Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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Baptism: Please call the parish office

Reconciliation: Saturday 4-4:45pm, Monday 5-5:45pm or by appointment

Marriage: Arrangement made at least 6 months in advance. Call the parish office for information.

Parish Registration: There are registration forms at the main entrance of the Church or contact the parish office. Registration is important

for pastoral and other church needs and services.

Sick & Homebound: Call the parish office if you would like a visit or communion, or to be added to the sick & shut-in list.

In the Hospital: If you are in the hospital, have someone call the parish office to inform us.

Mass at Fox Nursing Home: Second Friday of the month at 1:30pm.

Communion Distribution at Fox Nursing Home: On Sundays at 12:15pm.

Mass Dates & Times	<u>Intentions</u>
January 13, Saturday, 5:00 PM	+Marjorie Jennings by Blaine & Paula Pinney
January 14, Sunday, 11:00 AM	+Families of the LaNeve Brothers by Ed LaNeve & Family
January 15, Monday, 6:00 PM	+Vicki Wedgewood by Sacred Heart Ladies Guild
January 16, Tuesday, 8:30 AM	+The People of the Parish
January 19, Friday, 8:30 AM	+Those Who Have Died Through Abortion
January 20, Saturday, 5:00 PM	+Casey Gates by The Gates Family
January 21, Sunday, 11:00 AM	+Krescho Wein & Ruth Barlow by The Wein & Barlow Families

Minister Schedule Extraordinary Ministers Mass Dates & Times Readers January 13, Saturday, 5:00 PM Linda Lovy Cindy Davis January 14, Sunday, 11:00 AM **CCD Students** Merradith Densmore January 20, Saturday, 5:00 PM Chuck Gardner Polly Linger / Mary Murray January 21, Sunday, 11:00 AM Doug McCormack Dan Oyster / Rich Budney / Kristen Evans Altar Servers January 13, Saturday, 5:00 PM Devan Juszczak / Ridge Willis Alise & Luca Munoz / Bryce McIntosh January 14, Sunday, 11:00 AM January 20, Saturday, 5:00 PM Leah Benedi / Isabella Sullivan January 21, Sunday, 11:00 AM Jansen Ours / Mia Budney

January 7, 2023 Sharing	Our Time, Talents, and			
Treasures. Thank you for your Generosity!				
Envelopes	\$2,063.00			
Loose	\$313.00			
Candles	\$38.00			
Building Fund	\$567.00			
Christmas Offering	\$23.00			
Immaculate Conception	\$2.00			
Solemnity of Mary	\$85.00			
Initial Offering	\$243.00			
FISH	\$66.00			
Gabriel House	\$50.00			
Religious Retirement	\$2.00			
Catholic Charities	<u>\$52.00</u>			
Total	\$3,504.00			
Attendance: January 6 & 7 174				
January 1	51			

Sick & Shut-ins rn: Rose & John I

Marguerite Amato; Mary Appeldorn; Rose & John Benedetto; John Bobalik; Kathleen Bragg; Pat Burch; Joe Capito; Maxine Chamberlain; Jim Crews; Fred Dalverny; Mary Ann Davis; Loretta Duffy; Susan Graff; Anita Guire; Allison Hannick; Ann LaNeve; Catherine Laneve; Gloria Lombardozzi; Betty Lona; Marion Macri; Joan Martin; Hugh McCarron; Vincent Pickering; Tyler Simpson; Shane Smith; Terri Stoffel; Joan Ward-Powers; Robin Webster.

If you have a name to be added to or removed from this list, please call the parish office. Please inform us about the progress of those we pray for. Please pray for them.

F.I.S.H. Needs for January

Soups / Ramen Noodles / Canned Pasta Thank you from Chester-Newell F.I.S.H.

From the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston

To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may contact WV Child Protective Services at 800-352-6513. To report suspected cases of Abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, Please contact the Diocese at 888-434-6237 or 304-233-0880

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS are offered to *Ralph Bosco*, *Aria Cataldo*, *Tom Gruhalla*, and *Madison Juszczak*. Have a special birthday and a healthy and blessed New Year 2024!

CONDOLENCES to Jana Tetrault and her family on the death of her dad, Robert Butler. Eternal rest grant unto Robert, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

ALL-DAY ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, FRIDAY, JANUARY 19

We will have adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM on Friday, January 19, 2024, to join in prayer with the thousands attending the March For Life in Washington, DC. We pray that our nation will uphold the dignity of human life and shun the scourge of abortion. Please sign up for one hour of prayer in the church that day.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS If you would like to have a 2023 Contribution Statement, please call the parish office at 304-387-0198 or email: shp2226ches@dwc.org and we will print it out for you.

"SOUPER" BOWL SUNDAY Sacred Heart Church is collecting Soup & Crackers for the Chester-Newell F.I.S.H. Pantry, located in the Sacred Heart Center, now through "Souper" Bowl Sunday, February 11. So, when you are buying snacks for the big game, please don't forget Soup & Crackers for F.I.S.H.

DIVINE MERCY CENACLE GROUP meets January 23, at 9:30 AM, in the Center library. We study the Bible, the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and the Diary of Saint Faustina. We will meet in the mornings during the winter months. All are welcome! If school is closed or delayed, our session is canceled.

COVERED DISH DINNER The Ladies Guild will host a Covered Dish Dinner on Sunday, February 4, following the 11:00 AM Mass in the Center. Everyone is invited, so please sign up at the main entrance of the church or call the parish office to RSVP. Please bring your favorite dish and come and join us. Hope to see you there!

SPECIAL COLLECTION for the Holy Land will be taken up this weekend. Envelopes are available by all the church doors.

LADIES GUILD will **not** have a meeting in January. The next meeting will be Monday, February 5, at 6:30 PM following the evening Mass. All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend.

NEW SCHEDULES for January and February for Altar Servers/Lectors/Extraordinary Ministers are at the main entrance of the Church. Please pick one up at your earliest convenience. You can also download them on our website: https://sacredheartchester.org and they have also been emailed to you.

CPR/AED TRAINING is available at Weirton Medical Center on these dates/times: *Thursday, January 25, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Tuesday, February 13, 6:00-8:00 PM*Register at 304-797-6054. Cost \$25.00.

FERTILITY*CARE* **CENTER** Do you want a natural and effective way to plan your family or are you experiencing infertility or other women's health issues? If so, then the Creighton Model Fertility *Care* System can help. For more information or to register for an Introductory Session call Kathy Hirkala at 304-723-0478.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING SEMINAR will be held at St. Michael's Angelus Center 1225 National Rd. Wheeling on Thursday, January 18, from 8:30 AM-11:30 AM. There will be speakers from law enforcement and community members. This free event will be hosted in person and virtually via WebEx. Registration is required by calling 304-234-7743 or use the QR code found on the flyer on the bulletin board in the Church to go to the registration page.