

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

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The Eleventh 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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From the Pastor's Desk

Prayer for Fathers

St. Joseph, guardian of Jesus and chaste husband of Mary, you passed your life in loving fulfillment of duty. You supported the holy family of Nazareth with the work of your hands. Kindly protect those who trustingly come to you. You know their aspirations, their hardships, their hopes. They look to you because they know you will understand and protect them. You too knew trial, labor and weariness. But amid the worries of material life your soul was full of deep peace and sang out in true joy through intimacy with God's Son entrusted to you and with Mary, his tender Mother. Assure those you protect that they do not labor alone. Teach them to find Jesus near them and to watch over him faithfully as you have done. Amen.

~ Pope John XXIII

*Train a child
in the way
he should go,
and when he is
old he will not
turn from it.*

PROVERBS 22:6

Happy Father's Day



Mass Schedule June 17—25

Saturday 06/17: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time	SA Mass 5:00 p.m. People of the Parish
Sunday 06/18: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. †Hans Robinson SA Mass 10:30 a.m. †Albert & Evie Tyler (M. Tyler)
Monday 06/19:	No Mass
Tuesday 06/20:	OLH Mass 5:30 p.m. †Hans Robinson
Wednesday 06/21:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m. †Holy Souls in Purgatory (prayer gift)
Thursday 06/22:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m. †Reparation to Divine Justice (prayer gift)
Friday 06/23:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m. †Holy Souls in Purgatory (prayer gift)
Saturday 06/24: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time	SA Mass 5:00 p.m. People of the Parish
Sunday 06/25: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. †Hans Robinson SA Mass 10:30 a.m. †Ava Phillips (M. Tyler)

Stewardship Report for June 11 & 12, 2023

St. Anthony

Offertory	\$ 2,163.00
Peter's Pence	253.00
St. Anthony Caring Fund	120.00
Donation	350.00

Attendance Saturday—41 Sunday—45

Our Lady of the Hills

Offertory	\$ 640.13
Peter's Pence	665.00

Attendance Sunday—39

Thank you for your generosity. May God bless you!



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 under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods.

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—Mary Hanson, Christina Lopez, Michael McCallister, Robin Holly, Michael Bee, Chris Newman, David Wuletich, Linda Davis, Ursula Paezold, Melissa Tyler, Christine Hansbarger

Our Lady of the Hills—Violet Edwards, Ursula Paezold, Greg Stodola, Bill & Nancy Audia, Paul Stodola

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



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



Serving families and young expecting single mothers in Big Chimney, Clay, Clendenin, Elkview and Pinch areas.



Children—newborn to 4 yrs.

Call 304-965-7670 to schedule an appointment.

As of May, 2023, St. Anne's has served 7 children this year.

Balance as of 12/31/22	\$ 3,933.23
Contributions Received	540.00
Less: Expenses	(39.08)
Balance as of 05/31/23	\$ 4,434.15

Thank you for your generosity!

Music for Liturgy

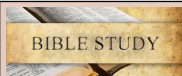


Entrance:	Beautiful Savior — #196
Gloria:	Mass of Spirit & Grace — #924
Offertory:	The Summons — #387
Communion:	On Eagle's Wings — #440
Recessional:	Faith of Our Fathers — #515

Minister Schedule

	June 18, 2023	June 25, 2023
	11 Sunday in Ordinary Time	12 Sunday in Ordinary Time
St. Anthony		
5:00 p.m. Mass		
Lector:	D. Hess	R. Stonestreet
Eucharistic Minister:	S. Spencer	D. Hess
10:30 a.m. Mass		
Lector:	S. Kawash	J. Bowles
Eucharistic Minister:	M. Hamilton	J. Bowles
Counters:	S. Kawash & C. Joseph	N. Swecker & S. Bossie-Maddox
Our Lady of the Hills		
Lector:	M. Swecker	C. Stodola
Eucharistic Minister:	T. Lanna	T. Stodola

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!



You are invited to Bible Study led by Deacon David on Thursdays at 1:00 p.m. in the SA Parish Center.

St. Anthony Pastoral Council Vacancies—The St. Anthony Pastoral Council currently has 2 vacancies. If you would like to serve as a member of the Pastoral Council, please see Father Thomas.

Principal Opening at Sacred Heart Grade School—The Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of Sacred Heart of Charleston, West Virginia is seeking a Principal for their Catholic Grade School. Candidate must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with Church precepts and act as an example and motivator toward the fulfillment of the Christian philosophy of the school. The ideal candidate must have an earned Master's Degree in Educational Leadership or Administration or begin the process of completing degree requirements; or hold a valid Educational Leadership certification from the state of West Virginia or be eligible for such certification. The candidate will have a minimum of three years of successful educational experience with preference for administrative experience. A résumé with three references may be emailed with all attachments in PDF to Very Rev. Donald X. Higgs, V.F., dhiggs@dwc.org. or mail to 1114 Virginia Street East, Charleston, WV 25301 by June 23, 2023.

West Virginians for Life Golf Tournament—The 11th Annual Dutch Miller Auto Golf FORE Life Tournament will take place Saturday, July 8, in Kingwood, WV, at Preston Country Club with a noon registration/lunch, a 1:00 p.m. putting contest and a 1:30 p.m. tee time. Pay \$70 per player/\$280 per foursome. The four-man scramble format benefits the West Virginians for Life Educational Trust Fund. An informal awards ceremony at 6:00 will be catered by Mountain State BBQ. Hole-in-one, closest to the pin, longest drive, etc. are included in the fun along with a 50/50 drawing and Putting Contest. Register your foursomes now and pay online at wvforlife.org/event/annual-golf-fore-life-tournament or call 304-594-9845.



June Birthdays

- 1 Elizabeth Isabella
- 1 Marjorie Kirkhope
- 11 Evelyn Ferguson
- 11 Jacqueline Pitchford
- 13 Catherine Stodola
- 14 Kathy Scalise
- 16 Jeremy Mosier
- 16 Mary Wuletich
- 22 Sidney Hicks
- 23 Rachael Tucker
- 25 Michael Leonoro
- 26 Joe Mosier
- 29 Sheila Prettyman
- 30 Debbie Armstrong
- 30 Judy Polak

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

Thank you!

Jesus Gives His Disciples Authority to Heal and Set Free

Meditation: Do you believe in the life-changing power of the Gospel and experience its transforming effect in your life? The core of the Gospel message is quite simple: *the kingdom (or reign) of God is very near!* What is the kingdom of God? It is that society of men and women who know God's love and mercy, and who willingly obey and honor God as their Lord and King. In the prayer which Jesus gave to his disciples (the *Lord's Prayer* or *Our Father*), he taught them to pray for God to reign in their daily lives and in the world around them: *May your kingdom come and your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.*

Jesus chose ordinary people to do extraordinary work

Jesus commissioned his disciples to carry on the works which he did - to speak God's word and to bring his healing power to the weary and oppressed. In the choice of the twelve apostles we see a characteristic feature of God's work - Jesus chose very ordinary people. They were non-professionals, had no wealth or privileged position. They were chosen from the common people who did ordinary things, had no special education, and no social advantages.

Jesus wanted ordinary people who could take an assignment and do it extraordinarily well. He chose these men, not for what they were, but for what they would be capable of becoming under his direction and power. When the Lord calls us to serve, we must not think we have nothing or very little to offer. The Lord takes what ordinary people, like us, can offer and uses it for greatness in his kingdom. Do you believe that God wants to work in and through you for his glory?

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The West Virginia Institute for Spirituality invites you to register for any of the following programs:

Retreat House Manager Needed—WVIS is looking for a Retreat House Manager to work full- or part-time between September 1st and January 1st. This is a live-in position and there is a stipend. Please contact Sister Carole Riley, C.P.D. for additional details at wviscr@aol.com or call 412-901-4259.

Have you made an Almost Heaven Retreat?—The WVIS Retreat in Charleston, WV is open and there are still spaces available for you to make an Almost Heaven Silent-Directed Retreat this June. While the typical length of a retreat is three days, you choose the length that is right for you and then come to the retreat house for an experience of rest, mindfulness, and prayer. During your retreat, you will engage in meditation rooted in the Sacred Scriptures and the Ignatian Tradition.

Questions/Schedule: email Sister Carole Riley, C.D.P., Ph.D. at wviscr@aol.com

Donation: \$90/night (includes retreat, retreat house accommodation, and all meals).

Embracing My Personal Journey: Learning the Art of Aging and Dying Well via Zoom—Saturday, November 11, 2023, 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. EST

Questions: email Sr. Carole Riley, C.P.D., PhD at wviscr@aol.com

To live is to change. Age is a gift. Dying is an art. During this program, reflective strategies are provided to assist participants in coming to terms with life and death for themselves or a loved one. Hospice, palliative care, caregivers, and helping professionals will benefit from time to process. Topics of grieving, diminishment, companioning those dying, and the resources for personal integration are provided.

Donation: \$50 CEU credits are available for Social Workers (5.0 CEU), Registered Nurses, and Licensed Professional Counselors (5.75 CEU)

Register: email wvisreg@gmail.com

Contemplative Prayer via Zoom (Monday through Friday)—You are invited to join us each evening at 7:00 pm via Zoom for Contemplative Prayer. We are blessed to have a variety of individuals who volunteer to lead each evening. Prayer begins promptly at 7:00 p.m. when the leader opens with a brief chant followed by 20 minutes of silence. Sign up to receive the weekly reminders and the Zoom link. Come as often as you are able, it is always good to see those who attend.

Questions/Register: email wvis_sally@aol.com

Thomas Merton Charleston West Virginia Chapter via Zoom (3rd Tuesday each month)—You are invited to join the Charleston, West Virginia chapter of the International Thomas Merton Institute on the 3rd Tuesday of the month from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. via Zoom. Each month, the group discusses recent material from the International Merton Society and/or information from the Book of Hours.

Questions/Register: email Father Bill Petro at frbpetro42@gmail.com