

**WELCOME VISITORS:** If you are visiting Saints Peter and Paul for the first time today, we would like to say **WELCOME!** Maybe you're back again for a return look. Maybe



you've been away for awhile? Either way we would like for you to feel at home here at Saints Peter and Paul. Please call the parish office if you have any questions or would like to join the parish. We would love to help! (270) 885-8522.

**ATTENTION WOMEN OF THE PARISH - Women's Retreat:**

**Friends, Faith & Flip Flops Take 2**

**- August 23-24, 2019** - Ladies, grab a friend and make plans to join women from all over the diocese at Kentucky Dam Village Resort for a women's retreat! This retreat is being led by Kelly Wahlquist, a dynamic and inspiring author and speaker, who will encourage you to spread the message of Jesus by living the joy of the Gospel. The retreat is \$30 if registered by July 31. Lodging is separate. For details go to <https://owensborodiocese.org/womens-retreat/>.



**Priests Anniversaries:** Below you will find the names of those priests celebrating anniversaries who have served here at Saints Peter and Paul or are members of our parish family. We have also included their current mailing address in case you wish to send a card to them.

Bishop William Francis Medley – May 22, 1982; McRaith Catholic Center, 600 Locust Street, Owensboro, KY 42301

Fr. Al Bremer – May 25, 2002; Saint Thomas More Parish, 5645 Blandville Road, Paducah, KY 42001

Fr. Richard Cash – May 27, 1989, Chaplain, Carmel Home, 2501 Old Hartford Road, Owensboro, KY 42303

Fr. Carl McCarthy – May 27, 1995; Christ the King Parish, 1600 Kingsway Drive, Madisonville, KY 42431

Fr. Basilio Az Cuc – May 28, 2016; Saints Joseph and Paul, 609 East 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Owensboro, KY 42303

Fr. John Thomas – May 29, 1993; Holy Spirit Parish, 4754 Smallhouse Road, Bowling Green, KY 42104

Fr. Uwem Enoch – May 29, 2010; Chaplain, U.S. Air Force

Fr. Larry Hostetter – May 30, 1987; Brescia University, 717 Frederica St., Owensboro, KY 42301

Fr. Daniel Dillard – May 30, 2009; St. Mary Parish, P.O. Box 388, Franklin, KY 42135

Fr. Joshua McCarty – May 30, 2009; St. Joseph Parish, 113 South 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Central City, KY 42330

Fr. Michael Charles Ajigo Abiero – May 31, 2015

Fr. Richard Meredith – June 3, 1978

## Youth Ministry

**Our Middle School and High School Youth:** Our classes continue **this Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>** beginning with Mass at 5:30 p.m. This is our last class for the semester and will be “Trivia Night” as requested by the youth. Come and have fun and see what awaits you this summer.

**Prayer Request:** We have several 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> graders who will be receiving their First Holy Communion on Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup> at the 5:30 p.m. Mass. We ask you to hold them in prayer as well as their families.

**“Living & Leading Love” (L3) Youth Theology**

**Institute:** 20 students are chosen to be part of a year-long program, including theology, reflections, learn online service opportunities, retreats, prayer experiences, and a 5-day course at Brescia University the following summer to conclude the program. For incoming high school Sophomores, Juniors or Seniors. For more information or to apply contact Dr. Emily DeMoor: 270-686-4229, [emily.demoor@brescia.edu](mailto:emily.demoor@brescia.edu)



**Gasper River Catholic Retreat Summer Camps:** A combination of Catholic faith, thrilling adventures and old and new friends leads to a deeper understanding and appreciation of our life-long relationship with God. Learn more; register online: [gasperriverretreatcenter.org](http://gasperriverretreatcenter.org). If you have any questions, please contact the Gasper River Camp office at (270) 781-2466. Brochures are available at the adoration table and parish office.



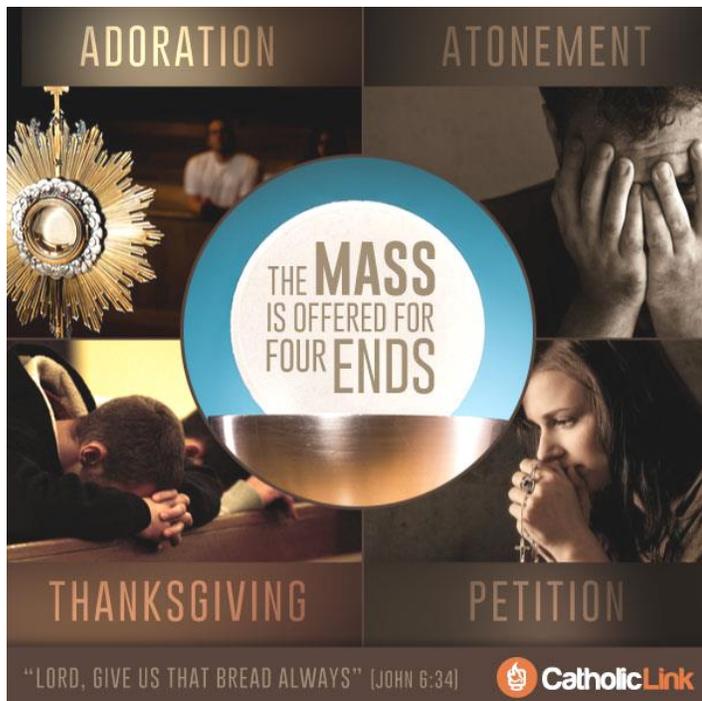
**NCYC:** The National Catholic Youth Conference will take place November 21-23, 2019 in Indianapolis at the Lucas Oil Stadium. The theme is “*Blessed, Broken, Given*”. NCYC is for any youth, freshmen in high school to age 17 by November 2019. **We will be holding an information meeting for youth and parents on Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00 p.m. in the Holy Family Room.** We will be talking about paperwork, logistics, costs, fundraising, etc. Please plan on attending.

**Quote from St. John Paul II for young people:**

*“There is no evil to be faced that Christ does not face with us. There is no enemy that Christ has not already conquered. There is no cross to bear that Christ has not already borne for us, and does not now bear with us.”*

**RCIA:** RCIA continues this Thursday, May 23 at 5:30 p.m. in the Church. Our discussion is “A Walk Thru the Mass”. If you would like join us as we take a deeper look into our greatest prayer, come join us, pray with us, help mentor our new Catholics into a deeper love of the Holy Mass. The Catechism of the Catholic Church tells us, “The Liturgy is the summit toward which the activity of the Church is directed; it is also the font from which all her powers flow. (1074)





## At Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph

To register for any below: call 270-229-0206 or [retreatcenter@maplemount.org](mailto:retreatcenter@maplemount.org)

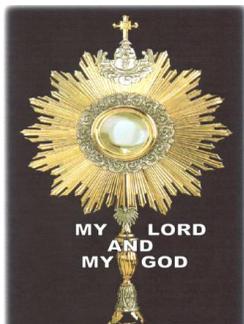
**Quiet Time with God and Self-June 2-8:** What inspires you? What kind of seeds are you planting in your garden or life? Does your body and soul need nourishment? Sign up for a contemplative week just for you. Let the peaceful and holy surroundings of Mount Saint Joseph Conference and Retreat Center feed your faith through prayer, reflection and quiet time to be with God. Cost: \$450 for Directed Retreat (includes Spiritual Direction, room and meals) or \$275 for Silent Retreat (includes room and meals) Retreat begins with a social at 7 p.m. on Sunday, June 2, and ends after breakfast on Saturday, June 8.

**Twilight Retreat June 12: Creation from Seed:** Fr. Richard Powers will be presenting, "June Apples: There was Creation... from the Seed Eventually Comes the Gift of Eucharist." This will take place on Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup>. The event time is 6 p.m.-7:30 p.m. The \$20 fee includes dinner in the Center dining room. These Twilight retreats take place on the second Wednesday of each month. Save these future dates: Aug. 14, Sept. 11, Oct. 9, Nov. 13, Dec. 11.

**"Reasons to Believe" Book Study June 13:** The Focus on Faith class, which meets monthly, has just started reading and discussing the book: "Reasons to Believe: How to Understand, Explain and Defend the Catholic Faith," by Scott Hahn. The next class is Thursday, June 13 from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. The book study will be led by Ursuline Sister Ann McGrew. The \$20 fee per class includes lunch. Save these future class dates: Aug. 8, Sept. 12, Oct. 10, Nov. 14, Dec. 12.

**Awakening the Soul with Creative Arts June 14-16**  
"Awakening the Soul with Creative Arts" is an opportunity for discovery, joy and deep connection to God. This retreat takes place the weekend of June 14-16. The retreat begins on Friday evening and ends after lunch on Sunday. The cost is \$195, or commuters can attend for \$100.

**Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration:** "In our self-centered culture and classic American emphasis on work, we often feel we have to accomplish something during our times of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. We rate our experience by how 'good' our prayer was, how heartfelt our devotion was, or how focused we could remain. Yet prayer and contemplation are fundamentally God's work, in which we are invited to participate. We need only to give Him the opening,



and He will do the rest. By coming to adoration, we are handing Him the keys to our hearts, allowing the rays of His love and grace to bathe our souls in the light of His Presence, as the rays of the sun bathe our bodies in light. If we can take the time to pull away from the busyness and distractions of life and just sit at His feet, He will lead us."  
— Poor Clares of Perpetual Adoration

If you long to come and spend time with Jesus and would like to adopt an hour before the Lord or would like to become a prayer partner, see or call Bill or Jenny Rush at 270-885-2888. Hours available include:

**Sunday** 12:00 AM (midnight)

**Monday** 2:00 AM and 11:00 PM

**Tuesday** 11:00 PM

**Wednesday** 2:00 PM

**Thursday** 4:00 AM and 11:00 AM

**Friday** 5:00 AM, 7:00 AM and 3:00 PM

**Saturday** 8:00 PM

Prayer Partners needed for Tuesdays 9:00 AM, Fridays 8:00 PM and Saturdays 9:00 PM.



**Preschool Visits Garnett Farms**