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St. Ann Catholic Parish
Shinnston, WV
March 3rd & 4th 2023

OFFICE HOURS:
 10:00 AM TIL 3:00PM 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:
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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 Holy Name Society- Sam DeMarco
 Director of Religious Education- Mandy Bowen
 Youth Ministry leaders- John DeMarco & Cindy Bee

Organists:
 Jimmy Mazzie
 Colleen Driscoll
 Brooke Driscoll



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. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact one of the Bishop's designees at 888-434-6237 or 304-233-0880; Bryan Minor, Ext 263 Mr. Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Fr. Dennis Schuelkens, ext. 270 or call the Office of Safe Environment at 304-230-1504. Visit www.dwc.org "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods,.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

Monday:	Mar 4	NO MASS	
Tuesday:	Mar 5	6:00pm	+Okey Hall by Nancy Hall
Wednesday:	Mar 6	6:00pm	+Eugene Matheny by Jim & Peggy Matish
Thursday:	Mar 7	6:00pm	+Philip Deleruyelle by Mary Ann Ferris
Friday	Mar 8	6:00pm	*****Stations of the Cross*****
Saturday	Mar 9	5:00pm	+Fred & Mary Rose Salentro by Freddie Salentro II
Sunday	Mar 10	10:00am	For the People of the Parish

3/9/2024		3/10/2024	
5:00pm Mass		10:00am Mass	
Reader	Gina Tate	Reader	Wesley Benson
Altar Servers	Colton Wright	Altar Servers	Frankie Bowen
			Ella Bowen
Cup Ministers	Mickey Arco	Cup Ministers	Steven Bee
	Cindy Hamrick		Sam DeMarco
Host Minister	Jimmy Gemondo	Host Minister	Mary Ann Spadafore
Ushers	Pat Knight, Nick Fleece,	Ushers	Vinnie DeMarco
	Cindy Hamrick		John DeMarco



This weekend is "commitment weekend" for the Catholic Sharing Appeal. Since 2007, The CSA has helped deliver essential shared ministries throughout West Virginia. Thanks to the generosity of those who have supported the CSA over the years, we've been able to ensure the support needed to enliven our parishes, support our Catholic schools, and expand outreach efforts is there when we need it most. Our commitment weekend is a time where we, as a Catholic community can come together and support our shared ministries through the CSA. We hope that you will prayerfully consider us this year with a sacrificial gift. You can do so securely online or by mailing in the pledge card that you received from Bishop Brennan. Together, we will provide neighbors in need the light and love of Christ each and every day through our shared ministries. May each of us answer God's call to meet the needs of our neighbors and share His love and light through the ministries supported through the Catholic Sharing Appeal.

Third Sunday of Lent. We can't thank you all enough for coming out to support the Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings. They will of course continue until the end of Lent, with the last one being held on Good Friday (March 29th) at 12:00pm. Dinner is always provided afterward by our Parish, and it is donation only. We are truly blessed with such wonderful, selfless, and generous parishioners!



February Birthdays



Melissa Benson
Colleen Day
Ryan DeMarco
Mickey Arco
Ramona Davoli
Walter Post

Sharon Sears
Brenna Riley
Andrew Dumas
Colleen Driscoll
Susan Brooks
Antoinette Casto

Katrina Wilson
Fred Salentro III
Milo Wilson
Madison Fleece
Wyatt Bee
Maralisa Marra

Heather Sigmon
Carl Felosa
Diane Book
Jimmy Salerno
Nancy Hall
Kylianna Romeo

Christina Gladwin
Carson Zickefoose



March Birthdays



Genny Griffin
Buzzy Book
Bill Rogan
Jan Kenlon
William McDonnell
Frank DeMarco

George Patrick
James Loretta
Bill Benson
Chad Riley
Whitney Riley
Patsy Felosa

Elizabeth Wright
Zak Bart
Zack DeMarco
Kylea Radcliff
Tiffany DeMarco
Justin Stier

Nathaniel Bee
Patrick Bart
Haylen Book
Santino Loretta
Ava Fazalare
Addison Riley

Cooper Klimek
Kavin Richardson
Shane Bowen
Austin Benson
John Greco
Chad Fleece

Looking Ahead

- On Wednesday March 13th Fr. Joe will be delivering the homily at the United Methodist Church (Shinnston) Lenten Ecumenical Service at 12:00pm and our ladies will prepare a luncheon of soup and sandwiches following the service.
- On Thursday March 14th we will be holding our Lenten Penitential Service here at St. Ann @ 6:00PM.
- The Easter Bake Sale will be held on Saturday March 23rd.



Please remember our shut-ins in your prayers:

Rose Fluharty, Ron Gonzalez, Genny Griffin, Vilma Nagy Robey, Ursula Koreski, Carolyn Moschella, Sandra Knight, Gertrude Senchina, Roy Grandt, Mary Sims, Eddie Koreski, Connie Koreski, Kathryn DeMary, Bridgeport Health Care Center, 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.

Regular Collection-\$2,489.00

Faith in our Future-\$566.00

Attendance

5:00 PM-58

10:00 AM-64

Thank you for your continued generosity and for your presence.

"There are ways of being crucified that do not involve rough wood or heavy nails, but a love beyond our capacity to love, which means a love that has been given to us by God..."
-Catherine Doherty

