13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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<u>The Thirteenth Sunday in</u> <u>Ordinary Time</u>

he first reading is taken from the second Book of Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a. The account of Elisha and the woman was a minor incident in the life of this prophet, who worked greater miracles, but it is narrated to show that God rewards those who are charitable to his friends. — The Sunday Readings

The second reading is from the Letter of St. Paul to the Romans 6:3-4, 8 -11. St. Paul stresses that we are buried with Christ in baptism. We die with him to sin. Then we rise with him to a new life.

The Gospel is from St. Matthew 10:37-42. In the first part, Christ tells his representatives, his delegates the Apostles, and those who succeed them, that they must be prepared to undergo great sacrifices, even death itself, if called on to do so for the sake of Christ. Even though they had only a very vague idea then of what he meant, when the time came, they remembered his words and gladly suffered imprisonment, hardships, and finally martyrdom for Christ. This shows how the resurrection of Christ, and the descent of the Holy Spirit on them, changed them from worldly weaklings into fearless heroes. They had become convinced that Christ was the Son of God who had come on earth to bring all men to heaven. They came to realize how transitory, and unimportant, the few years of the earthly life were when compared with the eternal life of bliss to follow.

It was not only the Apostles who gave their lives gladly for Christ. There are thousands of martyrs who, during the first three centuries of the Church, not only accepted but welcomed death for Christ's sake, because they were convinced that it was the door to eternal life, the only life that mattered. Nor did occasions for martyrdom cease when the



Church was granted freedom by Constantine, the first convert Roman emperor. Here and there, down through the centuries, the followers of Christ have been persecuted because of their belief in him, and many of us can be proud that we have had among our ancestors men and women who died for the faith.

Today, too, there are still those who are suffering a lingering martyrdom, worse than quick death on the scaffold, because they obey God rather than man. We can help them to persevere, by our prayers. We ourselves, who are free from any overt persecution, must show our gratitude to God for being allowed to practice our religion openly and without fear, by doing just this. We must live according to the convictions of our Christian faith. We are here in this world for a few short years, our real and lasting home is in heaven. We must keep this thought uppermost in our minds, in all our doings and dealings.

As well as carrying out our own personal duties, we must remember the spiritual needs of our fellowmen. They, too, need to go to heaven and anything less will be eternal disaster for them. We may not be able to preach, or teach them the truth of the Christian faith, but we can and must help all those who are doing so.

Remember our Lord's words today. He who receives or gives hospitality and help to a prophet will have the reward of a prophet. He who helps those who are preaching and teaching the message of salvation, the good news of Christ, at home and abroad, will himself share in the reward of these preachers and teachers. When we get to heaven, one of the many pleasant surprises awaiting us will be the gratitude we will receive from saints we've helped to send to heaven, people we never knew or perhaps thought about. We helped those who thought about them and worked for their salvation, and we thus have a share in their reward.

Remember Christ's promise: even a cup of cold water will not go unrewarded, every little helping hand we give to bring our fellowmen to heaven will help us, too, toward the same goal. Heaven is our real goal in life—it alone will satisfy all our desires and it alone will last forever.

~Excerpted from The Sunday Readings by Fr. Kevin O'Sullivan, O.F.M.

Welcome to Our Faith

welcoming Jayden Shaw Sheila Catholic Please join us in and Folio to the faith. Jayden received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist while Sheila made her Profession of Faith and received the sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist at Mass on Wednesday, June 24. Please continue to pray for them and all who are seeking to learn about the faith given to us by Jesus.

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Prayer List

Of your charity, please offer prayers for...

Those who are sick:

St. Boniface Church: Norma Aman, Ed and Connie Cumpston, Anna Crim, Marguerite Dombroski, Heather Fallon, Dave & Vicki Radcliff, Marge Starr, Art Weaver **Good Shepherd Mission:** Hampton Castleberry, Tiffany Facemire, Bonnie Klotz, Betty Maddix, Wayne McHenry, Marylin Minnich, Michelle Underwood

St. Patrick Church: Nick Bakas, Jean Scott Chase, John Collins, Sharon Corathers, Brad Curtis, Nick Cutlip, Rose Determan, Larry Dodson, Carl Ford, Marsha Garton, Jack Gum (brother of Susie Determan), Robert Hamilton, Fr. John Hollowell, Elizabeth Hoerske, Mary Jo Hull, Barb King, Pam Mahdavi, Julia Marsh, Philomena Martin, Ed and Mary Ann Murray, Susan Murray, Delores Paugh, Raylee Rahming, Mike Riley, Keith Rose, Shane Rowan, Tom Ruppert, Sheila Sayre, Jim Shaver, Diane Snyder, Kimberly Snyder, Mary Taylor, Grace Turner, Fr. Pat Wash

- Those who have died: Okey Byrd, George Chappell, Cinderella Gruspe, Lori Hamrick, May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
- All Military Personnel: Alan Hamilton, Aaron Hamilton, Stephen Lindsey, R. Brody Springer, Justin Stark
- Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life
- Former priests and religious of our churches
- Those who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes.
- All diagnosed with Covid 19
- All health care workers, first responders, mail carriers and essential employees

Parish Membership & Benefits:

To be considered an "active" member of any parish (and thus eligible for Sacraments, sponsor eligibility, and the "Active Parishioner Rate of tuition" at a Catholic school), the parish takes into account the following things. First, to receive a discount at a Catholic School or to receive a sacrament, <u>the children MUST attend weekend Mass.</u> Second, family & individual involvement in parish life and ministries are taken into consideration. Mass attendance is only able to be tracked accurately via collection envelopes. If you are not receiving envelopes currently, please contact the appropriate person at your parish. Parishioners over 18 should register as a household to help us keep records accurate and up-to-date.

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least

spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

Reminder: the Blessed Sacrament is present at the side door of the Parish Office every day for private prayer until around 6:00 p.m. Come out and spend some time in the presence of Our Lord!

Attendance & Collections

St. Boniface

Sunday:	28
General:	\$624

Good Shepherd

Saturday:	9
General:	\$490

St. Patrick

Saturday	26
Sunday (10:30)	55
Sunday (Latin)	33
General	\$1512

Second and Special Collections

• June 28 & 29: Pastoral Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa

Parish Office Hours

By appointment only.

Please email or call to set up a time to come in for Mass requests, information, etc.

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

The parish office will be closed on Friday, July 3 in observance of Independence Day.



Mass Intentions

St. Boniface Church, Camden - Good Shepherd Mission, Glenville

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	Sunday, June 2	8, 2020, THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
	8:00 a.m.	Confessions	
	8:30 a.m.	Mass for †John Law by Ric Carder	
	Sunday, July 5	, 2020, SUN FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
	8:00 a.m.	Confessions	
	8:30 a.m.	Mass for †Lon J. Woods by Gary and Susie Riley	
G	Good Shepherd		
		27, 2020, Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	
		Confessions	
	4:00 p.m.	Mass for Intentions of the Celebrant	
		4, 2020, Saturday of the Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time	
	3:30 p.m.	Confessions	
	4:00 p.m.	Mass for the People of the Parish	
St. Patrick Church, Weston			
S	t. Patrick Chu		
	Saturday, June	27, 2020, Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	
	6:00 p.m.	Confessions	
	6:30 p.m.	Mass for †Rose Anita Duley by St. Patrick's Class of 1960	
		8, 2020, THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
	10:00 a.m.	Confessions	
	10:30 a.m.	Mass for †Kevin O"Sullivan and Beulah Pentasuglia by Brennon O'Sullivan and family	
	12:00 p.m.	Confessions	
	12:30 p.m	(Latin Mass) Mass for the People of the Parish	
	Wednesday, July 1, 2020, Saint Junípero Serra, Priest		
	5:00 p.m.	Confessions	
	6:00 p.m.	Mass for †Mike Long By Steven and Megan White	
		4, 2020, Saturday of the Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time	
	6:00 p.m.	Confessions	
	6:30 p.m.	Mass for Our Nation	
	Sunday, July 5, 2020, SUN FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
	10:00 a.m.	Confessions	
	10:30 a.m.	Mass for †Calvin Scheu	
	12:00 p.m.	Confessions	
	12:30 p.m	(Latin Mass) Mass for †Lori Hamrick	

Bishop Brennan has suspended the obligation to attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation until further notice. Those who elect not to attend Mass on those days, at this time, do not incur sin."

Latin Mass Livestream Options

Livestream Video Schedule For The Priory of the Canons Regular of the New Jerusalem.

> Sunday Low Mass: 8:30 am Weekdays & Saturday Monday - Friday: 8:00 am, Saturday: 9:30 a.m.

Note that a Facebook account is not necessary to view these video streams, but merely go to our Facebook page by going to this link: https://www.facebook.com/The-Canons-Regular-of-the-New-Jerusalem

Liturgical Calendar & **Scripture Readings**

June 28—July 4, 2020

- Sunday, June 28, THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/ Mt 10:37-42
- Monday, June 29, SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES, Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19
- Tuesday, June 30, The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church, Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Mt 8:23-27
- Wednesday, July 1, Saint Junípero Serra, Priest, Am 9:11-15/Mt 9:14-17
- Thursday, July 2, Thursday of the Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time, Am 7:10-17/Mt 9:1-8
- Friday, June 3, Saint Thomas, Apostle, Eph 2:19-22/Jn 20:24-29
- Saturday, July 4, Saturday of the Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time, Lam 2Am 9:11-15/Mt 9:14-17

Liturgical Calendar for **Traditional Latin Mass**

- Sunday, June 28, Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
- Monday, June 29, Ss Peter and Paul, Apostles
- Tuesday, June 30, Commemoration of St. Paul, Apostle
- Wednesday, July 1, The Most Precious Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ
- Thursday, July 2, Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Friday, July 3, St. Irenaeus, Bishop & Martvr
- Saturday, July 4, Saturday of Our Lady





To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact WV Child Protective Services at 800-352-6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact the Diocese at 888-434-6237 or 304-233-0880.

The Catholic Spirit is Now Available by E-mail

This is being made available to enhance communication, but at the same time cutting the cost of printing. You are invited to join our new e-list to receive The Catholic Spirit by e-mail. Joining the e-list gives you the option to receive The Catholic Spirit by e-mail only and to be removed from the list to receive the print version if you choose. To be added to the e-list, send an e-mail to crowan@dwc.org with "The Catholic Spirit e-list" in the subject line. Please let us know your preference saying: "E-mail only, and remove me from print mailing list" or "I would like both print and e-mail versions."

By joining the e-mail list, you will receive an e-mail on each issue date of The Catholic Spirit with a link to the full issue. Issue dates are the first and third Friday of each month. This is a day earlier than mail delivery of the print version.

Beginning with the June 5, 2020, the electronic version of every issue of The Catholic Spirit will now be available under "Downloadable Spirit" at thecatholicspiritwv.org.

Masks Available

Masks are available for anyone attending Mass who might need one. They are reversible and have a non-woven interfacing liner. Please hand wash them instead of putting them in the machine. Different sizes are available, The sizes are written on the zip lock bags they are in. Currently there are just a few of the different sizes available but more will be available as they are made. Masks are free. Please remember to take them with you when you leave Mass.

Catholic Women's Book Club

"Lord of the World" by Father Robert Hugh Benson is the book for he June discussion. The will start on June 28th, via email. The book is available on both Amazon kindle and YouTube.

> For a bit of online catechesis, visit Father's YouTube channel "The Altar "ed" State" at: www.youtube.com/c/frdeviese

Our Neighbor is Seeking a New Director

Our Neighbor Food and Clothing Center is accepting applications for a new director. Long time director, Sandy King is retiring at the end of this calendar year. Interested applicants must possess basic computer skills including word processing and basic spreadsheet applications. Interested parties need to contact Leona Swisher at 304-269-3317 or Russell Furr at 304-269-5889 before July 15, 2020.

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK



SAINT PETER (Parental Guidance Recommended) As a dedicated follower of Christ, Peter spreads

the message of the Gospel across the land. As the tension between Christians and Romans grows throughout the film, Peter and Paul meet and join together in preaching about Christ. Registering for FORMED is easier than ever: Go to formed.org/signup

Enter Weston's zip code— 26452

Register with your name and email address

Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

<u>Commentary for the Readings in the</u> <u>Extraordinary Form:</u> <u>Fourth Sunday after Pentecost</u>

"Put out into the deep . . . lower your nets for a catch . . . Henceforth thou shalt catch men" (Gospel)

Simon Peter received the "call to action." How did he respond? "At Thy word I will lower the net." What was his reward? "All ... were amazed at the catch." The call to Catholic Action has been repeated by the Popes in our day. "They (have) beckoned to their comrades ... to come and help them" (Gospel).

More than ever in this age of global war, "all creation groans . . in pain," waiting for "redemption" from life-killing sin; waiting for its "adoption" into Divine Life "as sons" of God (Epi9stle). For their sake we must act as members of a Church Militant, not of a Church "pacifist" or sleeping. "Enlighten my eyes, that I never sleep in death" (Offertory).

Do not be afraid to answer this call for Catholic Action; "put out into the deep!" "Lower your nets!" even though "armies in camp should stand together against" you (Introit).

Excerpted from My Sunday Missal, Confraternity of the Precious Blood



Vacation Bible School

"Come solve the mystery , and find the key that opens the door to our faith."

We are planning to have Vacation Bible School at St. Patrick's, July 20-24, 2020 from 9:00am to noon for kids in 1st

through 5th grade that attend any of the three parishes. Social distancing guidelines as well as all other safety precautions put forth by the diocese for that time period will be followed.

For more information please contact Jessie Cunningham via email at caufdrop45@gmail.com. Registration deadline is June 30.

Our Neighbor Collections

Due to the churches being closed because of the pandemic, we did not receive as many monthly supplies for Our Neighbor as we normally do. Below is a list of the items we would have collected had we been open, as well as what is being collected in June. There is a large red tote on the back porch of the parish office for items to be placed in.

Thank you to everyone who regularly supports these collections. Because of you, they are able to continue doing good work in these uncertain times.

March St. Boniface—Dish Soap St. Pat's—cleaning Supplies

April

Floss

St. Boniface—Laundry Supplies St. Pat's—Paper Towels

St. Pat's-Mouth Wash, Dental

May St. Boniface—Toothpaste June St. Boniface—Toilet Paper St. Pat's—Tissues

July St. Boniface—Bath Soap St. Pat's—Deodorant and Feminine Products