



SAINT ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Covington, Tennessee

AVE MARIA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ripley, Tennessee

Rev. Robert Ballman, Pastor

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August 20, 2023

The 20th 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	

In Prayerful Remembrance

Pray for the reposed of the
soul of
Dr. Joe Pavletic

Brother of parishioner Jon Pavletic
*Eternal rest grant unto him, O'Lord
and let perpetual light shine upon
him.*



Our Parishioners/Nuestros Feligreses	
Leonard Bergen	Michael & Margaret Nailor
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
George Hallock	Dottie Wellbrock
Evan & Jen Greuling	Patton Williams
Jim & Lois Hayden	Irma Wilson de Roze
Pat Haynes	
Billie Hutchins	Eva Wright
Beverly Jiminez	Maryanna Leon
Maria & David McConnell	Maria Vasquez
Jerry & Rose Mills	Carol Yarbrough

Our Loved Ones/Nuestras Seres Queridos	
Shirley Arnold	Christie Johnson
James & Robin Barnett	Ester Jones
Tim Baltz	Anna & Jerry Kay
William Barrett	Cynthia/Ed Kilpatrick
Joe Bergen	Phillis King
Jane Bringle	Judy Kovach
Darlene Brooks	Janice Kuyoth
Dan Browers	Cindy Lavelli
Randy Eastwood	Sondra Lewis
Joe Bynum	Dietmar Linden
Christina Cahaly	Louanne Little
Angela Canady	Kelly Mayfield
Alissa Chandler	Nancy McClanahan
Patrick Christy	Linda Medford
Bella Crosby	Danny Miller
Liz Crosslin	Ronnie Nipp
Bobbie Jean Crouse	Sally Paulus
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	Yarbrough Family

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

No Daily Mass from Wednesday August 23rd thru August 31st.

No hay misa diaria del miércoles 23 al 31 de agosto.



Please join us for upcoming Diocesan
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion
& Lector Training Classes

Lector Class (English)

Saturday, September 16th @ 10:00 am
Church of the Incarnation—Collierville

**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Class
(English)**

Saturday, September 23rd @ 10:00 am
Church of the Incarnation—Collierville

You **MUST** register for class and receive permission to
take the class from your pastor:

<https://cdom.org/office-of-divine-worship/>

Please contact Candace Campbell in the Office of Divine
Worship @ (901) 373-1261 with any questions.



Por favor, únase a nosotros para el próximo
Diocesano

Ministro Extraordinario de la Sagrada Comunión
& Clases de Entrenamiento de Lector

**Clase de Ministro Extraordinario de la Sagrada Comunión
en español**

Lunes, October 30th @ 7:00 pm
St. Michael—Memphis

Lector Clase en español

Lunes, November 13th @ 7:00 pm
St. Michael—Memphis

Usted **DEBE** registrarse para la clase y recibir permiso para
tomar la clase de su pastor :

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SAVE the DATE: Sunday October 15th Fall Festival and Fr. Rob's Birthday

Starting at 12 p.m. More information to follow.

RESERVE la FECHA: Domingo 15 de octubre Festival de Otoño y cumpleaños del P. Rob

A partir de las 12 p.m. Más información a continuación.



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.

Link for FREE MOVIE TICKETS: Mother Teresa
& Me. <https://www.mother-teresa-and-me.film/>

Enlace para ENTRADAS DE CINE GRATIS: Madre Teresa
y yo. <https://www.mother-teresa-and-me.film/>

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.

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.

CHRISTMAS PARTY- Sunday December 10

SAVE THE DATE

FIESTA DE NAVIDAD - Domingo 10 de diciembre

GUARDE LA FECHA

Schedule for the Week/Horario de la Semana August 21st

**Sunday/Domingo 2nd Collection:
Capital**

**Aug 27th 2nd Collection:
None/Ninguno**



This Week/Esta Semana!

Tuesday, Aug 22	The Queenship of the BVM
9:00 am	Friends of the Poor/Food Pantry
10:15 am	Legion of Mary
1:00 pm	Tiny Blessings Ministry
Wednes, Aug 23	
10:15 am	Legion of Mary
Thursday, Aug 24	
4:00 pm	Choir Practice
Friday, Aug 25	
Saturday, Aug 26	

Liturgical Ministers Ministros Litúrgicos

	Lectors	Servers	Sacristans	EMHC
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		
Aug 26	A. Calvet	K. Sass	E. Teer	E. Teer
4:30		J. Schaefer		
		J. Watkins		
Aug 27	J. King	M. Buda	J. Buda	R. Tankersley
10:30	R. Wheeler	C. Buda		G. Buda
		J. Jasper		J. Wheeler
Aug 27	R. Ortiz	A. Moreno	R/N. Ortiz	N. Ortiz
12:15	L. DeLa O	E. Moreno		
		D. Gobellan		



Readings for Aug 21 -Aug 27

Monday–St. Pius X, Pope
Jgs 2:11-19 Ps 106:34-44 Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday–The Queenship of the BVM
Jgs 6:11-24 Ps 85:9-14 Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday–St. Rose of Lima
Jgs 9:6-15 Ps 21:2-7 Mt 20:1-16

Thursday–St. Bartholomew, Apostle
Rv 21:9-14 Ps 145:10-18 Jn 1:45-51

Friday
Ru 1:1-22 Ps 146:5-10 Mt 22:34-40

Saturday
Ru 2;1-17 Ps 128:1-5 Mt 23:1-12

Sunday–The 21st Sunday in OT
Is 22:19-23 Ps 138:1-8 Rom 11:33-36
Mt 16:13-20

Volunteers/Voluntarios

	Church	Parish Hall	Altar Linens	Lawn
Aug 26	Cordingly	Pesnell	J. Buda	
Sep 02	Priestly/Koleas	Teer	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	08/19	4:30 pm	For the Souls in Purgatory
Sunday	08/20	8:30 am	For the Parishioners of Ave Maria
Sunday	08/20	10:30 am	For the Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
Domingo	08/20	12:15 pm	Para una intención especial
Monday	08/21	12:00 pm	+Emily Maglio by Linda Maglio
Tuesday	08/22	12:00 pm	+Brother Knight Mike Seginger by Knights of Columbus
Wednesday	08/23	12:00 pm	NO DAILY MASS
Friday	08/25	8:30 am	NO DAILY MASS
Saturday	08/26	8:30 am	NO DAILY MASS



Attendance/Público				
Aug 12/13	St. Alphonsus		Ave Maria	
	Adult	Youth	Adult	Youth
4:30 pm	60	2		
8:30 Mass			27	1
10:30 Mass	55	23		
12:15 Mass	35	20		

Aug 12/13, 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	\$ 3,015.00	\$ 389.00	\$ 2,190.00	\$ 1,398.00
YTD SURPLUS (Jul-Aug) 7 wk.	\$ 988.00	\$1,171.00	\$ 503.00	\$ 1,329.00
Friends of the Poor	\$ 0.00		\$ 10.00	
Food Pantry	\$ 0.00		\$ 200.00	
Tiny Blessing	\$ 0.00		\$ 0.00	
Helping Hands		\$ 0.00		\$ 0.00