



SAINT ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Covington, Tennessee

AVE MARIA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ripley, Tennessee

Rev. Robert Ballman, Pastor

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October 24, 2021

The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Green

MASS SCHEDULE

SAINT ALPHONSUS

Saturday Vigil	4:30 pm
Sunday	10:30 am

AVE MARIA

Sunday	8:30am
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SAINT ALPHONSUS Daily

Monday	12:00 pm
Tuesday	12:00 pm
Wednesday	12:00 pm
Friday	8:30 am
Saturday	8:30 am

SACRAMENTS

SAINT ALPHONSUS

Confession

Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday	10:00 am

AVE MARIA

Sunday	8:00 am
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or by appointment

Baptism or Marriage preparation

Call for appointment

DEVOTIONS

SAINT ALPHONSUS

Eucharistic Adoration

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

Rosary

First Saturday	8:00 am
Sunday morning	10:05 am

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.

What's Happening this Week!

Saturday, Oct 23

4:30 pm Vigil Mass

Sunday, Oct 24

8:30 am Mass - Ave Maria

8:45 am PRE

10:05 am Rosary - St. Alphonsus

10:30 am Mass-St. Alphonsus

Noon St. Alphonsus Finance Council Meeting

Monday, Oct 25

6:00 pm St. Augustine Bible Study

Tuesday, Oct 26

9:00 am Friends of the Poor

6:00 pm RCIA-Fall Potluck Dinner

Wednesday, Oct 27

10:15 am Legion of Mary

Thursday, Oct 28

10:30 am St. Robert Bellarmine Bible Study

4:00 pm Choir

Saturday, Oct 30 Altar Server Training following 8:30 Mass

The All Souls Day Mass will be at 12 noon on Tuesday, November 2nd. Envelopes are available in the pews and in your envelope packet. Please turn in by Tuesday, October 26th so the office can prepare the list of names for remembrance during the month of November.

SAINT ALPHONSUS

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AVE MARIA

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



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Mass Intentions



Saturday	10/23	4:30 pm	For Special Intention
Sunday	10/24	8:30 am	For the Parishioners of Ave Maria
Sunday	10/24	10:30 am	For the Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
Monday	10/25	12:00 pm	+Mike Brower by John & Elaina Prizina
Tuesday	10/26	12:00 pm	+Rev. Msgr. William F. Davis
Wednesday	10/27	12:00 pm	+Mike Brower
Friday	10/29	8:30 am	+Daniel Gray by Steve & Beth Teer
Saturday	10/30	8:30 am	+LK & Maggie Wilborn by Len & Kay Bergen

Promises & Blessings

Scripture verses

Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith...Let us hold unwaveringly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful. And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together...but let us encourage one another – and all the more as you see the day approaching.

-Hebrews 10:22-25



The altar flowers at St. Alphonsus are provided by

John & Mary Folden in memory of her brother David

If you are interested in providing the altar flowers as a memorial, or for another special occasion, please sign-up in the narthex.

Readings for Oct 25 - Oct 31

Monday

Rom 8:12-17 Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7b, 20-21 Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday

Rom 8:18-25 Ps 126:1b-6 Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday

Rom 8:26-30 Ps 13:4-6 Lk 13:22-30

Thursday-Sts. Simon & Jude, Apostles

Eph 2:19-22 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 6:12-16

Friday

Rom 9:1-5 Ps 147:12-15, 19-20 Lk 14:1-6

Saturday

Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29 Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18 Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday

Dt 6:2-6 Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51 Mk 12:28b-34

Sunday, St. Alphonsus Finance Council meeting will

We will be holding altar server training on October 30, after the 8:30am mass. It is open to all who have received their first communion and desire to serve. This is a great opportunity to deepen your faith and actively participate at mass. To allow us to have an adequate number of handouts, please contact the Church Office or Anne Calvet at 901-387-8642 prior to October 27th if you plan to attend the training.



Happy Birthday!

Len Bergen 10/24

Emily Gray 10/25

Sandy Burkhardt 10/28

DATES TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR

December 12th-Christmas Party

**November 7th at Midnight time change!

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.

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.

Please Pray

for



Our Ill Priests	
Fr. John Hourican	Fr. Bryan Timby
Fr. Jolly Sebastian	Fr. Robert Ponticello

Our Parishioners	
Denise & Ellis Barrett	Billie Hutchins
Mike & Jamie Brower	Beverly Jiminez
Jerry Bryant	Lenny Lind
Gary & Juanita Buda	Maria McConnell
Peter Burkhardt	Jerry & Rose Mills
Florinda Clark/Family	Eleanor Nunn
Lottie Crofton	Doloris Pfountz
Kay & Gene Cross	Ginger Poteete
Ellen Daily	Lynda Rogers
Jack Duff	Holly Schaefer
Dixie Duncan	Barbara Schneider
Derek Durham	Joan Smith
John Folden	Frank Stephens
Floanne Garrett	Cyburn Sullivan
Evan Grueling	Elizabeth Sullivan
Jack & Peggy Haywood	Annette Tustin
Jim & Lois Hayden	Irma Wilson de Roze
Pat Haynes	Martha Wenning

Our Loved Ones	
James & Robin Barnett	Mode Jones
William Barrett	Phillis King
Lula Belue	Judy Kovach
Joe Bergen	Emile Latour
Sydney Bosworth	Cindy Lavelli
Virginia Bowden	Jacob LeFils
Darlene Brooks	Dietmar Linden
Dan Browers	Susana Linden
Dave Buda	Alisa Lindsey
Joe Bynum	Anita McLean
Christina Cahaly	Linda Medford
Angela Canady	Danny Miller
Patrick Christy	Ronnie Nipp
Charlie Clark	Sally Paulus
Bella Crosby	Sandra Pellegren
Liz Crosslin	William Perry
Bobbie Jean Crouse	Beverly Pratt
Heather Daniels	Virginia Prestly
Michael Ellis	Joan Robertson
Danny & Sheila Elrod	Mike Sadler
Rob Engel	Mary Schaefer
Willie Ferrell	Anna Short
Karri Flannigan	Carmen Sosa
Ella Forkum	Andrea Stafford
Tammy Freeman	Ray & Yelba Stevenson
Kathy & Ronda Gentry	Sam Stitt
Elizabeth Guntert	Jay St. John
Robert E. Harbin	Cathy Stowers
James Phillip Harbin	Bailey Sucharitakul
John Haywood, Jr.	Trevor Sucharitakul
Shannon Heindel	Toni Swindell
Kay Hernandez	Jennifer Tidwell
Gunther Hitchcock/family	Peter Vanderven
Lisa Hogan	Brad & Paige Warmath
Betty Hopper	Donna Williams
Lisa Hutton	Steve Williams
Christie Johnson	Coila Winters
Ester Jones	

In Prayerful Remembrance

Please pray for the repose

of the soul of



Daniel Gray

Son of Mark & Natasha Gray

*Eternal rest grant unto him O' Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon him.*

May he rest in peace. Amen.

October Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

**Intention for Evangelization:
Missionary Disciples**

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.

Liturgical Ministers				
	Lectors	Servers	Sacristans	Extra Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers
Oct 23	S. Stegall	A. Calvet	E. Teer	
		K. Sass		
Oct 24	C. Clark	E. Teer	M. Griffis	R. Tankersley
	J. Wheeler	C. Buda		
		J. Jasper		
Oct 30	E. Teer	K. Sass	M. Griffis	
		A. Calvet		
Oct 31	J. Buda	M. Buda	E. Teer	J. Terry
	G. Buda	C. Buda		
		J. Jasper		

Volunteers			
	Church	Parish Hall	Altar Linens
Oct 30	E. Ulbrich	M. Rapp	A. Calvet
Nov 06	K. Sass	A. Calvet	A. Calvet
Nov 13	J. Terry	A. Hessling	A. Calvet

Attendance Last Week				
Oct 17	St. Alphonsus		Ave Maria	
	Adult	Children	Adult	Children
4:30 pm	37	1		
8:30 Mass			27	2
10:30 Mass				

Sunday 2nd Collection: World Mission

Oct 17, 2021	Saint Alphonsus	Ave Maria	Saint Alphonsus 2020	Ave Maria 2020
Budget	\$ 2,615.00	\$ 490.00	\$ 2,250.00	\$ 365.00
Regular	\$ 2,401.00	\$ 298.00	\$ 1,785.00	\$ 270.00
YTD SURPLUS (Jul-Oct) 16 wks.	\$ 577.00	\$ 1345.00	\$	\$
Friends of the Poor	\$ 320.00	\$	\$ 170.00	\$
September e-Giving	\$ 592.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 410.00	\$ 850.00

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**St. Alphonsus Parishioner
Mike Brower
Husband of Jamie Brower**



Memorial Funeral Mass for Mike Brower on Wednesday, October 27th at Noon. The Brother Knights of St. Alphonsus Council 10641 and Sir Knights of Mgrs. Leppert Assembly will lead the praying of the Rosary at 11:30. and provide an Honor Guard in honor of Mike.

There will be a luncheon after Mass in the Parish Hall. The Knights will provide Ham and Fried Chicken. Please bring your favorite side dish or dessert.

Graveside service will be held at Memorial Gardens on Germantown Parkway. Details will be announce.

There will be no daily Mass on this day.

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and let perpetual light shine upon him.
May he rest in peace. Amen.*