# **St. Patrick Catholic Church**

April 17, 2022

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Parish Office Hours Monday & Tuesday, 9 - 4 Wednesday, 12 - 5 Thursday and Friday, 9 - 1

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Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday, 5:30 p.m. Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

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

Reconciliation: Wednesday, 5:00—5:40 p.m. Friday, following Mass Saturday, 5:00—5:20 p.m. Sunday, 10:00—10:20 a.m. Or by appointment.

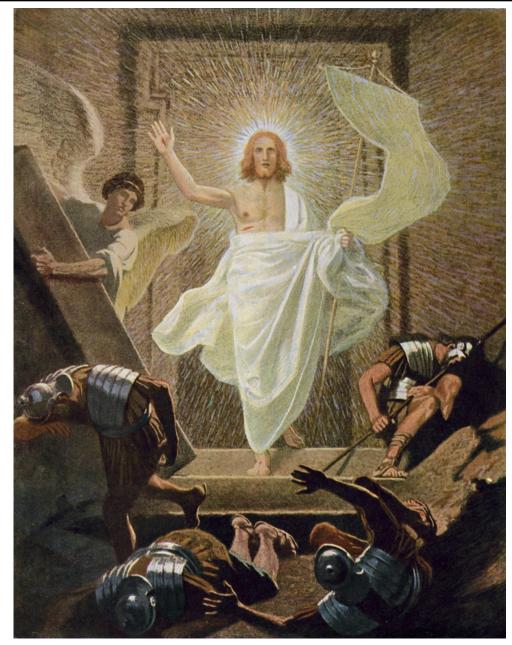
Eucharistic Adoration: Wednesday, 5:00 to 5:45p.m.

St. Patrick Catholic School

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Rev. Fr. Douglas A. Ondeck Acting Principal

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Saint Gregory's Easter Prayer

It is only right, with all the powers of our heart and mind, to praise You Father and Your Only-Begotten Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ. Dear Father, by Your wondrous condescension of Loving-Kindness toward us, Your servants, You gave up Your Son. Dear Jesus You paid the debt of Adam for us to the Eternal Father by Your Blood poured forth in Loving-Kindness. You cleared away the darkness of sin by Your magnificent and radiant Resurrection. You broke the bonds of death and rose from the grave as a Conqueror. You reconciled Heaven and earth. Our life had no hope of Eternal Happiness before You redeemed us. Your Resurrection has washed away our sins, restored our innocence and brought us joy. How inestimable is the tenderness of Your Love!

#### **Prayer List**

- Those who are sick: Nick Bakas, Jill Balser, John Butcher, Butch Cain, Courtney Clevenger, Rose Determan, Bonnie Detamore, Larry Dodson, Amy Flesher, Lynne Fultineer, Greg Garton, Marsha Garton, Sandy Gill, Robert Hamilton, Coretta Jefferson, Emyle Johnston, Ellen Ketron, Lynn Lynch, Ed Murray, Susan Murray, Heather Haddix Nicholas, Beth Nichols, Delores Paugh, Raylee Rahming, Minter Ralston, Brenda Riley, John Riley, Jim Riley, Mike Riley, Frank Rogucki, Sheila Sayre, Dale & Micki Snyder, Rue Thompson, Special Intentions, Audrey Westfall
- Those who have died: May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
- All Veterans, and Military Personnel:
- Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life
- Former priests and religious of and from our parish
- Those who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes.
- All police officers, health care workers, first responders, and mail carriers
- All RCIA participants: Jennifer Eiler, Ryan Jeffries, David Johnston, Abigail Lewellyn, Jeff Lynch, Joe Rowh, Cameron Ross, Emily Terpening, Bryce and Kaylee Eiler, Jack Eiler will receive the sacrament of First Eucharist.

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#### Divine Mercy Chaplet Franciscan Friars of the Renewal



#### When Should Catholics Not Receive Holy Communion?

- If you have a mortal sin on your soul. Some serious sins include (but are not limited to) being married outside the church, being unmarried but living together or purposely not attending Sunday Mass or holy days of obligation. For more info on what constitutes a mortal sin, refer to the Catechism of the Catholic Church 1857 1859.
- If you have not observed the Eucharistic Fast one hour before receiving. Plan to eat your breakfast after Mass!
- If you have not yet received First Communion.

#### Attendance & Collections

 Saturday:
 101
 \$1529
 (22 env./check donors)

 Sunday:
 178
 \$1143
 (22 env./check donors)

 Mail/Lockbox Donations:
 \$895
 (5 donors)

 Total
 \$3567

School\$110Votive Candles\$140Maintenance\$288Organ\$0Loan\$0Restoration loan balance: \$67,023.69Organ balance: \$86,204.04

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#### Will and Estate Planning

Have you considered remembering St. Patrick's in your will or estate plans? A bequest through a Last Will and Testament is the simplest way of creating a lasting legacy of support for St. Pat's. Bequests should be made out to: "The Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, or his successors in office," with a specification of the purpose for which the bequest is to be used (i.e. "for the use of St. Patrick Parish, Weston).

#### Why Can't Non-Catholics Receive Holy Communion?

Because Catholics believe that the celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life, and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet fully united are not admitted to Holy Communion.

For those who cannot receive Eucharist at this time, we welcome you to join in our liturgy, to pray and sing with us. Please remain in the pew during the Communion Procession, offering your heartfelt prayers to our God of love and mercy. We eagerly await the time when you will join us at the Eucharistic table!

#### 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.

Sch	edule and	l Mass Intentions	
Saturday, April 16, 2022	7:30 PM	Mass for Catechumens and Candidates	-
Sunday, April 17, 2022	10:30 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish	;
Monday, April 18, 2022	8:15 AM	Mass for †Marietta Sarnacki	]
Tuesday, April 19, 2022	No Mass	No Mass	
Wednesday, April 20, 2022	5:50 PM	Mass for †Bryan Francis	
Thursday, April 21, 2022	8:15 AM	Mass for †Merle Swisher	
Friday, April 22, 2022	8:15 AM	Mass for †Elaine Sayre	
Saturday, April 23, 2022	4:00 PM	Mass for the People of the Parish	
Sunday, April 24, 2022	10:30 AM	Mass for †Joe White by John and Lesley White	]
		)—23, 2022, in memory of the 63 million plus n our country in the last 49 years.	•

#### Why is Mass Offered for Specific People?

The greatest prayer that we have as Christians is the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. At each Mass, Christ's Sacrifice on Calvary is renewed and the graces achieved on the Cross are applied to souls for their salvation. This is why we have Masses offered for particular intentions.

#### **Sanctuary Candle Intentions**

The red Sanctuary Lamp by the tabernacle burns to remind us of the Eucharistic presence of Jesus Christ. It is a mark of honor to remind the faithful of the Real Presence of Christ, and is a profession of their love and affection for our Lord. If you wish to have the Sanctuary Lamp burning in memory or honor of a loved one, or to honor a special occasion, please contact the parish office. The cost of the candle is \$20.00. It will burn for two weeks. The memorial will also be published in the Bulletin.

#### Donuts and Coffee ~ May 1, 2022 Sponsored by The Catholic Daughters of the Americas.



Please join us on Sunday, May 1, 2022 after Mass for donuts and coffee in the school cafeteria. Our last "Donut Sunday" was our largest yet. Please stop over and get to know more or your parish family!

The Catholic Daughters will have their monthly meeting on Monday, April 18 at 6 p.m. in the cafeteria.

## St. Pat's Spring Bash

Saturday, April 23 5 - 8 p.m. gymnasium

Raffle Tickets are \$25 each.

Grand Prize: Browning MP33 Gun Safe with Surprise Rifle (MSRP \$4300)
 2nd Prize: M&P EZ 9mm Handgun (MSRP \$521)
 3rd Prize: \$100 gift certificate to McFly Outdoors
 (Gun winners must be able to pass a background check to receive gun.)

Meal tickets are \$12 each.

Enjoy an evening of delicious food and great entertainment. Homemade steak sandwiches, hand cut French fries, dessert and drink.

50/50 are available now. Pull tab and side raffles will be sold during the event!

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Sunday, April 17** Tickets for the Spring Bash will be sold after both Sunday Masses.

Monday, April 18 Parish Office closed 6:00 p.m., Catholic Daughters meeting, cafeteria

Saturday, April 23 Mass will be at 4:00 p.m. on this day 5:00—8:00 p.m., St. Pat's Spring Bash

Sunday May 1 11:30 a.m., Donut Sunday, cafeteria

**Tuesday, May 3** 7:00 p.m., Knights of Columbus meeting, cafeteria

Sunday May 8 10:30 a.m. First Holy Communion

#### **Our Neighbor Collection**

AprilLaundry Supplies

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

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#### **School News**

#### A "Chick" by Any Other Name

Anna, Cayla, Gary, Jaycee, Kitty, Lucy, Nemo, Queen, Rosie, Tinker Bell, Unicorn, Violet, and Wonder Woman were the names given to the chicks that hatched last week. The eggs that didn't hatch were to be Bumble Bee, Dixie, Elle, Fluffy, Henry, Ice Cream, Martin, Optimus Prime, Purple, and Sophie.

All the chicks have gone home with their new families. We hope the families will keep us updated on how they are doing.



#### In this Family, No One Fights Alone!

Audrey Westfall, a fourth grade student at our school and parish member was recently diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia, the most common of all childhood cancers. Within twenty four hours of her diagnose, she began a rigorous Chemo regimen that will continue for several months.

On Thursday, April 14th students had the option of paying a dollar to dress down for the day. The only stipulation was that they wear purple and gold to show support for Audrey. Teachers also donated money and wore purple and orange. Over six hundred dollars was raised to assist Audrey and her family.

While she can't physically be at school during this time, she is there in spirit. Her classroom has a cute monkey that wears a St. Pat's t -shirt and sits at her desk, goes to Mass, gym, music etc. She even went with her classmates to buy food for the Knights of Columbus food drive.

Audrey is home from the hospital but has a long road ahead.

On dress down day, Mrs. Susan Moody, Audrey's grandmother wore a purple t-shirt that said "In this family, no one fights alone." That phrase is very true of our school and parish family as well.



#### Thank you!

We wish a very sincere THANK YOU, to EVERYONE who worked to enhance the beauty of our Easter Liturgies! The readers, servers, musicians, altar decorators, cleaners, gardeners, RCIA instructors, Knights of

Columbus, Catholic Daughters and anyone else that gave time and talent to our parish during this holy time. We are blessed to have so many kind and generous people in our parish. Happy Easter!

#### **Easter Flowers**

Thank you to everyone who donated to the flower fund for Easter. Donations to the church flower fund can be made at anytime. Simply write "flower fund" in the memo line of your check or on your envelope. Money from the flower fund is used for all the beautiful flower arrangements throughout the year.

#### Donor

#### In Honor/Memory Of

Bean, D.C. and Marilyn Raymond & Agnes McDonald, Duane & Francis Bean Bowers, Larry & Luanne Fr. Leon Alexander James and Mary Hines, Mary E. Hines Stout, F. A. & Edna Brumley, Mary Portas Taylor, Marge Brumley, Junior & Veronica Starr, Carol Sue Roach Buthcer, John & Sue Leslie Dawn Butcher Cain, Butch Casto, Steve & Gennette Daugherty, Barbara Members of the Dolan and Daugherty families Derico, Helen Paul Derico, Clifford & Lucy Messenger, Guy & Amelia Derico Derico, Tim & Kim Determan, Mika and Anna Lee Dodson, Larry & Carol Robert Dodson Droppleman, Eddie & Anita Droppleman & Ruppert families Droppleman, Mike & Kay Droppleman & Ruppert families Foster, Judy Hubbs, Shirley Edward Hubbs Jakubec, Paul John Paul and Catherine Jakubec and Cathy Jakubec Markham Jefferson, Mike & Coretta Elizabeth Gardner, Ella Holcomb Markley, Don & Becky Pickens, Susie & Joe Bill & Rosemary Ballard, Lawrence & Pauline Pickens Riffle, Sarah & Stanley Riley, Bill & Brenda Martin and Agnes Riley Riley, John and Nancy Bragg, Riley, Collins, & Haughton families Riley, Kevin & Tina Rittenhouse, Mary Ellen Bob Rittenhouse, James and Brenice Garton, Bob and Dolly Rittenhouse, Eileen Garton Ruppert, Tom Marjorie A. Ruppert Scott, Tom & Connie Cathy Snuffer Sims, Bob & Kathy Clarence & Mary Lou Weber, Marie Sims, Betty Tomaschko Danny Elliott, Dee Shrewsberry, Jeff Smith, William Shrewsberry Smith, Andy & Ashley Turner, Fred & Michele Fred & Grace Turner, Paul O'Connor Wagoner, Joe & Mary Wagoner and Minnich families Weber, Jim





# A Gift for you from the **Catholic Daughters**

Each family may take home a bottle of holy water that was blessed by Fr. Ondeck at the Easter vigil Mass.

This has been a project of the Daughters Catholic of the Americas for several years. Please take only one per family.



#### 40 Cans for 40 Days Food Drive

#### WE NEED YOUR HELP!

The Knights of Columbus Lenten food drive brought in over 2000 pounds of food for the Our Neighbor food pantry. Anyone wishing to still donate may bring their donations to the parish office.

The Knights of Columbus will meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the cafeteria.

40	Goal 4000 lbs.		
Cans 40 Days	Weekly total	Total	
March 2—March 8	89.1	89.1	
March 9—March 15	277.9	367	
March 16—March 22	210.7	677.7	
March 23—March 29	135.5	813.2	
March 30—April 5	367.36	1180.56	
April 6—April 12	893.25	2073.81	

#### **Hope Scholarship**

Students entering kindergarten for the 2022-2023 school year and first-though seventh grade students currently enrolled in public school are eligible to apply for the West Virginia Hope Scholarship through the WV Treasurer's Office. The scholarship can be used toward tuition and fees at St. Patrick's School.

#### Angotti Family Scholarship Application

Applications are now being accepted for the Angotti Family Scholarship. The Angotti family started this scholarship in 2021 to honor Frank and Olga Angotti. Applicants must be members of St. Patrick's Parish and enrolled in college for the 2022-2023 school year.

Applications can be picked up in the vestibule, at the parish office, or you may request an application via email.

Application deadline is May 1, 2022. Completed applications should be returned to St. Patrick's Church, 210 Center Avenue, Weston, WV 26452. The award will be presented to the recipient by the Angotti family.

"The fundamental human right, the presupposition of every other right, is the right to life itself. This is true of life from the moment of conception until its natural end. Abortion, consequently, cannot be a human right -- it is the very opposite. It is a deep wound in society."

-Pope Benedict XVI



# Blessed Carlo Acutis

### Youth Adventure Camp

With Him on the Mountain

We are a Catholic youth adventure camp that ministers to youth through rock climbing, equestrian activities, archery, Adoration, overnight backpacking, outdoor Mass and more! Register your camper at *CampCarlowv.org* by **June 1st** to receive our early bird rate of \$275.

<u>June 26th – July 2nd</u>, A "catch all week" from 3rd grade through 12th grade.

July 3rd – July 9th, Rising 6th graders to 8th graders.

<u>July 10th – July 16th</u>, Rising freshmen to seniors in high school.

<u>July 17th – July 23rd</u>, A "catch all week" from 3rd grade through 12th grade.

<u>July 24th – July 30th,</u> "A Camp Carlo Summer Vacation" free program for 7-12 year olds who receive support from the government or Catholic Charities.

> Contact Assistant Director, Sadie Shields, for more information: <u>sshields@dwc.org</u> or 1 (304) 476-9015





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.