

Kentucky Post - June 29, 1914

RETURNS AS A PRIEST TO COVINGTON

**Father B. H. Busse, Former
Covington Councilman and
Mayoral Possibility, Reads
First Mass Among People
He So Ably Represented.**

Rev. Father B. H. Busse, who several years ago represented with distinction Central Covington in Covington General Council, and who at that time was prominently mentioned as Covington's next Mayor, read his first mass Sunday morning at St. Augustine's Church, Central Covington, where he was born and raised.

Father Busse resigned from Council at the height of his political career to study for the priesthood. He is a graduate of St. Xavier's College of Cincinnati, and when a young man became interested in the brick business of his father. He completed his studies at St. Vincent Arch Abbey in Beatty, Pa., where he was ordained recently. Mayor George E. Philipps and those who served in General Council with Father Busse attended the services. Father Busse was urged to make the race for Mayor on the Democratic ticket some years ago, but declined, he having made up his mind to become a priest.

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LONG ILLNESS IS FATAL TO REV. B. H. BUSSE

Body of Priest To Lie in State at St. Mary's Cathedral; Bishop To Sing Pontifical Mass Thursday

Body of Rev. B. Herman Busse, 60, former pastor of St. Joseph Church, Crescent Springs, will lie in state at St. Mary's Cathedral, Covington, from Wednesday at 4 p. m. until Thursday at 9:30 a. m.

Father Busse died Monday evening at St. Elizabeth Hospital, Covington, after an illness of more than a year.

Vespers for the dead will be sung Wednesday at 4 p. m. at the Cathedral by priests of the Covington diocese.

Office of the dead will be sung Thursday at 9:30 a. m., followed by pontifical requiem high mass, celebrated by Rt. Rev. Francis W. Howard, bishop of Covington. Burial will be in Mother of God Cemetery.

Father Busse was widely known in northern Kentucky, where he had resided most of his life. Before entering the priesthood he was associated with the Busse Brick Co., Rosedale.

He was ordained in 1914, served one year as chaplain at St. Elizabeth Hospital and for a time was stationed at Villa Madonna, Kenton-co.

In 1916 he became pastor of St. Joseph Church, Crescent Springs, and served there until last September, when he was forced to resign because of ill health. During his pastorate there the new church at Crescent Springs was built.

Father Busse is survived by a sister, Mrs. Frank Haar, 622 Highland av., Covington, with whom he had made his home since his retirement.

Henry Linnemann & Sons, Covington undertakers, are in charge of the funeral.



Do J. J. J. J.

Form V. S. 1-A-52m-11-1-29

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
State Board of Health
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1. PLACE OF DEATH
County Stenton

2. FULL NAME Rev. B. Herman Busse

3. RESIDENCE (Usual place of abode) 622 Highland Pike

4. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year) Sept 1, 1930

5. SEX M

6. AGE 62 years 63 months 10 days

7. RACE Catholic

8. TRADE, PROFESSION, OR OCCUPATION Priest

9. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH WORK WAS DONE, SAW MILL, BANK, ETC. St. Anthony Church

10. DATE DECEASED LAST WORKED AT THIS OCCUPATION (month and year) Sept 1, 1930

11. TOTAL TIME (years) spent in this occupation 34

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town, State or country) Covington Ky

13. NAME Joseph Busse

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town, State or country) Germany

15. MARRIAGE Married

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town, State or country) Germany

17. INFORMANT (Address) Mrs. Frank Hader

18. UNDERTAKER (Address) St. Anthony Church

19. FILED 7-23, 1930

20. REGISTRAR Do J. J. J. J.

21. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year) Sept 1, 1930

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from Sept 1, 1930 to Sept 1, 1930

23. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following:
Accident, suicide, or homicide? No Date of injury 1930

Where did injury occur? (Specify city or town, county, and State)
Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place.

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No If so, specify Chronic myocarditis

(Signed) Do J. J. J. J. M. D.
(Address) St. Anthony Church