



# BASILICA OF THE CO-CATHEDRAL OF THE SACRED HEART



Pilgrimage Site for: Diocesan Shrine of Santo Niño  
“Annunciation” and “Tree of Life” Meditation Gardens

**27th Sunday in Ordinary Time—October 7, 2018**

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday (Saturday Vigil) 5:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM, 12:00 & 5:00 PM

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday,

Friday & Saturday 8:00 AM

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 12:00 PM

Wednesday 5:30 PM

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00-5:00 PM &

Wednesday 5:00-5:20 PM

or by appointment

Ask usher for assisted hearing device

Handicapped Parking available



## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

“We, at the Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, are a diverse community of the poor, the disadvantaged and hungry, the well-to-do, the youth, elderly, visitors and those seeking refuge.

As a community of many cultures and races, we stand for unity in our diversity by expressing our love of God the Father through prayer and worship, through service to one another, through the ministry of welcoming, through evangelization and ecumenism. With the Bishop, we shall pursue this mission faithfully through the example of Jesus Christ, the power of the Holy Spirit and the gifts and talents of our members.” All are welcome today, especially visitors, guests and those who might be new to the community.

Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

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**Charleston Catholic High School:** 6-12  
Coleen M. Hoyer, Principal 342-8415

**SACRAMENTS**

**Anointing of the Sick, Confession, Infant Baptism, Weddings**  
For information/to schedule any of the above 304-342-8175

**MUSIC**

**Choir Director:** Jeremy Severn 533-4892  
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**Organist:** Ellen Olson

**OTHER PARISH GROUPS OR MINISTRIES**

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Wayne Johnson or Sacred Heart Parish  
**Prayer Shawl Ministry:** Wanda Dettinger 344-1181  
**Saint John XXIII Pastoral Center** 342-0507  
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**SH Pastoral Council:** Ron Rushworth 382-7768  
**St. Monica Intercessory Prayer Group:** Diane Kimble 881-9766  
Send prayer requests to: stmonicaprayer@gmail.com

**Altar Server Schedule October 13-14**

5:30 Izzy Paulson, Harry & William Salutillo  
8:00 Sierra & Sydney Bolles, Marcie Wheeler  
10:00 Aidan Hemphill, Danny Linton, Madelyn Spangler  
12:00 Dawson Eagle, Katelyn Lane, Luke Workman  
5:00 Cooper Montgomery, Avery and Olivia Persinger

**Altar Servers please be in the Sacristy 20 minutes before Mass.**

The Holy Sacrifice of the  
Mass at the Basilica  
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
October 7, 2018

10/07 Sat. 5:30 pm + Jody DeBias  
Sun. 8:00 am People of the Parish  
10:00 am + Barbara Grant  
12:00 pm + Leroy Rashid  
5:00 pm + Ann Pollitt  
10/08 Mon. 8:00 am + Eugene M. Sadd  
10/09 Tue. 12:00 pm For the Intention of those suffering  
with cancer.  
10/10 Wed. 8:00 am + Robert Cempella  
5:30 pm + Joe Coffman  
10/11 Thu. 8:00 am + Sallie Aguilar  
12:00 pm + Dickinson Gould, Jr.  
10/12 Fri. 8:00 am + Purisima Eligado  
12:00 pm + Robert Sullivan  
10/13 Sat. 8:00 am + Roy H. Crenwelge  
10/14 Sat. 5:30 pm For the Intention of Ed & Madeline  
Rowan's 62nd Anniversary  
Sun. 8:00 am + Bob Perrine  
10:00 am + Robert Sr. & Stephen Tyler  
12:00 pm People of the Parish  
5:00 pm + John Ruddick

**Sharing Our Treasure - 9/30/2018**

Regular Collection: \$12,044 Candles: \$93  
Needy Student: \$25 SMILE: \$50  
Gift Campaign: \$918 Partners In Hope: \$25

Thank you for your faithful generosity.

**Eucharistic Ministers October 13-14**

5:30 PM- Chloe Flores, Dick Jennings, **4 Volunteers**  
8:00 AM- Karen Gross, Steve Joseph, Mary Agnes & Rex Kern,  
Janet Prince, **1 Volunteer**  
10:00 AM- Jim & Toni Clendenin, Bob & Jeannie Tyler, Ann Weimer,  
**3 Volunteers**  
12:00 PM- Perry Ayoob, Leighann Hamrick, Brenda Pulido,  
**3 Volunteers**  
5:00 PM- Debra Basham, Candy & Tom Douglass, Agnes Smith,  
Angelita Zamora, **1 Volunteer**

**Lector Schedule October 13-14**

5:30 PM-Bert Fredeking  
8:00 AM-Jim Olson 10:00 AM-Ralph Phelps  
12:00 PM-Andrew Workman 5:00 PM-David Ferretti



*We welcome our Apostolic Administrator  
Archbishop William E. Lori  
to the Saturday 5:30 PM Mass.*



**Don't Forget The Rosary Rally  
Today, October 7 at 2:00 PM**

Our 5th Annual Charleston Rosary Rally at the Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart. How wonderful it will be to celebrate Respect Life Sunday on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary! We hope that this year's rally will increase our faith, hope, and love as we join together during this most difficult time in our Church. Please join us! Benediction will be followed by a light reception. **Everyone Welcome!**



Wednesday, October 24<sup>th</sup>  
6:30-7:30 pm  
(set up begins at 6pm)

Sacred Heart Co-Cathedral Parking Lot  
Great trick or treating fun all in one safe, family friendly location! Come deck out your car's trunk, tailgate, or hatch and have fun handing out treats (candy, pencils, erasers, etc.) to the children of our parish!

Dress up in your costumes and bring your friends!  
Please consider helping us with this event!  
Questions or to Volunteer, Contact Mary Collins  
[MCollins28@hotmail.com](mailto:MCollins28@hotmail.com)

**A Regathering of Catholic Men under the Yoke of Christ in Body Mind and Spirit** will be held on Saturday, Nov. 3, 2018 from 9:00 am-2:00 pm at Saint John XXIII Pastoral Center, Charleston West Virginia.

What does it mean to be a Christ-Focused man in the world today? will be the primary question this Regathering will attempt to answer for all participants.

The registration fee is \$50.00 and includes all regathering meals, presentations, and materials. The deadline for registration is Monday, October 21, 2018. For additional information or to register, contact Bob Harrison at [DRBOBWV@AOL.COM](mailto:DRBOBWV@AOL.COM) or Phone/Text 304-932-8246.



**Coat & Sweater Drive** The Christian Service Committee is conducting its 10th annual Coat & Sweater Drive. Please consider donating gently used winter coats and sweaters so we can pass them on to people in need. Collection drums will be in the Gathering Space the weekends of October 13th/14th & 20th/21st. If you have any questions, please contact Ron Rushworth at 304-382-7768.

**SACRED HEART BASKETBALL REGISTRATION!**

It is almost time for Sacred Heart Basketball! Mark your calendars to attend registration at our Open Gym **In the ELC Pavilion gym Wednesday, October 10.** During this time, **families will register and pay** for Sacred Heart Basketball and are welcome to shoot around a little during their assigned time slot. **The Registration fee is \$90 per family.** Please bring any basketball jerseys you may have at home to registration.

**Registration times:**

6:00-6:30 p.m. Kindergarten, Grades 1 & 2  
6:30-7:00 p.m. Grades 3, 4, & 5  
7:00-7:30 p.m. Grades 6 -12

**Email:** [SacredHeartBasketballWV@gmail.com](mailto:SacredHeartBasketballWV@gmail.com) with questions.



**ATTENTION ALL PARENTS OF 2nd GRADERS!!**

If your child intends to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Communion this year, please plan to attend a short meeting on November 4, 2018, following 10am Mass in the gathering space. Contact Mary Collins with any questions, [MCollins28@hotmail.com](mailto:MCollins28@hotmail.com)

**SAVE THE DATE !**

For our 3rd Annual  
Advent Wreath Making Event  
Friday, November 30th-5:30 PM  
Make plans now to join our parish family as we prepare our hearts and homes for the season of Advent. Enjoy a delicious dinner provided by the Knights of Columbus, wine, desserts, and wreath making.



**PRAYER FOR A NEW BISHOP**

**FOR THE DIOCESE OF WHEELING-CHARLESTON**

God of the Centuries, you have always guided your people by raising up leaders among us and anointing them for mission, ministry and service. Your Son called his Apostles to heal the brokenhearted and to become the first stewards and preachers of the Gospel.

Hear our prayers today and through your Holy Spirit send us a Bishop, to nourish us with word and sacrament, to set a paschal banquet of charity among these West Virginia hills, to call us to mercy and justice and to kindly serve all who seek your face. We pray through Christ our Lord. Amen

**Eight Day Retreats in Daily Life Available**

The Eight Day Retreat in Daily Life is available from when a person schedules the retreat until the end of the year for any parishioner of Sacred Heart. **The purpose of the retreat is to deepen an individual's, a couple's, or a pair of two people's relationship with God through the Sacred Heart of Jesus, the namesake of our parish.**

The Eight Day Retreat in Daily Life is scheduled to meet the schedules of the person(s) making the retreat. The retreat requires the participant to schedule 20 minutes of personal prayer time in the privacy of their homes for five days of the week and one, one-hour meeting at Sacred Heart per week for nine weeks.

There is no charge for the Retreat in Daily Life. For additional information or to schedule your personalized retreat, contact Bob Harrison at either [DRBOBWV@AOL.COM](mailto:DRBOBWV@AOL.COM) or Phone/Text 304-932-8246.

**The Saints on Film Series**

Mark your calendars for the Saints on Film Series to begin on Sunday, October 14, 2018 from 2:00-4:30 p.m. in the Sacred Heart Family Life Center on Quarrier Street. The Saints on Film Series is open to all members of the parish and their guests. There is no pre-registration required nor charge for this program. Jim Olson is the film facilitator.

**The films are:**

**October 14:** A Man for All Seasons - St. Thomas More

**November 11:** The Letters - St. Teresa of Calcutta

**January 20:** Of Gods and Men - Trappist Martyrs of Algiers

**February 17:** Restless Heart - St. Augustine.



Who owns you when medical decisions are made? The Baby Gard case from Great Britain raises serious issues about this question. Come to the Annual Convention of West Virginians for Life to hear Nancy Valko, R.N., speaker and writer on medical ethics. In 2015, Valko received the People of Life award from the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. The convention will be held at Trinity Assembly of God, 70 Maranatha Drive, Fairmont, WV on Saturday, October 20, 2018 from 10 to 3. The annual Teen Day Camp will also be held and childcare will be available upon request in advance. For info: 304-594-9845.

**25th Annual-Women Bearing Gifts Retreat, November 2-4  
Bishop Hodges Pastoral Center, Huttonsville, WV**

A weekend of prayer and reflection. This year's theme is: Women: Called to be Beacons of Light and Hope in Our Fractured World. The cost including meals and room are: Single \$160-Double \$140 per person. For information or to register contact Lori Smith 304-636-1508 or Sr. Mary Ella Morrison, OP 304-591-4622.



**HELP! Meals on Wheels** is in desperate need of **Drivers**. Please consider giving a little of your time for this much needed service. For more information or to volunteer call Helen Scragg at 346-5104.

**YOU ARE INVITED!**

**Catholic Campaign for Human Development  
Working on the Margins-1 Church 1 Mission  
Tuesday October 9, 6-8 PM, St. John XXIII Pastoral Center**  
Join the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston for an opportunity to learn about economic and community development initiatives happening in WV. Hors d'oeuvres will be served.  
RSVP to: <http://bit.ly/cchdreception> or [kkosydar@ccwva.org](mailto:kkosydar@ccwva.org)



Please keep in your prayers **Helen Mychesky**, who died September 26th. Our prayers and condolences for her family and friends. Eternal rest grant to her, O Lord.

Public Square Rosary Crusade-October 13th at 12 Noon at the WV State Capitol-South Side by the Abe Lincoln Statue. Coordinated Nationally by: Tradition, Family and Property. For information contact Stanley D. Wyatt, 304-346-8135.



**WE ARE OVER HALF WAY THERE!!**  
Since we have reached over 50% of our goal, all monies now come back to the parish diocesan tax free.

Help the parish reach its goal, contribute to the CSA today.  
[www.dwc.org/csa](http://www.dwc.org/csa)



Clare Tupta is a junior at Charleston Catholic where she is a member of the Irish for Life Club. On Saturday, October 13, Clare along with Fr. Binu will participate in the **Walk for Life-a fundraiser for Crossroads Pregnancy Care Center**. If you would like to help sponsor Clare, get more information or register yourself you can do so at [crossroadspccwalkforlife.com](http://crossroadspccwalkforlife.com).



**UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS**

**October is Respect Life Month**

Each week for the month of October we will include in the bulletin articles pertaining to this years theme "Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent".

**WASHINGTON— Cardinal Timothy Michael Dolan, Archbishop of New York and Chairman of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) Committee on Pro-Life Activities, issued a statement for Respect Life Month. The theme "Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent" respect Life Sunday is October 7. Below is Cardinal Dolan's full statement:**

"My dear friends in Christ:

The month of October is annually observed by the Catholic Church in the United States as Respect Life Month. We are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between.

Yet this year, as we approach Respect Life Sunday on October 7, our hearts are heavy with revelations of how those who should be most trustworthy have not only failed in this regard but have inflicted immense evil. As USCCB President Cardinal Daniel DiNardo expressed, 'the Body of Christ is lacerated.'

At such a time as this, we become even more aware of the need for messengers of God's love and instruments of His healing. We realize again, with renewed urgency, our personal call to help others encounter God's transforming, life-giving love and to defend the sanctity of every person's life, at every stage and in every circumstance.

This year's Respect Life theme is "Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent," highlighting our call to build a culture of life as missionary disciples. Drawing upon the story of Our Lady of Guadalupe and St. Juan Diego, this theme is briefly unpacked in a short reflection. I humbly invite you to read and reflect on it this Respect Life Month at [www.usccb.org/respect-life-reflection](http://www.usccb.org/respect-life-reflection). There are also many other resources at [www.usccb.org/respectlife](http://www.usccb.org/respectlife) that are available for use this month and throughout the year.

In his first letter to the Corinthians, Saint Paul tells us, "As a body is one though it has many parts, and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body, so also Christ. ...If [one] part suffers, all the parts suffer with it" (1 Cor 12:12,26).

We are called and sent to be messengers of God's love, treating one another as cherished and chosen by Him. In doing so, we help build a culture that respects all human life. The Body of Christ needs you. The world needs you."



## Another Look at Abortion

### Uniquely You

From your first moments of existence, you had all the DNA that would determine your sex, facial features, physique, and the color of your skin, hair, and eyes. At 24 days, your heart began beating. By 8 weeks, all your organs were present, and your unique fingerprints were forming. Ultrasounds show that by 18 weeks, you could swim, somersault, suck your thumb, and even cover your ears if you heard loud music. **If you'd been born just 23 weeks after conception, your chance of survival would be 50-80 percent; by 25 weeks, it's over 90 percent, and that's still months before full-term birth.**

**Now, if someone takes an innocent person's life after he or she is born, it's against the law; just minutes before birth, it's legal in most states and called abortion.** The only real difference is a declaration by the United States Supreme Court in *Roe v. Wade* (1973).

### Abortion Is Permitted Up to Full-Term Birth

**Many people don't realize how unrestricted legal abortion is, misled by *Roe's* claim that states may ban abortions after viability "except when it is necessary to preserve the life or health of the mother."** ("Viability" is when the baby has a reasonable chance of survival outside the womb.) But in *Roe's* companion case, *Doe v. Bolton*, the Court defined "health" to include "all factors—physical, emotional, psychological, familial, and the woman's age—relevant to the wellbeing" of the mother. That seems broad enough to permit virtually any abortion post-viability.

The Supreme Court, however, has yet to be confronted with a challenge to a post-viability ban that will test *Doe's* breadth. **Indeed, 20 states currently ban late-term abortions subject to a narrow exception for the mother's life or physical health (not for emotional, psychological, familial, or age-related reasons).** Most of these laws have gone unchallenged, but they are hard to enforce even if they are constitutionally permissible.

### Effects of Abortion

Abortion results in the death of a child. For many mothers, abortion causes severe and long-lasting emotional, psychological, and spiritual trauma. Many women experience overwhelming guilt, shame, and grief. Other effects have also been documented: depression, withdrawal from others, eating disorders, self-punishing behaviors like "cutting," sexual dysfunction and problems with intimacy, alcohol and drug dependency, problems bonding with other or subsequent children, abortion-related nightmares, and other sleep problems.

**Family relationships may suffer as the aborted child's father, grandparents, or other family members experience their own guilt, grief, or loss. Even if the mother keeps her abortion secret, family members can be distressed by changes in the mother's behavior and mental or emotional health.**

### What the Church Teaches

The Church has consistently taught that every human life is precious and worthy of protection. Every intentional abortion is gravely wrong. **In April 2018, Pope Francis wrote: "Our defence of the innocent unborn ... needs to be clear, firm and passionate, for at stake is the dignity of a human life, which is always sacred and demands love for each person, regardless of his or her stage of development."**

**The Church does not approach difficult pregnancy decisions with a false "either/or" mentality, pitting mother against child.** For example, a baby conceived in rape is not an aggressor deserving death by abortion. She is innocent, like her mother. They both deserve **compassionate care and support, not more violence. Abortion doesn't bring healing or peace, but both can be found in the courageous decision to give birth to the baby.**

Today, many babies diagnosed prenatally with a disability are aborted. Frightened parents, unsure of their ability to care for such a child, can trust that God gave *them* this child for a reason. Parents raising children with disabilities often write about the unexpected joys and transformative effect on their families.

**Even when the disabilities are so severe that the baby is likely to die before or soon after birth, "many parents who carried their children to term say that protecting their baby and honoring his or her natural life, no matter how brief, was profoundly healing."**

**Very rarely, continuing a pregnancy may put a mother's life at risk—for example, because of a tubal pregnancy or aggressive uterine cancer. It is morally licit to remove the threat to the mother's life by removing the cancerous uterus or the fallopian tube where the child implanted, even though it is foreseeable that the child will die as an indirect and unintended result of such surgery. But abortion—a direct and intentional taking of a child's life—is never morally permissible.**

### What Are We to Do?

Love them both! Support women who need help during *and after* difficult pregnancies through the work of your diocesan Respect Life office and local pregnancy care centers.

Educate yourself and others about struggles some experience after abortion, and find out where to refer those seeking help at [www.hopeafterabortion.org](http://www.hopeafterabortion.org). If you feel called to support your local ministry, contact your diocesan Project Rachel Ministry office for ways you might help.

Stay informed about key federal legislation and the voting records of your elected representatives by visiting [www.humanlifeaction.org](http://www.humanlifeaction.org) and [www.usccb.org/prolife](http://www.usccb.org/prolife). Stay updated on state issues by signing up to receive information from your state Catholic conference or diocesan pro-life office.

Most importantly, pray daily for the end to abortion, that all mothers and children experience the loving support of the Church community, and that all who suffer after abortion find healing and peace.

## Mount Olivet Mausoleum

### Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery, Charleston, WV

Due to the lack of space in our current mausoleum, we are planning the construction of an additional mausoleum adjacent to the present site. Our future mausoleum will provide the prestige and serenity of above-ground burial with the relaxing and comfortable environment for loved ones to visit year-round. This mausoleum will hold 180 casket spaces, which includes single and tandem crypts, and 90 niche spaces and will be nestled against an earthy rock backdrop.

To purchase or learn more about arrangements for above ground entombment or inurnment, please contact the parish office 304-342-8175, Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 4:30pm and ask to speak to Sheila Kerekes or John Blake or via email at Skerekes@shccwv.us or Jblake@shccwv.us.



## DATES to REMEMBER

See Vestibule Bulletin Board

10/12 Serra Club Meeting-St. John XXIII, 12:00 PM

2nd Tuesday of Each Month-Prayer Shawl Ministry, Sacred Heart Cordis Center, 12:45-2:45 PM. To join or for information call 344-1181 or 345-5479.

**Saturday's**- Eucharistic Adoration 4:00-5:00 p.m., SH Basilica  
1st & 3rd Thursdays: St. Monica Intercessory Prayer Group, SH Sacristy, 12:45-1:45 p.m.  
Email prayer requests to: stmonicaprayer@gmail.com

### USE OF CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES

**"Thank you"** to parishioners who use their contribution envelopes and **print clearly the amount of their contribution on the envelope.** Thanks also to those who print clearly their parish ID number on loose checks, i.e. checks not in contribution envelopes. This is helpful in identifying active parishioners requesting Sacraments and helpful to parish office staff in posting your contributions so you will have an accurate amount for tax purposes at the end of the year.

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St. Michael the Archangel Council #12630  
Membership Info: [www.kofc12630.org/join](http://www.kofc12630.org/join)  
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### Council 12630

#### Open House and Benefits Night! Monday Oct 8 at 6 PM

Learn more about upcoming activities and recent accomplishments about our council. Meet our new Grand Knight Pete Bohn and Deputy Grand Knight Paul DiMarco!

Open to all Knights of Columbus, spouses, family members and anyone interested in learning more about the Knights of Columbus and its services and benefits.

Field Agent Jack Walsh MBA, FIC and General Agent Mike Burkitt will provide an overview of the Knights of Columbus history and benefits.

Topics for the evening will include but not limited to:

- \* Retirement- will I/we outlive our money
- \* Social Security Maximization
- \* Protecting our retirement with guaranteed income streams
- \* How does my 401K, 403B, ESOP, TSP work
- \* What is Long Term Care
- \* Do I qualify for Long Term Care?
- \* How do I save for College and control the money
- \* How do I save for retirement and use the money tax free
- \* Do I have enough life insurance to protect my family and my estate
- \* How do I protect my business with a Key Man policy

And any other relevant topic that the audience may want to discuss. Dinner will be provided.

If interested please call 757-237-3935 or email [jack.walsh@kofc.org](mailto:jack.walsh@kofc.org) reserve your seat as seating is limited.

Come prepared to take notes and learn!

Baptismal Preparation Class for First Time Parents  
To schedule a baptism preparation class for your family or to get more information please call 304-342-8175.



Sacred Heart Early Learning Center Ages 6 Weeks to 2 Years  
open to children of all faiths, located at 204 Leon Sullivan Way.  
Hours of operation are Monday-Friday 7:00 am to 5:30 pm, year round.

At the Early Learning Center, care teachers provide a safe, clean, predictable and nurturing environment in which children can explore, build relationships and develop a positive self concept. If you are interested in our program, call Dawn Snyder at 414-5757 for an appointment, or for information.

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