

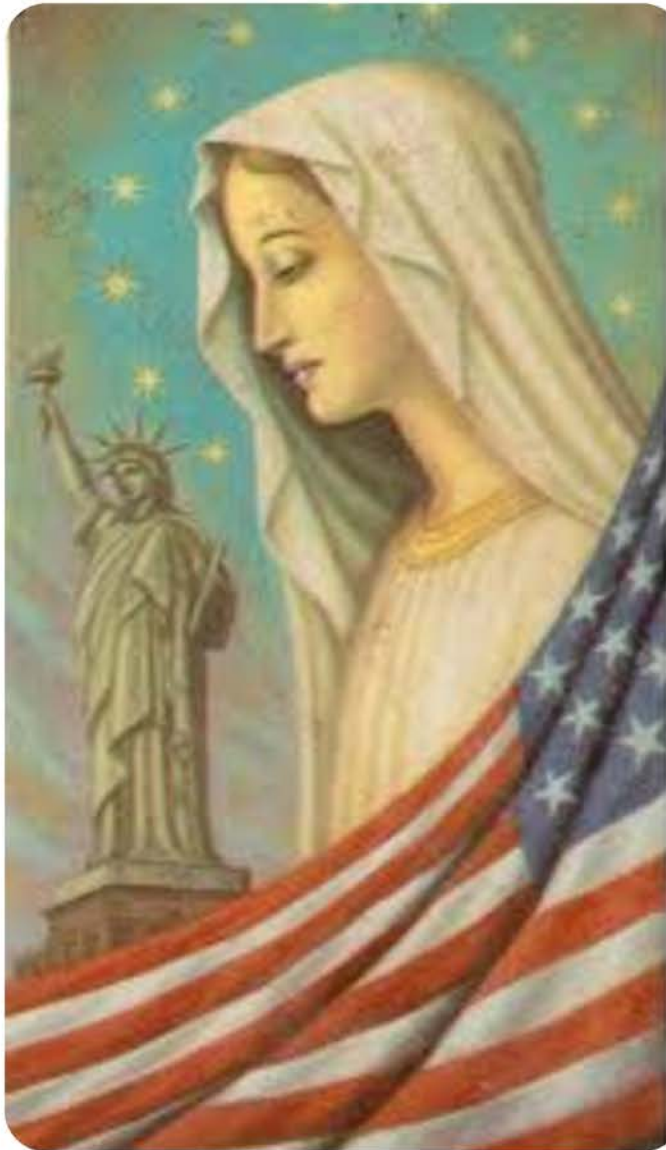
St. Patrick's Church

September 15, 2024

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Catechetical Sunday!

Join us today,
before Mass, for
many
opportunities to
learn and grow in
the faith!



Mary, Patroness of America

Consecration of the Election to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Mary Immaculate, living tabernacle of the Divinity, where the eternal Wisdom lies hidden to be adored and served by angels and men, Queen of Heaven and Earth, beneath whose sway are subject all things that are lower than God, Patroness of the United States of America, sorrowful and mindful of our own sinfulness and the sins of our nation, we come to thee, our refuge and hope.

Knowing that our country cannot be saved by our own works and mindful of how much our nation has departed from the ways of thy Son, we humbly ask that thou wouldst turn thine eyes upon our country to bring about its conversion. We consecrate to thee the integrity of the upcoming election and its outcome, so that what is spiritually and morally best for the citizens of our country may be accomplished, and that all of those who are elected would govern according to the spiritual and moral principles which will bring our nation into conformity with the teachings of thy Son.

Give grace to the citizens of this land so that they will choose leaders according to the Sacred Heart of thy Son, that His glory may be made manifest, lest we be given the leaders we deserve. Trusting in the providential care of God the Father and thy maternal care, we have perfect confidence that thou wilt take care of us and will not leave us forsaken. O Mary Immaculate, pray for us. Amen.

WEEKLY BULLETINS VIA 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.

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH. WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

St. Patrick Catholic Church

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Parish Office Hours

Monday & Tuesday, 9 - 4

Wednesday, 12 - 5

Thursday and Friday, 9 - 1



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Mass Schedule

Monday - 8:15 p.m.

Tuesday - 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday - 6:00 p.m.

Thursday - 8:15 a.m.

Friday - 8:15 a.m.

Saturday Vigil - 5:30 p.m.

Sunday - 10:30 a.m.

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday & Wednesday 5:00 - 5:45 p.m.

Saturday 5:00 - 5:20 p.m.

Sunday 10:00 - 10:20 a.m.

Adoration

Tuesday & Wednesday - 5 - 5:45 p.m.

Sacrament of the Sick & Last Rites

The anointing of the sick is administered to bring spiritual and even physical strength during an illness, especially near the time of death. It is most likely one of the last sacraments one will receive.

Please call the parish office to schedule or if you are in danger of death, please call 304-691-0537

Protecting God's Children

St. Patrick Church takes seriously this 'VIRTUS' pursuit of excellence in our community. With the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, we are committed to making every environment – a safe environment. All employees and volunteers are required to complete VIRTUS Training. Participants of this training complete short video modules to learn how to best protect the vulnerable in our community. These short sessions empower participants to accurately identify and correctly report all instances of suspected child abuse. To create or update your account, please go to virtusonline.org.

Thank you for your continued support in making the environment at St. Patrick Church and school safe for everyone.

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 of children by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, contact one of the following designees at 1.888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880: Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Mr. Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Sr. Martha Gomez, ext. 264. Or you may call Rev. Don Higgs, 304.685.2367, the Office of Safe Environment at 304.230.1504, or Victims Assistance Coordinator Erin McFarland at 304.559.6742. Please visit www.dwc.org under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods.

"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."

Archbishop Boniface Wimmer, O. S. B.

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 14, 2024	5:30 PM	Mass for the People of the Parish
Sunday, September 15, 2024	10:30 AM	Mass for †John Butcher by Ed and Anita Droppleman
Monday, September 16, 2024	8:15 AM	Mass for †Charles and Opal Garton by Fred and Deborah Garton Butler
Tuesday, September 17, 2024	5:50 PM	Communion Service
Wednesday, September 18, 2024	5:50 PM	Mass for †Vicci Tucci
Thursday, September 19, 2024	8:15 AM	Mass for †Violet Angotti by Jim and Betty Hill
Friday, September 20, 2024	8:15 AM	Mass for † Robert (Bob) Borchert by Jack and Kathy Burke, and Jason and Alicia Burke
Saturday, September 21, 2024	11:00 AM	Funeral Mass for Ed and Mary Jo Clark
	5:30 PM	Mass for †Cathy Snuffer and Beth Nichols by Connie Scott
Sunday, September 22, 2024	10:30 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish

The sanctuary lamp is burning in memory of Sam Aman by Linda Aman, September 8 - 21, 2024.

Prayer List

Those who are sick: Hernan Ayala, Jill Balser, Allison Barker, Bill Bennett, Dan Brannon, Jamie Breen, Margaret Carr, Jody Craig, Ron and Marsha Cullen, Brad Curtis, Bonnie Detamore, Libby Ferrell, Sara Ferrell, Katie Frazer, Janie Garton, Marsha Garton, Andrea Heath, Coretta Jefferson, Ellen Ketron, Pat Kiddy, Dave King, David Lewis, Rochelle Long, Matt McCauley, Lisa Marlow, Patty Moody, Susan Murray, Judy Nicholas, Sue Nutter, Mary Oldaker, Amy Price, Michael Pugh, Raylee Rahming, Dee Ann Reichner, Brenda Riley, Dan Rittenhouse, Mary Smith, Loretta Stitt, Marge Tiemey, Helen Tomaro, Don True, Diane Walker, Kathy Watson, Audrey Westfall, Tonya Woofter

Those who have died: Monsignor Joseph Peterson, 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 Bryan Tedeschi

Former priests and religious of and from our parish

Those who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes.

All struggling with infertility.

Attendance & Collections

Saturday	88
Sunday	195
Total	283
Saturday	\$2547
Sunday	\$1623
Mail/Drop Box	\$1380
Total	\$5550
School	\$100
Votives	\$175
Maintenance	\$835
Loan	\$
Organ	\$80
Wesbanco Balance	\$46,014.29
Organ Loan Bal.	\$65,912.10

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**We HIT 50% of our
Catholic Sharing
Appeal Goal!!!**

**Goal \$22,465 Raised \$11,290
50%**

This means EVERY DOLLAR you give to the appeal, from now until the end of year is returned to us and is exempt from cathedraticum fees! You may give online at dwc.org or by putting your donation in the collection basket. Please make sure it is CLEARLY marked for CSA or the Catholic Sharing Appeal.

Diocese of Imphal

\$1825.00

Thank you for your generosity to the collection for the Diocese of Imphal!

Learn With Us

Adult Catechesis

Scripture Series
with Deacon Mike Brumley

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We will host an Adult Discussion series on Holy Scripture and the interdependence between Scripture, Apostolic Tradition, and Authority of the Church. Bring your bible and a notepad.



Sundays
Beginning September 15th
9:15 AM
School Cafeteria

OCIA

Order of Christian
Initiation of Adults
*with Catechists Megan White &
Kara Milinovich*

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- Want to be Catholic?
- Curious about Catholic teachings?
- A Catholic Adult in need of Confirmation?
- Catholic and wishing you knew the fundamentals of your faith better?

join us to explore the basics of the Catholic faith!



Sundays
Beginning September 15th
9:15 AM
Upstairs in the School



Revive

Sacramental
Revisitation for
Adults
with Catechist Beth Brumley

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You are invited to learn about the sacraments of reconciliation & communion with a "beginner's mind". We will explore anew the church's teaching on these two sacraments and pray for our students in preparation to receive these gifts for their first time.



Sundays
Beginning September 15th
9:15 AM
Upstairs in the School

Children's Catechesis

with Catechists Delaney Byrnes & Anna Milinovich

Ages 2-6



Ages 7-10



Please pre-Register. In order to maintain proper adult/children ratios, spots are limited until we can secure more volunteers. Registration cannot guarantee a spot.

please note:

a parent or guardian should be in the building and easily reachable while children partake in catechesis.

We are looking for volunteer catechist assistants.

If you have a gift for working with children, we need you!

Email:

mwhite@saintpatricks.school

**Sundays
beginning 9/15
Downstairs in the school
9:00AM -10:10 AM**

High School Catechesis

with Catechist Steven White

Catholic High School students are invited to discuss and enrich their faith in this new student-led program. Come equipped with discussion topics that are important to you.



**Sundays
beginning 9/15
Parish Office
9:15 AM - 10:00 AM**

First Communion

with Catechists Beth Brumley, Mary Lynne Catsam, & Angie Fitzsimmons



Registration is open for children 2nd grade+ who are eligible to receive First Holy Communion in May of 2025

**Sundays
beginning 9/15
School Library (upstairs)
9:15AM -10:00AM**

Confirmation

with Catechists J.J. & Melissa Jordan

This is a continuation of the preparation for the sacrament of confirmation which began last Fall.



Schedule

9/22/24
10/6/24
10/20/24
11/3/24
11/17/24
12/1/24
12/15/24
12/29/24

**Every other Sunday
beginning 9/8
Upstairs in the School
9:15AM**

Mass with Bishop Brennan

Last Monday, we were blessed with a visit from Bishop Brennan, who started the day by celebrating a beautiful All School Mass with us. Following Mass, he spent time visiting each classroom, answering the many thoughtful questions our students had. His presence brought joy and inspiration to everyone!

Afterward, Bishop Brennan enjoyed lunch with the students and even joined in some recess fun!

Although we missed having Superintendent Jenn Hornyak with us, we were grateful she was able to visit earlier this week to see our amazing students and dedicated staff.

Please join us in keeping both Superintendent Hornyak and Bishop Brennan in our prayers as they continue to guide and support us for a blessed and successful school year ahead!



SCHOOL NEWS

Bishop Brennan Visits the Classrooms



Congratulations!



We are elated that our very own Mr. Riley was chosen by the members of our community for the Lewis County Choice Award's Best Principal! This is a well-deserved title as Mr. Riley has served our school with tremendous leadership. You make our parish and school family very proud! Congratulations!

Grandparents Day Celebration

This week, we honored the incredible gift of grandparents--their love, wisdom, and endless support. Grandparents fill our children's lives with laughter, stories from the past, and lessons that shape their future. Whether it's their gentle guidance, delicious home-cooked meals, or the warm hugs that make everything better, grandparents truly are a blessing!

Thank you to all who came out and partook in the celebration on Friday. A huge shoutout to the teachers and parent volunteers who made the event so memorable!



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St. Patrick School
 Annual Elimination Dinner
 October 19th, 2024 at St. Patrick School
 Drive-Thru Dinner Pickup • 4:30 - 5:30
 Dinner • 6:30
 Chicken or Steak Dinner & Dessert
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Don't Miss Out on the Event of the Season!
 Our Elimination Dinner is just around the corner, and YOU could be the big winner! Enjoy an unforgettable evening filled with amazing food, exciting prizes, and plenty of fun. The Murphy Family were the top sellers last year and will be so tough to beat this year!

And guess what? We'll be streaming the WVU game during the event, so you won't miss a minute of the action! Go Mountaineers!

Tickets are available NOW in the St. Patrick School office. These are selling FAST, so call 304-269-5547 to grab yours today!



Grandparents Day Celebration





All volunteers need to be Virtus Compliant!

If you already have a Virtus account, please log-in and make sure you are compliant and up to date on the latest training and bulletins.

If you do not have an account, please go to virtusonline.org and create one. Flyers are in the vestibule that take you through the process step-by-step. If you need help or have questions or are unable to complete the process online, please call Sandy Mick at the parish office.

Thank you for your continued commitment and dedication to our church and school!

If you have recently logged into your VIRTUS account, you may have noticed that you might have a new training module assigned for you to complete and/or some bulletins to read.

What does that mean and why: Anyone who completed their VIRTUS training before 2022 is being asked to complete VIRTUS Protecting God's Children Version 4.0, an update to their awareness training. If you completed training in 2022 or later, you have already completed the VIRTUS version 4.0 training.

Why are volunteers and staff with older training being asked to update? There are actually a couple of reasons:

First, some of the information regarding Safe Environment has changed over the years. For example, trainings now include information about online safety which wasn't even a consideration in the 1990s when Safe Environment training and protocols first began. Second, the definition of Safe Environment has changed over the years. No longer is it just about children/youth; it now includes vulnerable adults. Also, as experts research and learn more information regarding Safe Environment best practices, VIRTUS trainings are periodically updated so they reflect the newest information. Finally, when the Diocese is audited yearly for Safe Environment compliance, we consistently have been marked as deficient in this category for not having employees and volunteers updated with the latest information to help keep our children, teens, and vulnerable adults safe. Therefore, the Bishop decided that the best option at this point was to ask all employees and volunteers to update their VIRTUS trainings to VIRTUS version 4.0 and complete yearly training modules thereafter.

Again, individuals who have completed VIRTUS training after 2022 already have the latest training, so there is nothing for them to do for 2024. For those of us that completed training before 2022, we can update our training by logging into our online VIRTUS accounts (www.virtusonline.org) and clicking on the link under our Training Module block and completing the new training. Another way to update your VIRTUS training includes an in-person option at your parish or school. A third option for completing training involves receiving and reading the training module in printed material form and signing an acknowledgement form.

The Diocesan Office of Safe Environment and the Bishop have also asked volunteers and staff to begin reading monthly VIRTUS bulletins. You might have noticed that this block also now shows as needing attention on your VIRTUS home screen when you log in. You can read the monthly bulletin from your logged in account. You may also pick up or read a printout of the monthly bulletin at a designated location in the parish or school, as indicated by parish staff. Your parish or school might include the monthly safety bulletin once a month in the parish bulletin that is regularly distributed at Mass. The purpose of these monthly safety bulletins is just another way to raise awareness and keep current with the latest information about keeping our children, teens, and vulnerable adults safe. The information presented in these bulletins is truly excellent knowledge for everyone.

As always, if you have questions regarding this latest update or need assistance logging into your VIRTUS account, please contact Sandy Mick at 304-269-3048.



Donut Sunday September 15

Sponsored by Steven Anisko and the choir.

PARISH PICNIC

Sunday, September 29, 2024

3:00 p.m.

Lewis County Park, Large Pavilion

Bring a covered dish and enjoy the afternoon with your parish family.

The parish will provide hamburgers and hotdogs, the Knights will cook them and provide drinks. The Catholic Daughters will provide table cover, plates, napkins, and utensils.



Anyone interested in helping should contact the parish office.

FOOD HANDLER'S CLASS

The Catholic Daughter's have set up a class for those needing to renew their food handler's card. A representative from the Lewis County Health Department will be in the St. Patrick School cafeteria, September 24 at 6:30 pm. The class will last approximately one hour. Participants will take a written test after class and if the test is passed, will be asked to pay \$15 for a three-year food handler's card. In order to ensure that there are enough materials for participants please call and leave a message, text, or email Donna Lake at 304-476-3426/dlake5977@gmail.com, with your name and intention of attending no later than September 22nd

Funeral Mass Info for Ed and Mary Jo Stark

Fr. Ondeck will have a funeral Mass for Ed and Mary Jo Stark on Saturday, September 21 at 11:00 a.m.

Ed and Mary Jo grew up in Lewis County and were graduates of St. Patrick High School, class of 1952.

May they rest in peace.

St. Bernard Church Mass and Homecoming

**Sunday, October 20, 2024
Mass and Homecoming at St. Bernard Church, Loveberry.**

**Mass will be at 1:00 p.m.
Mike Riffle will provide all the food - no need to bring a covered dish.**

ON DECK

Sunday, September 15

- Adult Catechesis Kickoff, Cafeteria 9:15
- First Communion Formation Kickoff
- OCIA Orientation 9:15AM
- Teen Catechesis 9:15 AM
- Donut Sunday

Saturday September 21

11:00 a.m., Funeral Mass for Ed and Mary Jo Stark

Sunday September 22

Confirmation

Sunday, September 29

3:00 p.m., Parish Picnic
Lewis County Park, large pavilion

Saturday, October 19

School Elimination Dinner

Sunday, October 20


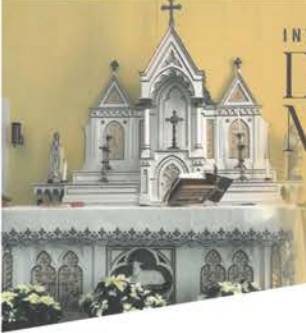
1:00 p.m., Mass and Homecoming at St. Bernard Church, Loveberry

Our Neighbor Collection

September: Paper towels

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

INVITATION TO THE
Dedication Mass AT ST. JOSEPH CHAPEL



The Faith community of Christ Our Hope invites you—our neighbor—to the dedication of the new additions at St. Joseph Chapel.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2024

Mass will be celebrated at 1:00 p.m. at the Chapel with the Most Reverend Mark Brennan (Bishop of the Wheeling-Charleston Diocese), Very Reverend John Rice (Vicar Forane), and Reverend Shinto Mathew (Pastor)

DINNER TO FOLLOW DEDICATION MASS
THE EVENT IS FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

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