



SAINT ALPHONSUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Covington, Tennessee

AVE MARIA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ripley, Tennessee

Rev. Robert Ballman, Pastor

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June 13, 2021

The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

GREEN

MASS SCHEDULE

SAINT ALPHONSUS

Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm

Sunday 10:30 am

AVE MARIA

Sunday 8:30am

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

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, Jun 12

4:30 pm Vigil Mass

Sunday, Jun 13

8:30 am Mass - Ave Maria

10:05 am Rosary - St. Alphonsus

10:30 am Mass

Tuesday, Jun 15

9:00 am Friends of the Poor

11:30 am Rosary

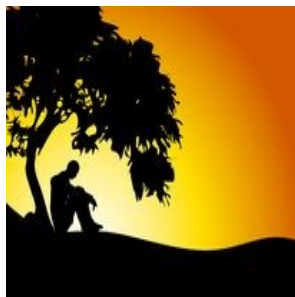
Wednesday, Jun 16

10:15 am Legion of Mary

11:30 am Rosary

Thursday, Jun 17 Parish Office Closed

4:00 pm Choir



Quote by St. Alphonsus:

Acquire the habit of speaking to God as if you were alone with Him, familiarly and with confidence and love, as to the dearest and most loving of friends.

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	6/12	4:30 pm	For Special Intention
Sunday	6/13	8:30 am	For the Parishioners of Ave Maria
Sunday	6/13	10:30 am	For the Parishioners of St. Alphonsus
Monday	6/14	12:00 pm	+Fr. David Knight
Tuesday	6/15	12:00 pm	+Jerry Smith by Julie Smith
Wednesday	6/16	12:00 pm	For John & McKenna Lombardo by John & Diana Lombardo
Friday	6/18	8:30 am	+Sir Knight Joseph M. Hartman by K of C
Saturday	6/19	8:30 am	For Jerome & Samantha Teer's 11 Anniv. By Steve & Beth Teer

Promises & Blessings

Scripture verses

Jun 12th

Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse... and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, an pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it.

-Malachi 3:10

Jun 13th

For in Him all the fullness of Deity dwells in bodily form, and in Him you have been made complete, and He is the head over all rule and authority

NEXT SUNDAY

Don't forget to bring your favorite side dish

MARK YOU CALENDARS:
St. Alphonsus/Ave Maria

Diocese 50th Anniversary, The Knights of Columbus Anniversary, and Father's Day Picnic on Sunday, June 20th immediately following 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Alphonsus.

Readings for Jun 14 - Jun 21

Monday

2 Cor 6:1-10 Ps 98:1, 2b, 3-4 Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday

2 Cor 8:1-9 Ps 146:2, 5-9a Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday

2 Cor 9:6-11 Ps 112:1bc-4, 9 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday

2 Cor 11:1-11 Ps 111:1b-4, 7-8 Mt 6:7-15

Friday

2 Cor 11:18, 21-30 Ps 34:2-7 Mt 6:19-23

Saturday-St. Romuald, Abbot

2 Cor 5:14-21 Ps 103:1-4, 9-12 Lk 2:41-51

Sunday

Jb 38:1, 8-11 Ps 107:23-26, 28-31 Mk 4:35-41



St. Parasceva Hook and Needles Society is calling all crocheters and knitters who would like to help make scarves for St. Mary's of Memphis Closet for the Homeless. We would like to make 100 scarves by Thanksgiving to share with them before the cold weather sets in.

Points of Contact are Susan Stegall, Eva Wright or Beth Teer.

The parish office will be closed on Thursday, June 17, 2021

Come join us for fellowship and family time
Coffee and donuts will be served immediately after Sunday Mass in the parish hall.

St. Therese's Altar Society will be having the Fall Bazaar in October. Volunteers are needed for all aspects of the Bazaar. The bazaar raises funds for all elements of the Altar in our Church. Your time and talents are needed and will be greatly appreciated! Watch the bulletin for more details. If you are interested in helping please contact Beth Teer @ 901-605-7337 or email: elizabethteer@yahoo.com

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



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

Our Parishioners	
Kay Bergen	Lenny Lind
Jerry Bryant	Stan Matras
Peter Burkhardt	Maria McConnell
Pat Butner	Christina Miller
Florinda Clark/Family	Jerry & Rose Mills
Lottie Crofton	David Moore
Kay & Gene Cross	Eleanor Nunn
Dixie Duncan	Ginger Poteete
Derek Durham	Barbara Reed
John Folden	Lynda Rogers
Floanne Garrett	Holly Schaefer
Evan Grueling	Barbara Schneider
Jack & Peggy Haywood	Joan Smith
Jim & Lois Hayden	Frank Stephens
Pat Haynes	Elizabeth Sullivan
Billie Hutchins	Annette Tustin
Beverly Jiminez	Irma Wilson de Roze

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



Happy Birthday!

- Joan Smith 6/08
- George Hallock 6/10
- Mary Folden 6/11
- Elyanna Greeson 6/16

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.

June Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

Intention for Evangelization: – The Beauty Of Marriage

Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.

Liturgical Ministers				
	Lectors	Servers	Sacristans	Extra Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers
Jun 12	C. Clark	E. Teer	M. Griffis	
4:30 pm		A. Calvet		
Jun 13	J. Terry	A. Calvet	J. Buda	G. Buda
10:30 am	R. Wheeler	E. Moreno		
		D. Gobellan		
Jun 19	E. Teer	K. Sass	A. Calvet	
4:30 pm				
Jun 20	D. Lombardo	A. Moreno	K. Clark	K. Greeson
10:30 am		EP Moreno		

Volunteers			
	Church	Parish Hall	Altar Linens
Jun 12	T. Clowes	S. Harmon	M. Stephens
Jun 19	M. Moreno	R. Esquivel	M. Stephens
Jun 26	C. Ciesiolke	K. Brumley	M. Stephens

Attendance Last Week				
Jun 06	St. Alphonsus		Ave Maria	
	Adult	Children	Adult	Children
4:30 pm	24	2		
8:30 Mass			24	2
10:30 Mass	61	8		

Sunday 2nd Collection: None

Jun 06, 2021	Saint Alphonsus	Ave Maria	Saint Alphonsus 2020	Ave Maria 2020
Budget	\$ 2,250.00	\$ 365.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 365.00
Regular	\$ 4,544.00	\$ 275.00	\$ 2,730.00	\$ 251.00
YTD SURPLUS (Jul-Jun)49 wks.			\$	\$
Friends of the Poor	\$ 210.00	\$	\$ 150.00	\$

Saint Romuald's Story-June 19

In the midst of a wasted youth, Romuald watched his father kill a relative in a duel over property. In horror he fled to a monastery near Ravenna. After three years, some of the monks found him to be uncomfortably holy and eased him out. Romuald spent the next 30 years going about Italy, founding monasteries and hermitages. He longed to give his life to Christ in martyrdom, and got the pope's permission to preach the gospel in Hungary. But he was struck with illness as soon as he arrived, and the illness recurred as often as he tried to proceed.

During another period of his life, Romuald suffered great spiritual dryness. One day as he was praying Psalm 31 ("I will give you understanding and I will instruct you"), he was given an extraordinary light and spirit which never left him.

At the next monastery where he stayed, Romuald was accused of a scandalous crime by a young nobleman he had rebuked for a dissolute life. Amazingly, his fellow monks believed the accusation. He was given a severe penance, forbidden from offering Mass, and excommunicated – an unjust sentence that he endured in silence for six months.

The most famous of the monasteries Romuald founded was that of the Camaldoli in Tuscany. Here began the Order of the Camaldolese Benedictines, uniting the monastic and eremitical lives. In later life Romuald's own father became a monk, wavered, and was kept faithful by the encouragement of his son.

Reflection

Christ is a gentle leader, but he calls us to total holiness. Now and then, men and women are raised up to challenge us by the absoluteness of their dedication, the vigor of their spirit, the depth of their conversion. The fact that we cannot duplicate their lives does not change the call to us to be totally open to God in our own particular circumstances.

Diocese of Memphis



Anniversary

Knights of Columbus



Anniversary

and



Father's Day Picnic



Sunday June 20th at St. Alphonsus

Come and join in the festivities for these

Three wonderful events!



Hotdogs and Hamburgers and buns to be provided by Knights of Columbus

Sign-Up Sheet will be posted in the Parish Hall for Condiments, chips, fruit and desserts

Bring your lawn chair and come and enjoy fellowship, food and fun!

Point of Contact is Beth Teer @ 901-605-7337