

ST. ANN CATHOLIC PARISH

Physical Location: 610 Pike Street, Shinnston, WV 26431
 Mailing Address: 43 Mahlon Street, Shinnston, WV 26431

August 24/25, 2019

PASTOR: REV. FR. AKILA RODRIGO T.O.R.
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OFFICE HOURS:
 9:00AM TO 2:00PM MON, TUES, THURS & FRI
THE OFFICE IS CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY
E-MAIL ADDRESS:
 PARISH: stannshinnston@aol.com
WEBSITE:
www.stannshinnston.com

Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am and 10:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 4:00pm to 4:30pm
 or Please call for an appointment

Rosary and Prayer Group meets every
Wednesday at 6:30pm in the Church

Offerings: August 17th & 18th, 2019

Regular Collection \$ 1486.00 Attendance 120
 Faith in our Future \$ 547.00
 Assumption \$ 275.00 Attendance: 43

Thank you for your continued generosity and for your presence



Baptism

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

Marriages:

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

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. 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; Sr. Ellen Dunn, ext. 264 or 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. Copies of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston Policy Relating to Sexual Abuse of Children are on the bulletin boards in the church vestibule, social hall and office and are available to take.

Minister's Schedule for August 31 & Sept 1, 2019

	5:00pm	8:00am	10:00am
Server:	Frank DeMarco	Dave DeCosta	Kylieanna Romeo & Cade Riley
Lector:	Carolyn Potesta	John Marchio	Sam DeMarco
Cup Minister	Carolyn Potesta Cindy hamrick	Mickey Arco	Mary Ann Spadafore Keith Dumas
Host Minister:	Frank DeMarco		Sam DeMarco
Usher:	Ron Gonzalez	Nick Fleece	Bill Benson

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

Saturday:	Aug 24	5:00pm	+ Betty Felosa by Cindy Hamrick
Sunday:	Aug 25	8:00am	For the People of the Parish
		10:00am	+ Aldina Talerico by Anthony Talerico
Monday	Aug 26	No Mass	+
Tuesday	Aug 27	6:00pm	+ Jim Luka by Jim & Peggy Matish
Wednesday:	Aug 28	6:00pm	+ Philomena Mazza by John & Tammy Greco
Thursday:	Aug 29	6:00pm	+ Frankie Pulice by Nick & Donna Fleece
Friday	Aug 30	6:00pm	+ Betty Jefferies by Walter & Pat Post
Saturday	Aug 31	5:00pm	+ Megan Tucker by Mamaw Nancy
Sunday	Sept 01	8:00am	For the People of the Parish
		10:00am	+ David Costelac by Robert, Patty, Robert, Jr. & Tanya



Please welcome Fr. Akila, who will be with us for next Saturday's Mass on August 31, 2019. If you would like to talk to Fr. Akila, he will be here after Mass. Fr. Gary will be at St. James on this date for mass there.

Notes from Fr. Gary: We have a new bishop! In all the Eucharistic Prayers that the priest prays in our names, there's a petition for the clergy. Like in Eucharistic Prayer II, we pray: "Remember, Lord, your Church, spread throughout the world, and bring her to the fullness of charity, together with Francis our Pope, and N. our bishop and all the clergy" (bishops, priests and deacons). You'll hear the change of bishops' names from "William our bishop" (Archbishop William E. Lori, Apostolic Administrator from early Sept. 2018 to Aug 22, 2019 to "Mark our bishop" (Bishop Mark E. Brennan). The installation mass of our new bishop was carried live on our diocesan website www.dwc.org last Thursday. It was a 2 hour ceremony with beautiful music, choir/cantors, brass. One reading proclaimed in Spanish while the Universal Prayer/Prayer of the Faithful each done in a different language showing the catholic, larger, global church. There was a beautiful Communion Meditation song in Spanish. The bishop provided some light moments. Archbishop Lori said at the beginning addressing Bishop Brennan: "You are the answer to our prayers." May we continue to pray and work with our new bishop as we move forward in these challenging times bringing the "Light of the World" (John 9:5) to the people of our diocese and state.



We have been up-grading some of our light fixtures for brighter lighting and less wattage usage. The two smaller parking lot street lamps have new LEDs retrofitted without the need of ballasts. This means fewer parts, less maintenance costs. The larger ones will be changed as we use up our supply. A LED Exit sign and emergency lights have been added above the side hall entrance that didn't have any signage. The LED Exit signs have been lowered from up next to the ceiling to above the double glass entrance doors going to either the hall or to the church. The electrical conduit where the statues are in the church was coming loose. This was reconfigured and half of the conduit was removed plus day LEDs in the track were added. Two U florescent lights were replaced with LED fixtures that now use half of the electricity. A couple of other fixtures will be changed to help see better and save energy costs. Thank you for contributing to our 2nd Collection 'Faith in our Future'. Of course, there's other maintenance projects that are being prioritized and are in the works such as issues that we have with our outside doors. We will keep you updated as we progress.



Please complete and return you Registration Form to Mary K. at the office (43 Mahlon Street, Shinnston, WV.) There are additional forms on the table at the front of the church for your use.

Parents: Please return the Religious Education Enrollment Forms to the Office as well. If any **teachers** have Enrollment Forms, please bring them to the office so that they can be added to the records.

Important Dates:

- Sunday, August 25, 2019 - Holy Name (Men's Group) meeting in the Social Hall at 6:00pm
- Sunday, September 8, 2019 – Fall beginning of Religious Education Classes
- Friday, September 27, 2019 – The Altar Society will host a dinner for the Lincoln Football Team
- Sunday, October 20, 2019 – Celebration of 20th year of our Blessed Margaret Adoration Chapel.
- Sunday, November 3, 2019 – Annual Fall Spaghetti Dinner
- Sunday, December 22, 2019 – Christmas Covered Dish Dinner



Please consider setting aside one hour per week to pray in a place for quiet, uninterrupted prayer. Leave the outside world behind and come and sit with our Lord Jesus present in the Blessed Sacrament. Jesus asked his disciples many years ago the night before he died and is asking us still today.. "Could you not come pray with me for one hour?" *Matthew 26:36-46*

OPEN HOURS IN THE EUCHARISTIC CHAPEL

Monday Afternoon	2:00pm to 3:00pm	Thursday Evening:	8:00p to 9:00pm
Tuesday Morning	10:00am to 11:00am	Friday Evening	9:00pm to 10:00pm
		Saturday Evening	4:00pm to 5:00pm

Quote for the week: The quiet and solitude of the night make it a favorable time for prayer and most suitable for those who watch. With worldly occupations put aside and the attention undivided, the whole man, at night, stands in the divine presence. *Niceta of Remesiana*

LET US FIND OUR LOST SHEEP & LET US BUILD UP OUR PARISH