

Holy Rosary Catholic Church

Sacred Heart Chapel

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22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 29, 2021



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“Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person; but the things that come out from within are what defile.” - Mk 7:15

A Note From Father Ed

Father Ed sent a note to the parish which stated that he arrived safely in Ghana on Thursday. He took another Covid test upon arrival and it was negative. Father Ed extends his greetings and thanks to our parish family for the thoughts and prayers offered for him.

Special Emergency Collection Sept. 4-5 to Support Humanitarian Efforts in Haiti

Prompted by the massive earthquake and tropical storm that has devastated Haiti, Bishop Mark Brennan has joined Archbishop José H. Gomez, President of the USCCB, asking all faithful to consider donating to a special emergency collection to provide aid to support the Church and humanitarian needs arising from these and future disasters. This collection will take place at weekend Masses on Sept. 4-5th in the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston.

The August earthquake killed more than 1,200 Haitian people and injured upwards of 5,700 others, leaving an overwhelming trail of destruction and rubble for a people who are hurting due to the socio-economic and political instability in their country, while still processing the assassination of their president in July. The Holy Father urged the international community to show support and solidarity to help the country lighten the consequences of the tragedy.

“As I raise my prayers to the Lord for the victims, I address a word of encouragement to the survivors, desiring that the international community will take a shared interest in them. May the solidarity of all alleviate the consequences of the tragedy,” Pope Francis said, adding that the faithful should offer a Hail Mary together for Our Lady of Perpetual Help, patroness of Haiti to intercede for us.

Checks are to be made payable to your respective parish/mission and on the memo line indicate: Special Collection for disaster relief. The parish/mission will then send one check for all contributions for this collection to the Diocese. All funds will be part of the (USCCB) Bishops Emergency Disaster Fund.

Letter From the Bishop

Bishop Mark has written a letter to his fellow priests of the diocese expressing his concern of the increase in Coronavirus infections in the state of West Virginia. He is reinforcing safety protocols for our parishes, many of which we have already implemented at Holy Rosary. We will continue to use altar servers and sit in any vacant pew for mass; there is no need to skip a pew at this point. We are once again asking parishioners to wear a mask whenever you are in the church or the hall. Masks and hand sanitizer will be available at each of the entrances to the church. We will continue to monitor the situation and will re-evaluate these rules when

our county is out of the “red.” Thank you for understanding.

Covid Cancellations

Father Ed has asked that all activities in Marist Hall be postponed until further notice. The WVU Diabetes Program previously scheduled will continue on Sunday afternoons, but nothing else will be permitted.

Knights Collecting Food

Our local Knights of Columbus chapter is sponsoring a food drive to help our brothers and sisters in need in the local area. The food drive will run through the end of August. Holy Rosary will donate all food collected to the Parish House in Buckhannon. Personal care items may also be donated. The Knights are happy to collect and deliver the donations for us at the end of August. Look for a box designated for these donations in the parish hall.

Puzzle Collection

Rachel Weber is collecting 350-piece puzzles (new or gently used) for the residents of Holbrooks Nursing Home. Please drop your puzzles in Marist Hall. Thanks!

Books in the Mail

This week several parishioners and people in our area received a book in the mail entitled: “The Great Controversy” by Ellen G. White, co-founder of the Seventh Day Adventists. In a diocesan email Bryan Minor says: “...this book is not provided by the Church, nor endorsed by it, and we will not share any parish mailing information with unauthorized outside vendors, particularly sources related to this book.” If you have any questions about this issue, please call Father John.

Our Sympathies

Former parishioner and friend Denna Bayless died peacefully last week in Elkins. Services will be held a future time. May her soul, and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.

Vaccine Clinic

The Parish House and St. Joseph Hospital are sponsoring a free Johnson and Johnson Vaccine Clinic on Monday, August 30th from 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. outside the Parish House at 68 College Ave. This vaccine is open to anyone over the age of 18.

Crosslines Collection

Here are our current needs: bar soap, powdered laundry detergent, toilet paper, and any surplus/excess garden vegetables. Please let me know if you have any questions. As always, THANK YOU for your support of our neighbors in need, mission and ministry!

Revised School of Religion Schedule

School of Religion classes will begin this year on September 19, Catechetical Sunday. Principal Doris Sandreth is still in need of a high school teacher. Can you help? Call Doris to volunteer.

We are Sooooo Close!

We are very close to meeting our goal for this year's Catholic Sharing Appeal! As of today, we have collected \$11,010 of our \$11,330 goal! Only 41 families have contributed. There is still time to contribute! Drop your donation in the collection basket or go to dwc.org for further details.



Please remember in your prayers:

Bertha Small, Kate Deasy, Rosemary Austin, Phil Halligan, Randy Trent, Macyah

Riley, Karen Trent, Matthew Linger, Seth Poling, Cathy Lipscomb, Hugh Hensil, Freddy Caimotto, James Barton, Mike Cerullo, Darell Hyre, Diane Hyre, Vicki Dibble, Eric Harkness, Pat Daigneault, Duane Lohr, Jeff Ball, Jane Baxter, Shaelyn Posey, P.T. Garton, Jalen Welcome, Dennis Cortes, Kay Sienkiewicz, Danny Morgan, Gene Zara, Paula Ball, Janine Robinson, Elaine Katai, Terry McKisic and Tori Odom, Andrew Schmidt, Gay Little, Denise Karlen, Jim Hawkinberry, Sandy Derico

Please pray for men and women in the military.

Please pray for our Homebound:

Mary Stump, Anna Stalnaker, Ron Frye, Rocena Asbury, John Sneberger, Lorraine McLean, James McCartney, Nancy Beverlin, Shirley Linger, William McLean, Anna Powell, Barbara Elmore, Helena Bessinger, Virginia Cerullo, Alan and Jimmie Jo Simmon, Barbara Hillberry.

Celebrate With Your Parish Family! August Celebrations!

Do you have a birthday or special celebration in your family for August? Celebrate with your parish family! Just drop a note in the collection basket or give it to Fr. Ed. Happy Birthday to the following people who celebrate their birthdays in August:

Sal Carmona – Aug. 8
David Jack – Aug. 15
Rachael Lofton – Aug. 18
Mary Hendricks – Aug. 19
Jim Walker – Aug. 20
Jennifer Nanners – Aug. 21
Scotty McCartney – Aug. 22
Joann Huffman - Aug. 26
Maddie Nanners – Aug. 29
Emily Moore - Aug. 29
Michael Ellis – Aug. 31

Stewardship

Last Week's Collection
Offertory: \$1,931.00
Loose: \$78.00
Attendance: 8/21- 44
8/22 - 63

Special Congratulations

Congratulations to Jalna and Jerry Jones who celebrate 60 years of marriage this month! Happy Anniversary and may God bless you both!



Colleen and Brad Hoover are grandparents again! Last week they welcomed little Mason Bradley Hoover into their family. This 6 lb 2 oz bundle of joy is the son of Nathan and Mallory Hoover. May God bless little Mason and his family!

Arthur and Patty Sayre are celebrating an early September Anniversary! On September 3rd they celebrate 38 years of marriage! Congratulations to you both!

Join the Trip

Join Fr. Casey Mahone on a pilgrimage to Italy/Sicily departing from Dulles Airport on Monday, April 18, 2022, and returning April 30, 2022. The total cost of the trip is \$4,995.00 per person for a double or triple occupancy room. Price includes: round trip airfare, hotels, breakfast daily, four dinners, taxes, baggage handling, motorcoach transportation in Italy, tips, and all entrance fees. Sites visiting include: Rome (optional Scavi tour), Assisi, Naples, Sorrento, Amalfi Coast (Ravello and Almalfi), Capri, Palermo, Catania, Taormina, Modica, Ragusa, Erice and Monreale. Any questions, or to make a reservation, contact Anita Petrella at ampetrella@yahoo.com or 304-481-3222.

	Aug. 28	Aug. 29	Sept. 4	Sept. 5
Lectors	Maria G.	Pat M.	Skip G.	Shanna E.
Greeters	John K.	Frank G.	Nancy & Tony	Charlie M.
Servers		Lena Rose Nolan		

Attention All Parishioners

Bishop Brennan is inviting your input on an upcoming diocesan-wide survey regarding a broad range of topics relating to the way we live and experience our faith across the entire diocese. As our shepherd, the Bishop desires to listen to God's people. This will assist him in developing a deeper understanding of the hearts, minds, and needs of the faithful.

ALL are highly encouraged to participate! Parishioners will have the option of completing the survey via emailed link, digital platforms (social media and websites), or manually via a paper survey. Completing the survey should take 7 to 10 minutes. Survey distribution will begin the first weekend in September, and will run for two full weeks until September 19. Look for more details soon and don't miss this unique opportunity to help shape the future of the Catholic Church here in West Virginia!

Psalm Response: "The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord."

Readings for the week of August 29, 2021

Sunday: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 [1a]/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/
Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23
Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13 [13b]/Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [13]/Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday: Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11 [10]/Lk 4:38-44
Thursday: Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 5:1-11
Friday: Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2b]/Lk 5:33-39
Saturday: Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8 [6]/Lk 6:1-5
Next Sunday: Is 35:4-7a/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/Jas 2:1-5/Mk 7:31-37

Eucharistic Liturgies

Saturday, Aug. 28 –7 p.m. – Parishioners (Holy Rosary)
Sunday, Aug. 29 – 9 a.m. – +Paul Derico (Holy Rosary)
Monday, Aug. 30 – no mass
Tuesday, Aug. 31 – 7:30 a.m. +Deceased members of the Derico Family (Holy Rosary)
Wednesday, Sept. 1 - 6 p.m. Holy Hour (We pray for the care of creation)-7 p.m. +For the souls in the state of Purgatory (Holy Rosary)
Thursday, Sept 2 – 7:30 a.m. +(Holy Rosary) Elizabeth Lanham
Friday, Sept. 3 – **FIRST FRIDAY** 7 p.m. +Lucy Palmisano (Holy Rosary) **Holy Hour at 6 p.m.**
Saturday, Sept 4- 7 p.m. – Deceased members of the Waschuch Family (Holy Rosary)
Sunday, Sept. 5 - 9 a.m. – Parishioners (Holy Rosary)
Noon – Leannah Lafferre (Sacred Heart)

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK August 29, 2021

FORMED NOW: POPE SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT

Throughout her life, St. Monica constantly prayed for the conversion of Augustine, her beloved son. In a moment of desperation, she even asked for the bishop's help. In response, he said, "the son of those tears surely will not perish." Truly, as this bishop remarked, Monica's tearful prayers helped build her son into the Doctor of Grace. In this video, join Dr. Gray and Dr. Sehorn as they discuss more about this great Saint.



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