

# St. Patrick Catholic Church

January 15, 2023

Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

For last rites, please call 304-691-0537.

**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 5:45 p.m.

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## Your Contribution Envelopes are in the Mail!

We thank you for your patience this week as we worked to find out why none of our parishioners received their quarterly envelopes. We have called the envelope company and found out that our envelopes were mailed on January 12. Until they arrive, we have placed extra blank envelopes in the pews for you to use. Please write either your envelope number or first and last name on the envelope. If you give by check, you may place just the check (no envelope required), in the offertory bowl.

The envelope company has been affected by the increase in paper cost and is working feverishly to find cheaper options so they won't have to pass the increases on to their customers. This may have caused a delay in processing.

If you receive envelopes but do not use them or do not need an annual contribution statement of your donations, please call the parish office to have your name removed from the envelope list. This will in turn reduce our costs.



## Annual Contribution Statements

Annual statements will be generated for parishioners who donated \$250 or more to the parish in 2022. If you do not need a statement, or if you need to update your mailing address, please call or email the parish office this week.

## Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Solemn Vespers and Benediction

Please join us for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Solemn Vespers and Benediction on Sunday, January 15 at 5:00 p.m. Joe Derico, Dylan O'Sullivan and 11 other seminarians from St. John Paul II Seminary will be in attendance.

## Religious Education Spotlight

**Each week we will feature what one of our catechesis programs is learning so  
that you can briefly refresh your catechetical knowledge.**

**You can never know too much about our faith!**

**This week's spotlight: RCIA  
Topic: Confession**

When faced with temptation, have you ever said "Well, God will forgive me," then proceed to shrug your shoulders and commit a sin. Maybe when Sunday rolls around you go to confession, not necessarily feeling guilty but just "jumping through the hoops" so that you don't feel as if you are in a state of mortal sin.

This mindset is called the sin of presumption. We should never take sin so lightheartedly! Our Lord's mercy is steadfast if we are truly contrite and resolve to no longer commit that sin.

"There are two kinds of presumption. Either man presumes upon his own capacities, (hoping to be able to save himself without help from on high), or he presumes upon God's almighty power or his mercy (hoping to obtain his forgiveness without conversion and glory without merit)" [CCC 2092]

## Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, January 14, 2023	5:30 PM	Mass for the People of the Parish
Sunday, January 15, 2023	10:30 AM	Mass for †Ed Hubbs by Shirley Hubbs
Monday, January 16, 2023	<b>9:00 AM</b>	Mass for †John and Matilda Hines by family
Tuesday, January 17, 2023	No Mass	No Mass
Wednesday, January 18, 2023	5:50 PM	Mass for †Larry Dodson by Marcelline, Beverly, Marcie, & Cindy
Thursday, January 19, 2023	8:15 AM	Mass for †Roberta Karp by family
Friday, January 20, 2023	8:15 AM	Mass for †Beth White Nichols by Mary Lynne Rupert-Catsam
Saturday, January 21, 2023	5:30 PM	Mass for †Sheila Sayre by Mary Ellen and Margaret Lydon
Sunday, January 22, 2023	10:30 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish

The Sanctuary Lamp is burning January 15—28, 2023 in memory of Joe Murray.

### 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.

## Mullady Scholarship Application

Applications are now being accepted for the Mullady Scholarship Award. This fund was started by Edwin and Mary Mullady to help Catholic students of Lewis County go to an accredited college. Applicants must be Lewis County residents and enrolled in college or graduate school (**no high school students**).

Applications can be picked up in the St. Patrick's Church parish office or you can request an application be emailed to you.

**The application deadline is February 15, 2023.** Completed applications should be returned to St. Patrick Church, 210 Center Ave., Weston, WV 26452. Funds will be distributed in late February or March.

## Calendar Cash

**\$10 each, 28 Chances to win!**

**The top seller will receive a \$500 tuition credit!**

Calendar Cash tickets are on sale now. They make a great Christmas gift and stocking stuffer. Tickets are numbered for tracking but the game is not based on the daily lottery numbers. A winning ticket is drawn every day in February! If your ticket is drawn, it goes back in and you can win again! The student who sells the winning ticket for the day receives \$5. Tickets can be purchased through the parish office or from any parent of a St. Pat's student.

## Permanent Diaconate Formation Program 2023-2028

The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston is currently accepting applications for the Permanent Diaconate Formation Program 2023-2028. Applications will be accepted until April 15, 2023. The application and additional information may be found at <https://dwc.org/directory-listing/permanent-diaconate-formation-office-of/2275/>. For questions, please feel free to contact the diocesan Office of Permanent Diaconate Formation: Deacon John Yaquina, Coordinator, [jyaquina@dwc.org](mailto:jyaquina@dwc.org), or Tina High, Secretary, [thigh@dwc.org](mailto:thigh@dwc.org) or (304) 233-0880, ext. 271.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Sunday, January 15

10 am - 2 pm, Foul Shooting Competition, boys and girls ages 9 - 14, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Council #1415

### Monday, January 16

- 9:00 a.m., Daily Mass
- 6:00 p.m., Catholic Daughters of the Americas meeting, cafeteria

### January 29-February 4, 2023

National Catholic Schools Week

### Wednesday February 22

Ash Wednesday

### Thursday, March 2

7:00 p.m., Hope Scholarship informational meeting, cafeteria

## Our Neighbor Collection

January: toilet paper and tissues

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

## Laundry Soap Needed for Our Neighbor

Our Neighbor is in need of laundry detergent. Items can be dropped off at the parish office or placed in the cabinet on the back porch.

## Updated Monthly Collection List

- January: toilet paper and tissues
- February: Bath Soap, Laundry supplies, and dish soap.
- March: paper towels and cleaning supplies
- April: Soap, Deodorant, Feminine products
- May: Shampoo & Conditioner
- June: Toothpaste, Mouth wash, and dental floss

**The daily Mass time for Monday, January 16 has been changed to 9:00 AM.**

***“Forward, always forward, everywhere forward! We must not be held back by debts, bad years or by difficulties of the times. Man's adversity is God's opportunity.”***

Archabbot Boniface Wimmer, O.S.B.

### Attendance & Collections

Saturday 6:00 p.m.: 85 \$1325 (12 envelope and check donors)  
 Sunday 10:30 a.m.: 221 \$ 978 (15 envelope and check donors)  
 Mail/Drop Box: \$1350 (4 donors)  
**Total 306 \$3653**

School \$45  
 Votive Candles \$0  
 Maintenance \$250  
 Organ \$0  
 Loan \$0  
 New Year's Envelopes: \$180

**Please, write separate checks for the different funds and collections.  
Thank you!**

Restoration loan balance: \$60,646.95  
 Organ balance: \$84,711.07

Give electronically at: <https://members.myeoffering.com/#/landing>



### Prayer List

- **Those who are sick:** Bob Bleigh (SJM), Nick Bakas, Jill Balser, Tom Blake, Larry Bowers, John Butcher, Courtney Clevenger, Kay Droppleman, Jed Easton, Brad Curtis, Rose Determan, Nyla Ebbert, Amy Flesher, Lynne Fultineer, Greg Garton, Marsha Garton, Sandy Gill, Robert Hamilton, Coretta Jefferson, Ellen Ketron, Matt McCauley, Jamie Mick, Shirley Murchland, Susan Murray, Heather Haddix Nicholas, Raylee Rahming, Bob Riley, Brenda Riley, John Riley, Jim Riley, Sam Schwartzmiller, Special Intentions, Bob Swiger Mike Tierney, Helen Tomaro, Audrey Westfall
- **For all who are experiencing loneliness and loss .**
- **Those who have died:** Pope Benedict, Mary Kathleen Fincham, James Shaveer, Louise Rumer Simmons, Margaret 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**
- **All seminarians:** Especially, Joe Derico, and Dylan O'Sullivan
- **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 struggling with infertility.**

### 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. **Mints and gum break your fast.**
- If you have not yet received First Communion.

### 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!

### Mass Etiquette

- Please remember to silence or turn off your cell phones prior to the start of Mass. Tablets and other gaming devices should not be brought to church.
- When we are in the church, we should refrain from speaking in order to allow for people to pray. If we talk, we should keep our volume to a reverential whisper. This is not because we don't want community. This is to promote prayer with Christ in the Eucharist and to prepare our hearts and minds for Mass. Community time is best for **after Mass in the vestibule or outside the church.**
- Other people use your pew. Please take all bulletins, papers, tissues, etc. with you when you leave. Cleanliness is close to Godliness.

Thank you for your mindfulness.

### 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").

### 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.

**Weekly Bulletin E-mail: If you are not receiving our church bulletin each week through email, please contact the parish office to have your email address added to our files.**



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## Celebrate Catholic Schools Week 2023

- **Sunday, January 29**

### **Celebrating Our Parish**

We will kickoff Catholic Schools Week with Mass at 10:30 a.m. An open house and breakfast will be held in the school after Mass.

- **Monday, January 30**  
Celebrating Our Community

- **Tuesday, January, 31**  
Celebrating Our Students

- **Wednesday, February 1**  
Celebrating Our Nation

- **Thursday, February, 2**  
Celebrating Vocations

- **Friday, February 3**  
Celebrating Our School



**Catholic Schools  
Week 2023**  
**January 29–February 4**

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## Unscrambling Sentences

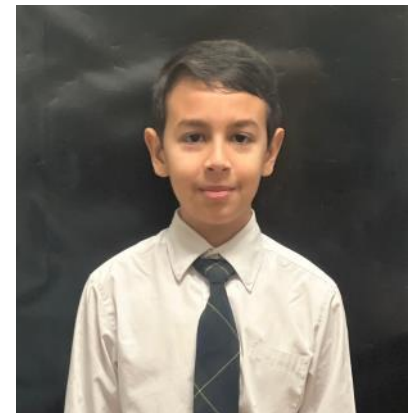
This week, Mrs. Moody's first graders learned that unscrambling sentences is easier when you work with a friend.



## Congratulations

St. Patrick School recently competed in the county Math Field Day Competition. Our representatives were Lucas Moodispaw, Emily Shriver, Mason Nash, and Anthony Wilson.

Fifth-grader, Mason Nash placed at the county level and will advance to the regional competition. Great job Mason!





## Pre-K has been Busy

This week they studied how arctic animals stay warm. One bowl had ice water only. In the second bowl, they used cotton balls (to represent fur) and Crisco (to represent blubber) in baggies. Then they placed the baggies in ice water. Each kiddo felt the difference between no insulation and fully insulated.



Last week they combined the science of temperature on water AND art. They froze water in ice cube trays and used primary colors to make secondary colors.

