

FALL WORK PROJECTS

Our beautiful facilities always need maintenance to keep things in good order.

The following need to be done early this month:

: Paint lintels above windows on house and connector. There are a total of 12 to paint.

: The outside door frames to the sacristy and boiler room need to be painted.

: We need to create an access to the attic of the church through the gable vent on the rear of the building above the garage. We need this to service the AC units before winter and drain the condensation pump.

The following can be done late October and early November:

: Replace all outlets, switches and faceplates in parish house.

: We need to paint the inside of the parish house after repairing some holes and cracks.

: Replace broken lid on waste water holding tank for shelter, per EPA inspection.

CD/MP3 OF THE MONTH CLUB

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WEEKEND MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS

5 pm **Sat, October 3** **Sat, October 10**
Comm: Marty Speer -

Lector: Alan Capasso -

Usher: Vern Monnin -

Server: **need volunteer* -

7:30 am **Sun, October 4** **Sun, October 11**
Comm: Denise Otte Jackie Swabb

Lector: Denise Otte Jackie Swabb

Usher August Otte Steve Bruns
Ray Lyons Ray Lyons

Server: Ben K. Danielle S.
Matthew K. **need volunteer*

10:30 am **Sun, October 4** **Sun, October 11**
Comm: Duane Bachman Daniel Knapke
Jim Hartzell Peggy Sweeney
Pat Jenkins Dave Tobias
Amy Meyer Bev Yount
**need volunteer* **need volunteer*

Lector: Jim Hartzell Peggy Sweeney

Usher: Art Meyer Dave Tobias
Justin Meyer Kevin Rindler

Server: Kristy R. Kaylee H.
Ben R. Kyle M.



ST. TERESA
Of The Infant Jesus
CATHOLIC CHURCH
in Covington, Ohio

OCTOBER 4, 2015
TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

PAROCHIAL

ADMIN: Rev. Ron Haft 473-2970

SERVICES: Wed, Thu: 8:30 am
1st & 3rd Sat: 5 pm
Sun: 7:30 am, 10:30 am

BAPTISMS: Contact pastor at 473-2970

WEDDINGS: Contact pastor at least six months in advance of wedding date.

RECONCILIATION:

Tuesday from 5:30 - 6:30 pm
1st & 3rd Saturday from 4:00 - 4:30 pm

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Contact: Michelle Kuether 473-3713

YOUTH MINISTRY:

Contact: Alan Capasso 417-2839

R.C.I.A.: Normally done during the school year.
Contact pastor for more information.

PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Mandy Morgan 308-5561
Tom Grilliot 778-9523
Rita Mayor 570-6793
Corey Turner 473-5575
Kelly Turner 473-5575

WEBSITE: www.stteresacovington.org



St. Teresa of the Infant Jesus
(Therese of Lisieux)



ST. TERESA OF THE INFANT JESUS
Established: 1950

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COVINGTON, OHIO 45318

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

WED 10/7 8:30 AM

Daniel Rindler

THU 10/8 8:30 AM

Elaine Christian

SUN 10/11 7:30 AM

Norbert & Patricia DeMange
Wedding Anniversary
Remembrance

10:30 AM

For the people

SUNDAY COLLECTION

September 27, 2015 \$ 1,611.00

PARISH PRAYER CHAIN

Please contact Anne Callahan at 473-2387 to activate the prayer chain.

BULLETIN NEWS

Please contact Wendy Vanderhorst at 473-9839 or stteresacovington@yahoo.com with bulletin information.

COMMUNITY LIFE

The Community Life Committee will meet on Tuesday, October 13th at 7:00 pm.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus Council 15424 will meet on Monday, Oct. 26th at 7:00 pm.

HEALING MASS

A Healing Mass will be held on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 pm at St. Boniface, Piqua. Music begins at 7:15 pm.

BC YOUTH COALITION NEWS

Oct. 4 - 8th-12th Grade meeting. This session introduces the discipleship group to Christ's invitation to be a disciple.

Oct. 11 - 7th-12th Grade meeting: Rosary Launch and BBQ. We build the Rosary starting at 5:00 pm, say Rosary at 6:00, then launch it to heaven. Eat, then play, or play, then eat.

Oct. 18 - 8th-12th Grade meeting. In this session, you will discover the cost of Discipleship --- and its true value.

Oct. 25 - 7th-12th Grade meeting: GAME NIGHT.

"For I know the plans I have for you, says the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope."

Jeremiah 29:1

BLESSING OF PETS

Today, October 4th, which is the feast day of St. Francis, we will have the blessing of pets. This will take place in the shelter at 2:00 pm. All pets are welcome. Should a child want to come but does not have a pet, we will bless their favorite stuffed animal. This blessing is open to people of all faiths. St. Francis of Assisi, pray for us!

RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY

A collection will be taken up at all Masses on Sunday, October 11th, which is Respect Life Sunday.

OCTOBER COUNTS

Physical count of people at Mass is taking place during the month of October. The ushers will count all people at Mass during the time of the collection, including all children, lectors and servers. Please be patient during this time.

REMEMBRANCE OF THE DECEASED

Monday, November 2nd, is the Commemoration of All Souls. It is a pious custom in November to pray for and recall all who have died, especially those who have died in the past year. Here at St. Teresa, we will remember all who have died from our parish families in the past year. We will have a special remembrance at the All Souls Vigil Mass, Saturday Evening, November 7th, at 5:00 pm. A lighted candle will be placed near the Altar for each of the deceased before Mass begins. We will read the names of the deceased during the prayers of the faithful. This will be done in place of the Vocations Prayer. After the prayer after Communion, the lit candles will be presented to the families. Families are encouraged to contact the parish office so we can reserve pews for the Mass, make sure we have plenty of candles, and the list of names correct. Also, we will place a table in front of the statue of St. Teresa in the entrance of the church for families to bring a picture of their loved ones to place during the Mass. This gives all of us the opportunity to pray with and for you and your loved ones in this time of grief and healing. There will be a light reception and fellowship in the church hall immediately following the Mass. All are invited.

HEALTH PARTNERS/MIAMI COUNTY

Are you, or is someone you know, uninsured or underinsured and in need of medical care? Health Partners Free Clinic offers free medical care to uninsured and underinsured residents of Miami County. Please call us at 937-332-0894 to see how we may be of service to you.

From the desk of Father Haft

Greetings in the name of the Lord:

The month of October is dedicated to the Rosary. It is customary for us as Catholics to have additional devotion to praying the Rosary during the month of October. October 7th is the feast of the Holy Rosary. This feast was formerly called "Our Lady of Victory." This feast day can be traced back to October 7th, 1571, when Pope St. Pius V called upon all of the faithful to pray the Rosary as the naval battle of Lepanto took place. The Christian nation's naval victory was successful in stopping the spread of the Ottoman Empire into Europe. The Ottoman Empire was based in Turkey and was Sunni Muslim. This is a strong lesson for us in the power of prayer in the history of Christianity. Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary, pray for us!

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Haft

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"From the beginning of creation, God made them male and female. For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. So they are no longer two but one flesh...Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter it."

Mark 10:2-16

SPECIAL MESSAGE TO FAMILIES

We now have a fire pit next to the shelter. Our hope is that families will come together on our parish grounds and use these wonderful features. Please make use of these gifts from God!