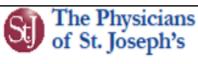


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A Weekly Bulletin for the parishes of Saint Patrick Catholic Church, Weston, Saint Boniface Catholic Church, Camden and Good Shepherd Mission, Glenville, West Virginia Established 1848

### **Divine Mercy Sunday**

"I shall sing forever the Lord's mercy." (Ps 89 [88]) This Sunday is popularly known as Mercy of God Sunday. Between 1930 and 1938 Christ appeared to Sister Faustina, a Sister of Mercy in Poland who initiated the Divine Mercy devotion. She was canonized on April 30, 2000, the Sunday after Easter, the Feast of Divine Mercy. On Good Friday, 1937, Jesus requested that Blessed Faustina make a special novena before the Feast of Mercy, from Good Friday through the following Saturday. Jesus also asked that a picture be painted according to the vision of Himself as the fountain of mercy. He gave her a chaplet to be recited and said that it was appropriate to pray the chaplet at three o'clock each afternoon (the Hour of Great Mercy).

### Jesus to Sr. Faustina

whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and not have peace until it turns to the shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a place their trust in My mercy. whole ocean of graces upon those souls They have the right before others who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and daughter, write about My mercy towards streams, mercy flows for souls, but the receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and appeal to My mercy delight Me. To such unfathomable mercy. From this fountain punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are ask. I cannot punish even the greatest compassion burn Me. I desire greatly to opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to sinner if he makes an appeal to My pour them out upon souls. Speak to the Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My compassion, but on the contrary, I justify whole world about My mercy.' mercy is so great that no mind, be it of him in My unfathomable and inscrutable man or of angel, will be able to fathom it mercy. Write: before I come as a just Excerpted from Diary of Sr. M. Faustina throughout all eternity. Everything that Judge, I first open wide the door of My Kowalska. exists has come forth from the very mercy. He who refuses to pass through depths of My most tender mercy. Every soul in its relation to Me will contemplate the door of My justice.

My love and mercy throughout eternity. The Feast of Mercy n one occasion, I heard these emerged from My very depths of words: "My daughter, tell the tenderness. It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will Fount of My Mercy.

"[Let] the greatest sinners

to trust in the abyss of My mercy. My the door of My mercy must pass through



"From all My wounds, like from tormented souls. Souls that make an wound in My Heart is the fountain of souls I grant even more graces than they spring all graces for souls. The flames of

### Commentary for the Readings in the **Extraordinary Form: Low Sunday**



"Bring here thy finger, and see My hands; and bring here thy hand, and put it into My side; and be not unbelieving, but believing" (Gospel).

Be a witness to the Divinity of Jesus Christ! Thus did the ancient Church speak to the newly baptized on this Sunday. Since their Baptism on Holy Saturday these converts wore white robes. Now in their everyday dress they must go out as witnesses that "Christ is the Truth" (Epistle).

God the "Father "bore "witness" to this at Christ's Baptism by "water," God the "Word" became our "Blood" witness on the Cross; God the "Spirit" gave witness when by Him Jesus was conceived in the womb of Mary. Yes, this is the triple "testimony of God" which we, too, must witness unto others — that "Jesus is God" (Epistle).

To the "doubting Thomases" of all future ages, Jesus gave a new proof of His Divinity in today's Gospel, "written that you may believe. . .and that believing you may hive life."

Excerpted from My Sunday Missal, Confraternity of the Precious Blood

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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:

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., 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!)

### **Bulletin Deadline**

Announcements for the Lewis County Catholic Times must be submitted by 4pm on Tuesday. Email submissions to: secretary@spchurchweston.net.

# Weekly Mass Intentions & Liturgical Calendar

Saturday, April 27, Saturday within the Octave of Easter 6:00 p.m. Mass for †Opal Garton by Gertrude Bush

### Sunday, April 28, Divine Mercy Sunday

9:30 a.m. Mass for People of the Parish 12:30 p.m. (Latin) Mass for †J. R. Rowan by family

### Monday, April 29, Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin, Doctor of the Church

8:15 a.m. Mass for Vincent Cantrelli

### Tuesday, April 30, Saint Pius V, Pope

8:15 a.m. Mass for Geneva May Aliveto

### Wednesday, May 1, Saint Joseph the Worker 6:00 p.m. Mass for †James Blake by family

## Thursday, May 2, Saint Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

8:15 a.m. Novena Mass for Priests of the Diocese and a New Bishop

### Friday, May 3, Saints Philip and James, Apostles 8:15 a.m. Mass for William Magnone

Saturday, May 4, Saturday of the Second Week of Easter 6:00 p.m. Mass for People of the Parish

### Sunday, May 5, Third Sunday of Easter

9:30 a.m. Mass for First Communicants 12:30 p.m. (Latin) Mass for †Fr. Leo Warner

### Liturgical Calendar for Traditional Latin Mass

4/29 St. Peter of Verona, Martyr

4/30 Saint Catherine of Sienna, Virgin

5/1 St. Joseph the Workman, Spouse of the BVM, Confessor

5/2 Saint Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

5/3 SS Alexander & Companions, Martyrs

5/4 St. Monica, Widow

5/5 Second Sunday after Easter

### **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.

### **Sanctuary Lamp Memorialization**

The Sanctuary Lamp is burning in memory of James Blake, April 28—May 11, 2019. If you would like to memorialize the sanctuary lamp in honor/memory of someone for a two-week period, please call the parish office at 304-269-3048.

### Scripture Readings

Monday, April 29 Acts 4:23-31

Ps 2:1-9 Jn 3:1-8

**Tuesday, 30** Acts 4:32-37 Ps 93:1-2, 5

### Jn 3:7b-15 **Wednesday, May 1** Gn 1:26—2:3 or

Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24 Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16 Mt 13:54-58

### Thursday, May 2

Acts 5:27-33 Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20 Jn 3:31-36

### Friday, May 3 1 Cor 15:1-8 Ps 19:2-5

Jn 14:6-14

Saturday, May 4

Acts 6:1-7 Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 Jn 6:16-21

### Sunday, May 5

Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13 Rv 5:11-14 Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14



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

• Those who are sick:

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St. Boniface Church: Norma Aman, Anna Crim, Sara Queen, Vicki Radcliff, Rose Anita Duley, Luke and Jane White

Good Shepherd Mission: Ken and Judi Connell, T. Conrad, Bob Klotz, Rachel Remele, Melody Riddle, Robyn Riddle, Teresa Rogucki Schultz

- **Those who have died:** Leo Sinnott (Sister Eileen and Sister Peggy's brother), May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
- All Military Personnel: Alan Hamilton, Aaron Hamilton, Forrest Moodispaw, R. Brody Springer
- Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life
- Those who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes.

Please look over the names in the prayer list for those who are sick. Let me know who needs added or taken out. The are listed under the parish they are associated with or that asked to have them added to the list. Thank you for your help!

### **Ministry Schedule**

Saturday, May 4, 2019

Servers: Ian and Jacob Riffle, Ian Droppleman

Reader: Deanna Pascasio

EMHC: Mike and Anna Lee Dterman, Barb King

Cantor: Donna Lake

Sunday, May 5, 2019

Servers: Tom Derico, Makenna West, Brady Jordan

Reader: Jeremy Garton

EMHC: Jim and Ethan Mehr, Joe Derico, Devin O'Sullivan, J. J. Jordan

Cantor: Brenda Riley

May and June Funeral Greeters: Call the office to volunteer.

### **May Rosary Leaders:**

Wednesday: Gary Riley Saturday: Micki Snyder Sunday: Jeremy Garton

May Linens: Kathy Boyle

### First Holy Communion

St. Patrick Church will celebrate First Communion Mass on Sunday, May 5 at the 9:30 Mass. This year, we are excited to have many children receiving their First communion. A

First communion. A small reception for the First Communicants will be held in the school cafeteria after Mass.

# First Holy Communion I

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# 2019 Catholic Sowing Seeds of Appeal Appeal

The 2019 Catholic

Sharing Appeal (CSA) theme, Sowing Seeds of HOPE, provides direction and a sense of purpose for our Diocese as we meet the challenges of today and work toward the future to make our Church more vibrant and relevant. The CSA is an essential way to reach beyond ourselves and our parish and give HOPE to others through the diversity of our ministries, programs and services which enrich a Christ-centered way of life. Go to https://csa.dwcministries.org/ to make a gift online or learn more about the Catholic Sharing Appeal. Our 2019 goal is \$21,345.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Thursday, May 2

6:00 p.m. ,St. Patrick Church Pastoral Council meeting, parish meeting room

### Sunday, May 5

- 9:30, St. Patrick Church First Holy Communion, church
- 10:30, St. Patrick Church First Holy Communion Reception, cafeteria
- 5:00—7:00 p.m., St. Patrick School Open House for prospective new students

### Tuesday, May 7

7:00 p.m., Knights of Columbus meeting, St. Patrick School cafeteria

### Saturday, May 18

7:00—9:00 p.m., St. Patrick School Alumni Association Dinner, school gym

If you went to St. Patrick School, whether you graduated from there or not—and did not get an invitation, please call at 304-269-5547 or email rfrazier@saintpatricks.school

### Monday, May 20

6:00 p.m., Catholic Daughters of the Americas meeting, St. Patrick Church parish meeting room

### Saturday, May 25

6:00 p.m., Recognition of High School graduates at Mass St. Patrick Church, Weston

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### **Second and Special Collections**

• June 8 & 9: Peter's Pence

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### **Book Club**

Thank you to those who participated in the first meeting of The Catholic Women's Book club. The next meeting will take place on Sunday, April 28 at 2:00 p.m. in the parish meeting room of St. Patrick Church. The book is "7 Secrets of Divine Mercy" by Vinny

Flynn. Email christinacrim@yahoo.com with any questions.

### **How Can I Better Prepare for Mass?**

Enter the church quietly and reverently This is a time for prayer and reflection. If you are in the vestibule before Mass, please keep your voices low. The rosary is prayed 30 minutes prior to each weekend Mass. If you would like to lead the rosary, please contact the parish office at 304-269-3048.

### Camp Bosco



There is still time to register for Camp Bosco, however spots are getting limited. Application forms are available in the church vestibule.

June 30- July 6 July 7-13 July 14-20 July 21-27

Kid from St. Patrick Church can go for free. Registration forms are in the vestibule or can be printed at www.campbosco.com.

### **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.

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### **SoulCore**



SoulCore at St. Patrick Church in Weston is each Thursday at 6:00 p.m.. We strengthen our bodies by exercising through the prayers of the rosary. Contact Sandy Mick at St. Patrick Church office (304-269-3048) for more info.

### 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 and are held in the parish meeting room of St. Patrick Church in Weston. For more info, text @dts-weston to 81010.

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NA - Mon. at 7pm

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

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# St. Patrick School

### **Scholastic Book Fair**



The Scholastic Book Fair will take place April 29 to May 2, 2019. You can order online at https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/stpats2019. We look forward to seeing you all at the fair!

### School Open House

All prospective parents are invited to an open house at St. Patrick School on Sunday, May 5 from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.



### St. Patrick School Alumni Association Dinner

Saint Patrick School is hosting an Alumni Dinner on Saturday, May 18 from 7:00—9:00 p.m in the school gym. Invitations were mailed out last week. If you went to St. Patrick School, whether you graduated from there or not—and did not get an invitation, please call at 304-269-5547 or email rfrazier@saintpatricks.school.

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Odyssey of the Mind, abbreviated OM or OotM, is a creative problem-solving program involving students from kindergarten through college. Team members work together at length to solve a predefined long-term problem and present their solution to the problem at a competition. St. Patrick School has two teams that competed at the West Virginia State Tournament in March and won first place for their categories. They have qualified for World Competition and are attending at the end of May. World Competition takes place at Michigan State University and will feature hundreds of teams from around the world including locations as far as Australia, Europe, Africa, and Asia.

**Congratulations to both OM Teams!** 

### Hog Raffle to Help Fund Odvssev Teams to the **World Competition**

The Odyssey of the Mind Teams are having fund raisers to pay their expenses to the World Competition next month. One of the fund raisers is a Hog raffle. Two winners will be drawn and receive a 1/2 of hog, processed and wrapped by Teets Meat Processing in Elkins. We are now registered with Amazon Smile! Simply go Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20. The drawing will take place on May to smile.amazon.com and link St. Patrick Church & School to your 15 at 3:00 p.m. Basic butchering service included. Any upgrades account. Every time you shop through Amazon Smile, we will receive requested of the butcher will be at the winner's expense. To purchase 0.5% of your purchases. It's an easy way for you to give to the church tickets, contact Melissa Jordan at 304-517-8619. Hog donated by the Law Office of Trena Williams, PLLC.

### **Traditional Latin Mass**

The Traditional Latin Mass (the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite) is offered weekly at St. Patrick Church in Weston. Confessions begin at 11:45 followed by Mass at 12:30. The second Sunday of each month is the traditional "High" Mass with music and the choir. Everyone is invited. This Mass does count as your weekend Mass obligation.



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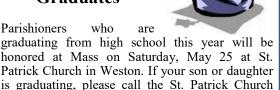
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