquese con Beth Teer al 901-605-7337 o con la oficina parroquial al 901-476-8140 para obtener más información.

Virtus Training on Saturday Sept 9, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. All Choir, PRE teachers and assistants as well as others who work with the youth are required to attend. Point of Contact Is Dave Hessling

Virtus Training el sábado 9 de septiembre, de 9 a.m. a 12 p.m. Todos los maestros y asistentes del coro, PRE, así como otros que Se requiere trabajar con los jóvenes para asistir. Punto de contacto Es Dave Hessling.

Schedule for the Week/Horario de la Semana August 14th

Sunday/Domingo 2nd Collection:
None/Ninguno

Tuesday/Martes- August 15

Assumption/Presunción

Aug 20th 2nd Collection:

Capital



This Week/Esta Semana!

Tuesday, Aug 15 Feast of the Assumption of BVM

9:00 am Friends of the Poor/Food Pantry

10:15 am Legion of Mary

12:00 pm Mass at Ave Maria, Ripley

1:00 pm Tiny Blessings Ministry

7:00 pm Mass at St. Alphonsus

Wednes, Aug 16

10:15 am Legion of Mary

1:00 pm Hall Closed-Floor Cleaning

Thursday, Aug 17

7:30 am Hall Closed-Floor Cleaning

4:00 pm Choir Practice

Friday, Aug 18

9:15 am St. Parasceva Crochet Ministry

Saturday, Aug 19

9:15 am Altar Server Training

Liturgical Ministers Ministros Litúrgicos

	Lectors	Servers	Sacristans	EMHC
Aug 12	J. King	K. Sass	E. Teer	K. Greeson
4:30		E. Greeson		
		J. Watkins		
Aug 13	J. Buda	C. Buda	A. Calvet	R. Wheeler
10:30	J. Terry	M. Buda		R. Tankersley
		C. Gogel		G. Buda
Aug 13	L. DeLa O	J. Gobellan	R/N. Ortiz	N. Ortiz
12:15	C. Moreno	E. Moreno		
		D. Gobellan		
Aug 19	D. Hessling	J. Schaefer	A. Calvet	K. Kennedy
4:30		E. Greeson		
		J. Watkins		
Aug 20	J. Terry	N. Gogel	E. Teer	J. Buda
10:30	G. Buda	J. Jasper		R. Wheeler
		C. Gogel		J. Wheeler
Aug 20	R. Esquivel	J. Gobellan	R/N. Ortiz	N. Ortiz
12:15	C. Moreno	Ep. Moreno		
		R. Ortiz jr		



Readings for Aug 14-Aug 20

Monday-St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest, Martyr

Dt 10:12-22 Ps 147:12-20 Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday-The Assumption of the BVM

Rv 11:19; 12:1-10 Ps 45:10-16

1 Cor 15:20-27 Mt 14:22-36

Wednesday-St. Stephen of Hungary

Dt 34:1-12 Ps 66:1-17 Mt 18:15-20

Thursday

Jos 3:7-17 Ps 114:1-6 Mt 18:21-19:1

Friday

Jos 24:1-13 Ps 136:1-24 Mt 19:3-12

Saturday

Jos 24:14-29 Ps 16:1-11 Mt 19:13-15

Sunday-The 20th Sunday in OT

Is 56:1-7 Ps 67:2-8 Rom 11:13-32

Mt 15:21-28

Volunteers/Voluntarios

	Church	Parish Hall	Altar Linens	Lawn
Aug 19	Kennedy	J. Gogel	J. Buda	
Aug 26	Cordingly	Pesnell	J. Buda	



Hail! Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness, and our hope. To you do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To you do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, O most gracious advocate, your eyes of mercy toward us; and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of your womb, Jesus. O clement! O loving! O sweet Virgin Mary!

Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ



Mass Intentions/Intenciones Masivas

Saturday	08/12	4:30 pm	For the Souls in Purgatory
Sunday	08/13	8:30 am	For the Parishioners of Ave Maria
Sunday	08/13	10:30 am	For the Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
Domingo	08/13	12:15 pm	Para una intención especial
Monday	08/14	12:00 pm	+Emily Maglio by Linda Maglio
Tuesday	08/15	12:00 pm	+Rev James Murphy & Rev Bishop Fernard Cheri
Wednesday	08/16	12:00 pm	+Walter Harold Wheatley
Friday	08/18	8:30 am	+Sybil Jo Price by Angela & BJ Price
Saturday	08/19	8:30 am	+Jun Park by Angela & BJ Price



Attendance/Público				
Aug 05/06	St. Alphonsus		Ave Maria	
	Adult	Youth	Adult	Youth
4:30 pm	38	2		
8:30 Mass			22	1
10:30 Mass	72	26		
12:15 Mass	22	20		

Aug 05/06, 2023	Saint Alphonsus	Ave Maria	Saint Alphonsus 2022	Ave Maria 2022
Weekly Budget	\$ 3,051.00	\$ 613.00	\$ 2,615.00	\$ 581.00
Weekly Regular	\$ 4,507.00	\$ 875.00	\$ 2,674.00	\$ 1,119.00
YTD SURPLUS (Jul-Ju1) 6 wk.	\$ 1,024.00	\$ 965.00	\$ 78.00	\$ 460.00
Friends of the Poor	\$ 50.00		\$ 350.00	
Food Pantry	\$ 183.00		\$ 220.00	
Tiny Blessing	\$ 0.00		\$ 0.00	
Helping Hands		\$ 0.00		\$ 0.00