St. Patrick's Church

210 Center Ave. Weston, West Virginia 26452 304-269-3048

April 6th, 2025

WE WILL LEAVE MASS IN SILENCE DURING THE SEASON OF LENT.

The Fifth Sunday of Lent



"Let him who is without sin among you be the first to cast a stone..." -John 8:7

The Gospel is from St. John, 8:1-11 and is about the woman caught in adultery. "The two of them were left on their own, the wretched woman and Mercy. But the Lord, having smitten them with the dart of injustice, does not even deign to watch them go but turns his gaze away from them and once more writes on the ground with his finger. But when the woman was left alone and they had all gone, he lifted up his eyes to the woman. We have already heard the voice of justice; let us now hear the voice of gentleness. I think that woman was the more terrified when she heard the Lord say, 'Let him who is without sin among you be the first to throw a stone at her,' . . . fearing now that she would be punished by him, in whom no sin could be found. But he, who had driven away her adversaries with the tongue of justice, now looking at her with the eyes of gentleness, asks her, 'Has no one condemned you?' She replies, 'No one, Lord.' And he says, 'Neither do I condemn you; I who perhaps you feared would punish you, because in me you have found no sin.' Lord, can it be that you favour sinners? Assuredly not. See what follows: 'Go and sin no more.' Therefore, the Lord also condemned sin, but not the woman' (St Augustine, In Ioann. Evang., 33, 5-6).

Jesus, who is the just One, does not condemn the woman; whereas these people are sinners, yet they pass sentence of death. God's infinite mercy should move us always to have compassion on those who commit sins, because we ourselves are sinners and in need of God's forgiveness.

—The Navarre Bible—St. John, Year C

WEEKLY BULLETINS VIA E-MAIL

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH, WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

St. Patrick Catholic Church

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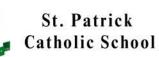
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Monday & Tuesday, 9 - 4 Wednesday, 12 - 5 Thursday and Friday, 9 - 1



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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. (During Lent - Adoration begins at 1pm on Wednesdays.)

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.

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. In addition to civil authorities, to report suspected cases of sexual abuse of children by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, contact one of the following designees at 1.888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880: Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Mr. Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Sr. Martha Gomez, ext. 264. Or you may call Rev. Don Higgs, 304.685.2367, the Office of Safe Environment at 304.230.1504, or Victims Assistance Coordinator Erin McFarland at 304.559.6742. Please visit www.dwc.org under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods.

"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.

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 5, 2025	5:30 PM	Mass for †Tom Blake by Margaret Blake
Sunday, April 6, 2025	10:30 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish
Monday, April 7, 2025	8:15 AM	Mass for †Lisa Ann Thoms by David Curtis
Tuesday, April 8, 2025	6:00 PM	Celebrant's Intentions
Wednesday, April 9, 2025	6:00 PM	Mass for †Charles and Opal Garton by Fred Butler and Deborah Garton
Thursday, April 10, 2025	8:15 AM	Mass for †Bryan Francis
Friday, April 11, 2025	10:00 AM	Mass for †Paul Derico
Saturday, April 12, 2025	5:30 PM	Mass for the People of the Parish
Sunday, April 13, 2025	10:30 AM	Mass for †John Butcher by Mary Lynn Catsam

To add or remove names to the prayer list, please call or email Sandy at the parish office!

Prayer List

Those who are sick: Vicki Almase, Hernan Ayala, Jill Balser, Cyndee Becker, Bill Bennett, Tim Bennett, Dan Brannon, Jamie Breen, Pam Campbell, Margaret Carr, Jody Craig, Ron Cullen, Brad Curtis, Bonnie Detamore, John Determan, Libby Ferrell, Sara Ferrell, Charles Frame, Katie Frazer, Jeff Garton, Marsha Garton, Dave Gissy, Coretta Jefferson, Ellen Ketron, Shawn Keyser, Pat Kiddy, Dave King, Bernadette Law, David Lewis, Catherine Lipps, Rochelle Long, Matt McCauley, James McClain, Robert McClain, Lisa Marlow, Jennifer Hubbs Morris, Judy Nicholas, Sue Nutter, Amy Price, Raylee Rahming, Brenda Riley, Dan Rittenhouse, Cody and Lindsey Skinner, Mary Smith, Rob Snuffer, Micki Snyder, Terry Sprouse, Tammy Stalnaker, Tom Stark, Marge Tierney, Diane Walker, Jane White, Kyle Wilkinson

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

All Veterans, and Military Personnel:

Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life

All seminarians: Especially Joe Derico, and Bryan Tedeschi

Former priests and religious of and from our parish

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

All struggling with infertility.



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The sanctuary lamp is burning in memory of Paul Derico, April 5 - 19, 2025.

Attendance & Collections			
Saturday	99		
Sunday	204		
Total	303		
Saturday	\$2077		
Sunday	\$1189		
Mail/Drop Box	\$245		
Total	\$3511		
School	\$65		
Votives	\$125		
Maintenance	\$170		
Loan	\$40		
Organ	\$250		
Wesbanco Balance	\$39,344.89		
Organ Loan Balance	\$63,964.22		



CSA 2025

Goal \$24,400 Raised \$1250 7 gifts

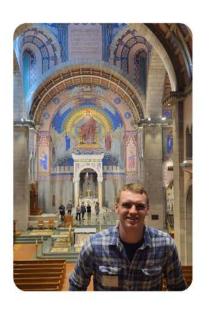
Letus Pray.

Use me God, show me how to give generously, pray purposefully, and serve joyfully for a purpose greater than myself.

Amen.

Please observe reserved seating for catechumens, candidates, & sponsors during Sunday Mass.

Rite of Election & Continuing Call to Conversion







In an unfortunate turn of events, violent gusts of wind prevented most of this years Catechumen's & Candidates from attending the Rite of Election & Call to Continuing Conversion ceremony in Wheelinga very special part of the OCIA journey where the bishop formally "elects" participants to receive the sacraments at the Easter Vigil.

One of our participants, Justin Stark (pictured above), who stayed in Wheeling the night prior to the Rite of Election was able to participate in this ceremony with his father, Randy Stark and sponsor Gwen Masterman.

To make up for this missed event, we decided to celebrate those in our parish who are coming into full communion with the the Catholic Church this Sunday with a small ceremony. Join us in welcoming...

Patechumens Pandidates

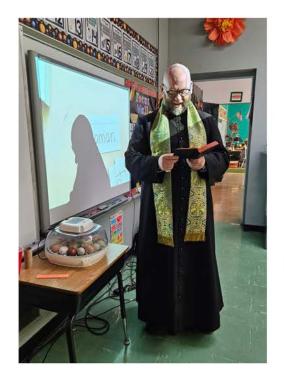
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Brian Hefner Rachel Hefner Kian Hefner Ainsley Hefner Tesla McCall Austin McCall Vanessa McCall Kaylin Pasquale Tyler Skinner Rachel Smith Macie Smith Donna Wyman

SCHOOL NEWS

"How do you like your eggs?"
"Blessed. I like them blessed..."

Father Ondeck blesses the 1st Grade's eggs.



Mr. Riley teaches students the importance of responsibility and cleaning up after themselves in the cafeteria.







Safety at St. Patrick's Enhanced with New Doors







Increase awareness, communicate concerns, report abuse, and save lives

It is up to us as caring adults and parents, all of us, to identify risks, and to guide and protect the most vulnerable. Together, we can do this!

www.virtus.org

We are pleased to announce the installation of new front doors at St. Patrick School, a vital improvement designed to enhance security and safety for our students, staff, and visitors. These doors were purchased with the goal of strengthening our school's protective measures while maintaining a welcoming environment for our community. This project was made possible through the Capital Matching Grant from the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, and we are grateful for their generous support. We also extend our appreciation to City Construction Company for their excellent work in completing this important upgrade.

2025 Community Health

Needs Assessment

- WVU Medicine United Hospital Center (UHC) is conducting a Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) to identify top health priorities.
- As an important member of the community, your thoughts on local health issues are essential for UHC to build a system that provides benefit to our service area.

To scan a QR code, you can open your phone's camera app, point it at the



John at john.nardelli@wvumedicine.org.

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Your input matters!

St. Patrick's Catholic Church

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



Palm Sunday

APRIL 12TH

Mass 5:30 PM

APRIL 13TH

APRIL 16TH

Mass 10:30 AM

Spy Wednesday

Stations of the Cross 12:30 PM Adoration 1:00-5:45 PM Confessions will be heard before, during, and after Mass

Mass 6:00

Maundy Thursday

APRIL 17TH

Mass 6:00 Adoration Immediately after Mass until 10:00 PM

Good Friday APRIL 18TH

Stations of the Cross 3:00 PM

Confessions Immediately following.

(This will be the last time we offer confessions this week) Liturgy of the Passion 6:00 PM

Holy Saturday

APRIL 19TH

Easter Vigil Mass 7:30 PM

Easter Sunday

APRIL 20TH

Mass 8:30 AM Mass 10:30 AM

Camp Carlo 2025!

June 29th – July 5th – High School Week July 6th – July 12th – Catch All Week #1 July 13th - July 19th - Catch All Week #2 July 20th - July 26th - Catch All Week #3

High School week is for rising 9th through 12th graders and Catch-All Weeks are for any campers entering 3rd - 12th grade.

Register today at www.campcarlowv.org or scan the OR code!



Scholarships Available!

TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!







Hundreds of West Virginia families are still struggling after February's devastating floods. They need YOUR help. More than 500 homes still require cleanup, and with enough volunteers, we can make a real difference.



West Virginia Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster

CONTACT:

304-553-0927

sandrakeener@wvvoad.org

50th Anniversary of Ordination

With praise and gratitude to God please join us as

Fr. T. Mathew Rowgh

Celebrates a Mass of Thanksgiving

Sunday, April 27, 2025 10:30 A.M.

Saint Agnes Catholic Church 200 South Duke Street Shepherdstown, West Virginia 25443

A reception to follow on the parish grounds.

Please RSVP for the reception by April 18,

office@stagnesshepherdstown.org 304-876-6436

Fr. Rowgh grew up Lewis County.

Candidacy Mass for Mr. Joe Derico

Our favorite seminarian, Joe Derico will say yes to continuing his priestly formation on Friday, April 11 at his Candidacy Mass at St. Patrick Church at 10:00 a.m.



We will not have an 8:15 Mass on this day. This will be an all school Mass. Because this is a special occasion, both the middle and outer pews on the right side of the church will be for Joe's family, friends and our parishioners. Our students will sit in the middle and outer pews on the left side of the church.

Please pray for Joe and all seminarians as they discern a call to the priesthood.

Come Pray with Us!

Scripture and Prayer Group First Meeting: April 7th

What is this group? Well, it is a "revival" of the scripture prayer group that met once weekly up until Covid. In that peer-led group, folks discussed the upcoming Sunday readings and prayed together. We hope to begin again in much the same fashion. We will have our first meeting in the conference room in the Church Office/Convent on Monday April 7th after morning Mass (9:00). Everyone is welcome!

DONUT SUNDAY

OUR NEXT DONUT SUNDAY WILL BE ON SUNDAY, APRIL 13 (PALM SUNDAY) SPONSORED BY THOSE COMING INTO THE CHURCH AT EASTER.



Angotti Family Scholarship 2025

Applications are being accepted for the Angotti family scholarship. To be considered for this scholarship the applicant must be either recently accepted into a college or university or currently enrolled and attending. Applicants must be members of St. Patrick. Application deadline is April 20, 2025.

Completed applications can be returned in the church collection basket or can be mailed to: St. Patrick Church, ATTN: Angotti Family Scholarship, 210 Center Ave., Weston, WV 26452.

Mardi Gras Party Survey

"Thank you to all those that helped, worked at and attended the St. Patrick Mardi Gras Party!! You made it a wonderful success! It was nice to see the church, CDA, KOC, and community come together for a night of fun and fellowship!

This was our first time offering the Mardi Gras Party and it was definitely a learning experience for us all! We hope to make it an annual event and would appreciate any feedback you can offer to help make future events even better! Please take a moment to complete this short anonymous survey. We value your time and feedback!"





ON DECK

Wednesday, April 9, 16

- 12:20 p.m., Stations of the Cross, upstairs students
- 1:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m., Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, April 11 6:00 p.m., Stations of the Cross

Friday, April 11

10:00 a.m., All School Mass - Candidacy Mass for Joe Derico (We won't have an 8:15 Mass on this day.)

Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday Donut Sunday

April 13 - 19 Holy Week

April 20 Easter Sunday

Angotti Family Scholarship deadline.

May 3

First Communion Retreat, morning, cafeteria

May 4

First Communion
First Communion Reception, cafeteria

Wednesday, May 28 5:30 p.m., Confirmation Masa

Our Neighbor Collection

April: Shampoo, deodorant & dish soap

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

https://wvu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_5u5vouMCGHgcBcW



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