

Hello Mary, Queen of Heaven family!! ☺

Praised be Jesus Christ!!

Well, it's hard to believe that Ash Wednesday is exactly 3 weeks from today! ☺ And with the arrival of Lent, I know what you're thinking, 'Fr. Kevin, what's going on with the GREATEST Fish Fry in the entire country - are we going to have it?' Well, we are having our Fish Fry - sort-of! ☺ The Diocese has said we can't have dine-in eating, but, we are allowed to have Drive-thru and curbside pick up. ☺

Our unbelievably creative crew has figured out a way to have 2 drive-thru lanes - which is fantastic! Obviously, with no dine-in, we won't be needing quite as many volunteers each week....but we will STILL need plenty of volunteers to make sure our service remains the BEST anywhere! So please consider helping us out - details on how to volunteer will be coming in the near future.

With the departure of Fr. Niby, we now have a parish that is supposed to have 2 priests, but only has one.....me! ☺ So, in order to make things a little more manageable, we'll be making a change to our daily Mass schedule. Beginning this Saturday, January 30, we will no longer be having our Saturday morning 9am Mass. I'm hoping we'll be assigned an associate pastor when the new priest assignments are made in June. If we get a new associate, the 9am Saturday morning Mass will be reinstated. Thank you in advance for your patience and understanding. ☺

January 22, 2021 commemorated the 48th anniversary of the Roe vs. Wade decision. Since that tragic day, millions of lives have been lost to abortion and the lives of millions of men and women have been shattered.

On Friday, January 29, 2021, the annual March for Life will be held in Washington DC, where going on 47 years, the faithful have gathered to march for the sanctity of life. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, the Diocese of Covington has made the difficult decision to not travel to our nation's capital.

In lieu of the Mass normally celebrated with the pilgrims in Washington DC, this Friday, January 29, Bishop Foys will offer a Mass that is being live-streamed from the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption at 9:00am. This Mass will replace our normal daily 9am Mass - it will be live-streamed in our gym. The live-stream can be found at www.covcathedral.com. Because of Covid-19, the Mass at the Cathedral is not open to the public.

Just a reminder, our parishioner Deacon Joe Rielage will be ordained to the priesthood this Friday at 6pm at the Cathedral. The ordination is by invitation only, but will be livestreamed at www.covcathedral.com.

Well, that about covers everything - God bless & stay safe!! ☺

Fr. Kevin