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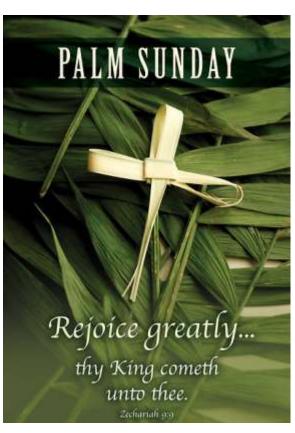
# Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord-March 24, 2024

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### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 8:15 am, Vigil 5:30 PM Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM Monday & Friday 8:15 AM Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 12:00 PM

Mass from the Basilica is live streamed on our Facebook & YouTube page, Sundays at 10:30 AM

Mass from the Diocese is being live-streamed at 6 p.m. on Saturday, where it remains online. The link is https://dwc.org/home/mass/

Listen to EWTN on WLUX 1450 AM Dunbar|Charleston https://www.ewtn.com/radio/schedule

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

**Saturday's 4:00**-5:00 PM or by appointment. 304-342-8175

<u>EUCHARISTIC ADORATION</u> **Saturday's 4:00**-5:00 PM.



# 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.

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#### **SACRAMENTS**

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#### Sharing Our Treasure - 3/17/2024

Regular Collection: \$11,614 Candles: \$346 Diocesan Priest Ret. \$100 (\$5,690) Smile (Sisters): \$50

Easter Flowers: \$230 (\$1783)

Thank you for your faithful generosity.

### The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at the Basilica Palm Sunday-March 24, 2024

03/23 Sat. 5:30 pm + People of the Parish

03/24 Sun. 8:00 am + Deceased Members of the Sadd Family

10:30 pm + Denver "Buck" McCallister

5:00 pm + C.W. Moore

03/25 Mon. 8:15 am + Fortunata Lim

4:00 pm Chrism Mass (Everyone Welcome)

03/26 Tues. 12:00 pm + Maria Higgs

03/27 Wed. 12:00 pm + Michael Joseph Aiello

#### Holy Week

#### Holy Thursday

03/28 Thur. 7:00 pm + Deceased Priests of the Diocese

#### Good Friday

03/29 Fri. 12:00 pm Stations of the Cross

3:00 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion 7:00 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Holy Saturday

03/30 Sat. 8:30 pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

03/31 Sun. 8:00 am + Deceased Members of the Haddad Family

10:30 am + People of the Parish

5:00 pm NO MASS

#### Ministry Schedule week of April 6/7

Lector Schedule 5:30 PM-Patricia Noronha 8:00 AM-Mark French 10:30 AM-Amanda Ream 5:00 PM- Jack Burke

#### **Eucharistic Ministers Schedule**

5:30 PM-Sr. Ida, Debra Murphy, Patricia Noronha, 3 volunteers 8:00 AM-Nancy Bricker, Mary Agnes & Rex Kern, 3 volunteers 10:30 AM-Kerri Linton, Andrew & Heather Workman, 3 volunteers 5:00 PM-Debra Basham, Agnes Smith, Angelita Zamora, 3 Volunteers

#### The Pope's Monthly Intention March-For the new martyrs

We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

FYI...The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated Saturday, June 8th at the 5:30 pm Mass.

#### A note from the Rector...

Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord,

Greetings on this Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord! Welcome to Holy Week!

Today we recall Jesus' entry into His own city of Jerusalem. As we enter this most Sacred Holy Week, I strongly encourage to join us for each of these Holy Days. I ask you to please watch your email for Holy Week & Easter Flocknote ministry signups. Please be a service to our community.

Bishop Mark will preside at our 8:00am and 10:30am Palm Sunday Masses. It is wonderful to have him with us this Sunday. You are invited to join Bishop Mark and the priests of the Diocese for the Chrism Mass on Monday at 4:00pm.

Please keep in your prayers those preparing to enter the Roman Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil. Our candidates: Olivia Campbell, Megan Estep, Joe Hanson, Nick Harmon, Marsha Hoyer, Sherry Massey, Devon Pring & Leah Pring.

Please make use of this prayer during this Holy Week. I remain,

Yours in Christ, Fr. Don

God as we walk through Holy week toward the cross, may we remember the wonder of who you are. Beyond sin your love is inexhaustible, beyond brokenness your forgiveness is incomprehensible. Beyond betrayal your grace is poured out eternally, beyond death your life is unimaginable. Beyond human understanding, your ways are always higher than ours.

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## Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

March 24th 5:30 PM, 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 5:00 PM

## Holy Week & Easter at the Basilica

March 28th Holy Thursday

7:00 PM Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

March 29th
3:00 PM Good Friday of the Lord's Passion
Celebration of the Lord's Passion

12:00 PM Stations of the Cross

7:00 PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion

March 30th 8:30 PM Holy Saturday Easter Vigil Mass

#### **Resurrection of the Lord**

March 31st 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM, NO 5:00 PM MASS

#### The Holy Eucharist -- Our Story

Have you seen the episodes of "The Holy Eucharist -- Our Story" that are posted on the Basilica's Facebook page? (Search for Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart on Facebook) These are short testimonials that our fellow parishioners have made on what the eucharist means to them. They are very powerful -- take a look if you haven't seen them!

If you would like to make a testimonial recording, or if you have questions, please let John Willson know at johnhwillson@me.com or at 304-552-4080.

#### A Pilgrimage to Catholic Italy with Fr. Don

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. Early Bird Discount of \$50 for those who register before February 3rd.

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.



Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist-A Video Presentation by Dr. Brant Pitre



Sunday, March 24, 2024-6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

# In Sacred Heart Basilica's Msgr. Sadie Gathering Space

This video catechesis will change the way you see the Eucharist. Dr. Brant Pitre is Distinguished Research Professor of Scripture at the Augustine Institute in Denver, Colorado. He received his Ph.D. in New Testament and ancient Judaism from the University of Notre Dame, Indiana. This video presentation is based on his book of the same title.

Study guides will be provided. For more information contact Michael Kawash at 304-549-6453 or mak@ramlaw.com



#### **Hiring Director of Music Ministries**

The Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in Charleston, WV, is looking for a pastoral musician. Responsibilities include overseeing the selection of music for liturgies, substituting for our organist, directing the choir, cantoring when necessary, preparing worship aids and expanding our current music program. Candidates should have a BA degree or higher in a music field, or other field, if musically trained, excellent organ/keyboard/choral conducting skills and vocal technique and be familiar with music notation software. A practicing Catholic is preferred but not required; candidates must be of the Christian faith with willingness to learn about and genuinely support others in their Catholic faith. Conversant with a variety of liturgical styles including contemporary, classical, and traditional. Must demonstrate a commitment to use a blended approach to liturgical music that encourages the assembly to sing. Working hours are flexible and include weekends and some evenings. Complete job description available upon request. Please send résumés to: Bernadette McMasters Kime, Office of Worship and Sacraments, PO. Box 230, Wheeling, WV 26003 or email bkime@dwc.org

# Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart Pilgrimage Site for the Diocesan Shrine of Santo Niño

1114 Virginia Street East Charleston, West Virginia 25301

Join us for our Annual Diocesan Shrine Novena for the Santo Niño April 6 to April 14, 2024 Celebrating a Year of Blessing from the Christ Child Jesus

### DAILY MASS, NOVENA and DEVOTION

Sat, April 6 - Mass at 5:30pm followed by Novena/Benediction Sun, April 7 - Mass at 5:00pm followed by Novena/Benediction Mon, April 8 to Fri, April 12 - Mass at 6:00pm followed by Novena/Benediction

Sat, April 13 - Mass at 5:30pm followed by Novena/Benediction
Sun, April 14 - Mass at 12:00 noon followed by Novena/Benediction & the procession of the Santo Niño Statue

Reception to follow each day in the P. Edward Sadie Gathering Space.

\*\*\* ALL ARE WELCOME \*\*\*



# Knights of Columbus OUR LAST LENTEN FISH FRY IS THIS FRIDAY, MARCH 22nd at 6:00 PM \$10 each, at Sacred Heart Grade School

Knights of Columbus Council 12630 would like to thank all those who attended our Lenten Fish Fries and especially thank all those who helped in various ways to make these events possible. This is a new activity for our council, so please be patient with us as we refine our procedures.

The Knights are nearing the end of our 40 Cans for Lent Food Drive, so please remember Father Thien and the good work he does to help the food insecure in Clay County. As in previous years, you may bring either non-perishable food or give a monetary donation. Father Thien's most requested items are 1. Peanut Butter, 2. Canned Tuna Fish, 3. Canned Soup, 4. Any Canned Vegetable, 5. Canned Fruit. Crackers would also be appreciated. We are again suggesting a donation in the form of a check made out to K of C 12630 for \$30.00 to cover a basic meal.

If you like the things that the Knights do, consider becoming a member. Knights participate in all manner of charitable activities to support families, the church community, faith and life. Our food drives, coats for kids and the hot dog and ice cream socials and fish fries are examples of just some of our activities. The first year of membership is still free if you join online at kofc.org/joinus. The free code is now *blessedmcgivney*, for online membership. After a year, we ask that you pay dues which go to support our Charitable activities. Please ask a Knight if you are interested.

# Sacred Heart Gift Shop

is opened after each Mass and is generally opened prior to the 10:30 Mass. We have gifts for every occasion. If you can't find what you are looking for, we can order it for you.

All parishioners are invited to pray with St. Monica's Prayer eGroup which receives prayer requests and sends them to members by Flocknote. If you wish to send a request or be added as a member to receive requests, simply text Diane Kimble 304-881-9766 for details. Thank you

#### **Palm Sunday**

#### **Promise of Life**

Lord God, you entered Jerusalem in triumph, and we shouted, "Hosanna!" As the Lenten journey closes, may I continue to remember your sacrifice and love. Give me the strength to follow your cross. May my heart find serenity and joy in your promise. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### Sunday, March 24, 2024-Never Alone

Today's readings: Gospel at the procession Mark 11:1–10 or John 12:12–16; Isaiah 50:4–7; Psalm 22:8–9, 17–18, 19–20, 23–24; Philippians 2:6–11; Mark 14:1—15:47. Today's readings leave us much to ponder. During the Gospel at the procession, a crowd welcomes Jesus to Jerusalem, singing, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!" At the end of the Gospel from Mark, Jesus was not hailed but reviled as passersby taunted, "You who would destroy the temple in three days, save yourself by coming down from the cross."



In the last verses from Mark's Gospel, we witness the faith of the steadfast disciples, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of younger James and Joses, and Salome. These women had followed Jesus in Galilee, stood by until his death, and watched where he was laid in a tomb. Apparent, too, is the faith of Joseph of Arimathea, who wrapped Jesus in linen and laid him in the tomb.

Also obvious in the Gospel is the wavering faith of those who had followed Jesus for three years. Not only did Judas betray Jesus, but Peter could not stay awake with him as he prayed in the garden, and later Peter denied him three times. The Gospel proclaimed today does not record the apostles' presence at the crucifixion.

During Holy Week, Christians have the opportunity to be with Christ as his last days are recalled. Take to heart Jesus' words to the apostles in Gethsemane: "Remain here and keep watch."

#### This Week at Home

#### Monday, March 25-A Precious Offering

In today's Gospel we see how Mary, Lazarus' sister, takes what may have been her most precious possession and used it to anoint Jesus' feet. We are also given opportunities to give the very best of ourselves. Today, examine whether you have gifts within you that you hold back. Who would benefit from those gifts? Today's readings: Isaiah 42:1–7; Psalm 27:1, 2, 3, 13–14; John 12:1–11.

#### Tuesday, March 26-Judas Is Humanity

Imagine how Jesus would have felt knowing that Judas was about to betray him. He surely was troubled but also hurt. Let us also imagine what may have been in the mind and heart of Judas. In Judas we can see all of humanity reflected: the emptiness of greed and envy, the alienation and loneliness of sin. However much we strive to be like Jesus, we will always meet our flaws and shortcomings. In Christ, however, we are strengthened to do good in the world despite our failings. As we approach the celebration of the resurrection and prepare for the renewal of our baptismal promises, resolve to let the new life that Christ gives to well up within you. Today's readings: Isaiah 49:1–6; Psalm 7:1–2, 3–4a, 5ab–6ab, 15, 17; John 13:21–33, 36–38.

#### Wednesday, March 27-Second Chances

Much can be learned from Judas' betrayal. Perhaps by examining Judas' actions, we can right our failings. Consider how you can explore and acknowledge what keeps you from God. This week reflect on the times you preferred a path other than God's. How did following another way disturb your relationship with God and others? Trust in God's promise of forgiveness for all who truly repent. Today's readings: Isaiah 50:4–9a; Psalm 69:8–10; 21–22, 31, 33–34; Matthew 26:14–25.

#### Thursday, March 28-Serving Others

Tonight, with the Mass of the Lord's Supper, the Sacred Paschal Triduum begins. Humbling himself, Jesus washed and dried the feet of the disciples. Just as he washed their feet, by his resurrection, he washed away our sins. Perhaps you have an elderly parent, neighbor, or relative with impaired movement. How can you humble yourself and be of service to another? Mass of the Lord's Supper: Exodus 12:1–8, 11–14; Psalm 116:12–13, 15–16bc, 17–18; 1 Corinthians 11:23–26; John 13:1–15.

#### Friday, March 29-Symbol of Love

During the Adoration of the Holy Cross in today's liturgy, the faithful are invited to process to the cross and offer a sign of reverence. Even when you are unable to attend this service, spend time in quiet contemplating Jesus' surrender of himself on the cross. How are you asked to surrender yourself to the crosses in your life? Celebration of the Passion of the Lord: Isaiah 52:13—53:12; Psalm 31:2, 6, 12–13, 15–16, 17, 25; Hebrews 4:14–16, 5:7–9; John 18:1—19:42.

#### Saturday, March 30-Beacon of Light in the Darkness

Jesus has died and descended into hell but the darkness surrounding us is only temporary. The light of the world will shine brightly once more, and soon enough it will defeat the darkness. Today's readings: Genesis 1:1—2:2; Psalm 104:1–2, 5–6, 10, 12, 13–14, 24, 35 or Psalm 33:4–5, 6–7, 12–13, 20–22; Genesis 22:1–18; Psalm 16:5, 8, 9–10, 11; Exodus 14:15—15:1; Exodus 15:1–2, 3–4, 5–6, 17–18; Isaiah 54:5–14; Psalm 30:2, 4, 5–6, 11–12, 13; Isaiah 55:1–11; Isaiah 12:2–3, 4, 5–6; Baruch 3:9–15, 32—4:4; Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Ezra 36:16–17a, 18–28; Psalm 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 or Isaiah 12:2–3, 4bcd, 5–6 or Psalm 51:12–13, 14–15, 18–19; Romans 6:3–11; Psalm 118:1–2, 16–17, 22–23; Mark 16:1–7.

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#### DIOCESE OF WHEELING-CHARLESTON



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#### March 11, 2024

#### Catholic Teaching on In Vitro Fertilization (IVF)

The Alabama Supreme Court's 8-1 decision on February 16, 2024, declaring that an embryo is a human being and is protected under state law from mistreatment, has brought to public scrutiny the procedure called in vitro fertilization (IVF). The media generally has derided the decision, saying that the Court's decision makes embryos equivalent to "people" or "children." Many politicians, both conservative and liberal, have taken a stand in favor of IVF and say it must be protected in law. The Alabama legislature quickly passed a bill giving legal immunity to facilities that perform IVF and to those who seek it. IVF births are about 2% of all children born in the United States.

The underlying problem is infertility. I pray regularly for infertile couples I know. Every once in a while, I hear that the wife is now pregnant and I rejoice. A couple usually seeks advice from a gynecologist/obstetrician. If the OBGYN follows established protocols, a thorough examination of fertility issues for both the man and the woman is conducted, which sometimes leads to remedies that allow the couple to conceive a child naturally. There are reports that at other times a complete fertility examination is not done and the couple is simply referred to a fertility clinic to start IVF or artificial insemination.

The basic principle guiding Catholic reflection on infertility is that measures that assist a couple to conceive a child in their marital act are permissible while measures that replace the marital act are not. Both nature and God intend that the conception of new human beings occur in the intimate relations of a man and woman who should be committed not only to one another (i.e., married) but to the responsible upbringing of their children.

IVF departs from that norm. Its very name, in vitro, means in Latin that the conception occurs "in glass" (a petri dish in most cases), not in the couple's marital act. Ovum and sperm are extracted from the man and woman, often by masturbation, and are manipulated in the laboratory. Multiple embryos are usually created, because some do not survive the freezing before insertion in the mother; others are not used because they are judged to have low reproductive potential; and some of those with high reproductive potential fail to attach to the uterine wall. As laudable as sympathy for an infertile couple may be, there is more than a whiff of "eugenics" in IVF as medical personnel choose which embryos are worthy of life and which are not.

So, what happens to the embryos that are not used? Unless the couple objects, they are discarded. If the couple wants to keep them, they are kept frozen for possible future use. Now, consider again what the media and many politicians have said: "The Alabama Supreme Court called these embryos people!" But the Court got it exactly right. What species are these embryos? Canine (dog)? Feline (cat)? Bovine (cow)? No, they are homo sapiens: they are "humans who know." They may be small and only in the initial stages of development, but they are human beings. Simply throwing them out kills them, a literal example of Pope Francis' sharp criticism of our modern "throw-away culture."

Even though the embryos that died in the Alabama hospital should never have been conceived by IVF, still they were conceived and should be protected. That's why the Alabama Supreme Court ruled that the parents of those embryos could sue for damages owing to the destruction of their children due to the negligence of the IVF clinic.

Every help possible should be given to couples experiencing infertility but the ends do not justify the means. Technology in medicine as in warfare, commerce, and daily actions such as driving a car or using the Internet must be guided by ethical standards or else technology will betray the good which it pretends to serve. IVF looks for a short-term solution but does not recognize the longer-term damage it does by making the embryo an object of medical manipulation rather than a fruit of parental love.

The Catholic Church, relying on the sound conclusions of philosophy, anthropology and moral theology, has not approved in vitro fertilization because it does not assist a couple to achieve a pregnancy through their intimate union but rather replaces it. Our Church has also sponsored research to aid infertile couples. It behooves a couple facing infertility to insist on a thorough examination of the causes of their condition to see if a remedy may be found.

It is the normal desire and expectation of most couples to have children but there is no absolute right to have a child. If a couple's desire cannot be achieved by morally and spiritually appropriate means, then, if they are persons of faith, it behooves them to accept their condition, just as God would want them to do if they conceived and gave birth to a child with serious physical or mental deficiencies. Potential parents are not consumers" buying" children. I have known childless couples who have adopted children, others who have given time and energy working with youth in their parish or community, others who have careers teaching children or serving them in the medical and legal professions. When faced with childlessness, we who believe in a provident God must seek above all to do God's will and trust that this will bring the best outcome: peace of soul and a clear conscience.

Sincerely in Christ,

+ Mark E. Brenner

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Bishop of Wheeling-Charleston



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**Now Hiring-**Our Parish has full-time and part-time teacher positions for the Early Learning Center and After-school care programs. Diocesan benefits and salaries commensurate with experience and education. Applicants must be at least 18 years old, have a high school diploma and clear a background check. WVIT and ACDS helpful but not required. Please contact Sheila Kerekes at 304-414-5757 or mail your resume to 1114 Virginia St. E., Charleston, WV 25301.

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. 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.

#### New Mausoleum to be built at Mount Olivet Cemetery-the only Catholic Cemetery in Kanawha County.

The church has consulted with Tim White at Barlow Bonsall Funeral Home to help us get the mausoleum built. You may contact him at (304)342-8135 or his cell phone at (304)395-4824 for more information or to set up a private meeting. This may be done either virtually or



in person. Affordable monthly payment plans are available.

"Lord Jesus Christ, by your own three days in the tomb, you hallowed the graves of all who believed in you and so made the grave a sign of hope that promises resurrection even as it claims our mortal bodies" - Rite of Committal

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Or...

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Baptismal Preparation Class for First Time Parents To schedule a baptism preparation class 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 Andrea Stover at 414-5757 for an appointment, or for information.

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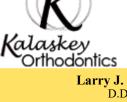
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