

St. Anthony Catholic Church

1017 Jefferson Street • Follansbee, WV 26037

August 5, 2018

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Sacramental Schedule

Sunday Masses:

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

Weekday Masses:

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	7:30 a.m.
Thursday	6:00 p.m.
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.

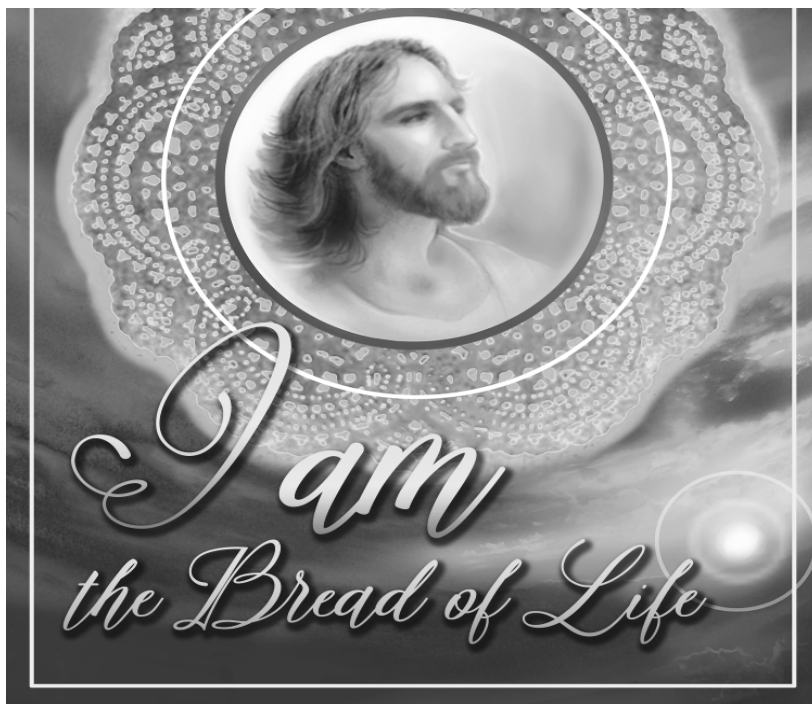
RCIA:

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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FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

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Greetings in the Lord!

August 2 marked my first anniversary as Administrator of St Anthony Parish. It would be an understatement to say that this past year has been educational. I have indeed learned much in my first year of parish ministry, and I have much more to learn as time goes on.

Many of you tell me and I hear from many others what a wonderful priest you think I am. I do appreciate these sentiments. God has blessed me abundantly in certain areas of my personality, character, and ministry, and I am especially grateful for his gift to me of preaching. If you find yourself recognizing my strengths, do not thank me; thank God. They are his gifts, and if I use them for your sake and his glory, I am simply a servant doing my duty (see Luke 17:7-10).

I also recognize there are many gifts that God in his wisdom has withheld from me. There are areas of ministry and my own life of faith where I struggle while others excel. If you find yourself recognizing my weaknesses, of which there are many, then please pray for me. I am only a man, and I stand in the same need of conversion and salvation as any other.

In the end, it's not about me, nor about a parish, nor numbers, nor yesterday, nor tomorrow. It is only – and must only ever be – about Jesus Christ. Anything less is unworthy for a Christian.

Yours faithfully in Christ, Father Cody

PARISH PICNIC will be held this Sunday, August 5, 2018 at 12:00 noon at the Follansbee Community House. Chicken, sausage, hot dogs, drinks, paper products and eating utensils will be provided by the parish. Members of the parish are ask to bring the following covered dish:

- A-D Casseroles
- E-K Desserts
- L-O Salads
- P-S Main Dish
- T-Z Vegetables

Swimming, Bocce Tournament, Corn Hole, Bounce House, Bingo and Raffles will be part of the fun. Entertainment will be provided by Bob Gaudio.

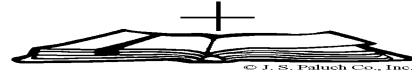
If you plan to attend, please use the sign up sheet in the vestibule to register. We are also in need of volunteers for the event. If interested in volunteering, there is a sign up sheet in vestibule. We hope to see you on Sunday!

CONGRATULATIONS to *Mr. & Mrs. Geno Santangelo* who celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on July 26, 2018. Happy Anniversary from your church family!!!!

UPCOMING EVENTS - SAVE THE DATE

- **August 5, 2018 –Parish Picnic Sunday at 12:00 Noon**
- September 3, 2018 - Labor Day
- September 27, 2018 –Blue Mass
- November 22, 2018 - Thanksgiving Day
- December 1st & December 2nd - First Sunday of Advent..
- December 12, 2018 -Mass at 6:00 p.m. with Caroling.

Mass Intentions



- Saturday, Aug 4 4:00 p.m.
Anthony Yachini +
- Sunday, Aug 5 8:00 a.m.
Steve & Norie Kurcina +
- Sunday, Aug 5 10:30 a.m.
People of the Parish
- Monday, Aug 6 NO MASS
- Tuesday, Aug 7 6:00 p.m.
Frank & Hearty DiPasquale+
- Wednesday, Aug 8 7:30 a.m.
Helen Oxier+
- Thursday, Aug 9 6:00 p.m.
Henry & Blanche DiPietro+
- Friday, Aug 10 7:30 a.m.
Anne Febo+
- Saturday, Aug 11 4:00 p.m.
People of the Parish
- Sunday, Aug 12- 8:00 a.m.
Frances & Mary Gaudio+
- Sunday, Aug 12 - 10:30 a.m.
Angelo & Betty Lou Ciccolella

Liturgical Minister Schedule for August 11th & August 12th

	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Extraordinary Minister</u>	<u>Server</u>
4:00	Kim Ohler	Anna Berardi Anna J. D'Aurora Chris Manack-Stover	John Cipriani
8:00	Marge Gaudio	Emilia Recchio Jim Cavalier Cheryl Costantini	Lydia & Blaise Buchmelter
10:30	Tom Davidson	Anna DiVenanzo Patty Retton Jill Mazzella	Cooper McMahon

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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Do not work for food that perishes
but for the food that endures for eternal life.
— *John 6:27a*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;
2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10
Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-21, 29,
22-23; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13;
Mt 15:21-28
Thursday: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19;
Mt 16:13-23
Friday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
Saturday: Hb 1:12 — 2:4; Ps 9:8-13; Mt 17:14-20
Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-9; Eph 4:30 — 5:2;
Jn 6:41-51

THOSE WHO HAVE REQUESTED PRAYER Betty Bailey, Crissy Cambell, Johnny Chiarello, Jim DeMundo, Dom Frio, Suzette Gallagher, Dustin Hall, Loreto (88) Iafate, Bernie Kobily, Sonja Velegol McCreary, Shannon Stewart, Jim Sutak, and Cassy Toney.

Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

In today's gospel Jesus tells us: "Do not work for what perishes." Give your life to what endures such as the family history you are creating, the love and mutual respect which bonds you together, the memories you share and the forgiveness generously given. These are the true treasures that are worth working and dying for.

**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

The meeting will begin with the Rosary at 6:30

General Meeting: August 7, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.

Meetings will be held in the church hall.

Contact: Will Sleever 740-219-2489

ALTAR & ROSARY

Next Meeting: September 16, 2018

After 8:00 a.m. Mass

Contact: Marge Gaudio 304-527-1323

HOLY NAME

Meeting: September 2, 2018

After 8:00 a.m. Mass

Contact: Joe Settimo 304-527-1605

BIBLE STUDY will be canceled this week.

SANCTUARY LAMP is burning in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Steve Kurcina from August 4th to August 17th.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston will host a one-day marriage preparation course on Saturday, November 3, 2018. It will take place at the Angelus Center at Saint Michael Church in Wheeling. There are 11 spaces available. To register please go to the following website: <https://wvmarriage.org/engaged> If you have any questions, please contact Jeanne McKeets, 304-233-0880, ext. 374.

KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS PROGRAM

If you have not already done so, please consider enrolling in this program as it is an excellent way of contributing to your parish. If you are interested in being enrolled contact Barbara Milewsky at 740-264-7581.

CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL

"Almost Heaven"

This year's goal for St. Anthony Church is \$24,855. After prayer and discussion with your family, please consider making a commitment to this appeal. We are currently at 60% of our goal with 59 gifts. We have received a total of \$ 14,883 in donations. **WE ARE OVER 50% OF OUR CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL GOAL!!!!!! THAT MEANS EVERY GIFT MADE TO THE CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL BETWEEN NOW & DECEMBER 31ST WILL BE RETURNED TO OUR PARISH. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND LETS KEEP THOSE DONATIONS COMING!!!!!!**

UPCOMING DIOCESAN COLLECTIONS

- September 9– Diocesan Scholarship Association
- September 30– Catholic University
- October 21– Universal World Mission

Last Week Collection

Offertory	\$3,052.50
Loose Change	\$241.00
Children's Dues	\$4.00
Debt Reduction	\$20.00
Friday Friends	\$58.00
Major Improvements	\$60.00
Picnic Cost Deferral	\$125.00

Total \$3,560.50

Weekly Budgeted Expenses: \$6,600.00

Attendance: 273

Thank you for your generosity!!!!

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