

ST. ANN CATHOLIC PARISH

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

August 31 & Sept 1, 2019

PASTOR: REV. FR. AKILA RODRIGO T.O.R.
ASSOCIATE PASTOR: FR. GARY NAEGELE
TELEPHONE NUMBERS:
ST. ANN OFFICE: 304-592-2733
ST. ANN SOCIAL HALL: 304-592-0077
ST. ANN RECTORY: 304-592-2733
ST. JAMES OFFICE: 304-622-1668

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 24th & 25th, 2019

Regular Collection \$ 1405.00 Attendance 125
 Faith in our Future \$ 716.00

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 September 7 & September 8, 2019

	5:00pm	8:00am	10:00am
Server:	Frank DeMarco	Dave DeCosta	Nathaniel Bee & Cade Riley
Lector:	Mary Ann Ferris	Mary Sims	Gina Tate
Cup Minister	Cindy Hamrick Mary Ann Ferris	Thom Alonso	Mary Ann Spadafore Steven Bee
Host Minister:	Frank DeMarco		Need a Host Minister
Usher:	Ron Gonzalez	Helen DeCosta	Mary C. Fleece

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

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
Monday	Sept 02	No Mass	+ Father is on vacation 9-2 thru 9-6, 2019
Tuesday	Sept 03	No Mass	+
Wednesday:	Sept 04	No Mass	+
Thursday:	Sept 05	No Mass	+
Friday	Sept 06	No Mass	+
Saturday	Sept 07	5:00pm	+ Shirley Traugh by Antoinette Traugh
Sunday	Sept 08	8:00am	For the People of the Parish
		10:00am	+ Jim McDowell by Mary McDowell

Happy Birthday to all of our parishioners and friends who are celebrating their birthdays in September

Tom Romeo
Dortha Crayton
William Meredith
Maria Bell
Sharon Stewart
Patricia Post
Helen DeCosta
Jake Delima
Tammy Greco

Roberta DeMarco
Maria Spino
Joelle Loretta
Gina Tate
Nicole Stewart
Dana Shaw
Nathan Drain
Maranda Bowen
Chasity Romeo

Marina Fleece
Stephen Gemondo
Avery Riley
Jack Stalnaker
James Fazalare
Cade Riley
Annalise Lear
Ella Bowen

Do you believe in miracles? There was a sort of one here in our hall this past week. One would see a lot of empty roasters sitting out. The next time, they were filled. There was the multiplication of the meatballs and sauce. Then, the roasters were empty and gone. It is rumored that the ladies had a meatball sale. We are so blessed to have such good and dedicated cooks and to have those who helped.



Next Sunday, September 8th, 9:15 to 10:15am is CCD Kick-off 2019-2020. We welcome back our young parishioners (Pre-K thru 9th Graders) and catechists. There is a banner on Pike Street announcing our religious education to the world. Parents and children will be together. Our schedule is: (1) Blessing of the new CCD year, students and catechists in the front pews of the church with announcements; (2) An all group picture (children with their parents & catechists) in the Social Hall; and (3) Parents will escort their children to their classrooms for a "Meet and Greet" the catechists in the 2nd floor classrooms. The rooms will be marked for you and your child(children). With all forthcoming classes, after each CCD class, the children can be picked up in the back pews of the church. Families with CCD students have a choice of either attending Sunday Mass at 8am followed by CCD or CCD followed by 10:30am Sunday Mass. Of course there is Saturday Vigil Mass at 5pm. Wow! We have 3 choices to attend Mass. We pray for a very successful and blessed Religious Education Program again this year for all of our children and parents, and want to thank Gina Tate for over 7 years of dedicated leadership for this program. Gina is not going to continue as the Director of Religious Education this year, and we want her to know that we really appreciate all of her hard work. Marianne Strugarek has been appointed as the Director of Religious Education beginning this year, and she is looking forward to welcoming everyone back. Teachers this year are: Avery and McKinnley Riley, Mandy Bowen, Suzannah Klimek, Mary Ann Ferris, Becky Fresa, Betty Swiger, and Vinnie DeMarco



We have been announcing the last few weeks that we are tweaking the Sunday Mass from 10am to 10:30am in order to have a full-hour of religious instructions for our youngest members. The new time will begin next Sunday, September 8th. Thanks for making a note of this mass time change.

Thank you to the Holy Name Society who sold Fritti on Saturday August 24, 2019. The sale was successful as always, and I think they sold over 800 fritti. Thank you for your support to St Ann.

St. Ann Altar Society will meet on Thursday, September 5th, after mass at 6:30pm. All women of the parish are encouraged and welcome to attend.



OPEN HOURS IN THE EUCHARISTIC CHAPEL

Monday Afternoon	2:00pm to 3:00pm	Thursday Evening	8:00pm to 9:00pm
Tuesday Morning	10:00am to 11:00am	Friday Evening	9:00pm to 10:00pm
Thursday Morning	7:00am to 8:00am	Saturday	4:00pm to 5:00pm

Important Dates:

- **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**

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