

BASILICA OF THE CO-CATHEDRAL OF THE SACRED HEART



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28th Sunday in Ordinary Time-October 15, 2023

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

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In Residence: Msgr. P. Edward Sadie, P.A., S.T.L.





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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/

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

> **EUCHARISTIC 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, quests and those who might be new to the community.

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

SACRAMENTS

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Music Director: Mark Haas	342-81/5
Email: mhaas@shccwv.us	
Principal Organist: Gregory Gray	380-4786

OTHER PARISH GROUPS OR MINISTRIES

OTHER PRINGER SHOULD ON WINGSTRE	<u> </u>
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Sharing Our Treasure - 10/8/2023

Regular Collection: \$12,257
Smile (Sisters): \$250
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World Mission: \$25

Candles: \$503
Needy Student: \$140
Social Concerns \$55
All Saints: \$100
All Souls: \$100

Thank you for your faithful generosity.

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at the Basilica 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time-October 15, 2023

10/14 Sat. 10/15 Sun.	5:30 pm + People of the Parish 8:00 am + Fred Barata 10:30 am + The Hon. Joanna Tabit 5:00 pm + Adele Bobinger
10/16 Mon.	8:15 am + Dixie L. Stacey
10/17 Tues.	12:00 pm + Ruby Robertson
10/18 Wed.	12:00 pm + Mary Lou Whitlatch
10/19 Thu.	12:00 pm + Debbie Johnson
10/20 Fri.	8:15 am + Mark K. Costa 12:00 pm + Deceased of Tom Edwards Family
10/21 Sat.	8:15 am + Francis Sheets
10/22 Sat. 10/23 Sun.	5:30 pm + Harold Mathie 8:00 am For the Intention of Jack Burke 10:30 am + Chick & Grace Lamb 5:00 pm + People of the Parish

Ministry Schedule-Week of October 21/22

Lector Schedule 5:30 PM-Maricel Bernardo 8:00 AM-Jack Burke 10:30 AM-LaDonna Mason 5:00 PM-John Biros

Eucharistic Ministers Schedule
5:30 PM– Sr. Ida, Annette Cipriani, John Willson,
3 volunteers
8:00 AM– Janice Prince, Joel Weese, Jim Weimer,
3 Volunteers
10:30 AM– Debbie Barr, Jason Pizatella, Andrew &
Heather Workman, 2 Volunteers

5:00 PM-Debra Basham, Agnes Smith, 4 Volunteers

Altar Server Training

For anyone from the 3rd grade up who would like to become an Altar Server or take a refresher course, Fr. Roy is offering training.

To make arrangements contact Fr. Roy at rayappak@dwc.org or call the parish office at 304-342-8175.

The Pope's Monthly Intention October-For the Synod

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

A note from the Rector...

Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord!

Greetings on this 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

This weekend we welcome Fr. Steve Pawelk, who will share with us the work of the Glenmary Home Missionary outreach. I invite you to share your prayers and financial support for this mission appeal. Please check this bulletin for more information.

We are very happy that Msgr. Sadie has returned to the Cordis Center after a few days in the hospital. He is doing much better and is very grateful for your prayers.

I will be leaving Sunday morning to join in my home parish St. Margaret Mary's 100th Anniversary. It was my home parish that the love and devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus was first introduced to me, and the parish community that helped me to discern my priestly vocation. On Monday, I will travel to Rome for a two-week vacation. I will remember you before the Altars of Rome, please keep me in your prayers. Please also pray and encourage Fr. Roy as he covers for me in my absence. May you have a wonderful week. I remain,

Yours in Christ, Fr. Don

The Latin Catholic patriarch of Jerusalem has called for a day of prayer and fasting on Tuesday, Oct. 17, for peace and reconciliation in the Holy Land.

Cardinal Pierbattista Pizzaballa has urged Catholics to organize times of prayer with Eucharistic adoration and recitation of the rosary "to deliver to God the Father our thirst for peace, justice, and reconciliation."

Prayer for Peace in the Middle East

Lord God, we turn to you in these trying hours when conflict is a daily reality for our sisters and brothers in Israel and Palestine. We promise you to work to our utmost for peace and reconciliation in the region. But we know we cannot do it alone. We very much need the strength of your presence in our midst if we are to overcome the obstacles before us. So our prayer at this moment is that you add your support to our efforts, that you show yourself as a tower of strength in those moments when the barriers seem impassable. Together we can become beacons of hope for just and peaceful societies in the land so very dear to the peoples of your covenant. Amen.

- Reverend John T. Pawlikowski, OSM Catholic Theological Union, Chicago, IL



October has traditionally been a month when Catholics perform special devotions to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary. In keeping with this tradition, we will pray the Rosary before each of the weekend masses in October, starting 30 minutes before each mass. Come early for mass and pray the Rosary with us!



Please keep in your prayers Elizabeth "Ann" Frank, who died October 6th. Our prayers and condolences for her family and friends. Eternal rest grant to her, O Lord.



Parents of 9th through 12th grade students, Confirmation class will begin in October. Registration forms are available on the parish website *sacredheartcocathedral.com*, under the Sacrament & Faith Formation tab click Confirmation. You can email completed forms to Linda Bobinger at: linda@thrushclark.com.

Classes begin Sunday, October 22nd at 3:00 PM in Sacred Heart Cordis Center. You will receive the schedule then.

Mission Appeal BUILDING THE CHURCH IN MISSION LAND, USA

We welcome Father Steve Pawelk of the GLENMARY HOME MISSIONERS, who will speak at all the Masses this weekend. This special collection will provide support for Glenmary's ministry in the home missions of the United States.

Father Steve was ordained in 1989 and previously ministered in Glenmary mission parishes in Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, and Tennessee. He currently serves as a member of Glenmary's Council as Second Vice President and directs the community's Novitiate Program. He has a heart for ministry with our Hispanic and Latino brothers and sisters, and was featured in the Netflix documentary film, "After the Raid," which describes Father Steve's efforts to minister to Hispanic migrants and the challenges they faced during his time as pastor in Grainger and Union Counties, Tennessee.

We invite you to share your prayers and financial support for Glenmary's important ministry. Thank you for your generosity.



Are you interested in learning how to collaborate with God to create Holy Moments and discovering the life of extraordinary meaning and divine purpose God made for you? If so, please join us as we pray through Matthew Kelly's book "Holy Moments – A Handbook for the Rest of Your Life." We will be meeting in the Cordis Center every

Tuesday, starting on October 17, 10:15-11:30 AM. If you are interested, please contact Megan Harris at meganharris551@gmail.com or 304-382-6417 no later than October 10th so we can reserve a book for you!

Fr. Sadie's "Cogitationes"

If you wish to contact Msgr. Sadie with questions concerning any of his "cogitations" call 304-546-4330.

Bulletin Readers have asked me to share some highlights of my years as a priest.

In all three seminaries I attended, smoking was allowed but strongly discouraged by restricting it to limited times and places.

I figured I should smoke because so many people smoked. As a priest, I would want people to be comfortable, at ease, talking to me. So, I bought my first pack of cigarettes. I think I smoked two cigarettes as other seminarians asked for cigarettes. I really didn't care for cigarettes. I next tried a cigar. I cared even less for that. Finally, I tried a pipe. I kind of liked a pipe but did not like carrying pipe tobacco, pipe cleaner, matches in my cassock pockets.

Now at 92, to medical questionnaires asking whether I smoke, I say "never".

P.S. Entering the minor seminary at age 16, I never took to alcohol either. I remember at age 18, I registered for the Selective Service. I was classified as a 4D Divinity Student. The draft never got down to my age. I joked I would be evacuated before women and children.



Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus will be passing out Boxes of Joy after all Masses for the next two weeks. These shoe box sized boxes can be filled with small items of clothing,

pencils, paper, or recreational items. Each box will have a flyer which will include a list of suggested items. These boxes are packed by the donors to be dropped off in late October and are sent to children in Latin American countries so they can be received around Christmas. Each donor is asked to send a check for \$9.00 to cover overseas shipping.

The Knights will be partnering with the Serra Club to host Father Thien for a visit to speak on his work with the Risen Lord Food Pantry in Clay County on Monday November13 at 7:00 p.m. Tentative plans include hosting a trial Fish Fry at 6:00 p.m. Menu will be Fried or Baked Fish, Baked Potatoes, Green Beans, Hush Puppies with a small charge for a ticket to determine number attending. More details to follow.

From our music director...

"A Joyful Psalm" #106: Psalm 23

God never gives up on us. Through the course of human history, God continues to develop His covenant with His people. Even though humans might screw things up, God never gives up on us. "He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side with your rod and your staff that give me courage." (Ps.23:4)

God continues to lead human beings to the end of time. What will the end be like? In the First Reading, Isaiah describes, "a feast of rich food and choice wines, juicy, rich food and pure, choice wines." (Is.25:6-9) Jesus gives his own description of the end of time. He describes the Kingdom of God as like a banquet with a King and a Son. Jesus describes a covenant, or, being *one with God*. This covenant relationship is very much like a marriage.

What does God want? He wants to "wed" us: for us to become one body united with Him. Jesus Christ is the wedding of God and humans. The Lord anoints us in this marital union with Himself, and we are forever grateful. "You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows." (Ps.23:5)

Mark Haas, Director of Music



October 1 - October 31 Donate NEW Child and Adult Sized Socks

The Father Boniface Assembly #1188 of the Knights of Columbus is collecting brand-new socks in various sizes in the Gathering Space throughout October to help individuals in the Charleston area. Thank you for your kindest donation.





2023 Gabriel Project Food Products Advance Ordering Sale

We are delighted to offer 4 new and unique items which join traditional favorites for a total of 35 jams, jellies, sauces, salsas, dressings and other tasty products.

Order forms are located in the Gathering Space and entryway. Completed forms are due on or by Monday, October 30th. NO LATE ORDER SUBMISSIONS THIS YEAR!

Submit our order form one of several ways: 1. Mail to the address on the bottom of the form; 2. Deliver to Gabriel Project Office, 1207 Jefferson Road, South Charleston; or 3. Email your form to info@gabrielwv.org. Cash, Check, Money order or credit card accepted for payment.

Share copies of the order form with everyone you know!! Help sustain the Gabriel Project and services to families in need of essential baby items.

A Biblical Walk Through the Mass

Want to gain greater appreciation for the Holy Mass? The remaining classes are this Sunday, the 15th, and the 22nd at 12 noon in the Gathering Space, a Bible Study to explore the biblical significance of the words and gestures we experience at Holy Mass. This tour of the Holy Mass will increase our understanding and love for the Holy Eucharist. We will generally use Dr. Edward Sri's video-based study, A Biblical Walk Through the Mass and an additional insight through scripture reading and discussion.

Please sign up by email to Sam Willson at samwillson2@gmail.com or John Willson at johnhwillson@me.com. Each session will last approximately 1 hour. All are welcome!

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Office of the Bishop October 6, 2023

Pastoral Letter on Pro-life Matters

My fellow Catholics and men and women of good will, the Catholic Church in the United States has for many years observed October as Respect Life Month. Our faith challenges us to revere the human being from the moment of conception to the moment of natural death, so we recall more intensely this month what is always true: that every human being has been created by God and, for that reason alone, deserves respect for his or her physical life and the opportunity to experience conditions that allow for human flourishing.

The late Cardinal Joseph Bernadin of Chicago seized on the image of Jesus' seamless garment (see John 19:23-24) to speak of the inter-connectedness of the various dimensions of human life that should be protected and cherished. The image unites concerns for humanity around key protections for life and the promotion of human flourishing in matters such as people's access to food and clean water, the right to an authentic ethnic or regional culture, respect for freedom of conscience, renunciation of torture, providing all adults with meaningful work and fostering peace among nations and groups.

A garment, however, needs a hem to keep it from fraying at the edges and coming apart. That hem for the seamless garment that unites the many life issues is respect for the physical life of the human being. Whether it is capital punishment, assisted suicide, euthanasia, abortion or infanticide, these assaults on a human being's physical life disrespect the person and make irrelevant any other rights or needs. These evils demand our vigorous opposition and positive efforts to find remedies for the problems they pretend to solve.

With respect to the taking of human life, abortion stands out for its cruelty, not only because the unborn child lacks the possibility of self-defense and the ability to advocate for his or herself but also because the child has committed no evil that could justify the taking of his or her life. The unborn child's offense is simply that he or she exists. His or her humanity is accorded no value. As Pope Francis has said, abortion is an extreme example of the throw-away culture that masquerades as wisdom in contemporary society.

Pope St. John XXIII used the phrase the signs of the times in 1961, when he convoked the Second Vatican Council. It reflects Jesus' comment to the Pharisees and Sadducees that you know how to judge the appearance of the sky but you cannot judge the signs of the times – they did not understand that in Jesus the long-awaited Messiah had appeared (Matthew 16:3). If we judge rightly the signs of the times in our country, we understand why the American bishops have called abortion "the pre-eminent issue."

All the life issues contained in the seamless garment matter, but some are more urgent at a certain time and place than others. The people of the United States in the first half of the nineteenth century read the signs of the times and understood that slavery was the pre-eminent issue of their time, even though there was considerable agitation over immigration, public education, labor and capital relations and religious freedom for Catholics. Slavery was the issue that most deeply divided the country, as abortion does now, and it was over slavery that the Civil War was fought. As Abraham Lincoln put it, citing Jesus Christ: "A house divided against itself cannot stand. I believe this government cannot endure permanently half slave and half free." A country that claims to honor "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" for its citizens cannot remain permanently divided over how it will treat the unborn child.

Those who support abortion access have read the signs of the times and have concluded that abortion is the preeminent issue. They have encouraged leaders across America to put their eggs in that basket in the pursuit of political power. That is likely to continue for the foreseeable future. We who support the value of every human being should be just as astute in recognizing the importance of the abortion issue as are its proponents. All of the life issues depend on preserving the physical life of the human being, which is precisely what abortion attacks. We West Virginians live in a state that has recently passed legislation that restricts abortion more sharply than in many other states. This law is actually saving lives. But it is not enough to simply let the child be born. We have to create positive conditions for the child and help pregnant women whose circumstances of life may push them toward abortion. We must be pro-woman as well as pro-child. As Pope St. John Paul II urged, we must show a "radical solidarity" with pregnant women who need our support.

How do we serve both mother and child? The US Bishops' Conference initiated a program called "Walking with Moms in Need." It connects parishes with pregnancy resource centers in their area so that the parishes can offer tangible support such as volunteers, diapers, formula and other baby needs, and financial help. Some parishes have taken advantage of that program while others have shown initiative on their own. St. Francis of Assisi Parish in St. Albans, with the help of the local Knights of Columbus, started a baby pantry called "Little Blessings" to provide clothing and other things babies need. St. Joseph's Parish in Martinsburg opened Mary's Refuge earlier this year for pregnant women with nowhere to live. Up to nine women can live there for a year after the birth of their child, receiving various services before and after they give birth. St. Francis de Sales Parish in Morgantown has planted a garden to grow fresh vegetables for families in need. Is your parish partnered with a local pregnancy resource center in Walking with Moms in Need or engaged in some other outreach to pregnant women, new mothers and young children?

On a diocesan level, on October 5 of this year the Office of Social Ministries, directed by Kathy Barton, sponsored the first-ever Life Expo in Wheeling, bringing together more than 20 organizations dedicated to serving women and children in need. The goal was to show our parish communities that wrap-around services exist in this region to care for pregnant mothers and their born and unborn children who may be at risk. Did anyone from your parish attend Life Expo?

I should not neglect to mention Catholic Charities of West Virginia's "Birth to Three" program, which tracks young children for developmental deficiencies, such as hearing or vision impairments, and finds appropriate help. This is a true service to poorer families and is in addition to the counseling services, financial assistance and disaster relief efforts that Catholic Charities already offers. Our Church, as you can see, is already engaged around the state in efforts to support pregnant women and young children, even as we strive to do more.

The state of West Virginia has stepped up with some support for pregnant women and families, including creating a fund to assist organizations working to provide material support and other assistance to pregnant women and new babies, expanding the adoption tax credit and enhancing eligibility for early intervention services for adopted children. The state could do more by helping to pay attorneys' fees that are a hardship for some adoptive parents and by expanding support for kinship families. It could provide an enhanced child tax credit against state income tax obligations and make credit payments to families monthly rather than waiting until after taxes are filed (a happy feature of the now-abandoned federal child tax credit expansion during the pandemic). Paid parental leave for government employees would help young families, as would funding tax incentives for private businesses to provide paid parental leave or to make childcare available and affordable for their employees. Our Mountain State is already a leader in curtailing the practice of abortion, but we could also be a leader in supporting mothers, children and families that call West Virginia home.

In discussing abortion and the help we should offer pregnant women and their families, I do not discount the importance of other issues. Some of our political leaders want to restore the death penalty, which West Virginia abolished in 1965. Violence begets violence, not social peace. Our state can do better than to revert to using the same violence that criminals have employed. Respect for human life also means recognizing the humanity of immigrants and racial and sexual minorities and challenging those who demonize them. All of God's children deserve respect and fair treatment. These are only some of the concerns we must have as disciples of Jesus Christ. His seamless garment holds them all together.

The Lord Jesus teaches us love one another as I have loved you. But our concerns and the rights of the living are irrelevant if a person is dead. I have focused on abortion as the pre-eminent issue dividing our people because that is what my reading of the signs of the times tells me. I judge that passively allowing the killing of unborn children has already made other forms of violence against persons easier to accept. The hem of the seamless garment, already ripped, must be repaired, lest the garment itself disintegrate. You shall not kill, says God. We must first respect the physical life of the unborn child and then apply our energies and talents to provide a more just society for that child and the child's family so that, striving to reach our full stature in Christ, we may be, as St. Irenaeus taught eighteen centuries ago, "the glory of God: the human being fully alive."

Sincerely in Christ,

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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

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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