

## SOLEMNITY OF SAINTS PETER & PAUL

Veneration of the two great Apostles, Saints Peter and Paul, has its roots in the very foundations of the Church. They are the solid rock on which the Church is built, the origin of her faith and will forever remain her protectors and her guides. To them Rome owes her true greatness, for it was under God's providential guidance that they were led to make the capital of the Empire, sanctified by their martyrdom, the center of the Christian world whence should radiate the preaching of the Gospel. St. Peter suffered martyrdom under Nero, in A.D. 66 or 67. He was buried on the hill of the Vatican where recent excavations have revealed his tomb on the very site of the Basilica of St. Peter's. St. Paul was beheaded in the Via Ostia on the spot where now stands the basilica bearing his name. Down the centuries Christian people in their thousands have gone on pilgrimage to the tombs of these Apostles. In the second and third centuries the Roman Church already stood pre-eminent by reason of her apostolicity, the infallible truth of her teaching and her two great figures, Sts. Peter and Paul. (CatholicCulture)



"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that Day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing."

-St. Paul  
2 Timothy 4:7-8



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

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### Parish Office Hours

Monday & Tuesday, 9 - 4

Wednesday, 12 - 5

Thursday and Friday, 9 - 1



## St. Patrick Catholic School

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## Mass Schedule

Monday - 8:15 a.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.

(During Lent - Adoration begins at 1pm on Wednesdays.)

## 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](http://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](http://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, June 28, 2025	5:30 PM	Mass for †Vicci Tucci
Sunday, June 29, 2025	10:30 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish
Monday, June 30, 2025	8:15 AM	No Mass
Tuesday, July 1, 2025	6:00 PM	Communion Service
Wednesday, July 2, 2025	6:00 PM	Communion Service
Thursday, July 3, 2025	8:15 AM	Mass for †Pat & Roberta Karp by family
<b>Friday, July 4, 2025</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>Mass for †Deceased Pastors of St. Patrick Church</b>
Saturday, July 5, 2025	5:30 PM	Mass for †Bob Thompson by Pam Thompson
Sunday, July 6, 2025	10:30 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish

**CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE TO SPONSOR THE SANCTUARY LAMP FOR A TWO WEEK PERIOD!**



The sanctuary lamp is burning in memory of Jim Aman by Linda Aman and family, June 29 - July 12, 2025.

## Prayer List

**Those who are sick:** Brice Johnston (Ruby), Vicki Almase, Hernan Ayala, Cyndee Becker, Bill Bennett, Tim Bennett, Tyrone Binford, Kelsea Butcher, Margaret Carr, Jody Craig, Ron Cullen, Bonnie Detamore, Libby Ferrell, Sara Ferrell, Charles Frame, Katie Frazer, Greg Garton, Jeff Garton, Marsha Garton, Dave Gissy, Tim Haggan, Lucille Hicks, Mark Jamison, Coretta Jefferson, Shawn Keyser, Pat Kiddy, Dave King, Bernadette Law, David Lewis, Catherine Lipps, Rochelle Long, Stanley Marlow, Matt McCauley, James McClain, Robert McClain, Louise Mehr, Judy Nicholas, Sue Nutter, Amy Price, Raylee Rahming, Brenda Riley, Dan Rittenhouse, Cody and Lindsey Skinner, Mary Smith, Rob Snuffer, Micki Snyder, Terry Sprouse, Nile Straley, Marge Tierney, Diane Walker, Jane White, Kyle Wilkinson

**Those who have died:** Fr. Harry Dunn, 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 Andrew Dean

**Former priests and religious of and from our parish**

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

**All struggling with infertility.**

*To add or remove names to the prayer list, please call or email Sandy at the parish office!*

## Special Collection June 28 & 29 July 5 & 6

**Please support the special collections for flood recovery efforts in Ohio and Marion Counties.**

**Checks should be made out to the parish with "Disaster Relief" on the memo line.**

**FORMED**

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## May Online Donations

General	\$3306
School	\$460.30
Maintenance	\$260..30
Loan	\$110
CSA	\$150.30

## May Utilities and Other Expenses

Utilities	\$4140.19
Copier	\$951.28
Pest Control	\$142
Insurance	\$6000

## Attendance & Collections

Saturday	104
Sunday	199
Total	303
Saturday	\$1019
Sunday	\$943
Mail/Drop Box	\$
Total	\$1962
School	\$100
Votives	\$
Maintenance	\$30
Loan	\$
Organ	\$
Wesbanco Balance	\$33,562.68
Organ Loan Balance	\$62,990.28
Peter's Pence	\$50



## Martyrdom & Road Rage

Throughout the two thousand years since Christ established his church there have been many holy Martyrs who have shown us in the most beautiful way how to follow the way of self-sacrificial love. One you may be familiar with is St. Maximilian Kolbe. He was martyred in Auschwitz's on August 14th 1941 after volunteering to take the place of a fellow prisoner in the starvation chamber. He is most commonly thought of as a beautiful example of the self-sacrificial love Christ speaks of in the Gospel of John:

"Greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends."  
(John 15:13 RSV)



St. Maximilian Kolbe

Less than a year later in the Dachau concentration camp in southern Germany about 370 miles away there was another great saint suffering for his Faith. His name is St. Titus Brandsma. A Dutch Carmelite priest who similarly to Maximilian Kolbe was imprisoned for opposing Nazi ideology. He was brought into the "infirmary" on June 19th 1942. He was already put on the "death list" by the time he arrived meaning he was brought in to be experimented on and tortured by nurses and doctors rather than suffering as a working member of a labor camp.

In his room there was a nurse that "cared" for him. She was the one who both subjected him to frequent forms of torture and spoke with him more than anyone else. The nurse's name was Irmgard Grünwald. She recounts that unlike every other prisoner she tortured, Titus never cursed or scolded her.



St. Titus Brandsma

Instead Irmgard said that she distinctly remembers a day in which he grabbed her hand and with a fatherly love looked her in the eye saying "You poor, poor girl, I'll pray for you!" The elderly priest gave her his rosary and loved her everyday she came in to aid in his torture regimen. It so happened that the duty fell on Irmgard to inject carbonic acid into his blood stream effectively killing the holy priest. Titus Brandsma was martyred on July 25th 1942. In his suffering he showed the deep charity and love of God of a man fully conformed to Christ and because of his love and witness the very women who killed him found the love of Christ in his death. She recounts simply "He had compassion for me." Irmgard converted to the Catholic faith and testified in the canonical process for his canonization. St. Titus Brandsma was canonized on May 15th, 2022 in St. Peter's square. His life along with St. Maximilian Kolbe's show us the powerful grace at work through our acts of charity. A charity that comes only from a deep interior peace. A deep interior peace that comes from knowing

you are loved by Christ and that by giving your life in love to every single person you encounter you are loving Christ as you ought. Our Lord said when asked about the greatest commandment:

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets."  
(Matthew 22:37-40 RSV)

One man laid down his life for a total stranger while the other committed his last days to the effective conversion of his murderer. We all see Christ in these great men. Even those who don't believe and those who hate Christ and His Church see Christ in them.

Can we say the same for our own lives? Do we make people think of our Lord by the way we speak to them? By the way we work for them? By the way we parent them? By how we deal with them when they hog the left lane going 10 miles under the speed limit on I-79?

A good practice is to keep the lives of the saints and above all- the life of Christ in the forefront of our minds. If you've got on your mind, for example, the conversion of Irmgard Grünwald when someone cuts you off in traffic-- it might just be a little bit easier to say a Hail Mary for them instead of making an angry gesture.

In Christ,  
Andrew Dean







## VISITORS & PILGRIMS

For those visiting our beautiful parish this summer, we would love to include you in our bulletin. Take a picture and email it to the address below. Tell us your names, where you are visiting from and the name of your home parish!

## THANKS FOR VISITING!

The Davis family are certainly no strangers to us! We were very excited to see Zach, Emily, Abigail, Willow, Rebecca, Joshua, and Joseph visiting their former parish for Corpus Christi!



Rob & Maria McGill and their children Monica, Joseph, Andrew, Gabriela, and Anthony visited us from Springfield, Virginia. Their home parish is St. Bernadette. It was lovely having you worship with us!

## DON'T TAKE A VACATION FROM MASS THIS SUMMER

A loving reminder that vacation is not considered a valid reason to miss Sunday Mass.

The beauty of the Catholic Church is that Mass is UNIVERSAL! When you plan a trip, include Mass in your itinerary to meet your Sunday obligation to worship the Lord.

If you visit a different parish this summer, snap a photo of your family at the church and email it to [secretary@spchurchweston.net](mailto:secretary@spchurchweston.net) along with the parish name, city, and state as we would love to feature your travels in the bulletin!

## Mass Should Be Your Excuse for Missing Everything Else

## PARISHONER'S TRAVELS

Last weekend, the Kuhn family visited the beautiful parish of St. Mary's Catholic Church Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Lancaster, PA!





## St. Patrick Schools Annual Golf Tournament

The annual tournament will be Saturday, August 2 at Deerfield Country Club. Team space is limited so please register early.

Anyone wishing to sponsor the tournament or register a team should call Ryan or text at 304-641-0090.

## Rosary Brunch

On July 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM, our St. Patrick's Women's group will gather over brunch and pray the rosary together at the Brumley residence. We would love for you to join us for prayer and fellowship! Please contact [brumleybeth@gmail.com](mailto:brumleybeth@gmail.com) for more information.



## Parish Office Hours this Week

The parish office will close at 11 a.m. on Monday, June 30<sup>th</sup>. We will be open our regular hours Tuesday through Thursday and closed Friday July 4<sup>th</sup>.  
Happy Independence Day!

## Jarrold West Basketball Camp

The Jarrold West Basketball Camp will take place on July 7<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> at St. Patrick's School Gym/ This camp is for boys and girls in 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grades. The cost is \$120. Registration forms are in the vestibule.

## Camp Carlo Dates

June 29 - July 5, High School Week  
July 6 - July 12, Catch All Week  
July 13 - July 19, Catch All Week  
July 20 - July 26, Catch All Week

Register at: <https://campcarlowv.org>  
**Scholarships available!**

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## Benefit ATV Ride for Kelsea Butcher

To help with medical expenses for a liver transplant, there will be an ATV ride to raise money for Kelsea Butcher on July 19, 2025. Prices are 15\$ per driver | 10\$ per passenger. Pre-register by July 12<sup>th</sup> or the day of the ride. Each driver will be required to sign a waiver. Riders will leave at 11 AM from The Event Center at 46 Minerva Ave. Weston. For more information, contact: [kelseasride@gmail.com](mailto:kelseasride@gmail.com)

## Catholic Daughters Fundraiser

The Catholic Daughters are selling tickets to the Tidal Wave Car Spa. Each ticket will be sold for \$10. In return the buyer can take the coupon to any Tidal Wave Car Wash and get the \$30 wash which also includes free vacuuming, cleaning cloths and spray to finish the inside of the car. The tickets don't expire until August 2026. Contact Donna Lake for tickets at [dlake5977@gmail.com](mailto:dlake5977@gmail.com)



# HIGHLIGHTS

## Corpus Christi Procession

Our parish celebrated the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ with a beautiful Eucharistic Procession. The purpose of a Eucharistic Procession is to make a public declaration of faith in the Real Presence as well as bringing Christ to the world which He so loves.



## Well Read Mom Book Club Held Final Meeting of the Year



Our "Well-Read Mom" book club concluded our reading list with a discussion on "Ruth" by Elizabeth Gaskell. This year's theme was "Year of the Father." Our fellowship also gave us the space to celebrate participant Summer Lamay with a surprise bridal shower!

Beginning in August, we will be venturing onto 'The Year of the Teacher.' If you hope to read more and to read well, consider joining us! Contact [mwhite.stpats@gmail.com](mailto:mwhite.stpats@gmail.com) for more information.

## On Deck

**Saturday & Sunday, June 28 & 29**

Special Collection for flood relief efforts in Marion and Ohio Counties.

**Monday, June 30**

No Mass,  
Office will close at 11

**Tuesday and Wednesday, July 1 & 2**

Adoration and Communion Service  
No Confession on these days.

**Thursday, July 3**

8:15 a.m., Mass

**Friday, July 4**

9:00 a.m., Mass, parish office closed

**Saturday & Sunday, July 5 & 6**

Special Collection for flood relief efforts in Marion and Ohio Counties.

**July 7<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup>**

Jarrold West Basketball Camp

**July 12<sup>th</sup>**

Rosary Brunch

**Sunday, July 13**

Donut Sunday

**Saturday, August 2**

St. Pat's Golf Tournament, Deerfield

**Saturday, August 2**

St. Boniface Annual Chicken Supper

**Sunday, August 10**

Donut Sunday

### Our Neighbor Collection

**June:** Salt and pepper, Shampoo, & Dish soap

**July:** Toilet Paper & Tissues

The Our Neighbor pantry is in need of the items listed above. They don't need conditioner just shampoo as well as the other items listed.

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



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