

Our Lady of Lourdes

Diocese of Covington's Latin Mass Parish

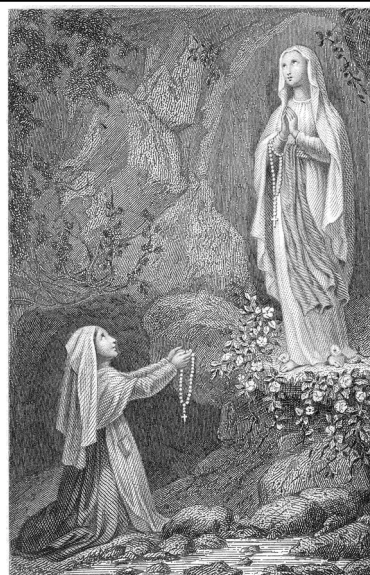
1101 AMSTERDAM ROAD ♣ PARK HILLS ♣ KY ♣ 41011

HOLY FAMILY ORATORY ♣ Liberty Hill Drive ♣ Union ♣ KY

"I do not promise you happiness in this life, only in the next"

STATEMENT OF BISHOP JOHN IFFERT

DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST, I regret that the leadership of the Society of St. Pius X (SSPX) has not responded to the plea of Pope Leo XIV for the preservation of unity within the Church and have instead carried out the schismatic act of ordaining bishops without a pontifical mandate. The unity of the Church, for which Christ prayed, is gravely harmed by this action. I am especially concerned for Catholics who, to this point, have been attached to the SSPX. [...] In the Diocese of Covington, the priests of the SSPX operate Our Lady of the Assumption Church & Priory, Assumption Academy, and Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Academy, all in Walton, Kentucky. Any sacraments celebrated by the priests of the SSPX are illicit. This means that the celebrations are not permitted by the law of the Church and the cleric offering the Sacrament commits the canonical and moral fault of disobedience in each instance. The Masses these priests celebrate are an abuse of the Eucharist, insofar as they make the Sacrament of Unity into an occasion of division within the Church, and so **they should be firmly rejected and avoided by all the Catholic faithful**. The Sacraments of Penance and Marriage carried out by these schismatic ministers are invalid. Sacraments are invalid when one or more essential elements are lacking, so that the attempted sacrament does not impart the associated grace and does not sanctify the Christian person. Because Assumption Academy and Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Academy are associated with the SSPX, Catholic parents should not enroll their children in these schools. To do so is to entrust the religious formation of children to those who participate in schism against the Roman Catholic Church. [...] I invite those in the Diocese of Covington who are in any way attached to the SSPX to separate themselves from this schismatic sect, repent where necessary and seek (or hold fast to) union with



JE SUIS L'IMMACULÉE CONCEPTION

Pastor

Fr. Matthew Cushing
MCushing@covdio.org
859.391.7241

Parish Office & email

859.291.1854
secretary@ololparish.org

Legion of Mary

legionofmary@ololparish.org
Mondays at 7-8:30pm
Junior Legion: Fridays 1:30-3pm

League of the Tarcisians

tarcisians@ololparish.org
First Fridays at 11am

Adoration of Bl. Sacrament

Mondays: 1-6:30pm

Perpetual Novenas

Tuesday—Our Lady of Lourdes
Thursday—Holy Face of Jesus

Confessions

30 minutes before Masses

Baptism and Marriages

All Sacraments at Our Lady of Lourdes are performed according to the *usus antiquior* of the Roman Rite, with the 1962 liturgical books being normative. Contact the pastor for any sacramental needs.

www.ololparish.org

Mass Calendar & Intentions

SUNDAY	July 5: 6th Sunday after Pentecost
7:00 AM	Steve & Amanda Reuss
(Union) 7:00 AM	**No Mass
9:30 AM	Jesse & Rebecca Evans
11:30 AM	Pro Populo
MONDAY	July 6: St. Maria Goretti, Virgin & Martyr
6:30 AM	Dave Mangin
TUESDAY	July 7: Ss. Cyril & Methodius, Bishops & Confessors
6:30 AM	Jonathan Seals
WEDNESDAY	July 8: St. Elizabeth of Portugal, Queen & Widow
12:10 PM	Ingrid McDonald
THURSDAY	July 9: Feria (Mass of the 6th Sunday after Pentecost)
6:30 AM	Olivia Roberts
FRIDAY	July 10: Seven Holy Brothers, Ss. Rufina & Secunda, Martyrs
6:30 AM	Samantha Roberts
SATURDAY	July 11: Saturday of Our Lady
9:00 AM	Carlos Villalobos

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 5th, 2026



the Ministry of Peter in the person of the Bishop of Rome — Pope Leo XIV. With solicitude and charity, the Church remains open to receiving our brothers and sisters who, until now, have been members or associates of the SSPX. Priest members of the Society should leave the SSPX and seek reconciliation with the Roman Catholic Church. The Lay faithful should practice their Catholic faith in a parish that maintains full communion with the Catholic Church by remaining united with me and our Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV. [...]

I ask all faithful Catholics to pray for restored unity and order in the Church and in our Diocese. Please beg the intercession of Pope St. Pius X, that his name may always give glory to God and never be a sign of division in the Eucharistic community that he cherished. *May Christ protect and restore the unity of his Church! Pope St. Pius X, pray for us.*

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend John C. Iffert - Bishop of Covington

Please see <https://covidio.org/> for full statement

Weekly Financial Report Week of Sunday June 28, 2026

Sunday Collection:	
Checks	\$2590.00
Cash & Coin	\$1902.00
Other Donations	\$274.00
Candles	\$98.00
TOTAL	\$4864.00
Weekly Budgetary Needs	\$4,940

† **ATTENTION PLEASE:** We are asking that everyone treat the hillside grotto-area as set aside for Our Lady as a place of prayer and reflection. We especially ask that children not be allowed to be alone here or play in this area. Please keep in mind that the fountain uses a pump to circulate spring water, passing it through a sediment filter. This pump and fountain can easily be damaged (e.g., by children throwing rocks inside the bowl). Keep in mind that although the fountain water is refreshed frequently with spring water, it is not constantly being refreshed. Thus we ask that no one play with the water or wash hands or face with it over the bowl. Even though it is passed through a sediment filter, we ask everyone to help us keep it clean.

Thank you. May God reward you!

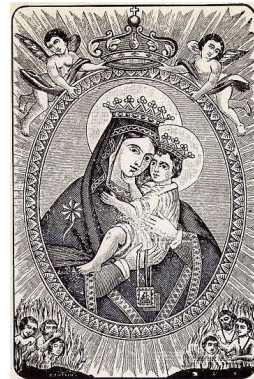
✠ CONGRATULATIONS ✠

...to *Martha Mary*,
daughter of Benedict & Christina Brueggemann,
who was recently baptized at OLOL. We thank Our Lord for the great grace of her being brought into the one holy Catholic Faith.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

FIRST DAY: JULY 7

BEAUTIFUL FLOWER OF CARMEL, most fruitful vine, splendor of heaven, holy and singular, who brought forth the Son of God, still ever remaining a pure virgin, assist us in our necessity! O Star of the Sea, help and protect us! Show us that you are our Mother! *(pause and mention petitions)* Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be... Our Lady of Mount Carmel, pray for us.



SECOND DAY: JULY 8

MOST HOLY MARY, OUR MOTHER, in your great love for us you gave us the Holy Scapular of Mount Carmel, having heard the prayers of your chosen son Saint Simon Stock. Help us now to wear it faithfully and with devotion. May it be a sign to us of our desire to grow in holiness. *(pause and mention petitions)* Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be... Our Lady of Mount Carmel, pray for us.

THIRD DAY: JULY 9

O QUEEN OF HEAVEN, you gave us the Scapular as an outward sign by which we might be known as your faithful children. May we always wear it with honor by avoiding sin and imitating your virtues. Help us to be faithful to this desire of ours. *(pause and mention petitions)* Our Father, Hail Mary & Glory Be... Our Lady of Mount Carmel, pray for us.

FOURTH DAY: JULY 10

WHEN YOU GAVE US, GRACIOUS LADY, the Scapular as our Habit, you called us to be not only servants, but also your own children. We ask you to gain for us from your Son the grace to live as your children in joy, peace and love. *(pause and mention petitions)* Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be... Our Lady of Mount Carmel, pray for us.

FIFTH DAY: JULY 11

O MOTHER OF FAIR LOVE, through your goodness, as your children, we are called to live in the spirit of Carmel. Help us to live in charity with one another, prayerful as Elijah of old, and mindful of our call to minister to God's people. *(pause and mention petitions)* Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be... Our Lady of Mount Carmel, pray for us.

† No Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Mon., July 6th.

† **Save the date:** OLOL Parish will be celebrating our 10th anniversary (*founding date: Feast of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, July 16, 2016*) with a potluck social on Sunday, July 19th, following High Mass. All are invited to bring a dish & attend!

† **Torchbearers Wanted:** Any boy who has received his First Holy Communion. Please email: servers@ololparish.org

† OLOL will host a Christmas market on December 5th, for parishioners to sell their handmade goods and treats etc... There is a \$20 fee for vendors to secure a table at market. Contact Idalmis Adams (jeffadams@att.net) to sign up.

To dress becomingly for God and neighbor, and in keeping with the reverence due to the Blessed Sacrament, kindly refrain from wearing shorts, tee-shirts, tank-tops, revealing blouses, sleeveless or backless dresses, or form-fitting clothing of any sort. Please wear dresses and skirts that fall below the knee when sitting even with leggings (around mid-calf). With due regard to time and circumstance, all are encouraged to wear decorous attire befitting sacred and divine worship.