St. Patrick Catholic Church

Eucharistic Processions

By: Msgr. William J. King (https://simplycatholic.com/eucharistic-processions/)

rocessions have long been a form of liturgical prayer. Processions to and within sacred sites, especially the Temple in Jerusalem, marked numerous festivals in Jewish prayer, and many of the psalms were composed to accompany such processions. As an example, the Talmud describes processions on the seven days of the feast of Tabernacles, during which the people would process around the altar with willow branches, singing a litany that included Psalm 118:25 as the refrain.

St. Basil (d. A.D. 379) in the East and St. Ambrose (d. 397) in the West provide some of the earliest references to liturgical processions in the Catholic Church. Both state that these processions had been practiced for many years, accompanied with sung litanies.

Public processions with the Blessed Sacrament became popular only when Jesus' real presence in the Eucharist was questioned. For many centuries this sacramental reality was taken for granted, but in the 11th century an archdeacon named Berengar of Tours — who taught in the cathedral school of Chartres, France — was said to question the Eucharist's real presence (though historians disagree on whether he actually denied the Real Presence, it is accepted that Berengar questioned transubstantiation as a description of the change that occurs when the bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ). Overt denial of the Real Presence in the Eucharistic species came with the Protestant Reformers.

In response to Protestant notions that the Eucharist was merely a symbol, the Church affirmed clearly the ancient understanding of the Real Presence — and processions through the streets of cities and villages became popular as a means of openly demonstrating support and reverence for this reality. The Council of Trent taught, in 1551, that the Most Blessed Sacrament "is to be honored with extraordinary festive celebrations (and) solemnly carried from place to place in processions according to the praiseworthy universal rite and custom of the holy Church."

Theologically, processions remind us that we are pilgrims journeying through this earthly existence following Jesus on "the Way" (an early title for the Church). In the Eucharistic processions of Holy Thursday and the solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) we publicly proclaim this truth, following the Lord physically even as we pledge anew to do so spiritually. We also give public witness to our acceptance of the Lord's words: "The bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world" (Jn 6:51). As such, public processions serve as tools of evangelization within our neighborhoods.









No Daily Mass, June 14 - 21

We will not have daily Mass on Monday, June 14, Wednesday, June 16, Friday June 18, and Monday June 21. Fr. Ondeck is away directing a retreat for the Sister Servants of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Daily Mass will return on Wednesday, June 23.

We would like to thank Fr. Maximilian Maxwell for leading us in the celebration of Mass on June 12 and 13, and June 19 and 20. Fr. Maximilian joins us from St. Vincent College in Latrobe, Pennsylvania.

Please pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood. It is proving harder and harder to find priests from our diocese who are able to fill in. Please pray for Fr. Ondeck and all priests that they will lead us with the strength and courage of Jesus.

St. Patrick Catholic Church

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Secretary:

Sandra Mick, Parish Secretary secretary@spchurchweston.net

Parish Office Hours:

Monday, 9 - 4 Tuesday, 9 - 4 Wednesday, 12 - 5 Thursday, 9 - 1 Friday, 9 - 1

Prayer Chain:

Micki Snyder, 304 269-3688

Mass Schedule

Saturday, 5:30 p.m. Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses:

Mon., 8:15 a.m.
Wed., Immediately following benediction at 5:45 p.m.
Fri., 8:15 a.m.
(See Weekly Schedule for any changes to times or location!)

Reconciliation:

Wednesday, 5:00—5:45 p.m. Saturday, 5:00—5:20 p.m. Sunday, 10:00—10:20 a.m. Or by appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration:

Wednesday, 5:00 to 5:45p.m.

St. Patrick Catholic School

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For last rites and anointing of the sick, please call 304-691-0537 to speak to Fr. Ondeck.

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 mailed 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 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.

"Forward, always forward, everywhere forward!"

Archabbot Boniface Wimmer, O.S.B.

Prayer List

Of your charity, please offer prayers for...

- Those who are sick: Junior Brumley (SJMH), Scott Walker (Ruby), Jim Arsenault, Nick Bakas, Jean Scott Chase, Travis Crites, Rose Determan, Tom Fealy, Marsha Garton, Robert Hamilton, Courtney Heimberger, Mary Jo Hull, Coretta Jefferson, Emyle Johnston, Ellen Ketron, Julia Marsh, Philomena Martin, Louise Mehr, Shirley Murchland, Ed and Mary Ann Murray, Susan Murray, Delores Paugh, Raylee Rahming, Brenda Riley, John Riley, Mike Riley, Sheila Sayre, Jim Shaver, Dale Snyder, Mary Taylor, Helen Tomaro, Jane White, Luke White
- **Those who have died**: Philip Woodruff, May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
- All Military Personnel:
- 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 police officers, health care workers, first responders, mail carriers and essential
 employees

Attendance & Collections

 Saturday:
 74
 \$1684

 Sunday (10:30):
 152
 \$3004

 Sunday (Latin):
 N/A
 \$

 Mail and Lockbox Donations:
 \$815

 Total
 \$5503

School \$855 Votive Candles \$ Loan \$250 Organ \$290

Restoration loan balance:: \$73959.39

Second and Special Collections

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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 parish office. Parishioners over 18 should register as a household to help us keep records accurate and up-to-date.

Schedule and Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 12, 2021

5:00 p.m. Confessions

Mass for †Nell Moore by her daughter 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, June 13, 2021, Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish

Monday, June 14, 2021 8:15 a.m. No Mass

Wednesday, June 16, 2021 (Mass will begin as son as benediction is over.)

5:00 p.m. No Mass 5:50 p.m. No Mass

Friday, June 18, 2021 8:15 a.m. No Mass

Saturday, June 19, 2021

5:00 p.m. Confessions 5:30 p.m. Mass for the People of the Parish

Sunday, June 20, 2021, Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 a.m. Confessions

10:30 a.m. Mass for All Fathers, living and deceased

The Sanctuary Lamp is burning in memory of Robert C. Fisher, June 6 –19, 2021.

Latin Mass

Latin Mass will be on hiatus. We are very sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. Fr. Crenwelge celebrates a traditional Latin Mass every Saturday at 9:00 a.m. at St. John University Parish in Morgantown. Updates concerning Latin Mass will be shared in future bulletins and on our website and Facebook page.

Parish Picnic

Thank you to everyone who helped with and came to our parish picnic. The weather was perfect and the food was delicious! We want to say a special thank-you to the Weston Fire Department for lending us their grill for both our school and parish picnics, to the Catholic Daughters for providing the paper and plasticware as well as the table cover and serving utensils, to the Knights of Columbus for providing and cooking the hamburgers and hotdogs and to Jenny and Jeremy Garton for providing the drinks! We want to offer a very BIG thank you to Kathy Boyle and Joe Derico who went above and beyond in helping with both the picnic and Confirmation this week. Our parish is blessed to have you!















UPCOMING EVENTS

June 14-21

No Daily Mass. We will have weekend Mass at the normal times.

June 21 -24

9 am—1 pm, Jarrod West Basketball camp, gym

Monday, June 21

6:00 p.m., Catholic Daughter meeting,

Our Neighbor Collection

June

Tissues and Toilet Paper

Items can be placed in the plastic tote on the back porch of the parish office.









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\$300 January - December (\$25 a month)

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> \$900 January - December (\$75 a month)

\$1200 January -December (\$125 a month)

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. In addition to civil authorities, to report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact one of the Bishop's designees at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880: Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Mr. Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Fr. Dennis Schuelkens, ext. 270 or call the Office of Safe Environment at 304.230.1504. Please visit www.dwc.org under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods.

School News

The first week of summer vacation is now in the books. Here a few pictures of artwork made by some of our students before they went on summer break. Our teacher's are excellent at displaying these creations on bulletin boards and classroom doors.





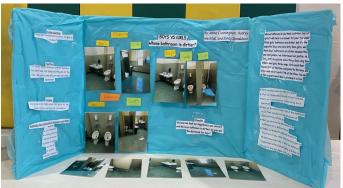


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Science Fair 2021

Here are some of the amazing projects presented at the 2021 Science Fair. There was a wide range of projects represented. Did you know that Fanta Orange contains more sugar than Coke and almost as much as Mountain Dew? Or that fruits and vegetables can conduct electricity? Great job kids! We can't wait to see what you come up with next year!

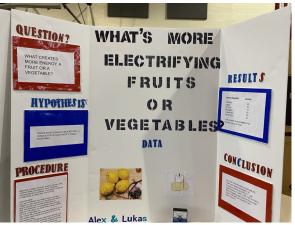


















Team forms and sponsorship forms are in the church vestibule. Please return the forms to Kathy Boyle.



St. Patrick Church will pay half the cost of each of our parishioners who attend Camp Carlo. Parents may apply for scholarships through the diocese to cover the remaining half.

FORMED

Discover your faith with the Best Catholic media at home or on the go at formed.org.

- 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

Jarrod West Basketball Camp

Where: St. Patrick Gym

When: June 21 - June 24th 2021

Time: 9 am - 1 pm (Registration on the 21st at

8:30)

Ages: Kindergarten – 8th Grade Girls

Kindergarten - 7th Grade Boys

Cost: \$ 105.00 (lunch daily and T-Shirt)
Contact Jarrod at 304-290-1931 with questions

Registration forms are in the church vestibule!

St. Patrick Church of Weston, West Virginia is seeking a Principal for St. Patrick Catholic School, pre-school through eighth grades.

- The Candidate must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with Church precepts and act as an example and motivator toward the fulfillment of the Catholic philosophy of the school.
- The ideal candidate must have an earned Master's Degree in Educational Leadership or Administration or begin the process of completing degree requirements; or hold a valid Educational Leadership certification from the state of West Virginia or be eligible for such certification.
- The candidate will have a minimum of five years of successful educational experience with preference for administrative experience.

A resume with three references may be emailed with all attachments in PDF to Rev. Father Douglas A. Ondeck, dondeck@dwc.org or mailed to 210 Center Ave., Weston, WV by June 18, 2021.