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St. Ann Catholic Parish
Shinnston, WV
Jan. 11th & 12th

OFFICE HOURS:
 9:00 AM TIL 2:00PM TUESDAY THRU
 FRIDAY
THE OFFICE IS CLOSED ON MONDAY

"Our mission at St. Ann Catholic Church is to glorify God through vibrant worship, compassionate service, and unwavering commitment to teachings of Jesus Christ. Rooted in Catholic tradition and guided by the Holy Spirit, we strive to foster a welcoming community that nurtures faith, fosters spiritual growth, and promotes unity among all God's children. With love as our cornerstone, we seek to embody Christ's message of hope, forgiveness, and redemption, spreading His light to all corners of the world. Together, as disciples of Christ, we are called to share God's love, serve those in need, and build a Kingdom of mercy, justice, and peace."

Contact us:
OFFICE: 304-592-2733
SOCIAL HALL: 304-592-0077
FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCY:
304-520-0557
E-MAIL ADDRESS:
stannshinnston@aol.com
WEBSITE:
www.stannshinnston.com

Mass Schedule:
 Saturday Vigil- 5:00pm
 Sunday- 10:00am
Monday- NO MASS
 Tuesday- 6:00pm
 Wednesday- 6:00pm
 Thursday- 6:00pm
 Friday- 6:00pm

Parish Group Leaders
 President of Parish Council- Jimmy Gemondo II
 President of Finance Committee- Mary Romeo
 President of Altar and Rosary Society- Renee Book
 President of the Men's Group- Sam DeMarco
 Director of Religious Education- Mandy Bowen
 Youth Ministry leaders- John DeMarco & Cindy Bee
 Safe Environment Coordinator- Anita Ballard

Organists: Colleen Driscoll, Brooke Driscoll, Josh Minear

For the Sick and Homebound:
Please call the church office if you would like to receive communion or have home visits.



Baptism:
 Please contact the office to schedule a baptism. Instruction sessions are required with your first child.

Marriages:
 Please contact the office at least 6 months prior to the proposed date of marriage.



Confessions:
 Confessions will be heard ½ hour before each weekday mass, at 4:00pm on Saturdays, or any other time by appointment (For appointments please call the office). **The first Friday of each month, confessions will not be heard before mass due to it being held in the chapel.**



Adoration Chapel:
 The Adoration Chapel is open each week: Sundays, Wednesdays, & Fridays from 6am to midnight. For information call John DeMarco at (304)-669-2057 or Cindy Bee at (304) 592- 5106

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.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Monday: Jan 13th NO MASS
 Tuesday: Jan 14th NO MASS
 Wednesday: Jan 15th NO MASS
 Thursday: Jan 16th NO MASS
 Friday: Jan 17th NO MASS
 Saturday: Jan 18th 5:00pm + Anthony Ellis by Thom & Cherie Alonso
 Sunday: Jan 19th 10:00am + Nick Fleece by Walt, Pat, Matt, & Tiff Post

| 1/18/2025 | 5:00pm Mass | 1/19/2025 | 10:00am Mass |
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| Readers | Mary Ann Ferris | Reader | Mary Jo Bastin |
| Altar Servers | Dominick Spadafore | Altar Servers | Ella Bowen |
| | Colton Wright | | Frankie Bowen |
| Cup Ministers | Jim Spadafore | Cup Ministers | Sam DeMarco |
| | Robbie Spadafore | | Steven Bee |
| Host Minister | Cindy Hamrick | Host Minister | Mary Ann Spadafore |
| Ushers | Cindy Hamrick, Mickey Arco | Ushers | Vinnie DeMarco, John DeMarco |
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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



The Kroger Community Cares program has earned our Parish **\$125.52** in rewards from August 2024 through November 2024. If you have not signed up for this and would like to help our Parish just by purchasing your regular household groceries, there is a link on our St. Ann website. If you need assistance, please call the office and we will be happy to help!

Beginning the week of January 13th until February 14th, there will be no weekday masses. The office will be open from 9:00am-2:00pm Tuesday through Friday. If there are any immediate needs during this time, please call the office and leave a voicemail as it will be checked regularly.



Anyone who would like to have poinsettias from the Altar Christmas flowers, please feel free to take them home and enjoy them! A special “thank you” to the volunteers who took time out of their days to decorate our Church for the Christmas season and to put it all back away! Everything was beautiful! You’re so appreciated, and it wouldn’t have been possible without your time and dedication.

St. Ann is on a journey to know, love and serve Christ better and thrive! **WE WANT TO HEAR FROM OUR PARISHIONERS!** Complete the Disciple Maker Index (DMI) survey today. The survey assesses our unique strengths and opportunities. Share your perspective now to help strengthen St. Ann and better prepare us for the future! The surveys will be handed out after mass, and available on the back table from this point forward. Surveys must be returned by February 3rd. These surveys are **COMPLETELY ANONYMOUS**. This survey link is also available on our website, www.stannshinnston.com or, please visit <https://portal.catholicleaders.org/d/x1477x>.



Please remember our shut-ins in your prayers:

Patricia Merico, Ron Gonzalez, Genny Griffin, Ursula Koreski, Sandra Knight, Gertrude Senchina, Mary Sims, Eddie Koreski, Connie Koreski, Kathryn DeMary, Maplewood Nursing Home, Joe Koreski – VA Nursing Home, Lena Medina, Stonerise Health Center. If you know of anyone that needs to be added to this prayer group, please call the office at 304-592-2733.

12/21-12/22

Regular Collection- \$3,154.00
Faith in our Future-\$868.00

Attendance

5:00pm-84 10:00am-64

Thank you for your continued generosity and for your presence.

12/24-12/25

Christmas Offering-\$2,002.00
Catholic Charities-\$376.00

Attendance

4:00pm- 87 10:00pm- 82
10:00am- 28

Thank you for your continued generosity and for your

12/28-12/29

Regular Collection-\$3,568.30
Faith in our Future-\$595.00

Attendance

5:00pm-62 10:00am-83

Thank you for your continued generosity and for your

1/4/2025-1/5/2025

Regular Collection-\$1,693.00
Faith in Our Future- \$717.00

Attendance

5:00pm- 43 10:00am-63

Thank you for your continued generosity and for your presence

“The teaching of the Church.. is both the starting line and the finish line for the race; it is the bridle of a tightly reigned horse.”

-John of Damascus

