



August 16, 2026

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Office Hours

St. Mary: Monday & Friday 9 am to 2 pm
Wednesday closed til August 12th

St. Theresa: Tuesday & Thursday 9 am to 2 pm

Bulletin deadline is Wednesday at noon.

Email bulletin announcements to the parish office.
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Reception of Sacraments

(Parish Registration is required for Sacraments of Initiation and Marriage)

Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation: Please contact the parish office:
St. Mary at 270-496-4333 on Monday & Friday or St. Theresa at 270-496-4362 on Tuesday & Thursday.

Sacrament of Marriage: Please contact the parish office: St. Mary at 270-496-4333 on Monday & Friday or
St. Theresa at 270-496-4362 on Tuesday & Thursday.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: Contact Fr. George at 502-718-7106 or e-mail: gillikkal@archlou.org.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before the weekend Masses: Saturday at St. Theresa from 5:15 to 5:45 pm
and on Sunday at St. Mary from 7:45 to 8:15 am and at St. Theresa following the 10:30 am Mass, upon request.

Responsorial Psalm: "Taste and see the goodness of the Lord."

St. Mary Ministers for August 23

Sunday, 8:30 am

Lectors: Sarah Richardson & Kaylee Stull
Eucharistic Ministers: Bill & Brenda Knott
Altar Servers: Jarren & Jaxon Beavin



Fatima Statue

August 16 - Margaret Mullins
August 23 - Donnie Clark

St. Theresa Ministers for August 22 & 23

Saturday, 6:00 pm

Lectors: Karen Greco
Eucharistic Ministers: Donna Knott & Pat Barr
Altar Servers: Volunteer

Sunday, 10:30 am

Lectors: Mike O'Bryan & Nick Mercer
Eucharistic Ministers: Adam & Carrie Lancaster
Altar Servers: Daniel & Millie Popham



Fatima Statue

August 16 -
August 23 -

Fatima Sign-up sheets for 2026 are available in the vestibule in both parishes. Sign up now for the dates of your choice to have the Fatima Statue in your home. Thank you.



Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday, 6:00 pm at St. Theresa
(July thru December)
Sunday, 8:30 am at St. Mary
Sunday, 10:30 am at St. Theresa

St. Mary Friday Bingo

Friday, August 21, 2026

Manager: Margaret McCoy **Workers:** Becca Cashman, Andrew Goins, Debbie Pickering
HELP! BINGO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED.
Bingo managers are needed. We currently only have two and need a couple more. Weekly earnings are approximately \$800 and help meet the parish annual budget. If you can help, please come to St. Mary Parish Hall any Friday at 6 pm and talk to either Juanita or Margaret. Bingo starts at 7 pm. You may also call the Parish Office.

St. Mary Magdalen of Pazzi Church Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday	8:30 a.m.	Marion Manning
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Margie Stull
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Mike Livers
Egolff Family: Brooks, Marjorie & Brooks, Jr. & Sharon E. Meadows		

St. Theresa of Avila Church Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Avery Shacklette
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	Louis Manning
Saturday	6:00 p.m.	Gracie Peters
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	St. Mary & St. Theresa Parishioners

Stewardship of Treasure

St. Mary Weekly goal	3,461.54
August 9 Collection	2,716.00
Online tithes	315.00
Total offering	\$3,031.00

St. Theresa Weekly Goal	3,137.00
August 9 Collection	3,108.00
Special Collection (Cemetery)	200.00
Online tithes	145.00
Total offering	\$3,453.00



**Thank you for your stewardship sacrifice ...
it IS appreciated!**

What's Happening This Week

Sunday	August 16
8:30 am	Mass at St. Mary
10:30 am	Mass at St. Theresa
Monday	August 17
8:30 am	Mass at St. Mary
9:00-12:00pm/5:00-8:00 pm:	Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary
Tuesday	August 18
8:30 am	Mass at St. Theresa
10:00 am	Women's Bible Group, St. Mary's
Wednesday	August 19
6:30 pm	Mass at St. Mary
Thursday	August 20
8:30 am	Mass at St. Theresa
7:00 pm	St. Theresa Men's Prayer Group, FLC
Friday	August 21
7:00 pm	Bingo at St. Mary
Saturday	August 22
7:30 am	Men's Prayer Group, St. Mary
6:00 pm	Mass at St. Theresa
Sunday	August 23
8:30 am	Mass at St. Mary
10:30 am	Mass at St. Theresa
11:30 am	Monthly Meal — FLC

Upcoming Events



Please save the following dates.
Women’s Bible Study Group, August 18, St. Mary’s
FLC Monthly Meal (Pancake Breakfast), August 23
Red Cross Blood Drive, August 25, St. Mary Parish Hall
CCD 2026-2027 First Night, August 26
Foundation of Faith - A Journey through the Catechism, Sep 8, FLC
FLC Monthly Meal (Italian), September 20
FLC Monthly Meal (Soups), October 18
St. Theresa Fall Festival, October 25
St. Mary Turkey Feast, November 8
St. Mary & St. Theresa Confirmation, March 17, 2027

HOSPITAL AND HOMEBOUND MINISTRY
PARISH DISPATCHERS

St. Mary: Brenda Knott 270-497-4418
St. Theresa: Brenda Redman 270-496-4329
If you know someone who is ill, in the hospital, in need of a home visit or food, please notify our dispatchers. Volunteers are needed to visit those in the hospital, make home visits, send cards and prepare or deliver food. Please contact the dispatcher above or call the parish office if you would like to help. This ministry is not just for our parishioners but also for anyone in our community.

Please remember those in the hospital, the homebound and those in need of our prayers!



Special Prayer Request for.....
Lorraine Yokie, Linda Pike, Rita Barr, David Barr, Judy Glaros, Olivia Barr, Jimmy Hardesty, Dustin White, Regina Bennett, Andrea Esarey, Jackson Popham, Chris Cornelius, Anna Mary Barr, Regina Hayes, Dink Keen, Doris Howard, Anne Hall White, Rose Clark, Leroy Mattingly, Mary Jo Spink, Don Wethington, Tom Bridge, Bruce Whitman, David Wilkins, Delphin “Dub” Hartlage, Tim & Teri McMahan, James Chism, Maddie and baby, Brenda Redman, Martha Severs, Leigh Ann Bruner, Jackie Taul, Jim Heavrin, Pam Knapp, Karen & Greg Sturgeon, Emmalee Wilkins, Brenda Greenwell, Tiffany Adkisson Hall, Chris Stull, Timmy Embry, Beth Medley, Emily Williams, Bill Rannebarger, Gayle Newton, Phyllis Hardin, Bobby Littrel, Kelsie Vaught, Braelynn Vaught, David Hairston, Cody Camp, Walter Clark, Jenny Moss, Marvin Greenfield, Alexis Raymer & baby, Regina Moseley, Donna Fentress, Debbie Merrett, Kyle Webster, Tonya Claycomb, Deniel Kesterson, Bernard Dodson, Special Intention, Lisa Flaherty, Bob Rhodes, Chris & Shannon Weick, Harvey Powers
Note: Please call or email Dottie or Donna at the parish office for any changes to the prayer list.



FLC Monthly Meal for August

St. Theresa’s FLC Monthly Meal will be a Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, August 23rd immediately following the 10:30 am Mass. Everyone is welcome.



READINGS for Sunday, August 16, 2026
Isaiah 56:1, 6-7
Romans 11:13-15, 29-32
Matthew 15:21-28

READINGS for Sunday, August 23, 2026
Isaiah 22:19-23
Romans 11:33-36
Matthew 16:13-20

Internet Site for Liturgy Readings:
<https://liturgy.slu.edu/index.html>

Prayer Intention for the Week



That our parish may be a community that welcomes every person who comes seeking healing and mercy, never turning anyone away from the table of God’s grace.

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“Observe what is right, do what is just; for my salvation is about to come, my justice, about to be revealed.”
Isaiah 56:1

A steward is keenly aware of the need for justice. It is the Lord’s justice practiced by a steward that delivers the poor.

St. Theresa Eucharistic Adoration

St. Theresa will be starting Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesday, September 8, 2026, 5:00 - 8:00 pm. Please contact Dianne Clark at 270-980-2630, for further information.

St. Theresa Men’s Prayer Group



Father Bud Ray will be the guest speaker on August 20th, 7:00 pm, at the FLC. Come join us!!

Religious Ed. Classes

The St. Mary & St. Theresa Religious Ed. Program will be starting back on **Wednesday, August 26, 6 pm**, in the St. Mary Parish Hall. This is for students K - 12 grades. If you haven’t registered, please contact Teri Stull at 270-945-4947.



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Healthcare Ministry Group at FLC

I have been approached with the idea of starting a Health Ministry Group for our community. If anyone is interested in helping, please email Renee Barr at renee_185@hotmail.com. I would like to meet and discuss ideas to present on a monthly basis. After this, we will send out a survey to see what the needs and interests are as well (e.g. blood pressure checks, flu vaccines, etc.) Unfortunately because everyone will be volunteering their time, if we don’t get enough interest, we won’t be able to execute the program. Renee Barr.

Sister David Clare Birthday

Sr. David Clare will be turning 96 on August 26th. We would love for her to receive as many cards as possible from her St. Theresa/Crossroads families. Her address is: Sr. David Clare Reasbeck, 134 Main Ave., PO Box 3000, Nazareth, KY 40048
Thank you!

Foundation of Faith—A Journey Through the Catechism

Carrie Lancaster is starting a class called Foundation of Faith—A Journey through the Catechism on September 8, 6:30 pm, at the FLC. Registration forms are in the back of each church.

American Red Cross Blood Drive

The Red Cross will have a Blood Drive on **Tuesday, August 25** from 1 to 6 p.m. at St. Mary Parish Hall. **Give something that means something, GIVE BLOOD!** Go to RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor code: marymagofpazzi or call 1-800-RED CROSS to schedule your appointment today. One pint of blood can save up to three (3) lives. There is an urgent need for blood. Please donate.



Women’s Bible Study Group

Teri Pierce will be starting the first week of a Women’s Bible Study Group in the St. Mary’s Parish Hall on Tuesday, August 18, 10:00 am—11:30 am. If interested, please contact Teri at 502-779-0406. Everyone is welcome.

2026 Peter’s Pence Collection

This weekend the Archdiocese takes up the Peter’s Pence Collection which supports the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including Pope Leo XIV with funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margin of society, including victims of war, oppression and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Leo and serve as a witness of charity.

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PICNIC, AUGUST 8, 2026



2027 Picnic Dates: St. Mary - June 12, 2027 St. Theresa - August 14, 2027