

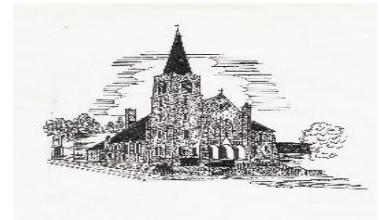
Sacred Heart Catholic Church

418 4th Street, Chester, WV 26034

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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.

<u>Mass Dates & Times</u>	<u>Intentions</u>
March 16, Saturday, 5:00 PM	+Cas Juszczak by Fran & Family
March 17, Sunday, 11:00 AM	+Cy Hobbs by Patricia Bernardi
March 18, Monday, 6:00 PM	+Vicki Wedgewood by Dolly Campbell
March 19, Tuesday, 6:00 PM	As Thanksgiving by Necitas Golecruz
March 20, Wednesday, 8:30 AM	+The People of the Parish
March 21, Thursday, 6:00 PM	+Deceased Members of the Juszczak Families by Bob Juszczak & Patty Murray
March 22, Friday, 1:30 PM / Fox Nursing Home	+Florence Laughlin by Loretta Duffy
March 23, Saturday, 5:00 PM	+Judy Watson by Mary Murray
March 24, Sunday, 11:00 AM	+Nancy M. Laneve by Children

<u>Mass Dates & Times</u>	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Extraordinary Ministers</u>
March 16, Saturday, 5:00 PM	Cathy Glass	Larry Macek / Polly Linger
March 17, Sunday, 11:00 AM	Cindy Jackson	Dan Oyster / Joe Juszczak / Deanna Bellville
March 23, Saturday, 5:00 PM	Linda Lovy-N // George Gbur-V	Mary Murray
March 24, Sunday, 11:00 AM	Doug McCormack-N / Cara McMahan-V	Rich Budney

<u>Altar Servers</u>
March 16, Saturday, 5:00 PM
March 17, Sunday, 11:00 AM
March 23, Saturday, 5:00 PM
March 24, Sunday, 11:00 AM

Minister Schedule

March 10, 2024 *Sharing Our Time, Talents, and Treasures. Thank you for your Generosity!*

Envelopes	\$1,863.00
Loose	\$136.00
Candles	\$117.00
Building Fund	\$160.00
Easter Flowers	\$30.00
Priests Retirement Fund	\$30.00
Poor Fund	\$10.00
FISH	\$4.00
Total	\$2,350.00

Attendance: Saturday 70 Sunday 106

Sick & Homebound

Marguerite Amato; Mary Appeldorn; Carol Beck; Rose & John Benedetto; John Bobalik; Kathleen Bragg; Tom Brophy; Pat Burch; Joe Capito; Maxine Chamberlain; Jim Crews; Frank DaLanzo; Fred Dalverny; Mary Ann Davis; Robert DeSarro; Loretta Duffy; Susan Graff; Anita Guire; Jerry Guire; Allison Hannick; Ann LaNeve; Catherine Laneve; Gloria Lombardozzi; Betty Lona; Marion Macri; Joan Martin; Georgieann Martinko; Hugh McCarron; Carolyn Moore; Vincent Pickering; Tyler Simpson; Shane Smith; 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 March

Soups / Tuna Fish / Canned Vegetables
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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to *Jackie Borowski, Dave Wasko, Joann Appeldorn, Necitas Golecruz, Rich Budney, Tamara Scafide* and *Camryn Richards*. Enjoy your birthday and have a healthy, blessed year!

2023 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS are available for your tax preparations. Please contact Janice at 304-387-0198 or shp2226ches@dwc.org to get a copy of your statement.

ETERNAL REST grant unto *Marie Graham*, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her. Condolences go out to Connie Maple and all the family. Marie was our oldest parishioner.

PRAYERS FOR OUR SECOND GRADE STUDENTS who will receive their First Holy Communion on May 5: *Harper Budney, Joelle Densmore, and Caroline Gruhalla.*

40 CANS FOR LENT As a form of almsgiving we encourage you to offer **ONE NON-PERISHABLE ITEM** for each day of Lent. This can include *laundry soap, personal hygiene items (shampoo, soap, deodorant, etc.) tissues, packaged cookies, cereals, canned fruit & vegies, canned beans, mac & cheese, boxed potatoes, etc.* There is a box by the funeral door and one in the Center lobby for your donations. All items will be given to the FISH pantry.

PALM SUNDAY BAKE SALE The Ladies Guild will have their Palm Sunday Bake Sale on the weekend of March 23 & 24. Parishioners are asked to donate items for the Bake Sale. If you are donating items, please bring them from 4 PM until Mass time on Saturday and on Sunday before Mass. Please support the Ladies Guild and take some goodies home for your Easter dinner! Thank you to everyone who supported the Ladies Guild by buying soup, and also thanks to the ladies who sold and made the soup.

LENTEN CONFESSIONS Sacred Heart: March 17, 2:00 – 3:00 PM. Fr. John will be in the cry room, while Fr. Bill will be in the confessional.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Please sign up this weekend for Thursday, March 21, 9:00 AM to m

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Sacred Heart: Rosary 6:00 PM, Stations 6:30 PM

Immaculate Conception: Adoration 5:30 PM, Stations 6:30 PM

TRIDUUM LITURGIES

3/28 *Holy Thursday Mass* 7:00 PM at both parishes

3/29 *Good Friday Service* 3:00 PM at Sacred Heart; 7:00 PM at Immaculate Conception

3/30 *Easter Vigil Mass* 8:00 PM at Sacred Heart

3/31 *Easter Sunday Mass* 8:30 AM at Immaculate Conception; 11:00 AM at Sacred Heart

Please sign up to pray in front of the Blessed Sacrament after Holy Thursday Mass. Times are in 30 minute increments, until 11:00 PM. Sign up sheets are by all the doors.

There is a sign-up sheet at the main entrance of the church for Holy Week. We will need *Altar Servers, Extraordinary Ministers* and *Readers* for *Holy Thursday, Good Friday* and *Holy Saturday.*

PALM SUNDAY / GOOD FRIDAY READINGS For those who will read on Palm Sunday and Good Friday, your Readings are in the Sacristy with your names on them. Please pick them up this weekend.

CLOTHES CLOSET will be closed Thursdays, March 21 & 28, and will reopen Thursday, April 4, with spring and summer clothes. Please hold your donations until they reopen.

HOPE SCHOLARSHIP Parents, have you considered sending your child(ren) to Madonna HS, Saint Joseph the Worker Grade School, or Saint Paul Grade School for a Catholic education? **OPEN HOUSE** on Monday, March 11, 6:00 – 7:30 PM. This Scholarship can make a Catholic education possible for your child(ren). Questions??? Call 304-723-0545 or email info@weirtonmadonna.org.

TAX DAY RAFFLE Madonna H.S. is selling raffle tickets for a drawing on 4/15/2024. The winner gets \$5,000.00. The winning number is the one that matches that day's WV Daily 3. Tickets are \$20 each and are available in the parish office.

HOLY TRINITY CHAPTER OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS invites knights from Sacred Heart to attend their meetings that are held the 4th Thursday of every month in the meeting room. You do not need to be a member of Holy Trinity to participate. Contact Stan Connelly for more information at 330-383-0771.

