

December 20, 2020

A Weekly Bulletin for the parishes of Saint Patrick Catholic Church, Weston, West Virginia Established 1848

#### **O** King of the Gentiles

"Come and save man, whom Thou hast made out of dust."

hat is man? He is but a particle of dust, an begotten Thee. Ask of Me and I will give Thee the Gentiles for insignificant creature who has further separated Thy inheritance, and the utmost parts of the earth for Thy himself from God through sin. He has been cut possession" (Ps. 2:2-8). Well may Herod seek the life of the off from the fountain of truth and banished from newborn king. Indeed, many kings and tribes and nations in the God to darkness and misery. Still in the ruins there dwells a course of time shall deprecate the divine King, Christ. But to spirit that possesses a capacity for truth. In these ashes there is Him has been given all power in heaven and on earth (Matt. yet a spark that may be fanned to life to burn with the brilliance 28: i8). Before Him every knee shall bend, and every tongue of divine life. But only God can revive this flame. For this shall confess that He is the Lord (Phil. 2:10f.). reason the Church cries out, "Come and save man, whom Thou The more the mighty condemn the kingship of Christ, the hast made out of dust." Save him who is so weak, so miserable more shall He be exalted by the Father. and helpless. Remember his nothingness. Consider the many Now He comes to us in the form of a lovely child. One day enemies who lay snares to rob him of divine life and to entice in the presence of the Roman governor He will assert His right him into sin. Think of his obscured knowledge and his to kingship. But after this one public confession of His royal proneness to evil, of his tendency to error, and his weakness in origin He withdraws again into the obscurity which He had the face of temptation. Guard him from the enticements of the freely chosen. For the present He is satisfied with this world; shelter him from the poison of erroneous teaching; manifestation of His royal dignity. The day will come, deliver him from the devil and his angels. however, when He will manifest it with power and majesty as During these days before Christmas, the Church He comes again on the clouds of heaven. Before all nations contemplates the overwhelming misery of unregenerated God will declare: "I have anointed Him King of Sion. My holy mankind. She cries out, "Come and save man, whom Thou hast mountain." All men shall pay Him homage as king; all nations made out of dust." shall acclaim Him the King of Glory.

Jesus is King of all nations. "The kings of the earth stood up and the princes met together against the Lord and against His Christ. Let us break their bonds asunder, and let us cast

> **Christmas Mass Schedule** Christmas Eve Thursday, December 24, 2020 4:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.

Fourth Sunday of Advent

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away their yoke from us. He that dwelleth in heaven shall laugh at them, and the Lord shall deride them. Then shall He speak to them in His anger and trouble them in His rage. But I am appointed king by Him over Sion, His holy mountain. ... The Lord hath said to Me; Thou art My Son; this day have I

Excerpted from The Light of the World by Benedict Baur, O.S.B.

Christmas Day Friday, December 25, 2020

Midnight (12:00 a.m.) 10:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. (Latin)

#### St. Patrick Catholic Church

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#### Weekend Masses:

Saturday, 6:30 p.m. Sunday, 10:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. (Latin)

#### **Reconciliation:**

Wednesday and Saturday, 6:00pm, Sunday, 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

#### Weekday Masses:

Wed., 6:00 p.m.

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

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

### BROADCAST OF THE SUNDAY MASS AT 11A.M. WTRFDT-ABC (GTRF): WBOYDT2 (EBOY):

Comcast	DirecTV
Ch 4 & Ch 804 (HD)	Ch 13
DirecTV	Dish
Ch 6	Ch 52
Dish	Spektrum
Ch 10	Ch 14 & Ch 118, 711 (H
Bellaire Cable	Suddenlink
Ch 13	Ch 13 & Ch 104 (HD)
Over the Air · Ch 7 3	

#### Park & Pray

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!

#### St. Patrick Church Sanctuary Lamp Sponsorship

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. The donation is \$20. The lamp is burning December 6—19 in honor of Steve Moran .

#### Parish Office Hours: (By Appointment)

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

#### St. Patrick Catholic School

Pre-School – 8th Grade 224 Center Ave. Weston, WV 26452 www.stpatswv.org 304-269-5547

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#### Latin Mass Livestream Options

Livestream Video Schedule For The Priory of the Canons Regular of the New Jerusalem on their YouTube channel and Facebook page. You do not have a Facebook account to view the Mass.

> **Sunday** Low Mass: 8:30 am

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

#### 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. embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

#### **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, December 19, 2020, Saturday of the Third Week of 6:00 p.m. Confessions 6:30 p.m. Mass for †Paul Derico by John and Judy Dolan Sunday, December 20, 2020, FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVEN Confessions 10:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish 12:00 p.m. Confessions 12:30 p.m. (Latin Mass) Fourth Sunday of Advent Mass for †Steve Stott by Steven and Megan Wh Wednesday, December 23, 2020, Saint John of Kanty, Priest 6:00 p.m. NO MASS Thursday, December 24, 2020, VIGIL of THE NATIVIT 4:00 p.m. Mass for *†*Patricia Stark 6:30 p.m. Mass for *†*Karen Renzilli by family Friday, December 25, 2020, THE NATIVITY OF THE L 12:00 a.m. (Midnight Mass) Mass for the People of the Parish 10:30 a.m. Mass for †Charles and Opal Garton by family 12:30 p.m. (Latin Mass) Mass for †James Bohan Saturday, December 26, 2020, Saint Stephen, The First Marty Confessions 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. Mass for †James A Weber by family Sunday, December 27, 2020, THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESU JOSEPH 10:00 a.m. Confessions 10:30 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish 12:00 p.m. Confessions 12:30 p.m. (Latin Mass) Sunday within the Octave of the Mass for †Shane Rowan by Judy Woodruff

Bishop Brennan has suspended the obligation to attend Mass on S Obligation until further notice. Those who elect not to attend M time, do not incur sin."

#### Prayer List

#### Of your charity, please offer prayers

- Those who are sick: Jim Arsenault, Nick Bakas, Pat Bros Rose Determan, Mary Eubank, Tom Fealy, Marsha Garton, Hamilton, Courtney Heimberger, Fr. John Hollowell, Shirle Mike Jefferson, Ellen Ketron, Pam Mahdavi, Julia Marsh, Moran, Ed and Mary Ann Murray, Susan Murray, Delor Raylee Rahming, Catherine Ratliff, John Riley, Mike Riley, Jim Shaver, Cindy Sumpter, Mary Taylor, Helen Tomaro, Woodruff
- Those who have died: Nancy Davis, Catherine Griffin, souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, re
- All Military Personnel: Alan Hamilton, Aaron Hamilt 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 h
- All diagnosed with Covid 19
- All health care workers, first responders, mail carriers an

	UPCOMING EVENTS
Advent	• Every Wednesday 6:00 p.m., RCIA begins with Mass in the church
T	Our Neighbor Collection
ite	<b>December</b> • Tissues Items can be placed in the plastic tote on the back porch of St. Patrick Church parish office.
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ORD	<u>Liturgical Calendar &amp;</u> <u>Scripture Readings</u>
yr	<ul> <li>Sunday, December 20, FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT, 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/ Rom 16:25-27/Lk 1:26-38</li> <li>Monday, December 21, Saint Peter Canisius, Priest and Doctor of the Church, Sg 2:8-14</li> </ul>
S, MARY AND	<ul> <li>or Zep 3:14-18a/Lk 1:39-45</li> <li>Tuesday, December 22, Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Advent, 1 Sm 1:24-28/Lk 1:46-56</li> <li>Wednesday, December 23, Spint John</li> </ul>
e Nativity Sunday and Holy Days of ass on those days, at this	<ul> <li>Wednesday, December 23, Saint John of Kanty, Priest, Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Lk 1:57-66</li> <li>Thursday, December 24, Thursday of the Fourth Week of Advent, 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Lk 1:67-79</li> <li>Friday, December 25, THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (Christmas), Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25, Night: Is 9:1-6/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14, Dawn: Is 62:11-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20, Day: Is 52:7-10/Heb 1:1-6/</li> </ul>
for	<ul> <li>Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14</li> <li>Saturday, December 26, Saint Stephen, The First Martyr, Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/ Mt 10:17-22</li> </ul>
schart, Jean Scott Chase, Catherine Griffin, Robert ey Hubbs, Mary Jo Hull, Philomena Martin, Steve res Paugh, Steve Perrine, Keith Rose, Sheila Sayre, Aaron Wegman, Philip Brian Francis, May the est in peace. Amen. on, Stephen Lindsey, R. omes. d essential employees	<ul> <li>Liturgical Calendar for Traditional Latin Mass</li> <li>Sunday, December 20, Fourth Sunday of Advent</li> <li>Monday, December 21, St. Thomas, Apostle</li> <li>Tuesday, December 22, Greater Feria of Advent</li> <li>Wednesday, December 23, Greater Feria of Advent</li> <li>Thursday, December 24, Vigil of the Nativity of Our Lord</li> <li>Friday, December 25, The Nativity of Our Lord,</li> <li>Saturday, December 26, St. Stephen, Deacon &amp; Protomartyr</li> </ul>

LIDCOMING EVENITS