

Rosary Chapel Catholic Church

Oct 4, 2026



Twenty-seventh
Sunday
In
Ordinary Time

Year A

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.



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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. Gary Clark
Phone: 270-442-1932
270-444-6383



Parochial Vicar
Fr. Jude Okeoma
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Staff

Bookkeeper:
Carol Baker

Pianist/Music:

Parish Center Coordinator:
Charles Davis

**Baptism, Marriage,
Anointing of the Sick:**
Contact:
Fr. Gary Clark or
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
Jackie Carruthers

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

Oct 4
Gary Hudson

Oct 11
Richard Yasko

Oct 18
Sylvester Okeoma

Oct 25
Joanne Shoulta

Nov 1
Richard Yasko

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR OCT

Date	Lectors	Altar Servers	Gift Bearers	Ushers	Eucharistic Minsters
Oct 4	Paula Hudson, Patricia Fouse (Spanish)	Faith Moss-Menser Tristan Moss-Menser	Piercefield Family	Paula Hudson Sheila Matchem	Charles Davis Kathy Roberts
Oct 11	David Gavin	Alexander Gavin Felix Akojie	Gavin Family	Paula Hudson Sheila Matchem	Rachel Gavin Howard Grief
Oct 18	Rachel Gavin, Patricia Fouse (Spanish)	Matthew Scarpino Zeke Scarpino	Pastor Family	Paula Hudson Sheila Matchem	Leslie Scarpino Kelley Piercefield
Oct 25	Melissa Reed	Landon Harned Levi Harned	Harned Family	Paula Hudson Sheila Matchem	Felix Akojie Charles Davis

Mary Queen of the Rosary, Pray for us.

Report from Sunday

Sep 27, 2026

Sunday Mass Attendance: 73

Sunday Collection: \$4236.00

Faith in Action:

Special Collections:

Mt Carmel Cemetery: \$5.00

Disciples Response Fund: \$84.00

Monthly ACH:

Faith in Action Fund Total: \$20,708.44



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.

FAITH IN ACTION MINISTRY

This ministry provides Rosary Chapel members an opportunity to serve God by ministering to the needs of the parish and parishioners.

Faith in Action Ministry will meet every Fourth Sunday of the month immediately following Mass in the activity hall.

All members of the parish are welcome to join our Faith in Action Ministry.

Homebound, Nursing Care Center, Hospitalized

Chen Matchem-Parkview Rm 215

Barbara Naas—HB

Mercedes Matchem-Powers—Parkview Rm 603

Reminder:

Hospital visits:

Fr. Gary 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.



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
Thomas Rawlins
Darlene Shelton
Joseph Maxwell
Nancy Bass
Andrea Emilia Bernabey
Michael Menser
Thomas (Homeless)
Mark & Janice Higdon
Erin Brumley
Ashley Hayden
Kenny Reising
Lynne Clark
Blake Champion
Mike Burns
Godwin Okeoma
Madonna Matchem Lee
Shirley Bunch
Shelby Mayes
Marcia Harbison
Lisa Nix
Steve Shoulta
Mercedes Matchem-Powers
Lachelle Dunbar

St Vincent de Paul

St. Vincent de Paul is in need of food pantry items: Have you wondered what the St. Vincent de Paul needs the most in the Food Pantry? Saltine Crackers, spaghetti, soup and canned fruit are always needed. The Gospel today announces that the kingdom and salvation are for all people. It is our persistent calling out to Jesus and our faith that count, for Jesus always responds. Thanks for your support!

Announcements

Weekly Schedule: Sep Oct 6-Eucharistic Adoration and Reconciliation at 3:00 p.m. and Mass 4:00 p.m.

Special Collections – October 18, Mission Sunday Collection

SAVE THE DATE: Sunday, October 18th – We will celebrate the Church's Anniversary with a Parish Potluck.

Mt. Carmel Cemetery Fall Cleanup will be held Saturday, October 17 from 9am-12pm. Please come out to help.

Parish Council Position: We have a vacant position on the Parish Council. Anyone can submit a name to any member of the Parish Council to be decided upon at the Parish Council's next meeting.

Don't Wait! Get Screened! – Mercy Health and St. Mary High School are coming together to deliver accessible community cancer care and screenings. (see insert below). October 17, 2026 at 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. St. Mary Middle / High School, 1243 Elmdale Rd, Paducah, KY 42003. Call 270-845-2868 with any questions.

Please join us at Dolly McNutt Plaza in downtown Paducah at Noon on Saturday, October 10 for the Our Lady of Fatima Rosary Rally. The Knights of Columbus will lead the prayer for the community to witness this event. This is a remembrance of the event that appened on October 13, 1917. When Our Lady performed the miracle of the sun witnessed by 70,000 people, including atheists, communists and anti-Catholics, some of them converted. The October Public Square Rosary Rallies will happen across the nation to remind the person on the street that conversion is possible.

REQUEST FOR HELP

ONE PERSON CAN MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE: 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.



**STAY UP TO DATE
ON ST. MARY**

SCHOOL UPDATES AND
CAMPUS EVENTS

SCAN THE QR CODE TO
FOLLOW ALONG



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Early detection can make all the difference.

- **BREAST CANCER SCREENING** - Mammography can help detect breast cancer early, when it may be easier to treat.
- **COLON CANCER SCREENING** - Colorectal cancer screening can help detect cancer early and identify precancerous polyps.
- **OVARIAN CANCER AWARENESS** - Know the signs and understand your personal risk.
- **LOW-DOSE CT LUNG CANCER SCREENING** - For people at increased risk of lung cancer, low-dose CT screening may help detect lung cancer earlier.

Call 270-845-2868 with any questions



Fall Cleanup

Saturday, October 17. 9am-12pm

Volunteers welcome. Tools Provided. Light work




Mt Carmel
CATHOLIC CEMETERY
mtcarmelcemeterypaducah.com

The Mount Carmel Cemetery, Inc. is a 501(c)3 Kentucky non-profit business

Happy Anniversary

October Anniversaries

Mr & Mrs Felix Akojie Oct 31

Happy Birthday

October Birthdays

Toni Marie Tiggens	Oct 3	June Whelan	Oct 25
Nancy Bass	Oct 14	William Rister	Oct 27