

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

February 4, 2024

The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Office Hours:

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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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*“Let us go
on to the
nearby
villages
that I may
preach
there also.
For this
purpose
have I
come.”*

Mass Schedule February 3—11

Saturday 02/03: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time	SA Mass 5:00 p.m. People of the Parish
Sunday 02/04: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. People of the Parish SA Mass 10:30 a.m. †Frank Nogoda & Amelia Gould Families
Monday 02/05:	No Mass
Tuesday 02/06:	OLH Mass 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday 02/07:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m. †Barbara Williams (M. J. Zsoldos)
Thursday 02/08:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m. †Barbara Williams (M. J. Zsoldos)
Friday 02/09:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m. †Barbara Williams (M. J. Zsoldos)
Saturday 02/10: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time	SA Mass 5:00 p.m. People of the Parish
Sunday 02/11: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. †Delores Snyder (F. & C. Mosier) SA Mass 10:30 a.m. †Barbara & Jeff Ferrell (M. & A. Kawash Families)

Stewardship Report for January 27 & 28, 2024

St. Anthony

Offertory	\$ 1,805.50
Votive Candles	48.00
Other	77.00

Attendance Saturday—41 Sunday—55

Our Lady of the Hills

Offertory	\$ 1,340.13
Church in the Developing World	275.00
CNEWA Holy Land	50.00

Attendance Sunday—29

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.

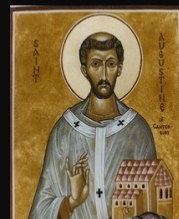
Mass Intention requests are scheduled in the order they are received.

Prayer List for the Sick & Homebound

St. Anthony—Michael McCallister, Robin Holly, Michael Bee, Chris Newman, David Wuletich, Linda Davis, Ursula Paezold, Christine Hansbarger, Mary Wuletich, Opal Potesta

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.



There is no love without hope,
no hope without love, and
neither hope nor love without
faith.

~ Saint Augustine

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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 January, 2024, St. Anne's has not served any children this year.

Balance as of 12/31/23	\$ 4,240.27
Contributions Received	35.00
Less: Expenses	(0.00)
Balance as of 01/31/24	\$ 4,275.27

Thank you for your generosity!

Music for Liturgy



Entrance:	Come, Christians, Join to Sing — #558
Gloria:	Mass of Christ the Savior — #915
Offertory:	Lead Me, Lord — #739
Communion:	We Remember — #510
Recessional:	Lift Up Your Hearts — #566

Minister Schedule

	February 4, 2024 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time	February 11, 2024 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time
<u>St. Anthony</u> 5:00 p.m. Mass		
Lector:	M. Doneghy	D. Hess
Eucharistic Minister:	J. Polak	M. Doneghy
10:30 a.m. Mass		
Lector:	B. Ashworth	S. Kawash
Eucharistic Minister:	B. Ashworth & M. Hamilton	M. Hamilton & S. Kawash
Counters:	S. Bossie-Maddox & N. Swecker	S. Kawash & C. Joseph
<u>Our Lady of the Hills</u>		
Lector:	M. Swecker	R. Stodola
Eucharistic Minister:	T. Lanna	J. Hall

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!



February Birthdays

1 Nate Bowles
1 Bev Scarpelli
6 Rodney Bailey
7 Jim Namey
7 Rachel Rollins
7 Debra Jo Romano
11 Monica Hamilton
11 Thomas Kirkhope
12 Debra Kleinberger
12 Virginia Leonoro
13 Frank Mosier
14 Colin Hart
17 Joe Armstrong
17 Rebekah Hoh
24 Chuck Stodola
26 Susan Jarvis

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

Thank you!



You are invited to Bible Study led by Deacon David on Thursdays at 2:00 p.m. in the SA Parish Center.

Welcome New St. Anthony Parishioners—We would like to extend a warm welcome to Fred and Christina Thomas, our newest St. Anthony parishioners. We're glad you joined our parish!

Our Lady of the Hills Special Collection for Elk Valley Public Library—The Our Lady of the Hills Pastoral Council has approved a special collection on Sunday, February 4, to assist the Elk Valley Public Library to provide 24-30 food bags for the needy who ask for help at the library. This service has been provided to the community for a long time, but it is no longer supported through Elk River Backpack Blessings. The library board has covered the \$75/month expense for the two months in the interim. If you have any questions or concerns, please ask Tina.

Please make your check payable to Our Lady of the Hills and write "Elk Valley Public Library" on the memo line of your check.

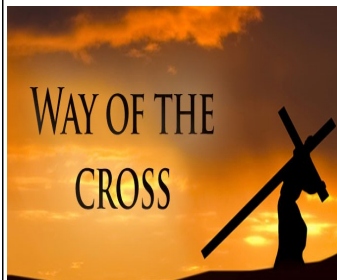
St. Anthony Caring Fund—There will be a second collection this weekend to support the St. Anthony Caring Fund. Thank you for your support of our local brothers and sisters through this collection.

Church Missions within the United States: February 10 & 11—The collection for the Church Missions within the United States is to provide funds for our mission dioceses and groups that help those who live on the margins of society within the United States. This collection includes support for Black and Indian Missions and the Catholic Home Mission Appeal. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



St. Anthony
Our Lady of the Hills

Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule
Wednesday, February 14, 2024 **5:30 p.m.**
Wednesday, February 14, 2024 **7:00 p.m.**



Schedule for Stations of the Cross during Lent

St. Anthony (beginning February 17)

Saturdays: Stations of the Cross at 4:30 p.m. followed by Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Sundays: Stations of the Cross at 10:00 a.m. followed by Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Our Lady of the Hills (beginning February 20)

Tuesdays: Mass at 5:30 p.m. followed by Stations of the Cross at 6:00 p.m.

(a Simple Supper will follow Stations)

Jesus Healed Many Who Were Sick

Meditation: Who do you take your troubles to? Jesus' disciples freely brought their troubles to him because they found him ready and able to deal with any difficulty, affliction, or sickness which they encountered. When Simon brought Jesus to his home, his mother-in-law was instantly healed because Jesus heard Simon's prayer. Jerome, an early church bible scholar and translator (c. 347-420), reflects on this passage:

"Can you imagine Jesus standing before your bed and you continue sleeping? It is absurd that you would remain in bed in his presence. Where is Jesus? He is already here offering himself to us. 'In the middle,' he says, 'among you he stands, whom you do not recognize' (Cf. John 1:26) 'The kingdom of God is in your midst' (Mark 1:15). Faith beholds Jesus among us. If we are unable to seize his hand, let us prostrate ourselves at his feet. If we are unable to reach his head, let us wash his feet with our tears. Our repentance is the perfume of the Savior. See how costly is the compassion of the Savior."

Do you allow Jesus to be the Lord and healer in your personal life, family, and community? Approach the Lord with expectant faith. God's healing power restores us not only to health but to active service and care of others. There is no trouble he does not want to help us with and there is no bondage he can't set us free from. Do you take your troubles to him with expectant faith that he will help you?

Lord Jesus Christ, you have all power to heal and to deliver from harm. There is no trouble nor bondage you cannot overcome. Set me free to serve you joyfully and to love and serve others generously. May nothing hinder me from giving myself wholly to you and to your service.

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A Pilgrimage to Catholic Italy with Fr. Don Higgs

Rector of the Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

Fr. Don invites you to join him on a spiritually enriching 12-Day pilgrimage to Catholic Italy October 14-25, 2024.

Highlights include: Florence, Siena, Assisi, the Isle of Capri, Pompeii, Rome, The Vatican and an audience with the Pope. Flight to and from Charleston, W.V. included.

The cost of \$5899 includes breakfasts and dinners, tours, r/t flights, 4-5 star hotels, motorcoach, a farewell dinner at a local restaurant in Rome and memories to cherish forever. Don't miss this once in a lifetime pilgrimage to visit and pray at the Catholic places you have heard of all your life. Plus, you will see the world-famous sites of Italy as well.

For the itinerary, more details and the option to register online, go to: <https://bit.ly/HiggsItaly> or call Fr. Don at 304-685-2367.