

The Lewis County Catholic Times

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

The dogma of faith which forms the object of the feast is this: There is one God and in this one God there are three Divine Persons; the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God. Yet there are not three Gods, but one, eternal, incomprehensible God! The Father is not more God than the Son, neither is the Son more God than the Holy Spirit. The Father is the first Divine Person; the Son is the second Divine Person, begotten from the nature of the Father from eternity; the Holy Spirit is the third Divine Person, proceeding from the Father and the Son. No mortal can fully fathom this sublime truth. But I submit humbly and say: Lord, I believe, help my weak faith.

Why is this feast celebrated at this particular time? It may be interpreted as a finale to all the preceding feasts. All three Persons contributed to and shared in the work of redemption. The Father sent His Son to earth, for "God so loved the world as to give His only-begotten Son." The Father called us to the faith. The Son, our Savior Jesus

Christ, became man and died for us. He redeemed us and made us children of God. He ever remains the liturgist par excellence to whom we are united in all sacred functions. After Christ's ascension the Holy Spirit, however, became our Teacher, our Leader, our Guide, our Consoler. On solemn occasions a thanksgiving *Te Deum* rises spontaneously from Christian hearts.

The feast of the Most Holy Trinity may well be regarded as the Church's *Te Deum* of gratitude over all the blessings of the Christmas and Easter seasons; for this mystery is a synthesis of Christmas, Epiphany, Easter, Ascension and Pentecost. This feast, which falls on the first Sunday after Pentecost, should make us mindful that actually every Sunday is devoted to the honor of the Most Holy Trinity, that every Sunday is sanctified and consecrated to the triune God. Sunday after Sunday we should recall in a spirit of gratitude the gifts which the Blessed Trinity is bestowing upon us. The Father created and predestined us; on the first day of the week He began the work of creation. The Son redeemed us;



*"Holy Trinity"
Josep de Ribera*

Sunday is the "Day of the Lord," the day of His resurrection. The Holy Spirit sanctified us, made us His temple; on Sunday the Holy Spirit descended upon the infant Church. Sunday, therefore, is the day of the Most Holy Trinity.

~Excerpted from The Church's Year of Grace, Pius Parsch

Sister Eileen Marie Sinnott

Sister Eileen Marie Sinnott passed away peacefully, with her sisters at her bedside, at Mount St. Joseph in Wheeling, following a long illness on May 30, 2020. Eileen Elizabeth Sinnott was born in County Wexford, Ireland. In 1948 she entered the Congregation of St. Joseph in Wheeling and, upon beginning her novitiate experience, became known as Sister Eileen Marie. Sister made her first profession of vows on August 18, 1951. Later she received a Bachelor of Science in Education Degree from Duquesne University in Pittsburgh and a Master of Science in Administration from St. John University in Cleveland, Ohio. Sister Eileen Marie celebrated her 70th Jubilee on October 11, 2018.

Sister Eileen Marie has dedicated her life energies to education in the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston. Her ministries as teacher and/or principal include St. Agnes in Charleston, St. Mary in Clarksburg, St. Peter in Fairmont, St. Joseph in Huntington, Corpus Christi and St. Vincent de Paul in Wheeling, and St. Patrick in Weston, where she gave a total of 34 years. She served as Pastoral Associate at St. Patrick Church. From 1993-1997 she was a member of the Sisters of St. Joseph Leadership Team. Sister Eileen Marie moved to Mount St. Joseph in 2008, where she was active in a ministry of prayer.

Sister Eileen said, "Most of my ministry has been spent in Weston, in the parish that has produced more religious and priests than any other in the Diocese. I concentrated my ministry on praying for and inviting young men and women to consider the priesthood and/or the religious life as their future. Hopefully, the Call of Christ will once again be ignited in that parish. I was also deeply involved in three small faith community groups and the RCIA at St. Patrick. It gave me great joy and spiritual satisfaction to experience the growth of the love of Jesus in the hearts of all those involved in these groups."

In light of COVID-19, a memorial Mass will be scheduled by the Congregation for a future date, when everyone will be able to attend safely.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Congregation of St. Joseph, 137 Mt. St. Joseph Rd., Wheeling, WV 26003. Funeral arrangements by Altmeyer Funeral Homes, 1400 Eoff St., Wheeling, WV.



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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, Marilyn Minnich, Michelle Underwood
St. Patrick Church: Nick Bakas, Jean Scott Chase, John Collins, Brad Curtis, Nick Cutlip, Rose Determan, Larry Dodson, Carl Ford, Marsha Garton, Jack Gum (brother of Susie Determan), Lori Hamrick, Robert Hamilton, Fr. John Hollowell, Mary Jo Hull, 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: Sister Eileen Marie Sinnott, 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, **the children MUST attend weekend Mass.** 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

May 23 & 24, 2020

St. Boniface

Sunday: 24

General: \$3775

Good Shepherd

Saturday: 10

General: \$

St. Patrick

Saturday 33

Sunday (10:30) 32

Sunday (Latin) 42

General \$2990

Second and Special Collections

- May 31, Peter's Pence

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

Mass Intentions

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

St. Boniface Church

Sunday, June 6, 2020, THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:30 a.m. Mass for People of the Parish

Sunday, June 13, 2020, THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

8:00 a.m. Confessions

8:30 a.m. Mass for †John R. Riley by Gary and Susie Cunningham

Good Shepherd Mission

Saturday, June 5, 2020, Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church

3:30 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Mass for †Nancy Conklin

Saturday, June 14, 2020, THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

3:30 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Mass for People of the Parish

St. Patrick Church, Weston

St. Patrick Church

Saturday, June 5, 2020,

6:00 p.m. Confessions

6:30 p.m. Mass for †Michael Moore & James Blake by Margaret Blake

Sunday, June 6, 2020, THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

10:00 a.m. Confessions

10:30 a.m. Mass for †Paul Derico

12:00 p.m. Confessions

12:30 p.m. (Latin Mass) Mass for †Lucille Byrne by Dr. and Mrs. Fiutowski

Wednesday, June 10, 2020, Wednesday of the Tenth Week in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. Confessions

6:00 p.m. Mass for Scott Garton by Melissa Allison

Saturday, June 5, 2020, Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church

6:00 p.m. Confessions

6:30 p.m. Mass for †Rita A. Lydon by The Lydon Family

Sunday, June 14, 2020, THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

10:00 a.m. Confessions

10:30 a.m. Mass for †Sister Eileen Marie Sinnott

12:00 p.m. Confessions

12:30 p.m. (Latin Mass) Mass for †Marie S. Tillman by the Tillman family

Bishop Mark is continuing to dispense Catholics from going to Sunday Mass until further notice, so no one who fears getting sick feels guilty for not attending.

Liturgical Calendar & Scripture Readings

June 7 - 13, 2020

- Sunday, June 7, THE MOST HOLY TRINITY, Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18
- Monday, June 8, Tuesday of the Tenth Week in Ordinary Time, 1 Kgs 17:1-6/Mt 5:1-12
- Tuesday, June 9, Saint Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church, 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Mt 5:13-16
- Wednesday, June 10, Wednesday of the Tenth Week in Ordinary Time, 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Mt 5:17-19
- Thursday, June 11, Saint Barnabas, Apostle, Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3
- Friday, June 12, Friday of the 10th Week in Ordinary Time, 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Mt 5:27-32
- Saturday, June 13, Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church, 1 Kgs 19:19-21/Mt 5:33-37

Liturgical Calendar for Traditional Latin Mass

- Sunday, June 7, Trinity Sunday
- Monday, June 8, Feria
- Tuesday, June 9, Ss. Primus & Felicianus, Martyrs
- Wednesday, June 10, St. Margaret of Scotland, Queen & Widow
- Thursday, June 11, Corpus Christi
- Friday, June 12, St. John of San Fecundo, Confessor
- Saturday, June 13, St. Anthony of Padua, Confessor & Doctor

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

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>



**BROADCAST OF THE
SUNDAY MASS AT 11 A.M.**

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Ch 6	Ch 52
Dish	Spektrum
Ch 10	Ch 14 & Ch 118, 711 (HD)
Bellaire Cable	Suddenlink
Ch 13	Ch 13 & Ch 104 (HD)
Over the Air : Ch 7.3	

Catechumens and Candidates Coming Into the Church

To eliminate the risk of overcrowding, catechumens and candidates who have been prepared through the RCIA program, will be brought into the church at Mass on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. throughout the month of June.

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.

High School Graduates

Currently we have four graduates on our list that will be published in next weeks bulletin. One from Good Shepherd and three for St. Pats. Please email the parish office before Wednesday to have a high school graduate from one of Fr. DeViese's three parishes added to the list.



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.

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.

March

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

April

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

May

St. Boniface—Toothpaste
St. Pat's—Mouth Wash, Dental Floss

June

St. Boniface—Toilet Paper
St. Pat's—Tissues

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

Lockbox for Donations and Other Correspondence



A lockbox has been added to the front of the parish office for those of you who wish to drop off donations and other correspondence that you don't want to mail. This box is for parishioners from all parishes. If donations come in for St. Boniface and Good Shepherd, they will be forwarded to the appropriate people. If you prefer to use the USPS, the office address is 210 Center Ave. Weston, WV 26452. Parishioners of St. Patrick Church may also sign up for electronic giving at myeoffering.com

Vacation Bible School

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.

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

Happiness, God, and Man

by Cardinal Christoph Schoenborn

All human beings want to be happy. The longing for happiness does not have to be learned, it is innate. And it can hardly be unlearned. For we never simply acquiesce in unhappiness. Christian faith, the Christian way of life, and the imitation of Christ are understood to be signposts pointing the way to happiness. Upon this depends their credibility and their attractiveness.

The highly regarded teacher, writer and pastoral churchman, Cardinal Schonborn, talks about man's happiness, small and great, about happiness as it is supposed to be and as it is discovered. He explains what it means to say that all human beings are created for happiness. His insightful writings are centered on meditations about happiness and also about the deeper meaning of love and friendship.

Yet the Archbishop of Vienna also discusses the essential questions of faith, including reflections on the Name of God as seen in Scripture, on dealing with the tragedies of modern times, consolation for the sorrowful and on the spiritual roots of western civilization.

In addition he discusses the importance of literature, and how it addresses the deeper questions about life, as demonstrated in his literary discussions of the works by C. S. Lewis, Gertrud von Le Fort and William Shakespeare. He shows how their works give witness to a happiness that overcomes all darkness through suffering, trials and especially forgiveness.

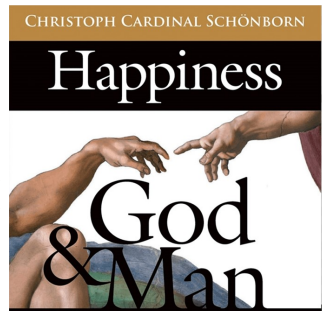
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Saint Anthony of Padua

Feast Day: June 13

(c1195 – June 13, 1231)

Patron Saint Lost items, Poor, and Travelers

Saint Anthony of Padua's Story

The gospel call to leave everything and follow Christ was the rule of Saint Anthony of Padua's life. Over and over again, God called him to something new in his plan. Every time Anthony responded with renewed zeal and self-sacrificing to serve his Lord Jesus more completely.

His journey as the servant of God began as a very young man when he decided to join the Augustinians in Lisbon, giving up a future of wealth and power to be a servant of God. Later when the bodies of the first Franciscan martyrs went through the Portuguese city where he was stationed, he was again filled with an intense longing to be one of those closest to Jesus himself: those who die for the Good News.

So Anthony entered the Franciscan Order and set out to preach to the Moors. But an illness prevented him from achieving that goal. He went to Italy and was stationed in a small hermitage where he spent most of his time praying, reading the Scriptures and doing menial tasks.

The call of God came again at an ordination where no one was prepared to speak. The humble and obedient Anthony hesitantly accepted the task. The years of searching for Jesus in prayer, of reading sacred Scripture and of serving him in poverty, chastity, and obedience had prepared Anthony to allow the Spirit to use his talents. Anthony's sermon was astounding to those who expected an unprepared speech and knew not the Spirit's power to give people words.

Recognized as a great man of prayer and a great Scripture and theology scholar, Anthony became the first friar to teach theology to the other friars. Soon he was called from that post to preach to the Albigensians in France, using his profound knowledge of Scripture and theology to convert and reassure those who had been misled by their denial of Christ's divinity and of the sacraments..

After he led the friars in northern Italy for three years, he made his headquarters in the city of Padua. He resumed his preaching and began writing sermon notes to help other preachers. In the spring of 1231 Anthony withdrew to a friary at Camposampiero where he had a sort of treehouse built as a hermitage. There he prayed and prepared for death.

On June 13, he became very ill and asked to be taken back to Padua, where he died after receiving the last sacraments. Anthony was canonized less than a year later and named a Doctor of the Church in 1946.



"St Anthony of Padua with the Infant Christ"
Guercino (Barbieri, Giovanni Francesco)

Reflection

Anthony should be the patron of those who find their lives completely uprooted and set in a new and unexpected direction. Like all saints, he is a perfect example of turning one's life completely over to Christ. God did with Anthony as God pleased—and what God pleased was a life of spiritual power and brilliance that still attracts admiration today. He whom popular devotion has nominated as finder of lost objects found himself by losing himself totally to the providence of God.

<https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-anthony-of-padua/>

Actions speak louder than words; let your words teach and your actions speak.
Anthony of Padua

Keeping Up to Date

There are a number of ways to keep in touch with your parish during this time. One is to visit the St. Patrick Church website or the Facebook pages for St. Pat's or St. Boniface. You do not have to have a Facebook account to view these pages.

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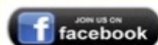
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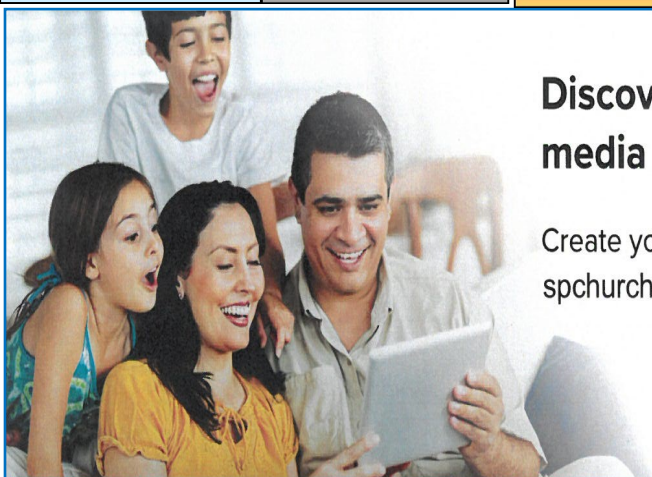
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