St. Pius Tenth CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 4th & 5th, 2026



The Church community of St. Pius Tenth hears the call to a deep, personal relationship with God in Jesus Christ. We commit ourselves to living and sharing our Catholic faith guided by the Holy Spirit and expressed in love.



EASTER SUNDAY

"Do not be afraid! I know that you are seeking Jesus the crucified. He is not here, for he has been raised just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay." - Mt 28:5b-6

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00PM
Sunday: 8:00AM & 11:00AM
Monday: 8:00AM
Tuesday & Thursday: Noon
Wednesday: 6:00PM
Friday: 8:00AM
Holy Day: 6:00PM Vigil
Day of: MWF 8AM;TTH 12Noon
First Fridays & Saturdays: Mass @ 8:00AM

Confession: Saturdays 3:30-4:30PM
Wednesdays: 5:00-5:45PM
First Friday 6:30AM until Mass
Or by appointment
Adoration: First Friday of the month 9AM—6PM
Bulletin Deadline: Monday at Noon (content pending Father's approval)

Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 8:00AM-4:00PM Friday: 8:00AM-1:00PM

Parish Staff

See Contact Info Page 7

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Worship & Prayer



Prayer Chain Requests:
Joyce Yeiser: joyceyeiser5200@gmail.com
270-929-4914

Pray for the Sick: Pat Harralson, Mary Elaine Johnson, Rina Lyle, Theresa Murphy, Dan Murray, Liz Parker, Chris Payne, Joseph A. Roby, Jr., Louella Stroud, Carrie Wieder, Elizabeth Johnson, Joe Roby, Linda Roby, Alexis Bibb, Marvin Bickwerment, Mark Bullock, Jack Hutton, Steven Thompson, Joe Rearden, Harold Rearden, Sam Hayden, Joyce Yeiser, Bryan Jones, Mary Roberts, Ginger Drake, Frank Fraize, Deborah Carr, Judy Brown, & Sharon Ford

Carmel Home: Audline Johnson, Beverly Cecil
Chautauqua Health & Rehab: Cecilia Aud
Morning Pointe: Ed Howard
Hillcrest: Marilyn Van Bussum, Frank Murphy, Bryan Jones
Fern Terrace: Gary Horn

Pray for the Homebound: Louise Crowe, Richard Crowe, Joseph Roby, Mildred Smith, & Vincent Hayden

Pray for Our Military:
1st LT Xavier Evans: Marine Corps, Japan
Spc. Zachary Nalley: National Guard
Stuart Castlen: Space Force, CO
Lt. Cmdr. Patrick Clouse: Navy, Washington, DC
Master Sgt. Jeffery Cooper: Greenville, KY
Kaleb Hedden: Iraq
MAJ Ben Hedges, U.S. Army Reserves, Fort Knox, KY
Sgt. Brandon Johnson: National Guard
Brian A. McDaniel: Marine Corps
Wesley Osborne: National Guard
Tony Pace: National Guard
Joshua Jones: Army National Guard, Greenville, KY
Nathan Jones: Army National Guard, Greenville, KY
Lt. Col. Joshua Murphy: Army, Colorado Springs, CO
Clint Payne, CPO, Naval Submarine Force, Kings Bay, GA

If you have or know a parishioner that would like to receive a bulletin in the mail please contact the church office at 270-684-4745 or email: dbrown@stpiustenthparish.org. THANK YOU!

Mass INTENTIONS

The Week of April 5-12, 2026
Sunday: Easter Sunday
8:00am—Clint & Cassidy Campbell Family
11:00am—Our Parish Family
Monday: Monday within the Octave Easter:
8:00am—Joe McCarty†
Tuesday: Tuesday within the Octave Easter:
12:00pm—Annette† & Donald Wimsatt†
Wednesday: Wednesday within the Octave Easter:
6:00pm—Brad† & Bob Shrewsberry†
Thursday: Thursday within the Octave Easter:
12:00pm—Danny Murphy†
Friday: Friday within the Octave Easter:
8:00AM—Jonathan Payne†
Saturday: Saturday within the Octave Easter:
5:00pm—Steve & Sandy Hayden
Next Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)
8:00am—Joseph A. Clark Sr.†
11:00am—Our Parish Family

Liturgy of the Word

- *Acts* 10:34a, 37–43 Peter is an eyewitness: The Lord is risen.
- Psalm 118 "This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad."
- Colossians 3:1–4 All who are baptized, set your hearts in heaven. or 1 Corinthians 5:6b–8 Christ our Passover is sacrificed: Out with the old, in with the new.
- John 20:1–9 Three witnesses, Mary, Peter, and John, respond to the empty tomb.
- or Matthew 28:1–10 He has been raised from the dead. (#41A) or, in the afternoon, The Lord is made known in the breaking of the bread. Luke 24:13–35 (#46)

Over the last week we have journeyed with the Lord and his disciples through all the pivotal events that have led to this day. We welcomed him into Jerusalem, ate his Body and drank his Blood at the first Eucharist, prayed with him as he approached the cross, witnessed his crucifixion, and wept with his mother as his body was laid in the tomb. On this most holy day, we join with Mary Magdalene, Simon Peter, and John, the disciple whom Jesus loved, in rushing to the empty tomb to see for ourselves the miracle of the Resurrection.

Faith Formation

Amie Stevens, Director of Religious Education
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Matthew Knight, Youth Minister
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Youth Ministry

MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION WEEK

June 1st - June 5th

$40 Deposit - $180 total

During this experience our MS Youth will come together Mon-Fri from 8am-7pm. They serve here in our community, make dinner as a team, and end the night with a family prayer experience. Cost is $180 which we get through selling of shares. Must have a $40 deposit to sign up.

YOUTH MEETINGS

Wednesday, April 8th
NO YOUTH - Spring Break

Wednesday, April 15th
MS YOUTH - 6:00-7:30pm

Dad Joke of the week

What do Easter eggs do for fun?

Kar--ee-yolk-e!

MISSION MISSISSIPPI

DATE CHANGE

July 5th - 11th
Walls, MS

Sign ups for our summer mission trip have begun. We will be in Walls, MS the week of July 5th - 11th. Cost is $360. Your sign up is a $40 deposit.

Pleaese contact Matt for any questions.

Our Community

The Diocese of Owensboro invites you to join **Risen and Sent: An Easter Pilgrimage to Washington D.C.** with Fr. Carl McCarthy as chaplain, from April 12–17, 2026. Points of pickup will be in Paducah and Madisonville before gathering at Precious Blood Church in Owensboro for 10:30 a.m. Mass then departing. We'll journey together to explore sacred sites including the Seton Shrine, Basilica of the National Shrine, Franciscan Monastery, National Monuments and Memorials, and more—plus daily Mass and spiritual reflection. Celebrate faith, fellowship, and America's 250th year!
For details and to register, visit **https://tri.ps/fPROe**.
Space is filling quickly so don't delay!

The Journey Hike Retreat April 17-19, 2026: *THE JOURNEY is an intentional space for reflection, prayer, retreat, fellowship, and adventure hosted by the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry utilizing the North Trail at Land between the Lakes. 2 Nights/2 Days/23 Miles. Please visit: https://owensborodiocese.org/journey-retreat/ for more details and to register.* ***There are only 8 spots remaining for this retreat, so register soon to secure a spot.***



Wishing you a Blessed Easter!
From: Fr. Larry, Fr. Martin, & Staff





Blessed Mother Parish

Divine Mercy Sunday Service
Sunday April 12th 2:00 PM
Speaker: Fr. Jamie Dennis

Confessions will begin at 1:00 PM and continue through the service.

Made for Mission Owensboro | Thursday, April 30 | 9:00am-4:00pm

We're inviting Catholic leaders from across the region to step away from the day-to-day and step into something bigger: a shared call to renew the Church and reimagine mission. Made for Mission is a one-day event presented in collaboration with Alpha and Divine Renovation. Created for Catholic parish, diocesan, and apostolate leaders who feel the call to renew the Church and move it from maintenance to mission. Through inspiring keynotes, practical workshops, Mass, and Spirit-filled prayer, you'll gain clarity, confidence, and community as you lead renewal in your local context. Join us at St. Pius X Parish in Owensboro.

Registration is $25 and you can register by visiting divinerenovation.org/events or scanning the QR Code:



Pastor's Reflection

Happy Easter! Today we celebrate the most important day in the Church year—the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Our hearts are filled with joy because Jesus destroyed death forever and opened the gates of Paradise to the faithful, and to all people of good will. Over the last week we sat with Jesus at the Last Supper, we walked with him on the way to Calvary, we held vigil for him while in the tomb, and today we are lifted up with him in the glory of new life in his resurrection.

At the heart of Jesus life, passion, and resurrection is Love. Jesus saves us by showing us perfect love in his willingness to remain faithful to God, even to his death. The power of that Love is fully revealed in today's feast as we celebrate a Love so powerful that it even destroys death. Thus, when Jesus asks us to love one another as we have been loved, he is asking for sacrificial love; and in giving us his Spirit at Pentecost, endowing us also with the grace to make that love real in our lives.

So, we have every reason to rejoice today and to great one another with the traditional Easter greeting:
Christ is Risen! Christ the Lord is Risen Indeed!

Fr. Larry

Liturgical

Ministry Schedule for April 11th & 12th, 2026

Sat, 5:00 PM (Church)
Laura Veach - Captain/Sacred Host 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling - Sacred Host 2
Tommy Velotta - Captain Asst./Sacred Host 3
Truby Velotta - Sacred Host 4
Peggy Castlen - Precious Blood 1
Connie Nalley - Precious Blood 2
Thomas Veach - Precious Blood 3
Kathy Jo Clary - Precious Blood 4
Chris Rusher Gift Bearer
Thomas Conrey - Lector 1
Stacey Potts - Lector 2
Lisa Sisk - Greeter D-1
Janice Masterson - Greeter D-2
Lucas Freels - Server 1
Kami Fulkerson - Server 2
Jeff Fulkerson - Captain/Usher 1
Jonah Damin - Usher 2
Thomas Blair - Usher 3
Kyle Fulkerson - Usher 4
Beverly Aud Rosary Leader

Sun, 8:00 AM (Church)
Carolyn McCarty - Captain/Sacred Host 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling - Sacred Host 2
Carol Payne - Captain Asst./Sacred Host 3
Cameron Malone (sub req.) - Sacred Host 4
David Fleischmann - Precious Blood 1
Melody Clark - Precious Blood 2
Tina Zoglmann - Precious Blood 3
John McCarty - Precious Blood 4
Andrew Ngun Pheh Gift Bearer
Dennis Zoglmann - Lector 1
Donna Howard - Lector 2
Wil Storm - Greeter D-1
Cindy Mattingly - Greeter D-2
James Thawng - Server 1
Abigail Nang Ra Zame - Server 2
Thomas Payne - Captain/Usher 1
Peyton Hagan - Usher 2
Danny Morris - Usher 3
Eli Zoglmann - Usher 4
Carol Payne Rosary Leader

Sun, 11:00 AM (Church)
Robert Smith - Captain/Sacred Host 1
Fr. Hostetter or Ling - Sacred Host 2
Marion Bates - Captain Asst./Sacred Host 3
Gary Estes - Sacred Host 4
Rebecca Jones - Precious Blood 1
James E. Howard - Precious Blood 2
Sr. Suzanne Sims - Precious Blood 3
Colin Howard - Precious Blood 4
Tim and Becky Pedley Gift Bearer
Stephanie Millay - Lector 1
Brenda Coombs - Lector 2
Adam Payne - Greeter D-1
Rebecca Krampe - Greeter D-2
Weston Payne - Server 1
Wyatt Jones - Server 2
Gerald Castlen - Captain/Usher 1
Peter Hurley - Usher 2
Ashlie Hurley - Usher 3
John Zoglmann - Usher 4
Beverly Estes Rosary Leader

MUSIC MINISTRY

Clint Campbell, Director of Music
ccampbell@stpiustenthparish.org

April 11th & 12t Sunday of Divine Mercy
Saturday 5PM-Mary Lou, Amanda, Kim, & Connie
Sunday-8AM-Ellen & Clint
Sunday 11AM-Choir with Clint

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism

For the Sacrament of Baptism for their child, parents must attend a preparation class. Please contact the church office at 270-684-4745.

Matrimony

One or both persons of the engaged couple must be active and registered parishioners at St. Pius X. If not, you may still contact Father Larry Hostetter at 270-684-4745 or lhostetter@stpiustenthparish.org.

First Reconciliation/Holy Communion, and Confirmation

Registered parishioners are encouraged to register for preparation for the sacraments.
For more information for children kindergarten-5th grade and First Communion, please contact Amie Stevens, Director of Religious Education at 270-684-4745.
For Confirmation please contact Matt Knight, Youth Minister at 270-684-4745 or mknight@stpiustenthparish.org

Order Of Christian Initiation Of Adults

If you are considering becoming a Catholic we offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. There are separate sessions for children or youth. Please contact the church office at 270-684-4745.

EASTER EGG HUNT

Sunday, April 12th 10:40 am

Join us for our Parish Easter Egg Hunt on Sunday, April 12th! classes will meet from 9:30 – 10:30 a.m., and the **egg hunt will begin at 10:45 a.m. outside behind the parish hall. Bring your baskets and come ready for some fun!**

And don't forget… Easter isn't just one day-it's 50 days long! That's right, we celebrate the joy of the Resurrection all the way to Pentecost… so consider this your warm-up round!

Stewardship & Service

	Budget/Goal	Collected
Weekly 2025-26 Budget Goal	$16,617.02	
YTD 2025-2026 Budget Goal	$614,829.74	

Due to an early submit date due to Easter the collection numbers will be provided in the April 12th bulletin.
Sorry for the the delay!

MASS COUNT

March 28th & 29th

Due to an early bulletin submit date the mass count will be in the next bulletin. Thanks!



Want to learn more about ONLINE GIVING?

visit http://bit.ly/StpxOboro

or scan our QR code

Counseling

Are there things in life that are stressing you out? You are not alone. Please call Catholic Charities at 270-683-1545 and mention CAP. We will direct you to a licensed counselor. You may also visit owensborodiocese.org/counseling.

Altar Linens: April	God's Housekeepers: April 6th -11th Team 3
Mary Jo Westerfield 	Charles & Lois Hoskins Sandy Morris Tammy Mattingly Sharon Ford Mary Helen Strehl Roger Horn Beth Horn Jennifer Brown

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Safe Environment: The safety of our children is the responsibility of every Christian. Anyone aware of the abuse of a person under the age of eighteen is required by law to report this to the proper state authorities (270) 685-8442; local law enforcement (270) 687-8888; or the Kentucky Child Abuse Hotline (toll-free: 1-877-597-2331). To report abuse to the diocese, current or past, by anyone acting in the name of the Church (paid or volunteer), call Scott Ingram, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator (English) on the confidential phone line: 270-852-8380, Miguel Quintanilla, Pastoral Assistance Coordinator (Spanish): 270-880-8360. The Diocese of Owensboro's sexual abuse policy is available at this parish in the parish office, and also on the diocesan website (https://owensborodiocese.org/safe).