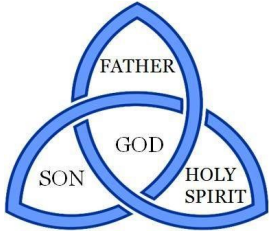


Rosary Chapel Catholic Church

Jun 15, 2025



The Solemnity of
the Most Holy
Trinity Sunday

Year C

Our parish seeks to build and maintain our family through the sharing of the Good News to all people, in order to leave our world more beautiful and faith filled than when we inherited it.



711 Ohio Street
Paducah, KY 42003

Telephone
270-444-6383

Email
office@rosarychapel.org

Website
rosarychapel.org

Office Hours
Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday,
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.



*Liturgy
Schedule*

Mass

Sunday: 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday: 4:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Tuesday: 3:00 p.m.
or by Appointment

Eucharistic Adoration:

1st Tuesday of the month
3-4 p.m.




Pastor
Fr. Jude Okeoma
 jude.okeoma@pastoral.org.



Staff

Bookkeeper:

Carol Baker

Pianist/Music:

Deidra Chandler

Parish Center Coordinator:

Charles Davis

Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick:

Contact:

Fr. Jude Okeoma

First Reconciliation and First Communion or OCIA:

Call the Parish Office

Finance Committee

President:

Kelley Piercefield

Members

Alisha Bobo

Lonnie Crowdus

David Roberts

Uwem Chisek

Arts & Environment

Yvonne Crowdus

Outreach Ministry

Rose Lowery

Parish Council

President & Maintenance:

Charles Davis

VP/Secretary & Mt. Carmel Cemetery:

David Gavin

Education/Faith Formation:

Celeste Harned

Social Concerns:

Felix Akojie

Worship & Spiritual Life:

Melissa Reed

Family Life:

Sheila Matchem

Hospitality & Outreach:

Patricia Fouse

MASS INTENTIONS

Jun 15

Angie Grief †

Jun 22

Deacon John Shoulta †

Jun 29

Catherine Cyril Udoh

Jul 6

Catherine Cyril Udoh

Jul 13

Ruby Gibson

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR JUN 2025

Date	Lectors	Altar Servers	Gift Bearers	Ushers	Eucharistic Minsters
Jun 1	Melissa Reed Patricia Fouse (Spanish)	Reed Family Alexander Gavin	Howard Grief	Mercedes Powers Dianne Fossett	Matthew Scarpino, Rachel Gavin, Charles Davis
Jun 8	Rosalin Dumas	Kingsley Otu Levi Harned	Pastor Family	Mercedes Powers Dianne Fossett	Felix Akojie, Kelly Piercefield, Kathy Roberts
Jun 15	Paula Hudson Patricia Fouse (Spanish)	Tristan Moss-Menser Oliver Otu	Moss-Menser Family	Mercedes Powers Dianne Fossett	Rachel Gavin, Charles Davis, Howard Grief
Jun 22	Celeste Harned	Faith Moss-Menser Matthew Scarpino	Harned Family	Mercedes Powers Dianne Fossett	Kelley Piercefield, Kathy Roberts, Felix Akojie
Jun 29	David Gavin	Levi Harned Felix Akojie	Gavin Family	Mercedes Powers Dianne Fossett	Charles Davis, Howard Grief, Rachel Gavin

Mary Queen of the Rosary, Pray for us.

Report from Sunday

Jun 8, 2025

Sunday Mass Attendance: 75

Sunday Collection: \$1017.00

Special Collections:

Monthly ACH:

O Lord, my Lord, how
majestic is your name
in all the earth!



Sanctuary Light for JT Piercefield
Each Sanctuary Light burns for 14 days. For a \$10 donation, a Sanctuary Light may be sponsored in memory of or in honor of a loved one.

Homebound, Nursing Care Center, Hospitalized

Chen Matchen-HB
Gary Hudson-Parkview Rm 410
Ruby Gibson-HB
Barbara Naas—HB

Reminder

Hospital visits

Fr. Jude would like to remind everyone that if you or a loved one is hospitalized, please call the office at 270-444-6383 to inform us, as we cannot obtain information from the hospital directly.

DIOCESAN SEXUAL ABUSE POLICY

Sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable person is a crime in both State and Church law. Both the State and Church want to help anyone who has been or is being abused. Contact the State authorities and phone the bishop and/or the Review Board at 270-683-1545 to make a report. No one has to live with abuse, and the State and church are available to help individuals and families find help and healing. The Diocesan Policy on Sexual abuse is available on the rack outside the parish office, on the table in the church's narthex, or from the Catholic Pastoral Center.

St Vincent de Paul

The need for assistance at St Vincent de Paul has increased over the past few months. They are in need of Ramen noodles, crackers, cereal, and potatoes in package or cans. Grocery gift cards help us buy perishable items. Thank you. Any help will be greatly appreciated.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Meetings will be held on the Fourth Saturday of each month.

Please join us!

MEN'S MINISTRY

Meetings will be held on the Third Saturday of each month.

Please join us!

Please Remember in your Prayers

Mike Mayes
Rose Lowery
Mary Piercefield
Jaxon Jones
Aaron Burns
Chen Matchem
Rose Wurth
Linda Stiles
Russell Davis
Matt Evans
Michael Nicholas
Ruby Gibson
Thomas Rawlins
Darlene Shelton
Joseph Maxwell
Gary Hudson
Nancy Bass
Andrea Emilia Bernabey
Michael Menser
Thomas (Homeless)
Mark & Janice Higdon
James Rister
Erin Brumley
Ashley Hayden
Kenny Reising
Lynne Clark
Blake Champion
Mike Burns
Godwin Okeoma
Russell Tomlinson
Madonna Matchem Lee

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Weekly Schedule: Tuesday, Jun 17, Reconciliation at 3:00 p.m. and Mass 4:00 p.m.

Rosary Chapel Ice Cream Social to be scheduled when Father Jude returns.

SPECIAL COLLECTION ON JUNE 29 will be: Peter's Pence Collection

REQUEST FOR HELP

We are in desperate need of volunteers to be of service to the church. We need a few volunteers that can help Charles Davis with some maintenance tasks for our church. An example of a task that we are asking someone to take over is: Spray the exterior and interior of the building for pest/bugs 3 – 4 times annually. The cost of the pesticide spray will be reimbursed.

A MYSTERY TO BE LIVED

I read a story online about a man who went up a mountain to meet a guru. The guru asked him, "What can I do for you?" "Well, I know that you are a very wise person. I want you to explain God to me, so that I will do my best to worship him," the man replied. Then the guru told him that, "a God that you can explain is not a God that you should worship."

This weekend we celebrate the Trinity, the doctrine that God is the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. These three persons in one God are equal, undivided, yet distinct. The Father is not the Son, the Son is not the Father, and the Holy Spirit is neither the Son nor the Father. Yet, there is unity of essence in the three distinct divine persons.

The Church has always upheld this unexplainable teaching. Words are insufficient to break down this mystery, and so is human reasoning to understand it. The words of the unnamed sage on the mountain — that a God you can explain is not one you should worship — make much sense here. Therefore, it is safe to say that the Trinity is not a doctrine to be understood. It is a faith to be lived. However, some people ask me, "Why do you have faith in who you do not understand?" That's a good question. Again, I would refer them to the words of the sage and say that "if we understood everything about God, then nothing would be left for faith."

The lesson in the Trinity is the love relationship between the three persons. This love relationship was at work at the time of creation, when the Father, at the point of making humans, said, "let us make man in our own image." The eternal presence of the Son and the Holy Spirit was reflected in the use of the word "us" on that occasion. This love relationship sustains the world. It is our life-giving force. We can emulate the love of the Trinity. In family life, for example, only a relationship of love, unity, and mutual respect — similar to that found in the Holy Trinity — can produce a healthy household. The world is always in need of those families where the husband and wife know one another so well, and together, they know their children, and they all work together in unity and love.

God is one but reveals himself in three persons. Today, he still reveals himself in the different faces of you and me. Whether we bear the face of an Adam or Eve, we are one image of God. Whether with the face of the rich, the poor, or even the beggar on the street, God's image is in us. When these faces come together as one, the image of God shines so brightly in the world.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Fr Jude Okeoma



Join our St. Mary Team!

High School French Teacher

High School History Teacher

High School Religion Teacher

Middle School Science Teacher

Preschool Aide

Personal Student Aide

To apply or for information on benefits and retirement plan, visit: smss.org/about/employment-opportunities/