

# Catholic Parishes of St. Anthony and Our Lady of the Hills

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## Website:

[www.ourladyofthehills.com](http://www.ourladyofthehills.com)

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## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

St Anthony: Saturday 4:15p.m.—4:45p.m.

Our Lady of the Hills: Tuesday 5:00p.m.—5:15p.m.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

St Anthony: First Friday of the month 9:30a.m.—10:00a.m.

Our Lady of the Hills: Tuesday 4:30 p.m.—5:30p.m.



Mass	Week of May 2-10, 2026	
Saturday	05/02	SA Rosary 4:30 p.m. Mass 5:00 p.m. People of the Parish
Sunday	05/03	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. People of the Parish SA Rosary 9:50 a.m. Mass 10:30 a.m. People of the Parish
Monday	03/04	No Mass
Tuesday	05/05	Priest Convocation No Mass - Rosary 5:30 p.m. People of the Parish
Wednesday	05/06	Priest Convocation No Mass Mass intention to be made at Convocation † Virginia Kawash (M & A Kawash Families)
Thursday	05/07	Priest Convocation No Mass Mass intention to be made at Convocation † John Arvay (R. Robinson)
Friday	05/08	SA Mass 9:00 a.m. Adoration 9:30 a.m. † Hubert "Rabbit" Jones (K. Layne)
Saturday	05/09	SA Rosary 4:30 p.m. Mass 5:00 p.m. † Mike Layne (K. Layne)
Sunday	05/10	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. † Laurie Felber (J. Felber) SA Rosary 9:50 a.m. Mass 10:30 a.m. People of the Parish

Stewardship Report for April 25-26, 2026		
<b>St. Anthony</b>		
Offertory		\$1548.70
St. Anthony Caring		\$20.00
Poor Box		\$77.75
Votive Candles		\$34.00
Attendance:	Saturday - 35	Sunday - 51

Our Lady of the Hills		God Bless You for Your Support
Offertory		\$1000.00
St. Anne's Outreach		\$20.00
Votives		\$15.00
Attendance:		Sunday - 39

### Mass Intentions

In accordance with the guidelines from the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, Mass stipends are deposited in a separate checking account.

If you are writing a check, please make it payable to St. Anthony Mass Account. The current suggested level of giving is \$20.00 for a weekend Mass or \$10.00 for a daily Mass offering, however, any amount is most welcome. If you do not have funds to offer, you are encouraged to request your Mass Intention.

Mass Intention requests are scheduled in the order they are received.

### Prayer List for the Sick & Homebound

**St. Anthony**—Michael McCallister, Robin Holly, Chris Newman, Linda Davis, Ursula Paezold, Christine Hansbarger, Mary Beth Abbot, Deborah McDougall, John Tomblin, Colton Gulfport, Fr. Thomas' Father, Sarah McDougall, Mary Jo Zsoldos, Suzette Gallagher, Noah, Truman, Sue Spencer, Dcn. David Wuletich, Pam Burton White, Jacob E.

**Our Lady of the Hills**—Violet Edwards, Ursula Paezold, Killough Family, John Caroli, Sharon Flanery, Martha Hacala, Pat Lanna, John Bohan, Guru, Mrs. Darby

**Please call Father Thomas Dharelli H.G.N. at 304-342-2716, if you would like a visit and to receive communion or a home blessing.**



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. In addition to civil authorities, to report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact the Diocese at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880. Please visit [www.dwc.org](http://www.dwc.org) under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods.

### St. Anne's Outreach Center Our Lady of the Hills

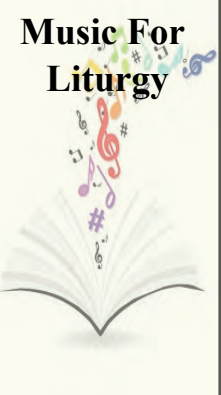


Serving families and young expectingsingle mothers in Big Chimney, Clay, Clendenin, Elkview and Pinch areas.  
Children—newborn to 4 yrs.

Call 304-965-7670 to schedule an appointment.

**Thank you for your generosity!**

**NEW TO THE PARISH? Welcome!** We would like to extend a special welcome to all our new parishioners. Please feel free to come by the office to meet the parish staff. Please also visit both of our parish websites at [stanthonywv.com](http://stanthonywv.com) or [ourladyofthehills.com](http://ourladyofthehills.com) to learn more about the activities happening in our parish and diocese.

	Entrance	#190	Jesus is Risen
	Gloria	#904	Mass of Spirit & Grace
	Offertory	#640	Lead Me, Lord
	Communion	#331	One Love Released
	Recessional	#380	Celtic Alleluia: Sending Forth




Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.   
 Psalm 33:1-19



**Father Thomas' Message Corner**

There are days when I find myself searching desperately for the words of God, not in the written word, but in my heart. What is He saying to me? When I read today's gospel I think of the disciples who lived with Christ, and yet they still did not truly understand that God and Jesus were part of the whole - the Holy Trinity. The disciples walked with Jesus, but they often did not fully grasp their role. It wasn't until after the resurrection of Jesus and the imparting of the Holy Spirit that they fully understood. We are also disciples in Christ. Our roles are not always clear and sometimes seem very obscure, but we must trust that He has a plan for each of us. We often hear people say, "Everything in His perfect timing." We are on a very different timetable than God making that concept difficult to remember, especially in times of trial, but God's plan will unfold just as He wishes it to be. We must remain steadfast and truly trust in Him.


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**Bible Study: St. Anthony**  
Thursday's after the  
9:00 a.m. Mass in the Parish Center.  
Coffee and Donuts are provided.



We will say the Rosary on Tuesday, May 5,  
followed by Simple Supper due to the Priest  
Convocation.

The Priest Convocation is May 5-7, 2026; there will be no mass. Mass intentions for those days will be offered at the Convocation.



**Please remember Sacred Silence in the Sanctuary to allow others personal reflection and prayer time at the start of mass.**

The Deadline for Bulletin submissions is Wednesday at Noon. The Deadline for Mass Announcements is Friday by 9:00 a.m. Thank you.

**Meditation:** I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life

The disciples were surprised that Jesus was going to his Father's house and would return to take them with him. And they were even more surprised when Jesus said he expected them to know the way to the Father's house. Jesus' answer to their question, "show us the way", was both a reminder that his disciples should trust their Master and Teacher to show them the way, and a challenge for them to recognize that Jesus had intimate knowledge of God and where God came from. Jesus made a statement that invoked the very name which God had revealed to Moses, "I am who I am" (Exodus 3:14), and he made three claims which only God could make. He stated unequivocally to his disciples: "I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life" (John 14:6)

Jesus proclaims: I am the Way (John 14:6). He alone knows the way to the Father because he has been with the Father from the beginning - before time and creation ever existed. The Lord Jesus gives us more than a road map and guide book. He personally is the way to the Father's kingdom, and we cannot miss it if we follow him. He accompanies us on our daily journey and watches over us as the good shepherd who leads and sustains us each and every step of the way. Are you in step with the Lord and do you trust in his guiding hand for your life?

Jesus proclaims that he is the Truth (John 14:6). Many can say, "I have taught you the truth." Only Jesus can say, I am the Truth. He possesses in himself the fulness of truth. Jesus claims to be one with the Father and to speak the truth which proceeds from the Father. Jesus promised his disciples that if they continued in his word, they would learn the truth and the truth would set them free" (John 8:31). The truth which Jesus proclaims has power to set us free from ignorance, deception, and sin. The words which Jesus speaks are true because there is no lie or falsehood in him. Moral truth requires more than mere words or ideas because the person who speaks them must be true - true in thought, speech, deed, example, and action. Jesus embodies the truth in his person.

Jesus proclaims that he is the Life (John 14:6). He not only shows us the path of life (Psalm 16:11); he gives the kind of life which only God can give - abundant life that lasts forever. Is there any trouble, fear, or distraction that keeps you from the perfect peace and joy of a life surrendered to Jesus Christ?

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<u>Ministry Schedule</u>	<b>Week of: May 3, 2026</b>	<b>Week of: May 10, 2026</b>
<b><u>St. Anthony</u></b>		
5:00 p.m. Mass		
Lector	D. Hess	M. Doneghy
Eucharistic Minister	M. Doneghy	D. Hess
10:30 a.m. Mass		
Lector:	D. Waugh	J. Bowles
Eucharistic Ministers	B. Morton & B. Ashworth	J. Bowles & C. Arnold
Counters	S. Bossie-Maddox & N. Swecker	K. Layne & S. Spencer
<b><u>Our Lady of the Hills</u></b>		
Lector	D. Sisler	G. Kozera
Eucharistic Ministers	T. Stodola & R. Stodola	L. Kozera & D. Sisler
Gifts	D. & C. Sweeney	V. & M. Brady
Counters	J. Felber & C. Stodola	C. Stodola & J. Felber
Host	Brady	Chrobak