

HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

SACRED HEART CHAPEL



13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JULY 2, 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

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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.

Prayer for America

Dear God, we thank you for the bountiful blessings you have bestowed on us. Guide us in being good stewards of these gifts. Let us care for all of your beautiful creation, from the redwood forests to the gulfstream waters. Make us instruments of your peace in order to put an end to rockets' red glare and bombs bursting in air.

Help us to love and care for all of our neighbors - locally and globally - so that we might be truly crowned with brotherhood from sea to shining sea. Amen.



13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

As a boy my favorite board game was “Chutes and Ladders.” The players roll dice to move from the start to the finish, from the bottom of the board to the top. If you land on a chute, you slide back and down. It was a bummer. Land on a ladder, and you jump well up the board and near the goal. It was a thrill to find a ladder and draw closer to the goal. That’s life, isn’t it? At every moment, we’re either moving closer or farther from the goal of our lives.

How do we win? Jesus tells us the secret of life’s chutes and ladders hinges on getting our loves rightly ordered. What we love in life is meant to be a ladder, drawing us up into God’s love — including our family, friends, work, play, food, and drink. Even to give your water to someone out of love for Christ leads to a sure reward.

But those ladders of our loves can become chutes. If we love even our family members more than Christ, we slide down and back. If we love the persons and things in our life for the sake of Christ, He says we **“surely will not lose our reward.”** The key difference between a chute and ladder, between our spiritual regression and advancement, is our willingness to renounce everything — even our own life — for the love of Jesus. To allow everything and everyone we love to draw us to love him more — that’s the difference between chutes and ladders. — Father John Muir ©LPi

Celebrate with Music and Fireworks Tonight!

The Shinnston Community Band Independence Day Concert and Fireworks is back for another year! Join us on Sunday, July 2nd at Ferguson Park in Shinnston for a night of patriotic music and fireworks. The concert will begin around 8 pm and feature a variety of patriotic and American favorites. The fireworks show will begin at dusk. Admission is free and open to the public. Food and drinks will be available for purchase. Bring a lawn chair or blanket to sit on and enjoy the evening We hope to see you there!

Don't Forget:

The Brass, Rhythm & Sax Orchestra will be performing as part of the big marching band extravaganza in Buckhannon on Thursday, July 20 at 8:00-9:30 pm on the court house plaza. Mark your calendars!

Attention Lectors

During the summer, we will not have a cantor or musician on Saturday evenings. If you are reading at a Saturday evening liturgy, please make sure that if you are the first reader, you should also read the psalm response. If you are the second reader, please also read the gospel acclamation and the prayers of the faithful. (The prayers of the faithful are located on the cantor’s stand in a white binder.) This is for Saturday evening only until the end of summer.

Last Week’s Collection

Envelopes: \$1,443

Loose Collection: \$85

Attendance:

6/24: 30

6/25: 95



Fall Bazaar Countdown

Our Fall Bazaar returns to Holy Rosary Parish very soon. Have you thought about which home-made craft items and baked goods you will donate? There is lots to

be done to make this event a successful parish fundraiser. Talk to Linda or Sue today! And make sure your calendar says: “Holy Rosary Bazaar – October 14.”

Parish House Needs

Food Pantry Needs:

- canned beans (pork n beans, great northern, black, etc.)
- canned soup
- canned/jarred fruit (applesauce, peaches, etc.)

Now Collecting Backpacks & School Supplies (*needed by July 21*):

- backpacks for elementary, middle school, & high school (15 & 17 inch or larger)
 - loose leaf packs of paper (wide & college ruled)
 - blank index/note cards -- single subject notebooks
 - glue sticks (not bottles, please) -- pocket folders
 - pencil sharpeners -- markers
 - highlighters -- and children's toothpaste
- Thank You!

Our Sympathies

Mary Gaudet Shoulders has had to say farewell to another brother. Jim Gaudet passed away on June 16. Two other brothers had passed previously - Fred and Jake. Please send loving thoughts and prayers for our dear parishioner Nancy Smarr and her family who lost their brother, Richard Oldaker. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

Let's Celebrate Sister Francesca!

As many of you know, our dear Sister Francesca Lowis is retiring! Lucky for us, she will remain at the convent on the hill. Holy Rosary will celebrate her retirement with a small reception after mass on Sunday, July 9. Come and congratulate our dear friend!



Have You Noticed:

We will not be able to have music at our liturgies on Saturday evenings during the summer. We do not have enough keyboard players to fill the schedule. WOULD YOU CONSIDER PLAYING THE PIANO OR ORGAN FOR OUR LITURGIES IN THE FALL? Training is available! Please contact Father Ed or Shirley Lundell for more information.

National Eucharistic Congress

July 17-21, 2024 will be National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis, IN. It is a five-day experience with prayer, Mass, Adoration, Catechetical sessions, fellowship, etc. with Catholics from around the country. Would you like to attend? Watch for further details.

What Is Walking With Moms In Need?

Walking with Moms in Need is a process through which Catholic parishes and communities "walk in the shoes" of local pregnant and parenting women in need. Everyone should know how to help moms in difficult circumstances. While not trying to turn Catholic parishes into pregnancy centers, we can support local pregnancy centers where they exist, and we can also find and share other resources with pregnant and parenting women. And where there are few local resources, we can create our own, based on the gifts of the parish community! We hope you and your parish will join us in Walking with Moms in Need. For more information contact Kathy Barton, Director of Social Ministry at 304-233-0880, Ext. 289 or Kbarton@dwc.org.

Holy Rosary Adventure Club

The Adventure club camping trip has been booked for August 11-13 at Holly River State Park. There are still spots for 8 people to join us! You can contact Lindsay at (304) 613-3306. There will be a camping trip planning meeting July 11 at 5 pm in the hall. On Saturday, August 12, anyone who would like to just join us for the day at Holly River is welcome! We will be having a picnic, games, and there is hiking, swimming, fishing, etc at the park! You can come anytime during the day!

Lancaster Holiday Trip

Join Father Casey Mahone on a Holiday trip to Lancaster, PA, Tuesday, December 5, through Thursday, December 7, featuring Sight & Sound's "Miracle of Christmas" and "The First Noel" at American Music Theatre. The cost of the trip is \$499 per person for a double occupancy room. Package includes: 2 nights lodging; 2 breakfasts; 2 dinners including a smorgasbord dinner; guided tour of the Amish countryside, including stops at an Amish craft farm and bake shop; "The First Noel" at the American Music Theatre; "Miracle of Christmas" at Sight and Sound; Tanger Outlets; Kitchen Kettle Village; Souvenir gift; luggage handling; all taxes and meal gratuities; and motorcoach transportation. Cancellation insurance is available and highly recommended. A deposit of \$25 must

be received by COB July 21; balance paid in full must be received by COB September 22. Checks made payable to Anita Petrella and mailed to Immaculate Conception Church 150 S Maple Ave, Clarksburg WV 26301. Any questions please contact Anita Petrella at 304-481-3222 or ampetrella@yahoo.com

We need 40 people for this trip to go forward and only 17 have signed up at this point in time. Please contact Anita Petrella if you are interested.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

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

Bill Hamilton	July 14
Sydney Willett	July 15
Jesse Skiles	July 18
Tyler Boyd	July 18
Mary Smith	July 27
Sandy Kraynok	July 30

Congratulations and God's blessings to our dear Father Ed as he celebrates the anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood this month. Thanks for all you do, Father Ed!

Congratulations to Jim and Rosanne Walker who celebrate their wedding anniversary on July 3. Congratulations!

Please remember in your prayers:

Jalen Welcome, Tori Odum, 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.

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.*

Movement of Body, Mind, and Spirit

The Forever Fit program will not be held on July 4th but will resume on July 11th. The session is now titled, "Movement of Body, Mind, and Spirit." Learning and practicing "tai chi inspired" movements remain an important focus. The change in the title emphasizes the three components of the program. Cultivating the integration of MIND, BODY, and SPIRIT are important for psychological and spiritual well-being. The upcoming sessions of "Movement of Body, Mind, and Spirit" are designed to: increase body awareness, improve balance, and regulate breathing.

- improve attention, focus, and concentration.
- enhance your ability to monitor thoughts, feelings, and states of mind that promote well-being.
- support your prayer and other religious practices.
- provide an increased understanding of the physiological and psychological benefits of movement and stillness.

One final thought to consider: “Movement can help us to know stillness and stillness can help us to know the presence of God.” Check the bulletin and Flocknote to keep up to date about the sessions and dates of the “Forever Fit Program.” Come with a friend or family member!

July 2 – Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

A Vocation View: Be an example of faith to your brothers and sisters; let your faith inspire others to come to know Jesus as the Christ, the Son of the living God.

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Courage Apostolate

Courage Apostolate is a ministry for Catholics with same-sex attraction who are striving to live faithfully to the teachings of Christ and His Catholic Church. Courage meets monthly in Morgantown for prayer, fellowship and support. The heart of Courage is the belief that sanctity is possible in everyday life. Through the Courage Apostolate those persons experiencing same-sex attractions are encouraged to deepen their Christian discipleship through participation in the sacramental life of the Church, particularly through the frequent reception of the Eucharist and frequent confession, as well as through a regular prayer life, witness, counsel, service, and self-giving. If you are interested in learning more, visit dwc.org/courage-apostolate/ or email couragedwc@gmail.com.



Forever Fit
Every Tuesday, 11am, Free for All Ages
Holy Rosary Church Parish Hall

SCHEDULE	
July 4	NO CLASS
July 11	Movement Body, Mind, Spirit
July 18	Silver Sneakers
July 25	Movement Body, Mind, Spirit
August 1	Silver Sneakers
August 8	Movement Body, Mind, Spirit
August 15	Silver Sneakers
August 22	Movement Body, Mind, Spirit
August 29	Silver Sneakers

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.

Looking Ahead

With summer activities and programs coming up, kindly save the date for **Tin's farewell dinner** and Mass on Sunday, July 23, 2023. More details to come.

Ministers	Sat. July 1	Sun. July 2	Sat. July 8	Sun. July 9
Lectors	John W. Rachel W.	Linda H. Renee L.	Skip G. Laurie A.	Pat M. Rosanne W.
Greeters	John K.	Charlie M.	Diana T.	Donna & Joe
Musicians		Elaine A. Shirley L.		Lena Rose Shirley
Eucharistic Ministers	John K. Rue T.	Doris S. Tracy M.	Mike G. Rue T.	Diane P. Mary S.

Yard Sale

Literacy Volunteers of Upshur County will be holding a yard sale at Holy Rosary Parish on July 14 and 15. They desperately need help to load and unload the boxes and to set up and clean up the hall after the sale. They will set up Marist Hall on July 13 at 8 am. If you can help, please call Jennifer at 681-495-2966. If you can't help, just come to the sale – they have lots of unique items to sell and all proceeds go towards the Literacy Center.

Dinner and Movie is Coming to You!!

Mark Friday, July 28, for Dinner and a Movie with Holy Rosary Church. This time the movie is coming to you--no need to travel any further than the parish hall--and the dinner is FREE! Watch Flocknote and the bulletin for more information.

MASS Intentions

Sat. July 1 7 pm	Our Parishioners	Holy Rosary
Sun. July 2	Diane & Ed and family	Holy Rosary Sacred Heart
Mon. July 3 7:30 am	Tori Odom	Hospital
Tues. July 4 7:30 am	Deceased members of the Lafferre Family	Holy Rosary
Wed. July 5 6 pm	We pray for the homebound and sick of our parish.	Holy Rosary Holy Hour
Wed. July 5 7 pm	Special Intention M.T.	Holy Rosary
Thurs. July 6 7:30 am	Jane Baxter	Holy Rosary
Fri. July 7 6 pm	Silent Adoration: We pray for peace, love and justice in our world. Pat Karp+	Holy Rosary
7 pm	Parishioners	Holy Rosary
Sat. July 8 7 pm	Parishioners	Holy Rosary
Sun. July 9 9 am	Tori Odom	Holy Rosary

This Week's Psalm Response
 "Forever I will sing the goodness of
 the Lord."

Camp for Kids Hey Kids! It's time for C.A.M.P 2023! C.A.M.P. Wade (Catholic Awareness Midsummer Program) is scheduled for July 30-August 5, 2023. Please mark your calendars. We look forward to seeing you at this fun, faith-filled week at the old Bishop Hodges Pastoral Center, in Huttonsville. Applications are available now. please contact Deacon Raymond at St. Brendan's Parish, 636-0546.

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Self-defense class last week! Thanks to all who attended and thanks to Larry for teaching us!

In Loving Memory of
Elizabeth Lanham



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