



BASILICA OF THE CO-CATHEDRAL OF THE SACRED HEART

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



13th Sunday in Ordinary Time-June 30, 2024

Pastor: Most Rev. Mark E. Brennan
Bishop of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston

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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
Tuesday, 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
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<https://www.ewtn.com/radio/schedule>

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

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.

Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

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SACRAMENTS

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

MUSIC

Music Director: Mark Haas 342-8175
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Principal Organist: Gregory Gray 380-4786

OTHER PARISH GROUPS OR MINISTRIES

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Contact: Karen or Sam Gross 346-2608
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SH Gift Shop: Antonetta Stevens 415-8132 or Kathy Lamb 344-2011
SH Pastoral Council: Jack Walsh-Chair 533-2298

Sharing Our Treasure - 6/23/2024

Regular Collection: \$10,701 Candles: \$120
Smile (Sisters): \$175 Needy Student: \$40
Social Concerns: \$26 Partners in Hope: \$100
Air Conditioning: \$105 (\$2387)
Peter's Pence: \$50 (\$1065)

Thank you for your faithful generosity.

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at the Basilica 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time-June 30, 2024

06/29 Sat. 5:30 pm + People of the Parish
06/30 Sun. 8:00 am + William & Clare Kovach
10:30 am For the Intention of Stephen & Mary Ann
Naylor's 50th Wedding Anniversary
5:00 pm + Rev. Charles F. Ewald
07/01 Mon. 8:15 am + Rev. Paul J. Fahey
07/02 Tues. 12:00 pm + Romie Flores
07/03 Wed. 12:00 pm + Guy Erwin
07/04 Thur. 12:00 pm + Deceased of our United States Military
07/05 Fri. 8:15 am + Rev. Msgr. Leonard Gizinskas
12:00 pm + Farida Siriani Rizk
07/06 Sat 8:15 am + Rev. Michael Fitzpatrick
07/06 Sat. 5:30 pm + Msgr. P. Edward Sadie
07/07 Sun. 8:00 am + Matthew Keely
10:30 am + John Ruddick
5:00 pm + People of the Parish

Ministry Schedule week of July 6/7

Lector Schedule
5:30 PM-Kerri Grant
8:00 AM-Jim Weimer
10:30 AM-Andrew Workman
5:00 PM-Jason Pizatella

Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

5:30 PM-Sr. Ida Chikara, John Willson, 4 volunteers
8:00 AM-Greg Bolles, Nancy Bricker, Janice Prince, 3 volunteers
10:30 AM-Chloe Flores, Kerri Linton, Cindy McGhee, 3 volunteers
5:00 PM-Debra Basham, Agnes Smith, Angelita Zamora, 3 Volunteers

The Pope's Monthly Intention **July-For the pastoral care of the sick.**

We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all.



Happy Birthday

Fr. Roy - July 2nd

From Fr. Don, the parish
staff and parishioners.

We thank God for the gift of your life.

A note from the Rector...

Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord,

Greetings on this Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time!

Along with other priests from our Diocese, I had a beautiful retreat this week at Saint John XXIII. I am very grateful for the staff at the center who cared for us very well. I am grateful for your prayers and birthday wishes.

This Sunday after our 10:30am Mass, our Knights of Columbus will host a hot dog and ice cream social in our Gathering Space. Please join as we prepare to celebrate the 4th of July.

Please note that our parish office will be closed for the 4th and 5th of July. Please make use of our July 4th prayer as we give thanks to God for the gift of our nation.

Have a blessed week and a Happy Fourth! I remain,

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Don

Knights of Columbus



DON'T FORGET OUR HOT DOG AND ICE BREAM SOCIAL THIS SUNDAY, JUNE 30th, in the Gathering Space. We will start serving after the 10:30 Mass.

This is a fantastic time to get to know your fellow parishioners by seeing old friends or new acquaintances. We look forward to seeing you there.

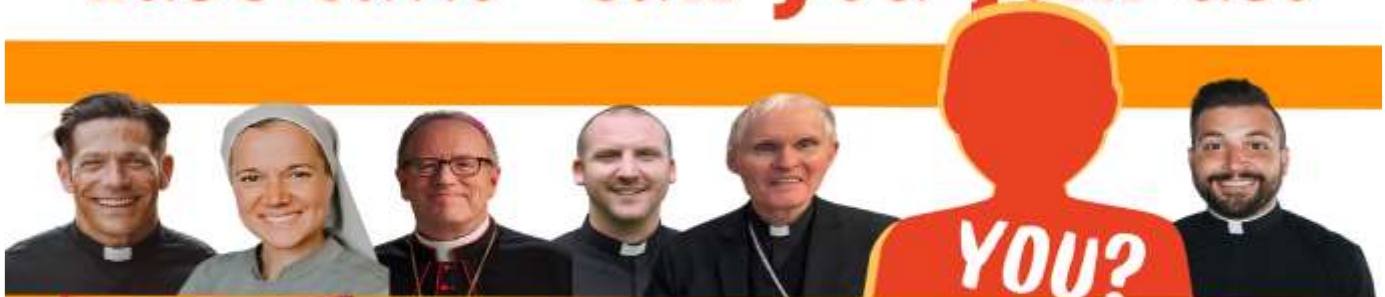
If you are interested in becoming a Knight, please ask one of us about joining.



Blessings and Congratulations to Liliane J. McClanahan. Baptized Sunday, June 23. She is the child of Drew and Nichole McClanahan.



Last call! Can you join us?



LIMITED OFFER

**National Eucharistic Congress
July 17-21 in Indianapolis.**



The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston has secured around 50 extra tickets for the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis on July 17-21.

Thanks to our friends at the Chancery, these tickets are free on a first come first serve basis. Whether you can go all five days or just a few you can claim your free ticket by calling Joyce Bibey or Bernadette Kime at 304-233-0880 or emailing Bernadette at bkime@dwc.org.

Bishop Brennan is hoping to see you representing the faithful of WV at the National Eucharistic Congress. For details about the NEC go dwc.org.

No matter where you are in your spiritual journey, this moment in the history of the Church is for you... and the 80,000 other faithful from around the country!

Liturgical Linens Ministry Update

Thanks so much to all who volunteered for this very necessary and greatly appreciated ministry. There is a schedule in place through the end of December 2024. If you would like to be a substitute on the current schedule or become a permanent addition on the new schedule for January-June 2025, please call the parish office 304-342-8175.



Religious Education News...

Parents can pick up registration forms for 2024-25 in the vestibule of the Church or go to the parish website, www.sacredheartcathedral.com and print one out. RE will begin again in September.

ATTENTION ALL EMPLOYEES AND VOLUNTEERS AT SACRED HEART BASILICA & SCHOOLS

Starting this year, yearly Safe Environment continuing education will be required of all diocesan employees and volunteers. This will entail completion of a yearly module and monthly bulletins for all employees and volunteers.

Keeping this matter in the forefront of our minds is critical to maintaining a safe environment for the young and for vulnerable adults where they worship, study, recreate and camp. More information will be sent to you from either the Office of Safe Environment or from your parish office, regarding the timeline and details for completing this yearly training.

We expect to implement this continuing education in phases and will rely primarily on our existing awareness training provider, VIRTUS. With an electronic platform and a built-in tracking mechanism, VIRTUS makes it convenient and easy to complete and document training. Look for more specific information and direction in the coming weeks.

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.

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.

Rosary Rally

SAVE THE DATE!

Sunday, October 13, 3:00pm

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HOSPITALITY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Volunteers are needed to help with parish social events, and the funeral Mercy Meal ministry. For information or to volunteer contact the parish office at 304-342-8175

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

Prayer for America

Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth, Intercede for us, your children in America, as we pray for our nation, our military, and our families.

We pray for our government leaders, that they will make just decisions and govern us in accordance with truth and the principles upon which our nation was founded.

We ask protection for those serving in the military and for our first responders. Bless them and their families as they sacrifice themselves to keep us safe.

We pray for our families. In a culture that seeks to destroy the morals and values upon which this country was founded, may our families be united in faith and charity.

Reclaim this great country for your Son's glory, that under His protection and guidance, we may stand together as a people of faith and trust in Him for the changes we seek.

Amen.

Liturgical Ministers are needed!

We need volunteers for all Masses. Please consider becoming a Reader, Eucharistic Minister, Usher or Altar Server. To volunteer email: ahodges@shccwv.us or call the parish office at 304-342-8175.

Readers

At Mass, the reader proclaims the assigned Scriptures that precede the Gospel. A person does not need to be an ordained deacon or priest to serve as a reader at Mass.

The reader joins the Entrance Procession with other ministers. If there is no deacon, the reader carries the Book of the Gospels.

Readers exercise their ministry at the ambo. After the Opening Prayer or Collect, a reader moves to the ambo for the First Reading. If there is no cantor, the reader may recite or sing the Psalm. This responsorial comes from the Scriptures and may be considered a reading like the others. If there is a Second Reading, another reader may proclaim it. After the homily, especially if there is no deacon, the reader may announce the intercessions. The entire ministry of the reader takes place during the Liturgy of the Word.

A good reader prepares for this ministry. Readers study the assigned Scripture in anticipation of the Mass. They strive to understand its meaning and the reason it was chosen for this celebration. They pray over the words and let themselves be formed by what they read.

A good reader becomes familiar with the whole Bible. The Scriptures become a part of the reader's daily and weekly prayer.

The ministry of a reader is most effective when the reader has a devout spirit and the skills of interpretation and proclamation. This ministry takes on deeper significance when readers live their lives in conformity with the word they proclaim.

The proclamation of the reading will become a more living interaction if the members of the assembly do not read the text along with but pay full attention to the reader as a person.



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Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

When the number of priests and deacons is insufficient for the orderly and timely distribution of Communion for a large number of worshipers, instituted acolytes and laypeople may assist as extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion.

Usually such ministers participate in a diocesan training program to learn about Eucharistic theology and the rubrics pertaining to the administration and reception of Holy Communion. Then the parish priest in a ceremony from the Book of Blessings commissions them for their ministry. These ministers should be people of good repute who demonstrate faith and devotion to the Eucharist, as well as compassion for the entire Body of Christ, especially those in need.

Extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion may be appointed indefinitely, for a limited period, or even for a single occasion. The Roman Missal includes a blessing that the priest may use during a Mass when there are insufficient ministers present. He may appoint someone on the spot to assist for that single service.

Communion ministers may enter the sanctuary at a convenient time, such as the Sign of Peace. But they do not approach the altar until the priest has received Communion. They receive Communion and their vessels from the priest or deacon. They distribute Communion from assigned stations. After Communion, they return the vessels to a designated place. If the bishop permits it, ministers of the Blood of Christ may consume what remains in their chalice of distribution. A priest, deacon, or instituted acolyte purifies the vessels with water after Communion or after Mass, swallowing whatever crumbs and droplets remain. Communion ministers or sacristans may then wash the vessels with soap and water.

Extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion are also appointed to bring Communion to the sick in homes and hospitals, and to provide viaticum for the dying.



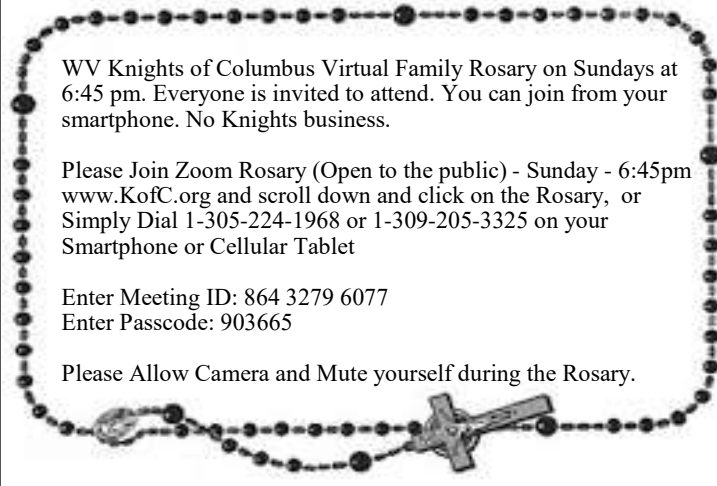
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New Mausoleum to be built at Mount Olivet Cemetery-the only Catholic Cemetery in Kanawha County.

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


For your information, this QR code is a quick way to get to the parish giving page.




Or...

Consider having your church contributions sent directly to the Church from your bank; please contact your own bank to do so. Almost every bank offers this service. If possible please have your parish ID included on the check. Many parishioners are opting to do this.

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



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Pastoral Care is offered to all parishioners. If you would like a visit or the Eucharist brought to your home, the hospital or assisted care facility, you can contact Sr. Ida at 1-304-709-0026.


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.

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.
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