

St. Anthony Catholic Church

1017 Jefferson Street • Follansbee, WV 26037

April 29, 2018

Fifth Sunday of Easter



Sacramental Schedule

Sunday Masses:

Saturday	4:00 p.m.
Sunday	8:00 a.m.
.....	10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses:

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	No Mass
Wednesday	No Mass
Thursday	No Mass
Friday	7:30 a.m.

Holy Days:

Masses at 7:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Confessions:

Saturday, 11:00 a.m. - Noon or by appointment.

Baptism & Marriage:

Please contact the parish office as soon as possible to begin Sacramental Preparation and scheduling.

RCIA:

Please contact Fred Welshans at the parish office for more information.

Parish Prayer Line:

If you are in need of prayers, please call Mary Lou Mirasola (304-527-2261) or Mary Catherine Croce (304-527-3150)

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.



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Contact the Parish Staff **Office Hours - M T TH F - 9:00 - 3:00** **Office Closed Wednesday**

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“Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth.” – 1 JOHN 3:18

Regarding our Catholic faith, do you “walk the talk?” Do your actions reflect what it means to be a good disciple? Are you an active participant at Sunday Mass? Are you joyful when participating in parish ministry? Do you give gratefully and generously with your financial support to your parish and other Church needs? If not, it’s not too late to start!

Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

Like the vine grower in today’s gospel, parents must “prune and cleanse” the branches in their family if their children are going to be rooted. Discipline, limits and setting goals are a necessary part of parenting so our children will grow and “bear fruit.”

FOOD DRIVE St. Anthony Knights of Columbus 11919 will be conducting a food drive called Food for Families. Families are encouraged to donate at least 1 can per Sunday (5) for April. Tubs will be located in the vestibule for the food deposit. All food will be donated to the REACH program. Items needed most are soups (vegetable in particular), beans, vegetables (corn, mixed etc.) and pasta. Also please verify that food expiration dates are later than October 2018. Thank you for your generosity.

MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE Mass will be canceled on the following days: Tuesday, May 1st, Wednesday, May 2nd, and Thursday, May 3rd. Fr. Cody will be attending the Priest Convocation in Charleston.

I Publish **Wedding Banns** Between (2nd)
Jake Paesano & Ashley Barkley

If any of you know cause, or just impediment, why this couple should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, ye are to declare it.

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST PARISHIONER:

Connor James Pepe son of Anthony Tyler Pepe and Kelcey Mazzella Pepe who was baptized on Sunday, April 22, 2018.

UPCOMING EVENTS - SAVE THE DATE

- April 29, 2018 -First Holy Communion
- May 13, 2018 –Mass for High School Graduates at 8:00 a.m.
- June 13, 2018 –St. Anthony Day Celebration. Mass at 6:00 p.m. with reception immediately following.
- June 20, 2018 –WV Day (P.S. It is also Fr. Cody’s Birthday).
- August 5, 2018 –Parish Picnic at Follansbee Community House. More information to come.
- September 3, 2018 - Labor Day
- September 27, 2018 –Blue Mass
- November 22, 2018 - Thanksgiving Day
- December 1st & December 2nd - First Sunday of Advent.
- December 9, 2018 –Lessons, Carols & Vespers with reception.
- December 12, 2018 -Mass at 6:00 p.m. with Caroling.
- December 16, 2018 –Rite of Enrollment

BIBLE STUDY John DiGiacinto will lead Bible Study on Tuesday, May 1st at 10 a.m. in the Emmaus Room. All are welcome.

MYSTOGIA will be held every Thursday evening at 6:30 pm in the Emmaus Room.

FIRST COMMUNION will be this Sunday, April 29th at the 10:30 Mass.



MAY CROWNING Sunday, May 6th at the 10:30 Mass.

SANCTUARY LAMP is burning in memory of Bryan Fritz from April 28th to May 11th.

NOW WITH CHRIST Remember in your prayers *Helen Aftanas* who passed away on Saturday, April 14, 2018. *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May her soul and the souls of all the Faithful Departed rest in peace.*

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The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston is committed to the protection of its children and young people. The Diocese complies with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops’ *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* by maintaining an Office of Safe Environment. To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact the West Virginia Bureau for Children and Families/Child Protective Services by calling the Child Abuse Hotline at 800.352.6513. 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 (toll free) or 304.233.0880: Sister Ellen Dunn, ext. 264; Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Msgr. Frederick Annie, ext. 267, or Msgr. Anthony Cincinnati, 270. For more information on the Diocese’s Office of Safe Environment, please go to www.dwc.org, then click the “Diocese” tab, then click “Office of Safe Environment” under the “Offices” menu. To learn more about the Catholic Church’s efforts in preventing sexual abuse of children in the United States, please visit <http://www/usccb.org>. Under “Issues and Action,” click “Child and Youth Protection” from the drop down menu.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16;
Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21;
Jn 14:27-31a or (for the memorial)
Gn 1:26 — 2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24;
Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16; Mt 13:54-58
Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8
Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14
Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17
Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
Sunday: Acts 10:25-36, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1-4;
1 Jn 4:7-10 or 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 15:9-17
or Jn 17:11b-19

THOSE WHO HAVE REQUESTED PRAYER Betty Bailey, Crissy Cambell, Johnny Chiarello, Roxanne Davis, Jim DeMundo, Dom Frio, Suzette Gallagher, Dustin Hall, Loreto (88) Iafrate, Bernie Kobily, Susie Kurcina, Donna Norman, Julie, John, & Michael Petruccioli, Shannon Stewart, Jim Sutak and Cassy Toney.

A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU TO ALL OUR VOLUNTEERS FOR ALL YOU DO FOR ST. ANTHONY CHURCH AND ALSO TO OUR BULLETIN ADVERTISERS WHO SUPPORT THE PUBLICATION OF OUR WEEKLY BULLETIN. YOU ARE ALL THE BEST!!!!



DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS:
Friday, 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Benediction and Prayer of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Both meetings will begin with the Rosary at 6:30
General Meeting: May 1, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.
Officers Meeting: Canceled
Meetings will be held in the church hall.
Contact: Will Sleever 740-219-2489

ALTAR & ROSARY

Next Meeting: May 20, 2018
After 8:00 a.m. Mass
Contact: Marge Gaudio 304-527-1323

HOLY NAME

Meeting: June 3, 2018
After 8:00 a.m. Mass
Contact: Joe Settimio 304-527-1605

Camp Bosco, Huttonsville, West Virginia, July 2018 (4 weeks to choose from) This camp is open to students in grades 3rd-12th. Cost is \$325.00 per child (Scholarships are available) Registration is online at: www.campbosco.com Any questions e-mail hbise@dwc.org or call 1-888-434-6237, ext. 311

The FertilityCare™ Center of the Upper Ohio Valley, Inc. & the Weirton Catholic Pro-Life Group will be sponsoring a Memorial Mass for Babies Who Died Before Birth whether by miscarriage, abortion, ectopic (tubal) pregnancy (no distinction will be made) & whether occurring recently or years ago. The Mass will be celebrated on Friday, May 18, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart of Mary Catholic Church, 200 Preston Avenue, Weirton, WV. Confession will be available at 5:30 p.m. So that we may best honor your child please call 304-723-0478 or 304-748-0688 to RSVP (all family members and friends are welcome).

KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS PROGRAM

As a reminder, parishioners must renew each year as your registration expires in April. If you are interested in being enrolled contact Barbra Milewsky at 740-264-7581. Please consider enrolling in this program as it is an excellent way of contributing to your parish. *Note: If you were originally enrolled by Barb, she will automatically set up your 2018 renewal. Thank you for your support!*

UPCOMING DIOCESAN COLLECTIONS

- May 20 –Peter’s Pence
- July 15 –Communications

THANK YOU We are grateful for the generosity of the CCD families and the parishioners who participated in “Rice Bowl”. We collected and sent \$306.00 to Catholic Relief Services.

LAST WEEK COLLECTION

Offertory	\$2,942.50
Children’s Dues	\$2.00
Loose Change	\$500.00
Debt Reduction	\$6.00
Friday Friends	\$70.00
Major Improvements	\$25.00
Education of Seminarians	\$35.00
Easter Offering	\$30.00
Diocesan Priest Retirement Fund	\$10.00

Total \$3,620.50
Weekly Budgeted Expenses: \$6,800.00
Attendance: 293

Thank you for your generosity!

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