

SEPTEMBER 3, 2023 | THE TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

# Cathedral OF THE Incarnation



## MASS SCHEDULE

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday – Friday 7:00 AM & 12:10 PM  
Monday - Thursday 5:30 PM UCat

### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8:00 AM (First Saturday Only)  
5:00 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday 8:30 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:00 PM

### CONFESSION

Saturday 3:00 PM – 4:30 PM

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday  
8:00 AM – 4:00 PM  
Friday 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Saturday – Sunday Closed

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## This Week At Cathedral September 2 - September 9

### SATURDAY

7:00 Cursillo Group in RM 303 & 304

### SUNDAY

Coffee & Donuts After Morning Masses

8:00 Rosary Before Mass

8:30 CLOW RE RM 104

4:00 CYA Book Club RM 202

### MONDAY

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

6:30 CYA Bible Study RM 305

7:00 Boy Scouts RM 304

### TUESDAY

10:30 Women's Prayer Group RM 301

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

5:30 Legion of Mary RM 204

6:30 Cursillo RM 202 & 206

### WEDNESDAY

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

### THURSDAY

4:30 UCat Confession/Adoration

7:00 RCIA RM 303 & 305

### FRIDAY

NO SCHEDULED EVENTS

## MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions may be obtained for loved ones, living or deceased, through the parish office. Please email [info@cathedralnashville.org](mailto:info@cathedralnashville.org).

### SATURDAY, 9/2

8:30AM † James V. Hunt, Sr. by Chris & Patricia Casa Santa

5:00 PM Gail Alexander Corbett by the Kirschke-Schwartz Family

### SUNDAY, 9/3

8:30 AM † Robert Szejner by Stephen & Sharon O'Connell

11:00 AM † Harry Hopkins by Deacon Joe & Pam Holzmer

5:00 PM People of the Parish

8:00 PM University Catholic Students

### MONDAY, 9/4 (LABOR DAY)

10:00 AM † Augustus F. DiStadio by Christine DiStadio

5:30 PM The Panagakos Family

### TUESDAY, 9/5

7:00 AM † Lawrence & Jean Dolan by Charlie & Donna Curry

12:10 PM † In Memory of Betty Crecelius by Deacon Joe & Pa Holzmer

5:30 PM Dr. Chuck Slater

### WEDNESDAY, 9/6

7:00 AM † Jeff Murray by Marie-Louise Miesel

12:10 PM † Ed Jenkins by the Family

5:30 PM Celebrant Intention

### THURSDAY, 9/7

7:00 AM † Joe Coode by Cornelia Coode

12:10 PM † Mulhall Family by Martin & Mary Jean Stevens

5:30 PM Courtney Soto

### FRIDAY, 9/8

7:00 AM Souls in Purgatory

12:10 PM Charlotte Walsh by Cornelia Coode

### SATURDAY, 9/9

5:00 PM † Blake Menke by Susan Brigance

*May the Souls of the Faithful Departed, through the  
Mercy of God, Rest in Peace. Amen*

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Room in the Inn is gearing up for another winter season! The Room in the Inn ministry will begin our season on Tuesday, November 7th. We will host 20 homeless men in the Fleming Center every Tuesday night from November until the end of March. The men are picked up at the downtown Room at the Inn center. Dinner, showers, a warm bed, breakfast and lunch are provided. This is a large ministry and requires a lot of volunteers and support from the parish. Watch the bulletins for sign ups and needed supplies.

We need help!!! Currently we are seeking a co-coordinator to help with planning and support. Please prayerfully consider helping. Contact Sarah McLeod at 615-308-9767 or [mcleodsarah@comcast.net](mailto:mcleodsarah@comcast.net) for more information.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION UPDATES!

*Don't forget to register for Faith Formation classes online!*

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION REMINDERS:

#### FIRST EUCHARIST:

Please register your 1st grade student. Students are required to attend a year of faith formation classes prior to formal preparation to receive the Sacrament of First Holy Communion in the 2nd grade year.

#### 8th GRADE CONFIRMATION:

Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation commences in 7th grade. Please register your 7th grade student ASAP if you intend them to receive Confirmation in their 8th grade year.

### INTERESTED IN BUILDING UP THE FUTURE CHURCH?

Cathedral Faith Formation volunteers are needed to help pass on the Faith to our 1st-8th grade students. Please contact

**KFRaymond@cathedralnashville.org**

if you have any questions or are interested in helping us pass on the Faith to our young parishioners.

Boys who have completed the 5th Grade or who are at least 10 1/2 years old are invited to join

### Boy Scout Troop 1914.

We meet at the Cathedral every Monday at 7 PM. Camping, whitewater rafting, shooting, wilderness survival, motorboating & tubing, climbing & rappelling, caving, canoeing, and a whole lot more! Anyone interested should contact the Scoutmaster, Tony Pezzi, at 615-587-1502 or [apezzi@parsonsenengineering.com](mailto:apezzi@parsonsenengineering.com).

## OUR NEW PEW ENVELOPES

You may notice some new pew envelopes in each of the pews. If you're a visitor and would like to contribute OR a parishioner that forgot their envelope, please use one of these!

We also ask if you happen to notice them in disarray, please tidy them up and help us straighten the clutter! Thank you very much!

**Cathedral TASTINGS**  
— SEPTEMBER 10TH WHISKEY TASTING —

[WWW.CATHEDRALNASHVILLE.ORG](http://WWW.CATHEDRALNASHVILLE.ORG)  
**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2023**  
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**International COOKING CLASSES**  
CAJUN COOKING

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2023  
Join our Guest Cajun Chef, Dana Carter, from MISS DANA'S KITCHEN!  
Cost: \$25 per person

[WWW.CATHEDRALNASHVILLE.ORG](http://WWW.CATHEDRALNASHVILLE.ORG)  
Check out Cooking Classes under the Cathedral Events page!

Join us for our first  
**French Wine & Dine**  
A Benefit for the Cathedral RCIA  
Saturday, 14th October, 2023 at 6:30pm

— \$75 per person includes a 5 course dinner with matching wines —

Wine Tasting Experience led by Jeff Jamieson, Level 3 Certified Sommelier  
Food prepared by Kevin F. Raymond  
Location: The Fleming Center at The Cathedral of the Incarnation  
Info: [cathedralnashville.org](http://cathedralnashville.org) / event-calendar / community-events / tastings



**Sacred Art & Adoration**  
The Eucharist as a Source of Beautiful Art & Culture

How does sacred art aid in the understanding of Christ's true presence in The Eucharist?

This presentation focuses on the sacred art and architecture being the catalyst for centuries of art and an influence on the culture wherever the Faith grew.

Guest Speaker: Kathleen Carr, Founder of Catholic Art Institute

Friday, Sept. 29th at 6pm  
in The Fleming Center

Free admission.  
Snacks & refreshments



**Cathedral of the Incarnation**  
*MINISTRY FAIR*

September 9th & 10th after all Masses in the Fleming Center. Please join us! We will have games and prizes! Also, we're looking for donations for door prizes. Thanks for your help!

Where Do I Fit In?

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Discover A Place To Serve



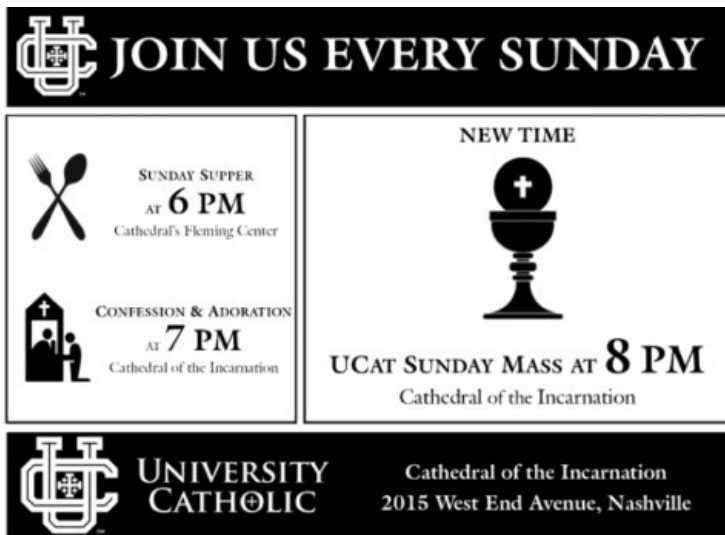
## Ministry Fair Door Prizes

The 2023 Ministry Fair is on its way. In addition to learning about the different ministries at the Cathedral, we like to have fun too! Games and door prizes are part of the fun. If you or your employer or your company would like to contribute to the door prizes, please contact

**[BarneyZeng@sourcekeysolutions.com](mailto:BarneyZeng@sourcekeysolutions.com)**

The Ministry Fair is an opportunity to bring our Cathedral community closer together. Thank you!

**Our offices will be closed on Monday, September 4th for the Federal Holiday. We will only have ONE Mass at 10am for Labor Day.**

**JOIN US EVERY SUNDAY**

**SUNDAY SUPPER**  
AT 6 PM  
Cathedral's Fleming Center

**CONFESION & ADORATION**  
AT 7 PM  
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**NEW TIME**

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### **Cursillo – A Spiritual Resurrection Mark Your Calendar!**

There's a movement in the Diocese of Nashville that's intended to help individual Catholics develop an understanding of what it means to lead a fully Christian life. It's called Cursillo, and at its simplest, it's a three-day weekend at Camp Marymount in Fairview, TN. Cursillo focuses on building a deeper relationship with God and living out the call to Christian leadership. The weekend will include talks, group discussions, and personal reflection time, all designed to help you grow in our faith and discern your role in the Church.

Really, it's an adventure for adults to rediscover being Catholic and to explore how you individually bring being Catholic to your daily life. On top of that it's a great way to make true friends by sharing the experience with Catholics from other parishes in the diocese.

The Fall weekend is coming up, so now is the best time to apply while there is space available. Here are the dates for the Fall weekend.

#### **Sept 28 – Oct 1      *Men's English Retreat***

Men Apply Here:

<https://www.nashvillecursillo.com/event-details/mens-retreat-fall-2023-english>

#### **October 5-8      *Women's English Retreat***

Women Apply Here:

<https://www.nashvillecursillo.com/event-details/womens-retreat-fall-2023-english>

#### ***For more information go to:***

[www.nashvillecursillo.com](http://www.nashvillecursillo.com) and/or contact The Cathedral Parish Cursillo Coordinators:  
Lori Ledford (LKelso@aol.com) or Barney Zeng (barneyzeng@gmail.com)

### **Easily Register For Our Parish Here!**

Scan the QR code to easily reach our parish registration form page on our website!



In the coming weeks, and we hope before summer is out, you will notice some repairs being done on our roof. We've had a few spots that have "sprung a leak" because of all the rain we've had this summer, but hopefully we'll see those completed before Fall!

### **CATHEDRAL OF THE INCARNATION INAUGURAL ORGAN CONCERT**



GOULDING & WOOD PIPE ORGAN BUILDERS • OPUS 54 - 2023

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17 / 3:00 PM**

THE CATHEDRAL CHOIR & BRASS  
DAWN SEIDENSCHWARZ, *organist*  
DOUGLAS MURRAY, *guest organist*

*Sponsored in part by The Friends of Cathedral Music.*

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### **ORGAN PIPES – Friends of Music**

The interest in pipes from the old organ greatly exceeded the quantity we were prepared to make available. At the upcoming Ministry Fair on September 9th/10th, the Knights of Columbus will again accept donations for the new Friends of Cathedral Music Fund. Donations of any amount are gratefully accepted; those who donate \$200 or more may claim a pipe from the old organ as a gift, if they wish, while the supply lasts. The previously available pipes were wood, this set comprises metal pipes. If you would like to reserve a pipe, contact Barney Zeng at [BarneyZeng@sourcekeysolutions.com](mailto:BarneyZeng@sourcekeysolutions.com). (If interest continues to be high, we may be able to make some other remaining pipes available.)



# HELP OUR HAITI MISSION!

Haiti has made news recently as kidnappings and gang violence continue to be on the rise. The majority of the violence depicted in the media is in the capital city of Port-au-Prince, which is about a 3-4 hour drive from where our Twin Parish is located in La Vallée de Jacmel. The actual safety of the parishioners within our community is not impacted as greatly by the stories you see in the news. Yet, it has significantly affected the day-to-day life of all Haitians. The way the country of Haiti is set up is that everything comes through Port-au-Prince, so the insecurity in the capital has affected our community's ability to get basic supplies and travel about freely as done in the past. The most common occupations in our community are farmers, merchants and drivers. Each of these professions have been impacted by the inability to safely travel to and from Port-au-Prince to sell at markets, purchase supplies and transport travelers. Those that are still traveling in hopes of making a living risk their lives with each trip as there are frequent robberies, kidnappings and random violence along the route and especially within the city. Due to the dangers, many people have chosen not to travel, which has greatly impacted the economic situation in the country. These insecurities are creating a domino effect causing job loss, lack of resources, inability to receive and purchase goods, shutdown of businesses and institutions, rise in hunger, and so much more.

All of these problems have been felt by our mission, but here is a more specific look at what's going on in our community: Thankfully, our schools have been operating pretty much as normal. We had a successful school year and just graduated our class of 2023! Our high school students are currently participating in our English Summer Immersion Program as we are doing our best to keep operating as normal. Our college students have been impacted by the current situation because most universities are located in Port-au-Prince, making it difficult for teachers to get to work and for students to regularly attend classes due to safety concerns. Our chicken farm and bakery are able to operate, but have been greatly impacted by inflation, availability and cost of ingredients, inability to safely make deliveries, declining money in the hands of consumers, among other obstacles making it difficult to operate businesses. Our church is able to operate as usual and our Priest, Father Simon, has been hard at work making sure all the needs in the community are met.

While living amongst this violence and instability is disheartening for our parishioners, they have not lost hope. God's love and presence is still shining throughout our community and we know there are better days to come. We will not give up. We are creating the future leaders of Haiti and these obstacles will only make us stronger. Now is an even more important time than ever to support our Twin Parish in Haiti. Even though we cannot physically be present with them in Haiti, we are in regular communication with them and continuing to support our endeavors to change the country for the better. You can join us in doing so by visiting [www.haitimission.org/donate](http://www.haitimission.org/donate)! Your donation goes directly towards supporting our community in Haiti through educating youth, helping fund the hungry, fostering community development, creating healthy generations and encouraging spiritual growth. Please help.



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