



HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

SACRED HEART CHAPEL

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
OCTOBER 1, 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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Father Edward Tetteh, SVD
Pastor

Father John Hue Tran, SVD
Reverend Mr. Rue Thompson, Deacon

In case of emergency, please dial:
609-510-1090
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.



October Adventure Club

Join the Holy Rosary Adventure Club for a bicycle ride on the Blackwater Canyon Trail on Sunday, October 8, 2023! We will meet in Thomas, WV at 2:00 p.m. and bicycle down the Canyon Trail to Parsons, WV. It will be a 13 mile bicycle ride. A mountain bike in most suitable for this ride. Anyone interested in bicycling both directions on the trail for a 26 mile ride, please contact Rachel Weber at (304) 613-8477. Please sign up for this trip on the sheet in Marist Hall.

School of Religion Program

Our School of Religion Program continues this weekend. All students in K through 12th grades are required to attend. Please meet at 10:15 in the School of Religion Building.

October 1 Class 10:15 - 11:15

October 8 Class 10:15- 11:15

Fall Marist Celebration

Have you been wondering what has happened to our Marist priests and brothers? This will be your chance to catch up with some of them and to welcome Fr. Ron Nikodem back to West Virginia. Please stop by Marist Hall for this special event.

Open House: Saturday, October 21

2 pm – 4 pm

Great Turnout for the Parish Directory Pics

Thank you to all who participated in the directory pictures, you are a big part of the success of this worthy project. As an added bonus, the pictures will be made available to you, free of charge, at a later date. For those who would still like to participate, watch for future details for our November make-up date with the diocese representative, Amber. Many thanks to Laurie Adams for organizing this much-needed directory.

Together in Holiness

Where Spouses Discover God's Plan for their Family

The last 2 sessions are, October 16th and November 13. RSVP to Sal or Virginia Carmona at so they can plan the meal. (304) 642-0867, vcarmona426@gmail.com

Our Next Parents' Group Meeting

Parishioner Tracy Murphy has started a monthly group get-together for parents. This group can be for new parents, parents with little ones, or parents whose children are grown and out of the house. The gatherings will be a time to connect as a Church Family, talk to each other and show support if needed, and offer support and understanding to all on our journey as parents. We, as parents are not alone, and this group provides a much-needed social time to get away and talk with other adults. Tracy welcomes you to the next meeting on October 10th at 6:30 p.m. in Marist Hall. If

you have any questions, please call Tracy at (304)997-5668 or email her at murphyfam4@yahoo.com.

Did You Notice?

Marist Hall has been updated with a brand new carpet! We are grateful to the members of the Finance Council who continue to work on the acoustics of our parish hall. Watch for more improvements in the future.

Boxes of Joy

The Knights of Columbus Council 603 will be participating in the Boxes of Joy Program again this year. Boxes will be available after Mass during October and are due to be returned Saturday, November 4 and Sunday, November 5.

Parish Calendar

Please note that the "official parish calendar" is kept in the parish office, with a copy in the kitchen in Marist Hall. Please, if you would like to schedule an event (parish related or personal) you must first clear the date with the parish office to be placed on our calendar. Please do not add events to the calendar in the kitchen. All non-parish events requesters must purchase the \$100 diocesan insurance and be registered at least 2 weeks before the event.

Last Week's Collection

Envelopes: \$1,396

Loose: \$166

Attendance: Sat. 9/23 -35

Sunday, 9/24 - 76

The second collection for October is for the World Mission Sunday and for our building fund. Please be generous.

Calling All Men

Beginning in September, the men's group will meet on Friday evenings at 6:30 pm in Marist Hall. All men of the parish are invited to attend!

Come to the Spaghetti Dinner

You are cordially invited to a Spaghetti Dinner at First United Methodist Church on Friday, October 20 from 5 pm – 7 pm. All proceeds will benefit Crosslines and assist with our many projects there. Come and eat spaghetti with us!

Father Ron's New Address

Fr. Ron is officially retired and living in Wheeling. His new address is:

Father Ron Nikodem
1276 National Road
Welty Apts. 115
Wheeling WV 26003

Dinner and a Movie!

Join us for another "Dinner and a Movie" on Thursday, October 5! We will meet for dinner at 5 pm at the Outback Steakhouse in Clarksburg, and then head to the cinema at Meadowbrook all to see *Mother Teresa and Me* at 7 pm. All are welcome. For more information, go to: www.fathomevents.com/events/Mother-Teresa-and-Me



MASS Intentions

Ministers	Sat. Sept. 30	Sun. Oct. 1	Sat. Oct. 7	Sun. Oct. 8
Lectors	Laurie A.	Brenda A. Renee L.	Rachel W.	Sue S. Joe B.
Greeters	Jerry & Cheryl	Charlie M.	John K.	Donna & Joe B.
Musicians	Jalna J. Ed P.	Diane P. Sarah Z.	Gini J. Shirley L.	Lena Rose Shirley L
Eucharistic Ministers	John W. Rue T.	Tracy M. Charlie M.	Mike G. Rue T.	Mike E. Sue S.

Sat. Sept. 30 7 pm	Our Parishioners	Holy Rosary
Sun. Oct. 1 9 am noon	Jim Hawkinberry+ Sacred Heart Parishioners	Holy Rosary Sacred Heart
Mon. Oct. 2 7:30 am	Jay McNeish	Hospital
Tues. Oct. 3 7:30 am	Roberta Karp+	Holy Rosary
Wed. Oct. 4 6 pm Holy Hour	We pray for benefactors in our parish & diocese	Holy Rosary Holy Hour
Wed. Oct. 4 7 pm	Sr. Mary Terence	Holy Rosary
Thurs. Oct. 5 7:30 am	Dennis Segur	Holy Rosary
Fri. Oct. 6 FIRST FRIDAY 7 PM	Jerry Norman Holy Hour – We pray for peace, love and justice.	Holy Rosary
Sat. Oct. 7 7 pm	Parishioners	Holy Rosary
Sun. Oct. 8 9 am Noon	Raquel Carmona+ Sacred Heart Parishioners	Holy Rosary Sacred Heart

October Celebrations!

Gini Jeran Oct. 4
Skip Gjolberg Oct. 9
Samuel Walker Oct. 14
Ethan Abel Oct. 15
Dayla Weatherholt Oct. 30



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 Ericsson, Vonda Allman, Louise Hawkinberry, Dennis Cortes, Mary Kriner, Jeanne Madigan, Jane Baxter, P.T.Garton, Joseph Moore, Colleen Hoover, Alina Vernarsky, Eleanor Betler, Stephen Tilson.

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, Barbara Elmore, Helena Bessinger, Alan and Jimmie Jo Simms, Barbara Hillberry, Donnie Cox, Rose DeProspero. Linda Coyner, Jerry Stankus, Jean Lantz.

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).



Our Fall Bazaar

Our Holy Rosary Fall Bazaar is almost here! We are excited to display and sell all of our handmade goods! Now we need YOU to get excited and share that excitement with your family and friends. The more people who come to the Bazaar, the more goods we can sell! Contact your friends by email, phone, and Facebook, and personally invite them to this huge event. The Bazaar is scheduled for Saturday, October 14 at 8 am.

Fund Raiser

Literacy Volunteers of Upshur County (LVUC) has **Boscov's** (huge department opening at Meadowbrook Mall this Fall) **Charity Day Passes for \$5**. Only folks with passes will be allowed to enter the store on October 5th. Discounts that day will be deeper than those offered on Boscov's official Grand Opening Day. Additionally, each pass will be scanned on entry and entered into a drawing for 1 of 20 - \$250 gift certificates. Passes can be obtained at the Literacy Center at 88 W. Main Street, Buckhannon (little storefront at the foot of the driveway leading up to St. Joseph's Hospital) All monies go to benefit LVUC and its students. This is one sale you're not going to want to miss!

Now Collecting for Holiday Meals!

Please support the Thanksgiving and Christmas Basket program at Crosslines. We need items for Thanksgiving no later than November 3. We are collecting the following groceries: instant mashed potatoes, green beans, boxed stuffing, gravy mix packets, jiffy pie crust mix, evaporated milk, and cranberry sauce. You may also provide a check to help purchase the meat. For the Christmas basket we need items no later than December 8. We are collecting the following groceries: canned yams, corn, pork n beans, cake mix and frosting. Our own Sister Francesca will provide the prayer which will be printed by Holy Rosary. We will insert these into every Thanksgiving basket so that each family may have a blessing for their meal. Thank you, Sister! Everyone's help with this project is greatly appreciated!! We expect to provide over 700 baskets for each holiday!

**Interested in Learning CPR?
Here's your chance!**

Our own Francis Boyle, RN, will instruct the FREE class from 11am-4pm on **Sunday, October 22**, in the parish hall. 6 participants only! Sign up NOW!



The **Heartsaver** CPR/AED course trains participants to give CPR and use an automated external defibrillator (AED), earning a certificate at the end of the class.

You could save a life!



It's NOT just bread and wine!

Spend ONE hour weekly learning about the most important sacrament in our Catholic life.

PRESENCE is a 3-week study of the Eucharist for the entire parish. Join us!

- ▶ Week One: 6pm, Monday, October 9, parish hall
Episode 1: God is With Us
- ▶ Week Two: 6pm, Monday, October 16, parish hall
Episode 2: The Story of the Eucharist
- ▶ Week Three: 6pm, Monday, October 23, parish hall
Episode 3: Bread for the Journey

It's easy and free to start enjoying FORMED!
Go to signup.formed.org. Select your parish. Register with your name and email address. Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

**October 1 – Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
A Vocation View:**

“Your ways, O Lord, make known to me; teach me your paths.” The paths of the Lord lead to eternal life, if we but have the courage to walk where He leads.

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Get Your Raffle Tickets

Did you purchase your raffle tickets for our Fall Bazaar yet? Shirley Lundell has donated a beautiful hand-painted slate, and we have three different gift baskets available. These beautiful gift baskets are: A Fall Delight, Celebrating West Virginia, and Fun with Wine and Cheese. These make great Christmas gifts. Get your tickets today in the parish hall.



Forever Fit
Every Tuesday, 11am, Free for All Ages
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SCHEDULE

October 3	Walking
October 10	Silver Sneakers
October 17	SoulCore
October 24	Silver Sneakers
October 31	Walking
November 7	Silver Sneakers
November 14	SoulCore
November 21	Silver Sneakers
November 28	Walking

This Week's Psalm Response
“Remember your mercies, O Lord.”

In Loving Memory of
Elizabeth Lanham



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