



Saint  
**Boniface**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

Parish  
Weekly

September 29, 2024

Sunday Masses: 8:30 am and 11:00 am  
Reconciliation on Sunday 10:15 - 10:45 am

531 E. Liberty St. Louisville Kentucky 40202  
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September 29th ~ Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am (Fr. Peter Do)~ JoLee McGrath+

11:00 am (Fr. Shaji Joseph)~ People of the Parish/Bettianne, Bob and Sinclair Davies+

October 6th ~ Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Fr. Steven Henriksen)

8:30 am ~ People of the Parish/Camfield Family+

11:00 am ~ Michael O'Melia+

Administrator~  
Fr. Steven Henriksen

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Welcome to the Parish!

Everyone is invited to be a member of the parish family by registering as either a member or associate member. Cards are available at the doors of the church.

Change of Address? Please notify the Parish Office as soon as possible of an address change or any other changes to your family records.

Stewardship, A Lifetime of Opportunity, Responsibility, Accountability.

Have you remembered St. Boniface Church in your will?

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**St. Boniface is a Roman Catholic Church in the heart of downtown Louisville and has been ministering to the local community since 1836. We are a community formed by the Word of God, the Sacraments and the Tradition of the Catholic Church. We strive to be a catalyst for positive change in our neighborhood. We put the faith we have received into action through a variety of social outreach programs, namely: St. John's Day Center for Homeless Men, Central Louisville Community Ministries (CLCM), and by assisting Nativity Academy in its mission to educate at-risk youth. In these efforts we strive to be a refuge for those in need, and offer hope to our surrounding community.**



**Catholic Services Appeal (CSA)...** Our Parish Goal is \$19,200 with the participation goal at 44 households. Gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal invest in the future of our Church by promoting vocations and lay ministry development. For instance, this year the Archdiocese is supporting 20 seminarians in their formation for the priesthood. For more on the work of the Archdiocese of Louisville or to make a gift online, visit [www.ArchLou.org/CSA](http://www.ArchLou.org/CSA).

**Marriage Moments...** Listening is not the same as being quiet. After the quiet, an effort to show your beloved you understand should follow. It may not require words, but it takes paying attention.

**Parenting Pointers...** Are you tired of repeating yourself over and over to your kids? Step 1: Get at eye-level with your child, then start to speak. Step 2: Ask for an "Echo" Let your child repeat what you've said.

**Sick or Hospitalized...** If you need anointing of the sick or want a visit from a priest. Please contact the office either by phone 502-584-4279 or email [office@stbonifaceparish.com](mailto:office@stbonifaceparish.com).

**Open House at St. Meinrad...** Saint Meinrad Seminary School of Theology is hosting an open house on campus for its Graduate theology Program on the weekend of October 12-13. An online open house will be held on Wednesday, October 16th at 6:30 p.m. CT. Laity and deacons are welcome to attend. Register to attend by September. 30th.

**Concert at the Cathedral...** Sunday, October 6th at 2:30 p.m. Flute and Piano. Robert Cart & Starla Railey. This event is free, and all are welcome to attend

Cathedral of the Assumption  
433 South 5th Street  
Louisville, KY 40202

**Mass Intentions...** you can now call the parish office to reserve dates in the 2025 year for your loved ones.

**Food Pantry...** Fr. Jack Jones food pantry across from Churchill Downs at Holy name church services over 500 people a week. We cannot serve these people in need without your help. We are in need of food and supplies to keep up with the growing need. If you are interested in hosting a donation or fundraising drive to help feed the hungry in this area, please contact Peyton at [prhea@archlou.org](mailto:prhea@archlou.org).



**Immaculata Classical Academy's Speaker**

**Series...** will host Dr. Andrew Seeley on Friday, October 4th at 7 p.m. at 440 Zorn Avenue. Dr. Seeley is co-founder and President of the Boethius Institute and Director of Advanced Formation for Educators at the Augustine Institute. His talk is titled "Treasures Old are New" The Catholic Liberal Arts Renewal." A free wine and cheese reception will be provided. Donations are appreciated. For more details, please contact Jared Meyer at [jmeyer@immaculata.org](mailto:jmeyer@immaculata.org).

**Central Louisville Community Ministries...** is having a coat giveaway October 22nd. Please bring your clean used coats to church and put in the baskets at the doors by October 20th. You will be keeping someone warm this winter.

**Second Anniversary Mass...** The second of two annual Anniversary Masses with Archbishop Shelton will be held this year at noon at the Cathedral of the Assumption on Sunday November 3, 2024. Couples celebrating milestone anniversaries in 2024 of 5, 10, 15, 20 and 25 years are invited to send their names, addresses and number of years married to the parish office right away so they can be recognized at this special mass.

Registration deadline for the event is October 21, 2024.



**Prayer Requests**

Cathy Barlow  
John Karcher  
Twilight Ingram—Mayes  
Cathe Rodes +  
Dean Scott Toller  
Paul Mattingly  
Sonny Wick  
Sharon Yates +

**Ministers for this Week**

**8:30 am Mass**

Server: Bob Springer  
Lector: Charles Gazaway  
Gift Bearers: Gary and Cathy Zirnheld  
Eucharist Ministers: Bonnie Davison, Charles Gazaway

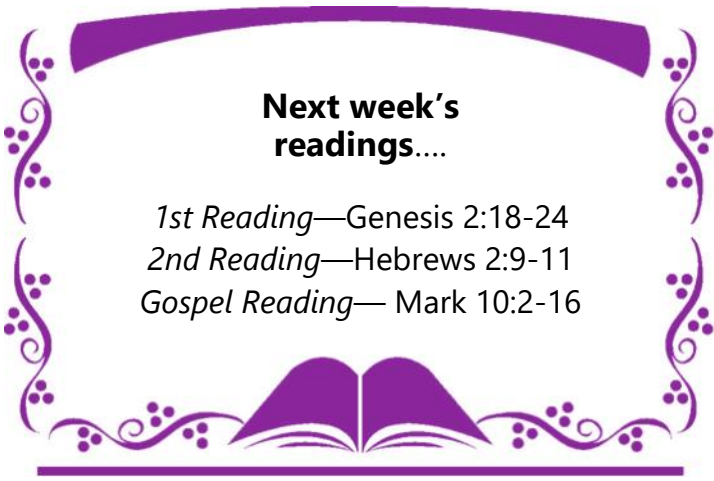
**11:00 am Mass**

Server: Charles Gazaway  
Lector: Judy Perri  
Gift Bearers: Pat Robison, Sally Lenihan  
Eucharist Ministers: Nick and Judy Perri

*If you are interested in becoming a Lay Minister, please contact Charles Gazaway: [Charles@stbonifaceparish.com](mailto:Charles@stbonifaceparish.com)*

**Next week's readings...**

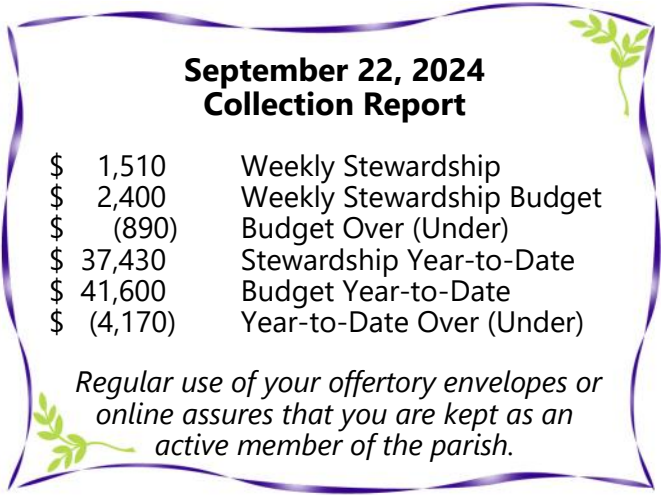
*1st Reading*—Genesis 2:18-24  
*2nd Reading*—Hebrews 2:9-11  
*Gospel Reading*— Mark 10:2-16



**September 22, 2024  
Collection Report**


\$ 1,510	Weekly Stewardship
\$ 2,400	Weekly Stewardship Budget
\$ (890)	Budget Over (Under)
\$ 37,430	Stewardship Year-to-Date
\$ 41,600	Budget Year-to-Date
\$ (4,170)	Year-to-Date Over (Under)

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**Introduction to the Liturgy of the Day**

We come together today to worship God, to receive our Lord in the Eucharist, to encounter him in each other, and to open ourselves to God's continuing revelation in the word. Today's Gospel is a difficult one, with severe warnings about sin and hell. The second reading isn't much easier to take, warning of the corrosive effects of wealth and pleasure. Let us accept the challenge of taking a good long hard look at our lives and deciding what we need to cut from it in order to remain on the path to the kingdom.

  
**IF ANY OF YOU LACK**  
WISDOM, LET HIM ASK OF GOD, THAT GIVETH TO ALL MEN LIBERALLY, AND UPBRAIDETH NOT; AND IT SHALL BE GIVEN HIM. BUT LET HIM ASK IN FAITH, NOTHING WAVERING.  
FOR HE THAT WAVERETH IS LIKE A WAVE OF THE SEA DRIVEN WITH THE WIND AND TOSSED.  
**JAMES 1:5-6**

**Reflection on the Gospel**

Jesus holds up to his disciples the example of one who offers them a cup of water to drink. With this simple act, the giver recognizes in the thirsty one a shared humanity and a common thirst, as a member of Christ's body. Jesus also directs his disciples to reflect on the ministry they receive from others. When they know themselves as needy, they can learn to shift their attention away from the prerogatives of credentialed ministry toward the neediness of those to whom the service is rendered.

**Today's Focus**

We all may claim that we'd like everyone to be honest with us all the time, but if we reflect upon that statement, we'll find we're not as ready as we think!

**Question of the Week**

In what way am I like the one who stores up treasure? In what way am I like the one whose wages are withheld? What can I do from my position to properly reflect the lessons Jesus taught?



**Online Giving Platform—ParishGiving...**Have you considered switching to online giving? No more envelopes, checkbooks or forgetting to bring them with you. It's easy to sign up just, select one of these options: from your mobile device, text "giving" for stewardship or "second" for special collections to 1.502.747.1110 and follow the prompts, OR visit the parish website [www.stbonifaceparish.com](http://www.stbonifaceparish.com) and click on GIVE, OR scan the QR code and follow the prompts. If you have any questions please contact the parish office at 1.502.584.4279 or email [office@stbonifaceparish.com](mailto:office@stbonifaceparish.com).

**Second Collection for CSA...**We have a second collection available for CSA at this time. You can make your contribution online by texting "second" to 1.502.747.1110 and follow the prompts.