

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

June 9, 2024

10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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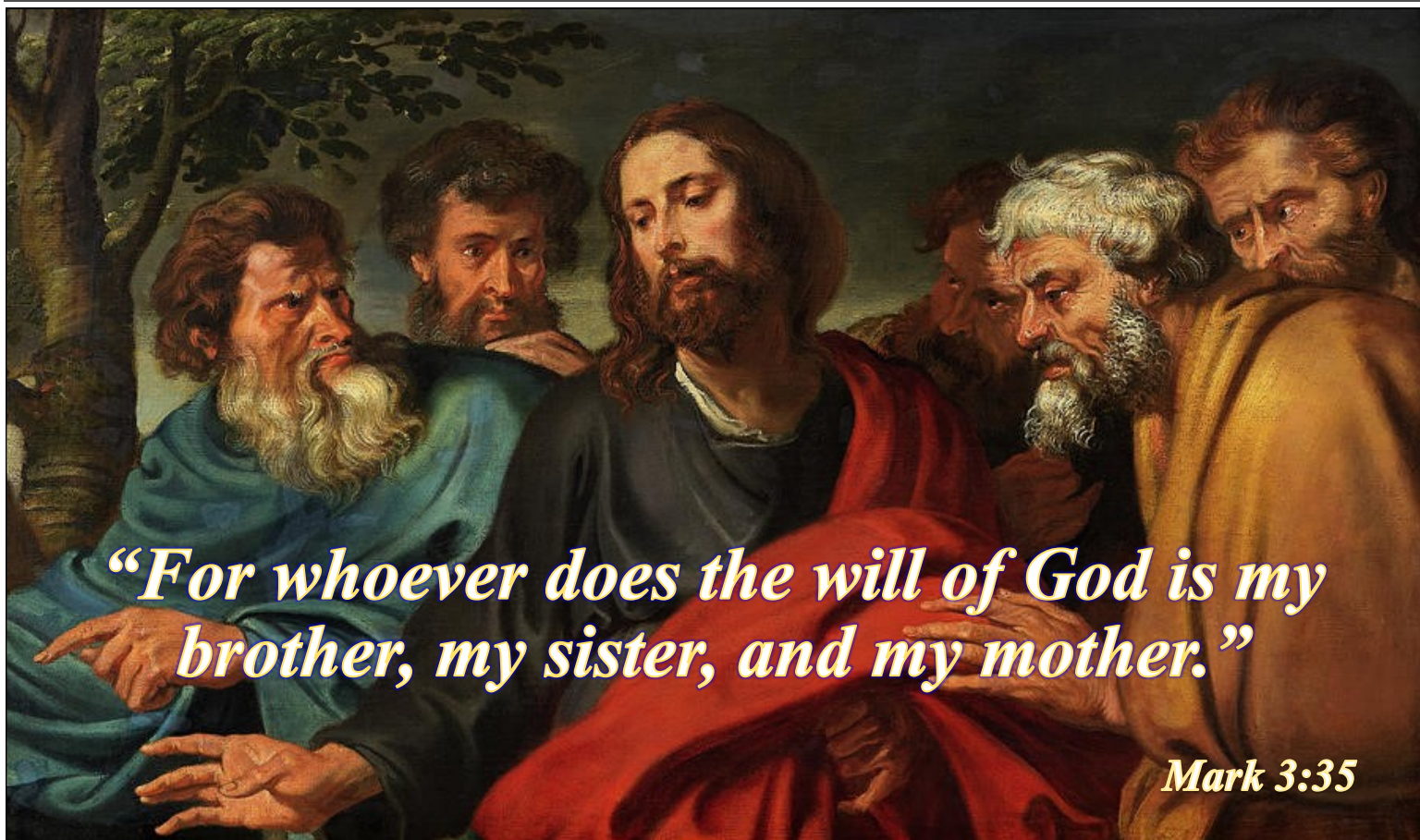
Sacrament of Reconciliation:

St Anthony: Saturday 4:15 p.m.—4:45 p.m. Our Lady of the Hills: Tuesday 5:00 p.m.—5:15 p.m.



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“For whoever does the will of God is my brother, my sister, and my mother.”

Mark 3:35

Mass Schedule June 1—June 9

Saturday 06/08: 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time	SA Mass 5:00 p.m. †Opal Potesta (K. Layne)
Sunday 06/09: 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. †Jerry A. Legg (N. Legg) SA Mass 10:30 a.m. People of the Parish
Monday 06/10:	No Mass
Tuesday 06/11:	OLH Mass 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday 06/12:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m.
Thursday 06/13:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m.
Friday 06/14:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m. †Holy Souls in Purgatory (M. J. Zsoldos)
Saturday 06/15: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time	SA Mass 5:00 p.m. †Barbara Williams (J. Bowles)
Sunday 06/16: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. People of the Parish SA Mass 10:30 a.m.

Stewardship Report for June 1 & 2, 2024

St. Anthony

Offertory	\$ 1888.50
Votive Candles	41.00
Saint Anthony Caring Fund	80.00
Attendance Saturday—32 Sunday—45	

Our Lady of the Hills

Offertory	\$ 1006.00
LERMA	435.00
St. Anne's Outreach	50.00
Attendance Sunday—39	

Thank you for your generosity. May God bless you!



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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 for a weekend Mass or \$10 for a daily Mass.** Any offering, however, is most welcome, and, if you do not have funds to offer, you are encouraged to request your Mass intention.

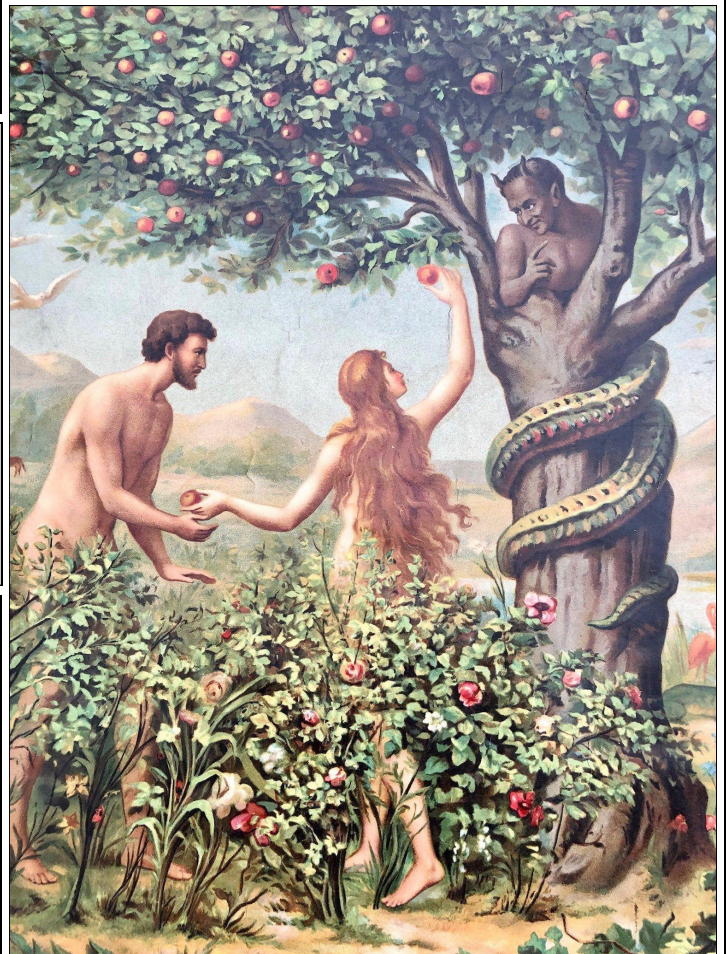
Mass Intention requests are scheduled in the order they are received.

Prayer List for the Sick & Homebound

St. Anthony—Michael McCallister, Robin Holly, Michael Bee, Chris Newman, David Wuletich, Linda Davis, Ursula Paezold, Christine Hansbarger, Mary Wuletich, Mary Beth Abbot, Deborah McDougall

Our Lady of the Hills—Violet Edwards, Ursula Paezold, Bill & Nancy Audia, Judy Killough & Family, The Dorseys.

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



Music for Liturgy

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Entrance:	Christ in Me Arise — #525
Gloria:	Mass of Renewal — #876
Offertory:	Eye Has Not Seen — #475
Communion:	Here I Am, Lord — #389
Recessional:	I Sing the Mighty Power of God — #430

Minister Schedule

	June 9, 2024	June 16, 2024
	10th Sunday in Ordinary Time	11th Sunday in Ordinary Time
St. Anthony		
Mass	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Lector:	M. Tyler	M. Doneghy
Eucharistic Minister:	M. Doneghy	D. Hess
10:30 a.m. Mass		
Lector:	J. Bowles	B. Ashworth
Eucharistic Minister:	J. Bowles & B. Morton	B. Ashworth & M. Hamilton
Counters:	S. Bossie-Maddox & C. Joseph	K. Layne & S. Spencer
Our Lady of the Hills		
Lector:	C. Stodola	G. Kozera
Eucharistic Minister:	T. Stodola	L. Kozera

Bulletin & Mass Announcements—The deadline this week for bulletin announcements is **Wednesday at 5:00 p.m.** & for Mass announcements is **Friday at 9:00 a.m.** Thank you!

Bible Study

Join Deacon Dave for Bible Study every **Thursday at 2:00 p.m. in the SA Parish Center!** All are welcome to attend.

Peter's Pence

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en/html.

OLH Dinner

On Tuesday, **June 11, 2024**, Our Lady of the Hills will hold a catered Farewell Appreciation Dinner for Father Thomas following our 5:30 p.m. Mass. We will also welcome Father Thomas' bishop from India who will be visiting. A head count is needed to make sure we have sufficient food ordered. If you plan on attending, please contact Lynnda Kozera at 304-545-8653.

The 2024 Catholic Sharing Appeal Update

Congratulations to our parishes! As of **June 6, 2024**, St. Anthony has raised \$10,265 or 104% of our parish goal of \$9,915. Our Lady of the Hills has raised \$8,320 or 143% of our parish goal of \$5,800.

Thank you to our parishioners for your generosity and support!



June Birthdays

- 1 Elizabeth Isabella
- 1 Marjorie Kirkhope
- 11 Evelyn Broyles
- 11 Jaqueline Pitchford
- 13 Catherine Stodola
- 14 Katherine Scalise
- 16 Jeremy Mosier
- 16 Mary Wuletich
- 22 Sidney Hicks
- 23 Rachael Tucker
- 25 Michael Leonoro
- 26 Joseph Mosier
- 29 Sheila Prettyman
- 30 Debbie Armstrong
- 30 Judith Polak

Please notify the office if your birthday is not listed or the date is incorrect.

Thank you!

Whoever Does the Will of God Is My Brother, and Sister, and Mother

Meditation: [Mark 3:20-21] Is the Lord Jesus honored in your home? Why would Jesus' relatives be so upset with him when he began his public ministry? On one occasion Jesus remarked that *a man's enemies will be the members of his own household* (Matthew 10:36). The Gospel of Mark records the reaction of Jesus' relatives when he went home: *they came to seize him*. They, no doubt, thought that Jesus must have gone mad or become a religious fanatic. How could a good home-body from Nazareth leave his father's carpentry trade and go off to become a traveling preacher?

Jesus had thrown away the security and safety of a quiet and respectable life close to his family and relatives. He, undoubtedly, expected opposition from the Jewish authorities. The hardest opposition, however, may come from someone close to us, even your own kin. Jesus met opposition with grace and with determination to fulfill his Father's will. Are you ready to obey and follow the Lord even if others oppose your doing so?

[Mark 3:22-30] When danger lurks, what kind of protection do you seek? Jesus came to free us from the greatest danger of all - the corrupting force of evil which destroys us from within and makes us slaves to sin and Satan (John 8:34). Evil is not an impersonal force that just happens. It has a name and a face and it seeks to master every heart and soul on the face of the earth (1 Peter 5:8-9). Scripture identifies the Evil One by many names, 'Satan', 'Beelzebul - the prince of demons', the 'Devil', the 'Deceiver', the 'Father of Lies', and 'Lucifer', the fallen angel who broke rank with God and established his own army and kingdom in opposition to God. Jesus declared that he came to overthrow the power of Satan and his kingdom (John 12:31).

Jesus' numerous exorcisms brought freedom to many who were troubled and oppressed by the work of evil spirits. Jesus himself encountered personal opposition and battle with Satan when he was put to the test in the wilderness just before his public ministry (Matthew 4:1; Luke 4:1). He overcame the Evil One through his obedience to the will of his Father.

Some of the Jewish leaders reacted vehemently to Jesus' healings and exorcisms and they opposed him with malicious slander. How could Jesus get the power and authority to release individuals from Satan's influence and control? They assumed that he had to be in league with Satan. They attributed his power to Satan rather than to God. Jesus asserts that no kingdom divided against itself can survive for long.

Jesus asserted his authority to cast out demons as a clear demonstration of the reign of God. God's power is clearly at work in the exorcisms which Jesus performed and they give evidence that God's kingdom has come.

What kind of spiritual danger or harm should we avoid at all costs? Jesus used the illustration of a strong man whose house and possessions were kept secure. How could such a person be overtaken and robbed of his goods except by someone who is stronger than himself? Satan, who is our foe and the arch-enemy of God, is stronger than us. Unless we are clothed in God's strength, we cannot withstand Satan with our own human strength.

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