

Holy Rosary Catholic Church

Sacred Heart Chapel

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January 21, 2024

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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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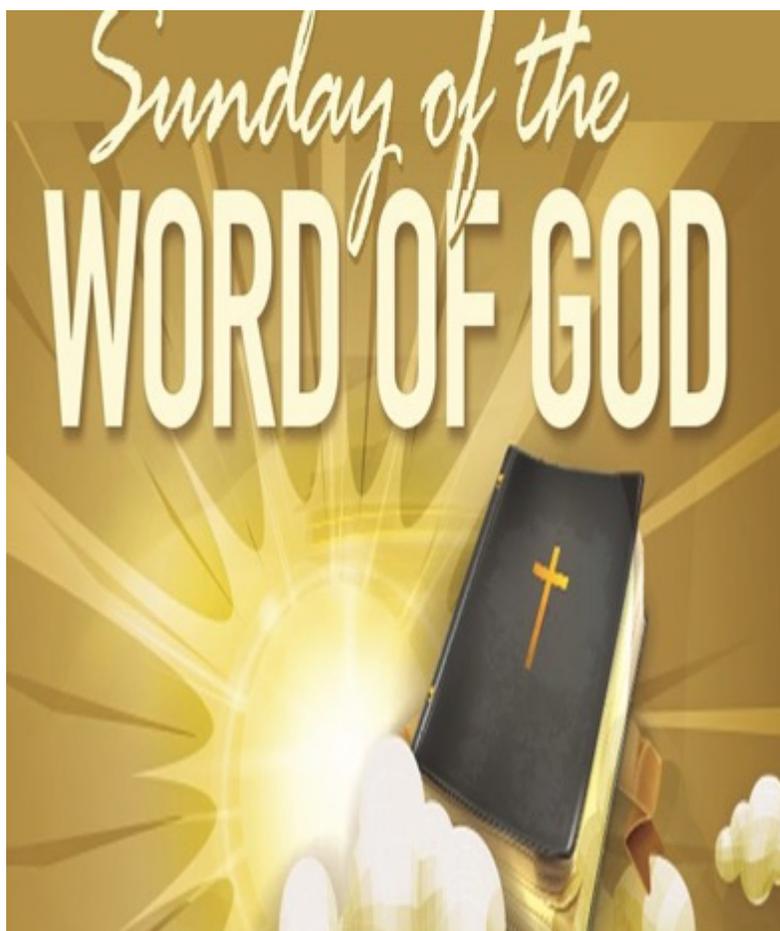
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In case of emergency, please dial:
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Sacraments

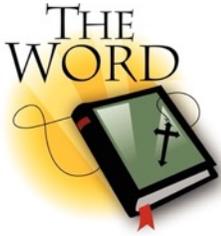
Baptism~ Please call the parish office to schedule an appointment for baptism preparation.

Marriage~ Please call the parish office at least six months before you schedule a wedding.

Sacrament of the Sick~ If you or a loved one would like to receive this sacrament, please call the parish office.



May the Sunday of the Word of God help his people to grow in religious and intimate familiarity with the sacred Scriptures. For as the sacred author taught of old: "This word is very near to you: it is in your mouth and in your heart for your observance" (Dt 30:14). Pope Francis



Pope Francis has announced that the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time is to be celebrated as the Sunday of the Word of God. He is inviting Catholics across the world to deepen their appreciation, love and

faithful witness to God and his Word. This weekend, at all masses, we will highlight the Word of God. We will bless all of our lectors, who proclaim the Word each weekend at mass. We also bless the bibles of parishioners who bring them to our masses this weekend. May the Scriptures inspire all of us to study and live the Word of God.

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS
A Good Time for Fulfillment

There are some things that always come at the worst time. I've never gotten a telemarketing call and thought, "This is a really convenient moment for me to listen to a sales pitch." I've never seen the compulsory software update notice flash on my computer screen when I *didn't* have a deadline I was struggling to meet. My kids never come down with the flu unless it's the weekend and the line at Urgent Care is stretching out the door. And I never, ever feel the calm, persistent shoulder-tap of the Holy Spirit without thinking, "Now? Now is not a good time. Can you try again when I'm..."

But then I stop and think: when I am what? When I am stronger? When I am happier? When I am smarter? When I am a different person? When God calls us, He calls the person He sees in front of Him. "Come on," He says, and He doesn't mean "When you're finished" or "When it's convenient" or "Think about it." He means now. This moment. This is what Paul is saying when he writes that "the world in its present form is passing away." He is saying that your plans mean nothing, the kingdom of God is at hand. Abandon your nets, let your catch escape into the sea. You're not who you thought you were, and you don't need what you thought you needed.

Your sins do not define you. Your fears are not fate. Your inclinations do not govern you. Your life can be changed. We live in the time of fulfillment, and fulfillment is coming for you — ready or not.

"Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: 'This is the time of fulfillment.'" — Mark 1:14

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First Penance

Please pray for our Holy Rosary students who will be receiving the sacrament of Penance for the first time on January 26. Teacher Sandy Kraynok has been working to prepare these young people for this sacrament. Keep them in your prayers, please.

Second Collection Clarification

Our diocesan collection for JANUARY 21 is for the **Church in the Developing World** (Third Sunday in January) We have ONE envelope for these three causes:
 -Church in Latin America
 -Church in Central and Eastern Europe
 -Church in Africa

If you would like to designate where your donation is going, please write it on your envelope. If you don't have a preference, we will split all monies collected among the three causes listed. *For the January Collection: While these collection dates have been consolidated, they remain individual collections, and a separate check must be issued to the Diocese for each collection. Where separate envelopes are not used and/or funds are commingled, proceeds should be divided evenly among the collections set for each date.

Saint of the Week

Emma Rolenson is our angel of the week. She is 12 years old and a 7th grader at BUMS. She likes archery, and does it when it is in season. Her favorites are the color blue, playing Clue, and English/ Language Arts class. Pasta is what she loves to eat. Her place to relax is at a beach. She is a super big sister to Abby. Her parents are Thomas and Sarah. Remember Emma in your prayers this week.



Help in Honduras

Can You Help? This year Kennedi Lewellyn will be traveling to Honduras with Global Medical and Dental Brigades to provide medical, dental, and public health assistance to those in need. They would appreciate your donation to buy supplies such as soaps, toothpaste, and sunscreen to provide free hygiene packs to under resourced communities. If you are interested in helping, please reach out to Kennedi or Krista Lewellyn, or go directly to give.wvu.edu. Thank you for your generosity!

This Week's Psalm Response
"Teach me your ways, O Lord."

Our Bulletin Prayer List

January is the time that we generally renew our bulletin prayer list. Our friends and family in need of prayer have been added throughout the year and we try to refresh this list for the year to come. Please, we will be happy to add anyone who is in need of prayer at this time. You may drop your prayer requests in the collection basket or give them to Father Ed or Father John. We will continue to pray for all those in need.

Prayers, Please: Tori Odom, Cindy Raffety

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, Shirley Linger, William McLean, Barbara Hillberry, Donnie Cox, Rose DeProspero, Linda Coyner, Jerry Stankus, Jean Lantz, Janine Robinson, Barbara Elmore, Helena Bessinger, Alan and Jimmie Jo Simms, Bill Cawthon.

Mass Requests for 2024

Do you have a specific mass intention for next year? Would you like to have a mass offered for a loved one or a deceased member of your family? Please drop your intentions (plus your \$5 donation) in an envelope or give it to Father Ed. Specific dates may go quickly, so act now. Please note that Canon Law requires a parish to offer one mass each weekend for the intentions of its parishioners. Since we only have two masses per weekend, it is difficult to schedule all of your requests on a weekend. We will do the best we can to accommodate your requests. If your chosen date is already taken, we will try to have a mass said as close as possible to your date.

Last Week's Offering

Envelopes: \$1,468

Loose: \$40

Attendance

1/13: 51

1/14: 38

Our Diocese is Serious

About Safe Environment in each parish. Anyone who volunteers in our parish in ANY way MUST complete the online VIRTUS training and background check. The Diocese has hired an outside company to check parish compliance in February of this year. PLEASE go online today to make sure you have an online account.

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January 21 – Third Sunday of the Year

A Vocation View: Just as the first apostles were called by the Lord to become fishers of men, during this Catholic Schools Week we remember that the role of our schools is to challenge young men and women to follow Christ.

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Birthdays and Anniversaries

Now accepting January Celebrations!

Kathy Angus January 6

Mary Kathleen Blake January 7

Colleen Hoover January 22

Father Ed Tetteh January 24

Joe Broslawsky January 29



Ministers	Sat. Jan. 20	Sun. Jan. 21	Sat. Jan. 27	Sun. Jan. 28
Lectors	Skip G. Sr. Fran	Andrea E. Brenda A.	Laurie A. Xavior S.	Renee L. Sandy K.
Greeters	Nancy & Tony	Tracy M.	Jerry & Cheryl	Charlie M.
Musicians	Gini Shirley	Ed Diane	Lena Rose Jalna J.	Sarah Z. Diane P.
Eucharistic Ministers	John K. Rue T.	Charlie Amy W Doris S.	Amy W. Rue T.	Mary S. Elliot L. Charlie M.

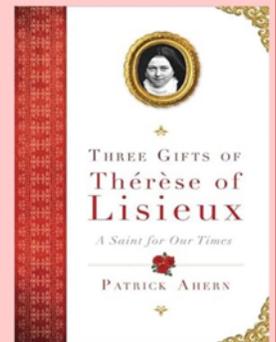
Women's Book Study

Learn about the "Greatest Saint of Modern Times"!

**Three Gifts of
Therese of Lisieux**
6pm, parish hall
**January 22, 29, &
February 5**

Check Amazon.com for the book by
Bishop Patrick Ahern

Recommended but *not* required:
The Story of a Soul, by St. Therese.
Free .pdf files are available online.



**May God bless you on your
birthday, Father Ed!**



Mass Intentions

Sat. Jan. 20 7 pm	Our Parishioners	Holy Rosary
Sun. Jan. 21 9 am noon	Gene and Patty Zara+ Willard Mase+	Holy Rosary Sacred Heart
Mon. Jan. 22 7:30 am	Tori Odom	Hospital
Tues. Jan. 23 7:30 am	Paul Derico+	Holy Rosary
Wed. Jan. 24 6 pm Holy Hour	We pray for respect of human life and creation.	Holy Rosary Holy Hour
Wed. Jan. 24 7 pm	Jim Hawkinberry+	Holy Rosary
Thurs. Jan. 25 7:30 am	The Pallottines	Holy Rosary
Fri. Jan. 26 7:30 am	Katherine Jack+	Hospital
Sat. Jan. 27 7 pm	Mark Lafferre+	<i>Holy Rosary</i>
Sun. Jan. 28 9 am	Parishioners	Holy Rosary

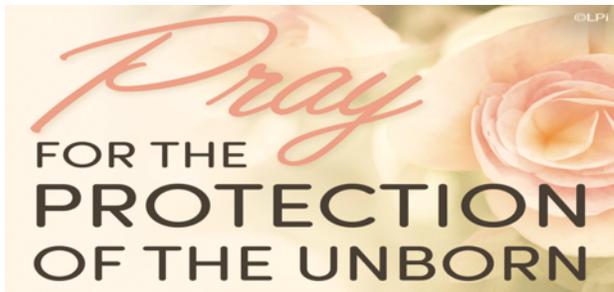
January 16	SoulCore
January 23	Walking
January 30	Silver Sneakers
February 6	Walking
February 13	Silver Sneakers
February 20	Walking
February 27	Silver Sneakers



**Forever Fit – Free to all-
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Reminders:

***St. Blaise Day and blessing of throats is Feb. 3 and 4**
***World Day of the Sick is February 11 and 12**
 Sacrament of the Sick will be celebrated this day.
***World Marriage Day is February 11 and 12.** Bring your
 wedding pics to share. Wedding cake will be shared!
Ash Wednesday on February 14 ~Mass at 12:05 and 7
 pm



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The Hour of Our Death | Eternal Rest | Episode 3

The Anointing of the Sick is one of the seven sacraments of the Church. This session, we discover the role of this sacramental anointing in the spiritual struggle during serious illness, the final stages of our temporal life, and the hour of our death.

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