HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 14, 2023

Welcome Our Mission Statement

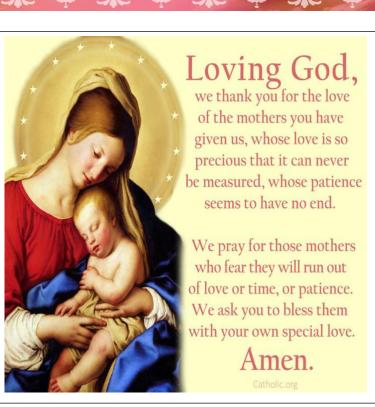
The Mission of Holy Rosary Catholic Community is Jesus Christ. As members of his body in Upshur, Barbour, and Randolph Counties, we are called through Baptism to live as a communion of saints by praying, celebrating the sacraments, and building up one another. We are sent from the Eucharistic table to bring Jesus Christ to the world by generous witness of a holy life, and to bring the citizens of the world to Jesus Christ by words of testimony, invitation, and welcome. We strive to be a holy and spiritual people in living relationship with God, with each other, and with all our neighbors, under the patronage of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Our Lady of the Rosary, and the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

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Pastor
Father John Hue Tran, SVD
Reverend Mr. Rue Thompson, Deacon
Mr. Martin Vu Trung, SVD
In case of emergency, please dial:
609-510-1090
Sacraments

Baptism~ Please call the parish office to schedule an appointment for baptism preparation.





Mother's Day Breakfast

Please join us for a Mother's Day Breakfast immediately after mass this Sunday morning, May 14th. The men of our parish have graciously planned a delicious meal for everyone in the parish, even if your mother is not with us today. Thanks, men, and Happy Mother's Day to all of the special moms and grandmas in our lives.

First Communion Thanks

Our church was filled with celebration last week as we welcomed our first communion children, family and friends. These sacraments and events take a bit of planning, but we all worked together to make it a lovely gathering. Many thanks to all who had a hand in the preparation, set up, clean up or organization of this event. Many thanks to Sandy Kraynok, who prepared the first communicants, to Principal Doris Sandreth, to Pam Wilson, who took photos of our children, and to all who provided a beautiful reception in Marist Hall after the celebration. We appreciate all of you!

Public Relations Director Visit

This past week we were blessed to welcome Theresa Carson, the Public and Media Relations Director of the Society of the Divine Word (SVD). Theresa visited with Father Ed and Tin, and witnessed many of our parish ministries first hand. She sang the praises of our work with the backpack program, and our participation and support of the Parish House and the Pregnancy Center. She was also able to admire our beautiful church and hospital. Her work includes, but is not limited to website development, social media and promotion of the Society of the Divine Word. Theresa hails from Chicago, and will spend the rest of the week visiting other West Virginia SVD parishes. Safe travels, Theresa!

Eucharistic Congress Book of Prayer

Our Bishop Mark has gifted us with a "Book of Prayer" for our upcoming Eucharistic Congress. The book is set out in the back of the church we ask that you place your prayer requests in the book. We will present the book during the Eucharistic Congress to Bishop Mark, who will offer our intentions in prayer throughout the Congress. The Eucharistic Congress date in Charleston June 2-3. All are welcome.

Last Week's Collection



Envelopes: \$3,054 Loose Collection: \$182

Attendance: 5/6: 40 5/7: 107

Second Collection

The second collection for the month of May is for Catholic Relief Services. This money helps those who are vulnerable around the world and right here at home. Please help if you can.

Pentecost Prayers of the Faithful

If you are participating in the Prayers of the Faithful for Pentecost Sunday, please pick up your prayers in the Sacristy. The Cantor for Sunday, May 28 should pick up his/her prayer as well.

Grief Support Group

Our Grief Support will meet for its final session on Friday, May 19. This support group is not a therapy or counseling group. It is mainly a support group that may provide emotional support and education about grief and loss. If you would be interested in another six-week session, please contact Father Ed.

Celebrate our May Crowning

Join us on Sunday, May 28th as we celebrate our Holy Mother Mary with a May crowning. We will begin the celebration with a rosary, BEFORE Mass at 8:30 a.m. Please note that chairs will be available outside, if the weather permits. Please come early to participate in the rosary. After mass that morning, Father Ed will have a prayer service for our blessed mother with a crowning of Mary by the First Communion children. Following this crowing, there will be a reception of punch and cake (along with our usual donuts and coffee). Please help us celebrate this event.

Men's Group News

Continuing their study of the Gospel of Luke, the men's group will meet at 6:30 pm on Thursday, May 18.

Attention High School Graduates

Holy Rosary would like to celebrate our high school graduates at Mass on Sunday, May 28. If you are a high school graduate, please submit your biography for the bulletin by May 21. This should just be a short description of your high school years, and your future plans. Please contact Diane at the parish office, or email your information to dpoach@frontier.com.

News from the Parish House

Please join us for pancakes during the Strawberry Festival on May 19 and 20. Half of proceeds benefit the Upshur Christmas Store and the other half supports Upshur youth going to camp, conferences, workshops, and mission trips. We also still need volunteers - if you

are available to serve, contact Barry Moll at 304-590-2041. (check out the ad below)

The annual **Pentecost Sing/Concert** will be held June 4th at Jawbone Park. All are welcome and invited!

The **Clothes Closet** has an opening for a **part-time staff person**. If you know of someone looking for a part-time job, please have them contact Stella (manager).

Our **food pantry's greatest needs** are currently grape jelly, cereal, and children's toothpaste.

Thank you for supporting our mission and ministry, and for helping us "love thy neighbor!" We especially appreciate your prayers! (from Kristi)

Holy Rosary Adventure Club

A potential camping trip is being planned for the weekend of August 11 to August 13. We are looking at either Holly River State Park or North Bend State Park. If interested, please place your name on the sign-up sheet in Marist Hall, indicating your first choice of camping location. For this trip, anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Please sign this sheet by Sunday, May 14, if interested.

Please remember in your prayers:

Jalen Welcome, Tori Odom, Dolores Reynoso,
Kate Deasy, Linus Deasy, Rosemary Austin, Phil
Halligan, Pat Dagneault, David Daignault, Randy Trent,
Macyah Riley, Ellie McCarthy, Christine Bengle, Frances
Beckes, Daphne Johnston, Josephine Baxa, Tony Derico,
Helen Kee, Kay Sienkiewicz, Shanna Ericcson, Vonda
Allman, Louise Hawkinberry, Dorothy Valdez, Dennis Cortes,
Mary Kriner, Jim Marsh, Jeanne Madigan, Jane Baxter,
P.T.Garton.

	Sat.	Sun.	Sat.	Sun.
	May 13	May 14	May 20	May 21
Lectors	Rosanne W. Jalna J.	Lindsay Z. Addison Z.	John W. Rachel W.	Brenda A. Andrea E.
Greeters	John K.	Charlie M.	Nancy & Tony	Tracy M.
Musicians	Gini J.	Ed P.	Ed P.	Elaine A.
	Shirley	Diane P.	Shirley	Diane P.
Eucharistic	Mike G.	Doris S.	Rue T.	Sue S.
Ministers	Charlie M.	Mary S.	Mike G.	Amy. W.

This Week's Psalm Response "Let all the earth cry out to God with joy."

Please pray for men and women in the military and please pray for those who have died. And don't forget to pray for our first responders.

Please pray for our Homebound: Mary

Stump, Ron Frye, Rocenia Asbury, Lorraine McLean, James McCartney, Nancy Beverlin, Shirley Linger, William McLean, Anna Powell, Barbara Elmore, Helena Bessinger, Alan and Jimmie Jo Simmon, Barbara Hillberry, Donnie Cox, Rose DeProspero. Linda Coyner, Jerry Stankus, Jean Lantz.

Catholic Sharing Appeal

Our goal for this year's CSA is \$13, 350. Any gift you can provide will help us reach that goal! You can contribute by sending your check in to the diocese, or just using the envelopes in your pews and drop it the envelopes in our Holy Rosary collection basket. (But please make all checks out to the Catholic Sharing Appeal.) You may also contribute through the DWC Website. Remember, everything over 50% of our goal comes right back to us!

Complete Your Safe Environment Training

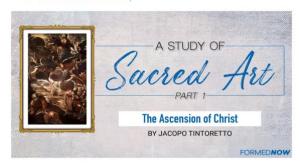
Virtus (Safe Environment) training is an effort by the church to keep all children safe. If you volunteer in ANY ministry in our parish, you MUST complete the training at www.virtusonline.com (or attend an in-person training session). If you need help, please call the parish office.

May 14 - Sixth Sunday of Easter

A Vocation View: "If you love me, you will keep my commandments." The Holy Spirit gives us the courage to embrace our Faith with a whole heart, but we must receive this gift in humility.

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Starting MAY 30 at Forever Fit



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SilverSneakers is a health and fitness program designed for adults 65+ that's included with many Medicare Plans.

Pentecost Concert Sponsored by: Upshur Parish Churches Sunday, June 4 6:00 pm **Jawbone Park** -Buckhannon Featuring: "Joyful Servants and The Stalnaker Family" Come join the Celebration! *All are welcome to enjoy this free music event!* Please bring nonperishable food and/or hygiene items for Parish House. Bring a chair.

Pentecost is regarded as the

Strawberry Pancakes

Proceeds benefit Upshur Parish *House* youth/ mission projects and Upshur Christmas Store

May 19 & 20

Friday and Saturday

7:30 am

to 12:30 pm

First United Methodist

52 S. Florida St. \$10 adults / \$6 children (Kids under age 3 eat free) Join us for pancakes, sausage, fresh strawberries, maple & strawberry syrup.

*Take-outs and gluten free available. Strawberry Jam for sale, too!

ASS Intentions

Sat. May 13 7 pm	Our Parishioners	Holy Rosary
Sun. May 14 9 am	Paul Derico+	Holy Rosary
Mon. May 15 7:30 am	Lee Corley	Hospital
Tues. May 16 7:30 am	Charles Sandreth+	Holy Rosary
Wed. May 17 6 pm	We pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.	Holy Hour Holy Rosary
Wed. May 17 7 pm	Kathy Vance+	Holy Rosary
Thurs. May 18 7:30 am	Amy Williams	Holy Rosary
Fri. May 19 7:30 pm	Frank Karp+	Holy Rosary
Sat. May 20 7 pm	Our Parishioners	Holy Rosary
Sun. May 21 9 am noon	Guy Derico+ Irene Ryab+	Holy Rosary Sacred Heart

Do you have a birthday or special celebration in your family for May? 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

May 3 David Lewellyn

May 3 Kennedi Lewellyn

May 30 Kassandra Dahman

this month:

May 3 Makenzi Lewellyn Elaine Abel May 8 May 9 Margaret Balli May 17 Daniel Hyre May 17 Rose DeProspero May 18 Betty Coughlin May 20 Rosanne Siggia-Walker *May 21* Morgan Knicley Lena Rose Walker *May 24 May 25* Linda Coyner *May 27* Shanna Ericsson

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hearts



Scenes from First Communion 2023









