



ST. ANN CATHOLIC PARISH

Physical Location: 610 Pike Street, Shinnston, WV 26431
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September 29 & 30, 2018

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Mass Schedule:

Sunday Masses:	Saturday:	5:00pm
	Sunday:	8:00am
		10:00am
Weekday Masses: Tues & Thurs		6:00pm
Wed & Friday		8:30am



Baptism

Please contact the Pastor to schedule a baptism. Instruction sessions are required with your first child.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 4:00pm to 4:30pm
 Before and after any weekday service and by appointment



Marriages:

Please contact the Pastor at least 6 months prior to the proposed date of marriage.

Rosary and Prayer are said in the church every Wednesday at 6:30pm.



Minister's Schedule October 6 & 7, 2018

	5:00pm	8:00am	10:00am
Server:	Frank DeMarco		Nathaniel Bee & Robert Spadafore
Lector:	Nancy Hall	John Marchio	Sam DeMarco
Cup Ministers:	Cindy Hamrick	Mickey Arco	Keith Dumas Robbie Spadafore Jim Spadafore
Host Ministers:	Frank DeMarco		Steven Bee
Ushers:	Ron Gonzalez	Helen DeCosta	John DeMarco

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

Saturday:	Sept 29	5:00pm	In Memory of David Costelac Patty & Bob Costelac RM
Sunday:	Sept 30	8:00am	Ron "Hawk" Romeo by Sharon Brisbin RM
		10:00am	Jim Fortney by Sandy & Bud McDonell RM
Monday:	October 1	No Mass	
Tuesday:	October 2	6:00pm	Jim Matheny by Jim & Peggy Matish RM
Wednesday:	October 3	8:30am	Ann Libicer by Steve Libicer RM
Thursday:	October 4	6:00pm	No Mass
Friday:	October 5	*6:00pm	The Rife and Menendez Family by Gloria Hawkins
Saturday	October 6	5:00pm	Mass for the People
Sunday	October 7	8:00am	Bobby Hamrick by Donna & Nick Fleece RM
		10:00am	Ola McNeil Mooney by John & Mary Ellen Knotts RM

First Friday Mass is being held in the chapel at 6:00pm

How can there be too many children? That is like saying there are too many flowers. *Mother Teresa*

Following is an explanation for the Requiem Mass: (RM) that appears after the names in the Mass Intentions for - Requiem Masses. Requiem Masses are masses that are offered for the dead. They derive their name from the first word of the Introit, which may be traced to the Fourth Book of Esdras, one of the Apocrypha, at the passage “Expectate pastorem vestrum, requiem aeternitatis dabit vobis...Parati estote ad praemia regni, qui lux perpetua lucabit vobis aeternitatem temporis” The date of adoption of this Introit is not well known, but is found in the so-called Antiphony of St. Gregory Come of Albino. The religious idea that the soul is immortal made even the Jews hold that the just, after death, went to sleep with their fathers (cf. Genesis 47:30; 1Kings 2:10; 2 Maccabees 7:45), and Christians believed with St. Paul that they slept in Christ (1 Corinthians 15:18). Masses are not only for the dead. Masses can be offered for the living and for the intentions of Thanksgiving. The word ‘Eucharist’ stands for the idea of Thanksgiving. The masses can be offered for different intentions, and are different from Requiem Masses. (*Canon Law - 945 to Canon Law - 958*)



Fr Jude will be out and about visiting our “shut-ins” on Monday, October 1, 2018. If you would like for Father to come and visit you, and you aren’t on the current list of shut-in’s, please let us know, and he will be most happy to schedule a visit with you. Call the office at 304-592-2733.



The blessing of pets and animals is scheduled to be celebrated on Sunday, October 7, 2018 at 12:00 Noon. The Feast Day for St. Francis of Assisi is on Thursday, October 4, 2018, and this blessing usually occurs on the closest Sunday to his feast day. This celebration also coincides with the conclusion of our prayer season of creation. The blessing of each animal, by name, means that health, healing, and life are being mediated from God for the benefit of the animal in its relationship with its human partners.



Immediately after the 10:00 am mass the Altar Society is hosting a Bake Steak Dinner in the parish hall. Please join us for a meal and fellowship.



For over 500 years, Forty Hours or *Quarant’ Ore* has been regarded as one of the most beautiful of all Catholic Devotions. Here at St. Ann’s in the Blessed Margaret Eucharistic Adoration Chapel, the Blessed Sacrament is solemnly exposed for 18 hours outside of the tabernacle and continuously adored by the faithful. On October 24, 2018, we will celebrate 19 years of adoration to the Blessed Sacrament. In past centuries, especially in the late Middle Ages, people turned to the Blessed Sacrament, the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, during times of trial and crisis. The faithful would come in shifts before the Sacrament seeking God’s intercession during events threatening the local community.

The Cathedral of St. Joseph in Wheeling will host a 40-Hours Devotion in Reparation for Sins and for the Healing of the Church on October 7-9, 2018. This prolonged time of Eucharistic Adoration is meant to provide the opportunity to offer prayers for reparation and healing – healing of victims of sexual abuse and for the healing of the Catholic Church. So, you are invited during this time of crisis in our church to pray for the protection from evil and temptation, reparation for our own sins and deliverance from political, material and spiritual calamities.

The hours listed below are open in our Blessed Margaret Eucharistic Adoration Chapel. If you would like to take one of these hours for your personal adoration and prayer time, please call Mary K. at 304-203-4429, 304-592-2733 or call Mary Ann at 304-669-3504.



Sunday	9:00pm to 10:00pm
Tuesday	2:00 pm to 3:00pm
Saturday	1:00 pm to 2:00pm

****There will be a training session for all Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors and Ushers on October 14, 2018 immediately following the 10:00 am Mass. Please mark your schedules, and plan to attend. Thank you everyone for serving, and may God bless you abundantly.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

October 7, 2018	Blessing of the Animals	Noon
October 17, 2018	Altar Society Meeting	
October 20, 2018	Fritti Sale	8:00am
October 28, 2018	Spaghetti Dinner	11:00am
November 15, 2018	Soup Bean & Corn Bread	

