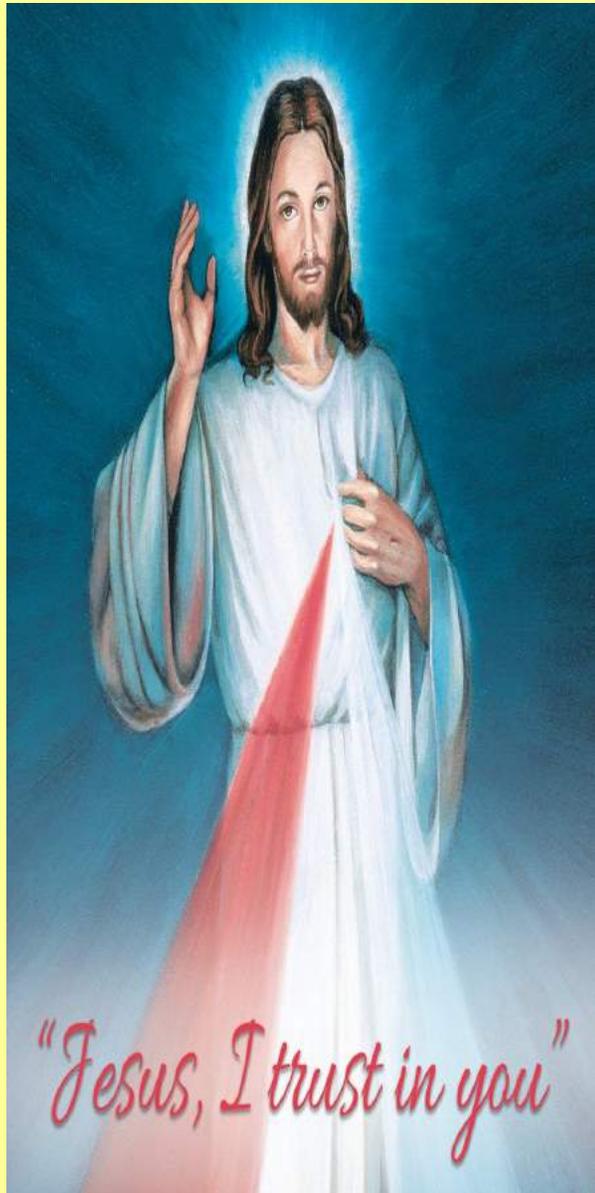


SAINT ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

1017 JEFFERSON ST * FOLLANSBEE WV

April 7, 2024



"Jesus, I trust in you"

Divine Mercy Sunday

Sacramental Schedule

Sunday Masses

Saturday4:00 PM
Sunday 8:00AM &
10:30AM

Weekday Masses

MondayNO Mass
Tuesday 6:00PM
Wednesday7:30AM
Thursday 6:00 PM
Friday7:30AM

Holy Days of Obligation: Vigil Mass 4:00PM

Confessions: Saturday 3pm-3:30PM or by appointment

Baptism & Marriage: Please contact the parish office as soon as possible to begin Sacramental Preparation and scheduling.

RCIA: Please contact the parish office for more information.

Parish Prayer Line: Please call Mary Lou Mirasola (304-527-2261) or Mary Catherine Croce (304-527-3150)

Administrator... Rev. Gerald Muoka.... gmuoka@dwc.org

Parish Secretary: DeEtta Bertucci -stanthonychurch@comcast.net

Bookkeeper... Susan Makara-Targoss—stanthonychurch@comcast.net

Music DirectorAttilio Boni - 304-670-2745

Sacramental Prep, Adult Formation, RCIA—Fred & Chris Welshans - sacdre@comcast.net

Director of Religious Education & Youth Ministry - stanthonysistersdre@comcast.net & stanthonysistersyouth@comcast.net
The Sisters of "The Daughter of Holy Mary of the Heart of Jesus"

St. Francis Centre Manager.....Jim DeMundo - 304-559-7454

St. Francis Centre - 304-527-1279

Parish Staff & Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
8:30am - 3:30pm
304-527-2286
304-527-2548 (fax)

St. Anthony Catholic Church Mission Statement:

We as a parish family strive to be a vibrant Catholic Community supporting and nurturing each person on his or her faith journey with Christ.

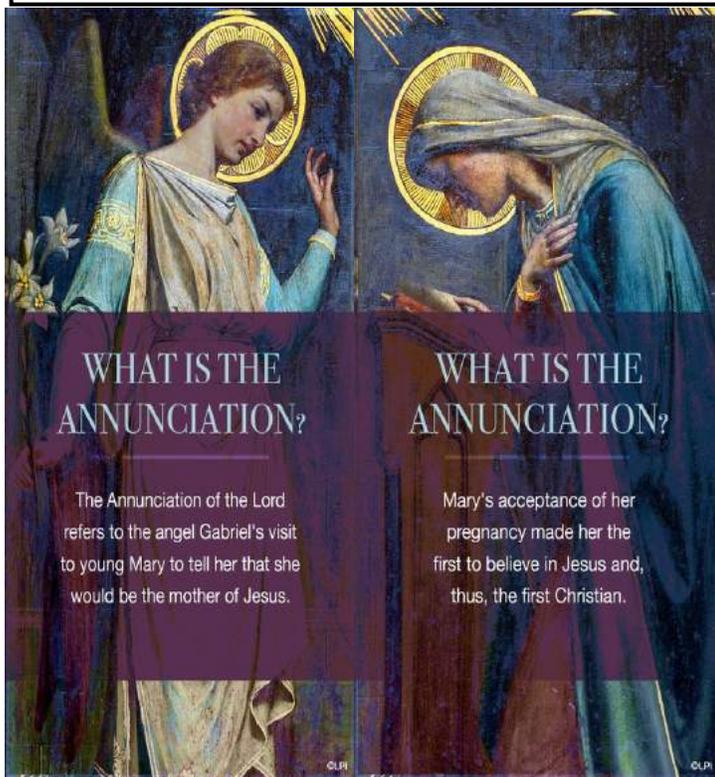
MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 6	4:00 pm	Cheryl Ann Rosso +	Req by: John & Francine Crow
Sunday, April 7	8:00am	Maurine Mazezka +	Req by: friends & family
Sunday, April 7	10:30am	People of the Parish	
Monday, April 8	7:30am	Mass for the Solemnity of the Annunciation	
Tuesday, April 9	6:00pm	Kristyn Brindley +	Req by: Patti Micucci
Wednesday, April 10	7:30am	George Zrinyi +	Req by: Ethel Scavdis
Thursday, April 11	6:00pm	Cheryl Ann Rosso +	Req by: John & Francine Crow
Friday, April 12	7:30am	Lauretta Soltes +	Req by: Carmela Wallace
Saturday, April 13	4:00 pm	People of the Parish	
Sunday, April 14	8:00 am	John Puskarich +	Req by: Sandy Casinelli
Sunday, April 14	10:30am	Michael Reale +	Req by: Neff family

*Liturgical Minister Schedule
April 13 & 14*

Mass	Lector	Extraordinary Minister	Server
4:00pm	Carla Morris	Chris Manack-Stover	Jim Boniey
8:00am	Antoinette Perkins	Lynn Wright	John Bayardi Dave Velegol
10:30am	Paul Macdonald	Anna DiVenanzo	Mary E. Andriano

Due to the Feast of the Annunciation falling on Monday of Holy Week this year, the Church moved the observance of the feast to tomorrow April 8.



Readings for the Week

Sunday: Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/1 Jn 5:1-6/ Jn 20:19-31

Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21

Next Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 (7a)/1 Jn

O Blood and water which gushed forth from the heart of Jesus as a fountain of mercy for us, We trust in You



Congratulations to those who entered the church in full communion during the Easter Vigil:

C.J. Helms—
Baptism, Eucharist & Confirmation

Alanna Lynch—
Confirmation

NOW WITH CHRIST

Brother Giuseppe Nazionale, OCS
March 19, 2024

*you can find his obituary at monks.org

Sanctuary Candle is burning in memory of **Greg Rees** from **April 6 to April 12** from **Ellen Rees**.



NEW MEMBERS... Welcome to St Anthony Church Kerri Stock. We're so glad you joined our parish family

Prayer Intentions

Allen Negri

Please call the office to add & remove names.

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.

Parish Announcements

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be held on Tuesdays from 5:30-6pm.

To observe Divine Mercy Sunday, we will be having a parish celebration. The day starts at 2:15pm with opening prayer and confessions. Exposition, Adoration and praying of the Divine Mercy chaplet will follow. The event ends at 3:30pm with a reception afterwards. See bulletin insert for details.

Upcoming Events

- April 7—Divine Mercy Sunday activities and social; 2:15-3:30 with refreshments immediately following. See insert for details.
- May 5—First Communion Mass at 10:30am
- May 5—May Crowning at 10:30am Mass
- May 12—Mother's Day Buffet

St. Joseph the Worker Parish is holding the Christian Mother Annual Card Party on Sunday April 21, 2024 at 2pm. It will be held in the Dube Dome at the school. Tickets are \$10 and that includes lunch and entry for door prizes. Call Barb at 304-723-9672.

Thank you to all those who generously volunteered to make our Easter celebration and Divine Mercy celebration a blessed experience.

St. Anthony Bread Account... In 2023, we helped 14 families keep their utilities on for a total of \$4,698.93. We thank you for your donations to this account and have extra St. Anthony Bread envelopes in the back of the church for your convenience. Your continued donations are much needed and appreciated.

St. Anthony All-School reunion will be held on Saturday June 22, 2024 in Follansbee, WV. A Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated at 4pm in St. Anthony's Church followed by a banquet at 6pm at St. Francis Centre, Hooverson Heights. While honoring the Class of 1964, the final graduating class of St. Anthony High School on their 60th anniversary, this reunion is intended for all students and their guests who attended or graduated from the former St. Anthony grade and high schools. Special memorial ceremonies and tributes are earmarked for the deceased members of the Sisters of the Poor Child Jesus of Holland who staffed both schools and also for deceased members of all classes. For further information/reservations, please contact Fr. Joe D'Aurora at josephdaurora1@gmail.com or 434-906-1183 or call Vickey Sciarretti Ross at aross174@comcast.net or 304-527-3235.

HOLY NAME will meet on the 2nd Sunday of every month

ALTAR & ROSARY Meetings will resume Sunday, April 21, 2024 following the 8am Mass. Any questions: call Dorene Wilkerson at 304-527-0806.

MASS INTENTIONS ARE NOW ACCEPTED!!

Scheduling for Masses has now opened through July!!!!

Sanctuary candles for the entire year are also open for scheduling.

Please call the office for availability and/or drop your Mass Requests in the collection basket. Please include a second date if first request is not available.

Thank you.

CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL

St. Anthony's CSA goal for 2024 is 21,920. We have collected \$3,760 from 23 gifts. We are currently at 17% of our goal. Please consider a donation and thank you to those who have already

Can you help? We are looking for a maintenance person to clean the bathrooms, sweep and empty the trash in the parish office, school, church and church hall. Please contact the parish office if you can assist on a voluntary basis until someone is hired.

UPCOMING DIOCESAN COLLECTION

- **May 26— Catholic Relief Services**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will meet on the 4th Sunday of every month after Mass.

MARCH 24TH COLLECTION

Offertory	2482.00
Loose Contributions	142.00
Children's Due	2.00
Friday Friends	55.00
Major Improvements	40.00
Debt Reduction	15.00
Easter Flowers	40.00
Diocesan Retirement Fund	20.00

Total: 2796.00

Attendance: 238

Thank you for your stewardship! Your generous donations will help to keep our obligations current. Reminder: please use the contribution envelopes provided to ensure the appropriate credit to your account. Thank You!

HOLY WEEK/EASTER COLLECTION

Offertory	7635.00
Loose Contributions	656.00
Children's Due	2.00
Friday Friends	245.00
Major Improvements	25.00
Debt Reduction	25.00
Easter Flowers	40.00
Holy Thursday—St. Anthony Bread	1100.00
Good Friday (Pontifical Coll for the Holy Land)	531.00
Diocesan Retirement Fund	30.00

Total: 10,289.00

Attendance: 310

Our parish is dedicated to ministering to the sick, the hospitalized, the homebound and those in nursing homes. Please call the parish office if you would like to receive the Sacraments of the Anointing of the Sick or Holy Communion. Please inform the parish staff if you are aware of a member of our community who is seriously ill.