

CORPUS CHRISTI

June 2, 2024



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Mass Schedule

Monday - 8:15 p.m.
Tuesday - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday - 6:00 p.m.
Thursday - 8:15 a.m.
Friday - 8:15 a.m.
Saturday Vigil - 5:30 p.m.
Sunday - 10:30 a.m.

(See the Weekly Schedule for changes to Mass times or location!)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday & Wednesday 5:00 - 5:45 p.m.
Saturday 5:00 - 5:20 p.m.
Sunday 10:00 - 10:20 a.m.

Adoration

Tuesday & Wednesday - 5 - 5:45 p.m.

Sacrament of the Sick & Last Rites

The anointing of the sick is administered to bring spiritual and even physical strength during an illness, especially near the time of death. It is most likely one of the last sacraments one will receive.

Please call the parish office to schedule or if you are in danger of death, please call 304-691-0537

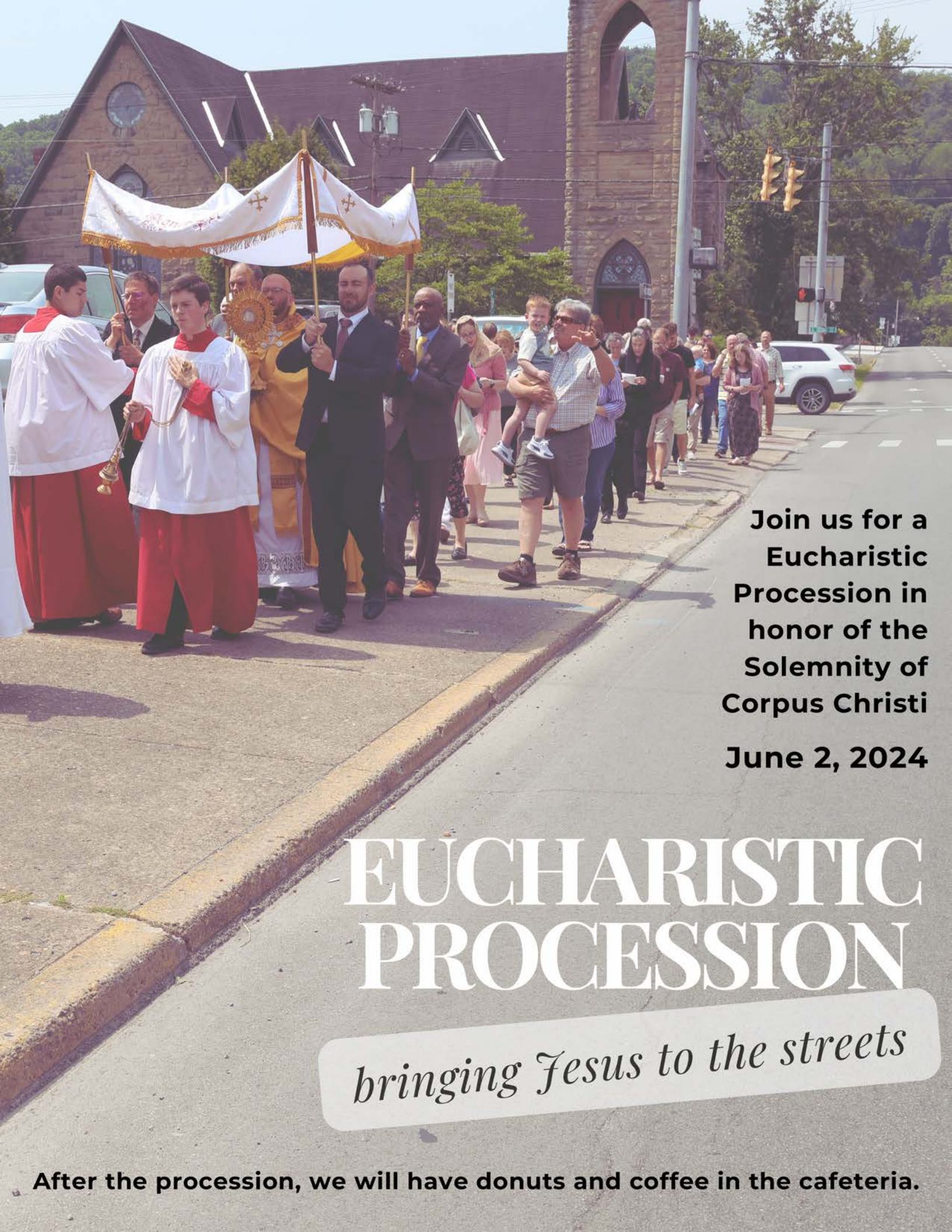
Protecting God's Children

St. Patrick Church takes seriously this 'VIRTUS' pursuit of excellence in our community. With the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, we are committed to making every environment – a safe environment. All employees and volunteers are required to complete VIRTUS Training. Participants of this training complete short video modules to learn how to best protect the vulnerable in our community. These short sessions empower participants to accurately identify and correctly report all instances of suspected child abuse. To create or update your account, please go to virtusonline.org.

Thank you for your continued support in making the environment at St. Patrick Church and school safe for everyone.

The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston is committed to the protection of the Catholic Bishops' Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People by maintaining an Office of Safe Environment. To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact the West Virginia Bureau for Children and Families/Child Protective Services by calling the Child Abuse Hotline at 800.352.6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact one of the designees at 888.434.6237 (toll free) or 304.233.0880: Sister Ellen Dunn, O.P., ext. 264; Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Mr. Tim Bishop ext. 353; Fr. Dennis Schuelkens ext. 270 or call the Office of Safe Environment 304.20.1504. For more information on Office of Safe Environment, please go to www.dwc.org, then click the "Diocese" tab, then click "Office of Safe Environment" under the "Offices" menu. To learn more about the Catholic Church's efforts in preventing sexual abuse of children in the United States, please visit <http://www.usccb.org>. Under "Issues and Action," click "Child and Youth Protection" from the drop down menu.

"Forward, always forward, everywhere forward! We must not be held back by debts, bad years or by difficulties of the times. Man's adversity is God's opportunity." - Archbishop Boniface Wimmer, O. S. B.



**Join us for a
Eucharistic
Procession in
honor of the
Solemnity of
Corpus Christi
June 2, 2024**

EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION

bringing Jesus to the streets

After the procession, we will have donuts and coffee in the cafeteria.

Solemnity of Corpus Christi

Of the greatest and most valuable treasures one could obtain in this world, nothing is more precious, more sacred, and more valuable than the Most Holy Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ, our Sovereign and Eucharistic Lord. Millions, billions, or even hundreds of trillions of dollars do not come close to the infinite value and transforming power of the Body and Blood of Christ. No amount of earthly wealth can buy happiness, but the Eucharist bestows it freely. No amount of money can purchase Heaven, but the Eucharist transforms you into a member of the Body of Christ Whom you consume, leading you to Heaven. At the end of our lives, when we stand before the Just Judge, we will realize the transforming power of this Gift. Those who adored Him and received Him faithfully in Communion will be forever grateful they did.

Human dignity demands that we show respect to one another, reverencing the presence of God in each person as a living tabernacle of the Lord. However, we do not bow down before God's presence in others, nor do we kneel before them in adoration and worship. In this world, the only One Whom we worship and adore, in hidden yet physical form, is our Lord Who is fully present in the Eucharist. The Eucharist is not only a fraternal meal we share with one another, it's a communion with God Himself that unites us with Him. It is that union with God that also unites us with every other person who is united to God through the sharing of the Most Holy Eucharist.

The Solemnity of Corpus Christi originated with a mystic named Saint Juliana of Cornillon. She was born near Liège, Belgium around the year 1191. At the age of five, she and her sister were orphaned and entrusted to the care of Augustinian nuns. Within that convent, Juliana grew in her faith, participated in Eucharistic adoration, and frequented Holy Communion. She eventually joined the Augustinians and became a nun herself.

At the age of sixteen, she had a mystical vision during Eucharistic adoration in which she saw the moon with a dark stripe. By divine intuition, she understood that the moon symbolized the Church's life on earth, and the dark stripe symbolized the absence of a feast that was specifically dedicated to the Body and Blood of Christ. In the convent, she had the same vision several more times but kept it to herself for twenty years.

Around the age of thirty-six, she shared her vision with two friends, one a local hermit and the other a fellow nun. Together, these holy women grew deep in their love of Christ in the Eucharist, especially adoring His hidden presence and receiving Him frequently in Holy Communion. After sharing her vision with the bishop, he reluctantly approved a local annual feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament, and some other bishops followed. However, as word spread about Juliana's visions, her superior and some clergy opposed her. She had to leave the convent, taking refuge in various Cistercian monasteries for ten years.

In 1258, around the age of sixty-seven, Juliana was adoring Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament in her cell when she died and was taken into the unveiled presence of God in Heaven. Prior to her death, the local Archdeacon in Liège, Jacques Pantaléon of Troyes, had become familiar with Juliana and believed that her visions were from God and that a universal feast of Corpus Christi was God's will. In 1261, Archdeacon Jacques Pantaléon was elected pope and took the name Pope Urban IV.

In 1263, a Eucharistic miracle took place in Bolsena, Italy, about ten miles from where Pope Urban was residing in Orvieto in the Papal States, modern-day Italy. A German priest named Father Peter of Prague stopped at the church in Bolsena to offer Mass during a pilgrimage at the tomb of Saint Christina, a fourth-century martyr. By his own admission, he was struggling to believe in the true presence of Christ in the Eucharist. During the consecration, the host he was holding began to bleed and flow onto his hands and the linen corporal on the altar. He immediately went to Orvieto to reveal the miracle and his lack of faith to Pope Urban. Pope Urban absolved him and then sent a delegation to investigate the miracle. They brought the corporal back to the cathedral in Orvieto with great solemnity where it remains enshrined today. In 1264, Pope Urban instituted the universal Solemnity of Corpus Christi and asked the renowned theologian Father Thomas Aquinas to compose the liturgical texts for the feast.

The Case for Carlo's Canonization Continues



Among the texts the future saint and doctor of the Church composed are the revered and frequently sung hymns, “Pange Lingua,” “Tantum Ergo,” “Panis Angelicus,” and “O Salutaris Hostia.” The Thursday after the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity was chosen for the annual feast in honor of the day that the Eucharist was instituted.

After the death of Pope Urban IV, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi was removed from the universal calendar for about fifty-three years until Pope John XXII added it back in 1317. Since that time, the solemnity has grown and become an important annual celebration that often includes Eucharistic processions, adoration, and Mass. In many locations where it is not a holy day of obligation, the solemnity is moved to the following Sunday so as to extend the celebration to the entire people of God. In 1869, Pope Pius IX canonized Saint Juliana of Liège, adding even greater credence to her miraculous visions and solidifying the importance of this holy solemnity.

As we celebrate the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, spend time pondering the profound mystery of the true presence of Christ in the Eucharist. As we kneel before Him, we truly kneel before His throne in Heaven, despite the reality being veiled from our eyes. As we consume the Blessed Sacrament, we truly consume Christ Himself—Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity—and receive Him into our souls. Though we might not feel Him with our bodily senses, we must allow our spiritual sense of faith to grow so that our love for Him in this Most Precious Gift exponentially increases. Let’s conclude with the “Tantum Ergo,” which is taken from the last two verses of the beautiful hymn of Saint Thomas Aquinas, the “Pange Lingua:”

*Down in adoration falling, Lo! the sacred Host we hail;
Lo! o'er ancient forms departing, newer rites of grace
prevail; faith for all defects supplying, where the feeble
senses fail. To the everlasting Father, and the Son who
reigns on high, with the Holy Ghost proceeding forth from
Each eternally, be salvation, honor, blessing, might and
endless majesty. Amen. Alleluia.*

(MyCatholicLife!, The Solemnity of Corpus Christi)

Blessed Carlo’s case for beatification was opened in 2012 and in 2018 he was declared a venerable, which is the first of three titles someone receives during the process of canonization. Since October of 2020 Carlo has been recognized as a “blessed,” the second title in the canonization process.

To receive these titles, the Church investigates certain miracles attributed to the holy men and women whose cases are being considered for sainthood. The first miracle attributed to Blessed Carlo is of that of a Brazilian boy who sought Carlo’s intercession after the diagnosis of a malformed pancreas. The boy was healed through Carlo’s intercession after receiving one of his relics.

Two miracles have to be recognized in order to declare someone a saint. Excitedly, Pope Francis just recognized a second miracle involving a Costa Rican mother who prayed at the tomb of Blessed Carlo for her daughter who suffered from a brain hemorrhage and was told by doctors that she would not recover. Miraculously, the hemorrhage completely disappeared. The recognition of this second miracle has paved the way for Blessed Carlo to be declared Saint Carlo Acutis in 2025, which would make him the first millennial saint.

Blessed Carlo, pray for us!

Congratulations Virtue Award Winners!

As our school year wraps up, students who were recognized throughout the year for their virtue were celebrated with a special luncheon. May we all strive to be more virtuous!



8th Grade GRADUATION

Congratulations to this year's 8th Grade graduates: Darryl Queen, Jarrett Queen, & Brooklyn Oldaker.





End of Year Fun!



Another wonderful year for St. Patrick's School has come to a close. Students had much end-of-year fun with field day and a picnic at the park.



Have a wonderful summer, kids!



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WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 1, 2024	5:30 PM	Mass for †Karen Renzelli by Frank Renzelli
Sunday, June 2, 2024	10:30 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish
Monday, June 3, 2024	8:15 AM	Mass for †Beth Nichols by the Jordan family
Tuesday, June 4, 2024	5:50 PM	Celebrant's Intentions
Wednesday, June 5, 2024	5:50 PM	Mass for †Ruthie Pearl by Tyler Davis
Thursday, June 6, 2024	8:15 AM	Mass for †James Sweeney by David Curtis
Friday, June 7, 2024	8:15 AM	Mass for †Betty Heavner by Nicholas and April Cutright
	10:00 AM	Funeral Mass for Susan Cummings James
Saturday, June 8, 2024	5:30 PM	Mass for the People of the Parish
Sunday, June 9, 2024	10:30 AM	Mass for †John Wayne by the Milinovich boys

The sanctuary lamp is burning in memory Sam Aman by Linda Aman, June 1 - 15, 2024.

Prayer List

Those who are sick: Heman Ayala, Jill Balsler, Bill Bennett, Dan Brannon, Jamie Breen, John Butcher, Margaret Carr, Courtney Clevenger, Brad Curtis, Rose Determan, Bonnie Detamore, Amy Dillon, Libby Ferrell, Sara Ferrell, Katie Frazer, Holly Garton, Janie Garton, Marsha Garton, Andrea Heath, Coretta Jefferson, Ellen Ketron, David Lewis, Rochelle Long, Matt McCauley, Lisa Marlow, Louise Mehr, Steve Murray, Susan Murray, Judy Nicholas, Sue Nutter, Amy Price, Michael Pugh, Catherine Ratliff, Raylee Rahming, Dee Ann Reichner, Brenda Riley, Dan Rittenhouse, Bob Thompson, Marge Tierney, Helen Tomaro, Diane Walker, Kathy Watson, Audrey Westfall, Tonya Woofter

Those who have died: Susan Cummings James, May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

All Veterans, and Military Personnel: Bobby Summers

Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life

All seminarians: Especially Joe Derico.

All who are studying for the diaconate program: Especially Mike Brumley.

Former priests and religious of and from our parish

Those who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes.

All struggling with infertility.

**PLEASE WRITE
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CHECKS FOR
ALL
COLLECTIONS!**



Attendance & Collections	
Saturday	111
Sunday	169
Total	280
Saturday	\$1287
Sunday	\$1631
Mail/Drop Box	\$1000
Total	\$3018
School	\$60
Votives	\$
Maintenance	\$70
Loan	\$
Organ	\$
Wesbanco Balance	\$47,274.18
Organ Loan Bal.	\$67,85.98

2024 Catholic Sharing Appeal Update

Goal \$22,465 Raised \$8945 40%

We are 10% (\$2287.50) away from reaching the halfway point of our goal. Once we reach the 50% mark or 11232.50, all donations made to this appeal are returned in full to the parish! You may give online at dwc.org or by putting your donation in the collection basket. Please make sure it is CLEARLY marked for CSA or the Catholic Sharing Appeal.



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Quo Vadis Retreat

Middle School Discernment Retreat

Boys in 6th, 7th, and 8th grades are invited!

Noon on June 17
through 1pm on June 20

Priest Field Pastoral Center
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Campers will enjoy outdoor activities including:

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The camp is staffed by laypeople, priests
and seminarians from the
Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston.

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Funeral Mass for Susan Cummings James

A Requiem Mass will be offered for Susan Cummings James on Friday, June 7 at 10:00 a.m.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon her.

May her soul and all the souls of all the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen

Friday is the Feast Day of the Sacred Heart

Revealed to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque in the 17th century, these promises show us in no uncertain terms just how much Our Lord desires that we devote ourselves to His loving Heart. For those who do, He promised:

1. I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
2. I will establish peace in their homes.
3. I will comfort them in all their afflictions.
4. I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
5. I will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
6. Sinners will find in my Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
7. Lukewarm souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection.
9. I will bless every place in which an image of my Heart is exposed and honored.
10. I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in my Heart.
12. I promise you in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance; they shall not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their sacraments. My divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.



The twelfth promise refers to the First Friday devotion—a very easy way to insert devotion to the Sacred Heart into our monthly routines. All we have to do is receive Holy Communion on nine consecutive First Fridays (ensuring we go to Confession beforehand if we are not in a state of grace), offering these Communions in reparation for the sins committed against the Sacred Heart.

There are many other additional, daily ways to place ourselves in the Heart of Christ. A simple thought of love and affection means so much to Him. “Jesus, I trust in You!” or “Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us!” are other little prayers we can offer to more firmly bind ourselves to this Heart that loves us so much. (The Catholic Company)

ON DECK

Sunday, June 2

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus

- Eucharist Procession
- Donut Sunday
- 4:45, CDA Birthday Dinner and installation of officers

Friday, June 7th

- 10:00 a.m., Funeral Mass for Susan James Cummings
- 3:00 p.m., Diaconate Ordination, Charleston

Sunday, June 9

Donut Sunday sponsored by the children of Mike and Beth Brumley

Saturday, June 15

CDA State Workshop, cafeteria

Sunday, June 16

Father's Day

Monday, June 17

11:00 a.m., Funeral Mass for Shirley Murchland

Our Neighbor Collection

June: Mouthwash, Dental Floss, Toothbrushes and Toothpaste

Items can be placed in the cabinet on the back porch of the parish office.



Permanent Diaconate Ordination



3pm, June 7, 2024

Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, Charleston



Please join us for double the donuts in June!

On June 2 we will close the Feast of Corpus Christi with coffee and donuts sponsored by Larry and Luanne Bowers.

On June 9, we will CELEBRATE the ordination of parishioner Mike Brumley to the role of permanent Deacon. Mike will be one of twenty men to complete the program and become permanent deacons for our diocese. This celebration is sponsored by the children of Mike and Beth Brumley.

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