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Saint Boniface Catholic Church, Camden and Good Shepherd Mission, Glenville, West Virginia  
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## Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The first reading, from the book of the Prophet Jeremiah, 31:7-9, "Behold I will bring them back from the land of the north; I will gather them from the ends of the world, with the blind and the lame in their midst, the mothers and those with child; they shall return as an immense throng." Today's reading talks about the restoration of Israel and the new exodus.

The second reading, from St. Paul's Letter to the Hebrews, 5:1-6, "You are a priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek." Paul develops the figure of Melchisedech as a type of Christ, the eternal High Priest of the New Covenant. Unlike the Levitical priests, Melchisedech is given no genealogy in Scripture. Paul sees in this fact the intention of the Holy Spirit to prefigure Christ's eternal priesthood.

We read in this Sunday's Gospel (Mark 10:46-52) that, while the Lord passes through the streets of Jericho, a blind man named Bartimaeus addresses him, crying out loudly: "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" This entreaty moves Christ's heart, who pauses, has him called and cures him.

The decisive moment was the personal, direct encounter between the Lord and that man who was suffering. They are before one another -- God with his will to cure and the man with his desire to be cured. Two liberties, two converging wills, "What do you want me to do for you?" the Lord asks him. "Let me receive my sight," replies the blind man. "Go your way; your faith has made you well."

With these words, the miracle is realized -- God's joy, man's joy. And Bartimaeus, who had recovered his sight — recounts the Gospel — "followed him on the way": That is, he becomes his disciple and goes up with the Master to Jerusalem to take part with him in the great mystery of salvation. In the essential of its passages, this account evokes the itinerary of the catechumen toward the sacrament of baptism, which in the early Church was also called "Illumination."

Faith is a path of illumination; it starts from the humility of acknowledging one's need of salvation and arrives at the personal encounter with Christ, who calls [one] to follow him on the way of love. On this model the itineraries of Christian initiation have been established in the Church, which prepare for the sacraments of baptism, confirmation and the Eucharist.

In places of past evangelization — where the baptism of children is widespread — catechetical and spiritual experiences are proposed to young people and adults which enable them to undertake a path of rediscovery of the faith in a mature and conscious way, in order to assume later a coherent commitment to witness. How important is the work that pastors and catechists carry out in this field!

The rediscovery of the value of one's baptism is the basis of the missionary commitment of every Christian, because we see in the Gospel that he who lets himself be fascinated by Christ cannot do without witnessing the joy of following in his footsteps. In this month of October, especially dedicated to the mission, we understand even more that, in virtue of baptism, we have an inherent missionary vocation.

We invoke the intercession of the Virgin Mary so that missionaries of the

Gospel will multiply. Intimately united to the Lord, may every baptized person hear that he is called to proclaim the love of God to all, with the testimony of his own life.

Angelus Address, Pope Benedict XVI, October 29, 2006

### All Saints Day Mass Schedule

**St. Patrick Church, Weston**  
Thursday, November 1  
8:15 (All School Mass)  
Noon  
6 pm

**St. Boniface Church, Camden**  
Thursday, November 1 at 6 pm

**Good Shepherd Mission, Glenville**  
Wednesday, October 31 at 6 pm on

### All Souls Day Mass Schedule

**St. Patrick Church, Weston**  
Friday, November 2  
8:15 (K, 1 and 2 Mass)  
noon

**St. Boniface Church, Camden**  
Friday, November 2 at 6 pm

**Good Shepherd Mission, Glenville**  
Friday, November 2 at Noon

## Commentary for the Readings in the Extraordinary Form: Christ the King

"He shall rule. . unto the ends of the earth. . All kings. . shall adore Him, all nations shall serve Him" (Gradual).

The "modern" man acts as "monarch of all he surveys" in the study of science, the enjoyment of pleasure, the worship of the State.

Yet we are not the creators of our resources but only the beneficiaries of the Creator. This Feast reaffirms that the wounds in the families of nations are caused by sin, namely, the abuse of these borrowed gifts; that all things (must

be) restored in (Christ)" (Prayer).

Jesus alone has the right, well earned, as the Redeeming Lamb Who was slain (Introit), to be King over all the earth (Gradual); to be King of Truth in our minds (Gospel); to be King of our wills under the standard of His Law (Post-Communion); to be King of Love in our hearts (Epistle).

The Lord will bless His people with peace (Communion verse) only when they accept Him as King.

Excerpted from My Sunday Missal, Confraternity of the Precious Blood

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Tuesday, October 30  
6:00 p.m.  
\$10 (Suggested donation)

We invite you to be part of the SoulCore movement, to unite body and soul in prayer, fully oriented to Christ, to be strengthened physically and spiritually in His name.

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**Weekly Liturgical Calendar, & Mass Intentions**

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**Parish Office Hours:**  
Sunday, 10:30 - 12:30  
Monday, 9 - 4  
Tuesday, 9 - 4  
Wednesday, Noon - 5:00  
Thursday, 9 - 1  
Friday, 9 - 1

**Prayer Chain:**  
Micki Snyder, 304 269-3688  
or 304 476-8819

**Weekend Masses:**  
Saturday, 6:00 p.m.,  
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.,  
12:30 p.m. (Latin)

**Weekday Masses:**  
M, T, Th, F, 8:15 a.m. Wed., 6:00  
p.m.

**Reconciliation:**  
Wednesday and Saturday, 5:00pm,  
Sunday, 8:45 & 11:45 a.m.

**Eucharistic Adoration:**  
Wednesday, 5:00 to 5:45p.m.

***(See Weekly Schedule for any  
changes to times or location!)***

**Saturday— October 27**  
Saturday of the 29th Week in Ordinary  
Time  
6:00p Mass for †Francis Lydon by Mary  
Ellen and Margaret Ann Lydon

**Sunday — October 28**  
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
8:45a Confessions  
9:30a Mass for People of the Parish  
11:45p Confessions  
12:30p Mass for †Jackie True by Dan and  
Sandra Mick  
(Latin Mass, The Kingship of Our Lord  
Jesus Christ)

**Monday — October 29**  
Monday of the 30th Week in Ordinary Time  
8:15a Mass for †James W. Hines by Junior  
and Veronica Brumley

**Tuesday — October 30**  
Tuesday of the 30th Week in Ordinary Time  
8:15a Mass for Special Intentions of S.  
Rexroad by John and Carol Haase

**Wednesday — October 31**  
Wednesday of the 30th Week in Ordinary  
Time  
5:00p Confessions  
6:00p Mass for †Bob Bess by Margaret  
Blake

**Thursday — November 1**  
**All Saints Day**  
8:15a Mass for Saint Patrick School  
Noon Mass for People of the Parish  
6:00p Mass for †Burke Riley by family

**Friday — November 2**  
**All Souls Day**  
8:15a Mass for †All Souls  
Noon Mass for Intentions of the Holy  
Father  
6:00p Mass for Intentions of the Priest

**Saturday— November 3**  
Saint Martin de Porres, Religious  
6:00p Mass for †Mary Louise Weber by  
Mabel Lechovich

**Sunday — November 4**  
Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time  
8:45a Confessions  
9:30a Mass for Vocations to the  
Priesthood  
11:45p Confessions  
12:30p Mass for †Maria Pascasio by family  
(Latin Mass, Twenty-Fourth Sunday after  
Pentecost)

**Weekly Scripture Readings**

**29 Mon**  
Eph 4:32—5:8/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 13:10-17  
**30 Tue**  
Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-32/Ps 128:1-5/Lk  
13:18-21  
**31 Wed**  
Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-14/Lk 13:22-30  
**1 Thu**  
Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-61 Jn 3:1-3/  
Mt 5:1-12a  
**26 Fri**  
Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-6/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom  
6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40  
**27 Sat**  
Phil 1:18b-26/Ps 42:2-3, 5cdef/Lk 14:1, 7-  
11  
**28 Sun**  
Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51/Heb 7:23-28/Mk  
12:28b-34

**Liturgical Calendar for the  
Traditional Latin Mass**

10/29 Feria  
10/30 Feria  
10/31 Feria  
11/1 All Saints  
11/2 Commemoration of All Souls  
11/3 Daily Mass of the Dead

**Mass Intentions**

Having the Holy Sacrifice of Mass offered  
is more effective than flowers or memorial  
gifts for your deceased loved ones or as a  
special intention for a living person or  
special occasion. Mass Intentions can be  
placed in a “Mass Intention” envelope and  
placed in the collection basket or dropped  
off to the parish office. Please indicate if  
the person is living or deceased and the  
date you would like the Mass to be said.  
Mass dates are filled on a “first come, first  
serve” basis.

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**Prayer List**

**Of your charity, please offer prayers for...**

- **Those who are sick:** Grayson Clevenger (SJM), Daniel Wang (Ruby), Ann Alderman, Mike Allman, Norma Aman, Nick Bakas, Alice Blake, Jack Bohan, Patty Burkhammer, Hampton Castleberry, Judi Conell, Anna Crim, Brad Curtis, Ed and Grace deLorenzo, Paul Derico, Rose Determan, Rose Anita Duley, Amanda Engstrom, Robert Fealy, Lori Hamrick, James Shaver & Carl Ford (Lynne Shaver’s dad and step-dad), John Horne, Ed Hubbs, Robbie Klotz, Kent Kral, Agnes Kraus, Ryan Kreitzer, Jack Lang, Jeff Linger, Mary Ann McClain, Betty Maddix, Philomena Martin, Julia Marsh, Mary Ann Murray, Susan Murray, Rose Neal, Jean Ott, Emma Pascasio, Sara Queen, Vicky Radcliffe, Buck Ratliff, Betty Reed, Mike Riley, Amanda Roberts, Donna Roberts, Greg Stark, Mary Stillwell, Ben Timmer, Sherry VanLeewen, Aimee Wehrman, George Whelan, Jane White
- **Those who have died:** John Bowers, May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
- **All Military Personnel:** Alan Hamilton, Aaron Hamilton, R. Brody Springer, Bobby Summers
- **Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life**
- **Those battling addiction**
- **Those who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes.**

**Ministry Schedule for Weekend Masses November 3 & 4, 2018**

**Saturday, November 3, 2018**  
Servers: Hunter Blake, Joe & Tom Derico  
Reader: Tom Ruppert  
EMHC: Margaret Blake, Larry and Luanne Bowers  
Cantor: Bob Thompson

**Sunday, November 4, 2018**  
Servers: Kami Franklin, Jack Paugh, Michael Franklin  
Reader: Erin Turner  
EMHC: Steve Moran, Jenny & Jeremy Garton, Jim Mehr  
Cantor: Lisa Marlow

**November Rosary Leaders:**  
Wednesday:  
Saturday:  
Sunday:

**November Linens:** Kathy Boyle  
**November & December Funeral Greeters:** Veronica Brumley and Scott Garton

**Ministry Schedule for All Saints Day, Thursday, November 1, 2018**

Mass at 8:15am  
Students from St. Patrick School will serve in Ministry Positions

Mass at Noon  
Reader: Jeremy Garton  
Cantor: Brenda Riley

Mass at 6:00pm  
Servers: Joe Derico, Michael Riley, Brady Jordan  
Reader: J. J. Jordan  
EMHC: Larry Bowers  
Cantor: John Collins

**Place Your Hope In Jesus**

In this month of October, “Place Your Hope in Jesus.” Go to  
formed.org and read the book by Fr. Benedict L. Groeschel, “Arise from the Darkness, What to Do  
When Life Doesn’t Make Sense.” Or watch a discussion on: The Problem With Evil” given by Jim-  
my Akin. Learn how God's love does not fail in the face of evil, but shines through its will and tri-  
umph over it—in the world and in our lives. Get your agonizing question answered, If God is all-  
good and all-powerful, then why is there evil? Go to: spchurchweston.formed.org.

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**October**  
28 Sun: 6-7:30pm, Trunk or Treat, RLBMS  
30 Tue: 6pm, SoulCore, school

**November**

**See cover for All Saints Day and  
All Souls Day Mass Schedules**

4 Sun: 6pm, Holy Hour for  
Vocations, St. Patrick Church  
6 Tue: 7pm, Knights of Columbus  
meeting, cafeteria  
11 Thu: 11-2, Spaghetti Dinner, St.  
Patrick School Cafeteria  
12 Thu: Parish Office Closed  
13 Tue: 6pm, Sacristan training, SP  
13 Tue: 7pm, Extraordinary Ministers  
of Holy Communion Training, SP  
14 Wed: 6:30, Lector training, SP  
15 Thu: 6pm, Extraordinary  
Ministers of Holy Communion  
Training, SP  
15 Thu: 7pm, Sacristan training, SP  
19 Thu: 6pm, Lector training, SP  
15 Thu: 7pm, Extraordinary  
Ministers of Holy Communion  
Training, SP  
19 Mon: 6pm, Catholic Daughters  
Meeting, parish meeting room

**St. Boniface Our Neighbor  
Collection**  
November—Toothpaste

**Weekly Attendance &  
Collection**

Saturday: 98  
Sunday: 199  
Latin Mass: 35

General: \$3460.25  
Loan: \$106  
School: \$40  
Latin Mass: \$1037  
**Loan Balance:** \$119, 982.28

**Second and Special Collections**  
Nov. 3 & 4: Archdiocese of Military  
Services

**2018 Catholic Sharing  
Appeal Update**

*Almost Heaven*

Thank you to everyone who has  
given to the 2018 Catholic Sharing  
Appeal. St. Patrick is at **89%** with  
49 gifts totaling \$17,213.

Donations can be made online at  
http://csa.dwcministries.org/.

## St. Patrick Church Catholic Sharing Appeal Update

As many of you know, this year we established that our part of the Catholic Sharing Appeal would be used to give a much-needed facelift to our school cafeteria kitchen. While we are almost to 100% of our CSA goal, a number of those donations have been earmarked for other projects, making our actual total of raised funds for renewing the kitchen significantly less than what would be needed to do any substantive work. After conferring with both the parish Finance and Pastoral Councils, and with all the membership in agreement, I have decided that we should instead utilize our Catholic Sharing Appeal funds for 2018 to assist in paying down our parish debt.

Five years ago, as our renovation project began to wind down, the parish secured outside funding through a 30-year bank loan in the amount of \$400,000. Since that time, we have made payments far beyond the monthly mortgage and have successfully paid down over \$280,000 of the principal balance. Our current balance stands at just \$119,900! The dedication and generosity that has gone into paying down this debt has truly been substantial, and is a great indicator of how committed our parishioners are to the financial well-being of St. Patrick's.

In 2020, our bank loan's interest rate will be readjusted. If current trends continue, this will result in our interest rate (currently 4.89%) raising to an estimated 7.7%. After speaking to William Fisher, the CFO of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, we are being encouraged to work to pay down our debt as soon as possible in order to avoid these higher interest rates. This conversation factored heavily in my decision to discuss the state of our Catholic Sharing Appeal with the Finance and Pastoral Councils and to seek their advice. While having a more up-to-date facility for food preparation for our parish and school is a worthwhile project, getting rid of our parish's debt seems to be a more pressing concern, and one that will enable us greater financial freedom in the future.

Those who gave to the Catholic Sharing Appeal and wish their gift to continue to support the refurbishment of our school kitchen should contact the parish office, and those funds will be set aside for that specific purpose.

As always, I am grateful to all our parishioners for their ceaseless dedication to St. Patrick's.

## Save the Date

Friday, January 18, 2019  
March for Life  
Washington, DC

If you are interested in joining a delegation to attend the March for Life, please contact the parish office by phone or email at 304-269-3048, [secretary@spchurchweston.net](mailto:secretary@spchurchweston.net). If enough people are interested, we may be able to charter a bus that would leave from St. Patrick Church.

## Need Help? Get Help!

Meetings are held in the basement of St. Patrick School, 224 Center Ave., Weston. Use the door on the side of the school building facing the rectory for AA and NA meetings.

### Narcotics Anonymous

NA - Mon. at 7pm

### Alcoholics Anonymous

AA - Tues., Thurs., & Sat. at 8pm

## **10 Day Holy Land Pilgrimage** **February 20 - March 1, 2019** **\$3579 per person from Pittsburgh**

Holy Land Brochures are in the church vestibule or you can contact the parish office at: St. Patrick Church, 210 Center Ave., Weston, WV 26452. Or by email: [secretary@spchurchweston.net](mailto:secretary@spchurchweston.net). Include your name, address, phone number and email address. Spaces are still available! Please get registration forms in by October 31!



## **The Dead Theologians Society**

### *Saints of Yesterday Inspiring Youth of Today*

The Dead Theologians Society is a national organization that seeks to engage high school students through prayer, catechesis, and social activity that is rooted in the Catholic tradition and based on the Lives of the Saints. DTS meetings are open to all Catholic high school students. For more info, text @dts-weston to 81010. The next meeting will be Sunday, October 21 at 6:00 p.m.

## **Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Victory 379**



It's time to pay your CDA dues. Yearly dues are \$30. Checks can be made payable to CDA 379 and mailed to P. O. Box 764, Weston, WV 26452. The next meeting will be Monday, November 19 at 6:00 p.m. in the parish meeting room. The Catholic Daughters are women of Faith under the patronage of the Blessed Virgin Mary, glorifying the Lord, and serving others! The Court is not exclusive to St. Patrick Church. Members can be from any parish that does not have a court.

## **Knights of Columbus**



The Knights of Columbus meet on the 1st Tuesday of each month at 7pm in the St. Patrick School cafeteria. All Catholic men, 18 and older are encouraged to get involved in this vital organization.

*In service to One, In service to all.*

[www.kofc1415.org](http://www.kofc1415.org)

**Join us for service, fellowship, and spiritual growth!**

## **Parish Membership & Benefits:**

To be considered an "active" member of the parish (and thus eligible for Sacraments, sponsor eligibility, and the "Active Parishioner Rate of tuition" at St. Patrick's School), the parish takes into account family & individual involvement in parish life and ministries, and Mass attendance. Mass attendance is only able to be tracked accurately via collection envelopes. If you are not receiving envelopes currently, please contact the parish office. Parishioners over 18 are encouraged to register as their own household to help us keep records accurate and up-to-date.

## **Let's Celebrate**



Join us in the St. Patrick School Cafeteria on Sunday, October 28 after the 9:30 Mass, as we celebrate Priesthood Sunday with a delicious brunch. Our parishes are blessed to have faithful and holy priests like Fr. Deviese and Fr. Binny. We realize that due to conflicting Mass times not everyone will be able to attend. Please take a minute to thank Fr. Binny and Fr. DeViese and let them know how much their vocation is appreciated.

## **Parking**

Just a gentle reminder, for parishioners and those visiting the school, not park in the lot of the Danser Hardware Building. That lot is private property and we do not have permission to park there.

## **Holy Hour For National Vocations Awareness Week**

"National Vocation Awareness Week will be celebrated in our country November 4-10, 2018. Please ask Our Lord for more dedicated, holy priests, deacons and consecrated men and women. May they be inspired by Jesus Christ, supported by our faith community, and respond generously to God's gift of a vocation."

On Sunday, Nov. 4 at 6:00 p.m., St. Patrick Church will have an hour of Eucharistic Adoration to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. **Everyone is invited** but we would like to extend a special invitation to all high school students.

## **Trunk or Treat**

This year St. Patrick School will unite with the Community Trunk or Treat held at the RLBMS field. It will be held on Sunday, October 28th from 6-7:30. St. Patrick School will have their own designated area and a tent representing our church and school. Set up will begin at 4:30 on October 28th. The event will also feature a Magic Show and Haunted House for everyone to enjoy. Those interested in reserving a spot should contact Melissa Jordan at (304) 517-8619.



## **All Saints Day**

All school Mass will be on Thursday, November 1 at 8:15 for the Feast of All Saints, a holy day of obligation. To celebrate the Communion of Saints, children are asked to dress up as a recognizable saint. They will wear their costume all day, including Mass! Children should pick a saint who would serve a good role model and they have things in common. Students who are not dressed as saints, should come in formal uniform. Kindergarten, First Grade, and Second Grades will have their class Mass on Friday, November 2.

## **Save the Dates**

St. Patrick School will be in session November 5, 6, and 12. This schedule is different than Lewis County. Please remember to prepare a cold lunch for your students and make transportation arrangements if your child rides the bus.

## **Respect Life Month**

During this Respect Life Month, we should demonstrate our devotion to a culture of life by supporting Amendment 1 on this November's ballot. Voting for this amendment will result in our state finally having effective limits on the use of taxpayer funds to pay for abortions for women on Medicaid. A blocked law will come into effect, placing WV among the majority of states allowing such taxpayer funding only in cases of danger to the mother's life, rape, and incest.

## **All Souls Day Envelopes**

Envelopes for All Souls Day can be found in the church vestibule. If you receive envelopes in the mail, you will have an All Souls Day envelope in the pack. Please write the names of your deceased loved ones on the envelope and put it in the collection basket or drop it off at the parish office. These envelopes will be emptied and put in a basket that will be placed on the altar throughout the month of November.

## **Minister Training Schedule** **St. Patrick Church**

### **November 13**

6pm Sacristans  
7pm Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

### **November 14**

6:30pm Lectors

### **November 15**

6pm Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion  
7pm Sacristans

### **November 19**

6pm Lectors  
7pm Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Please prayerfully consider which ministry God is calling you to. You only need to attend one session per ministry.

## **Spaghetti Dinner to Raise Money for Christmas Food Baskets**

**Sunday, November 11**  
**11-2**

**Veterans Eat Free**

\$10: adult, \$5: children



Menu: spaghetti, meatballs, salad, bread, dessert and drink. Take out will be available.

Profits will be used to purchase meats and other items needed for our Christmas food baskets. In 2017, 19 families received a food basket from St. Patrick Church. Names for food baskets are given to us by parishioners and we work very hard to insure that those receiving baskets are not taking advantage of the generosity of the church.

**Sponsored by the Catholic Daughters of the Americas.**