



ST. ANN CATHOLIC PARISH

Physical Location: 610 Pike Street, Shinnston, WV 26431
 Mailing Address: 43 Mahlon Street, Shinnston, WV 26431

October 27, & 28 2018

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Mass Schedule:

Sunday Masses: Saturday: 5:00pm
 Sunday: 8:00am
 10:00am
 Weekday Masses: Tues & Thurs 6:00pm
 Wed & Friday 8:30am
 Thursday: 6:00pm



Baptism

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 4:00pm to 4:30pm
 Before and after any weekday service and by appointment



Marriages:

Please contact the Pastor at least 6 months prior to the proposed date of marriage.

Rosary and Prayer are said in the church every Wednesday at 6:30pm.

Minister's Schedule November 3 & 4, 2018 THIS WEEKS LITURGICAL COLORS ARE GREEN

	5:00pm	8:00am	10:00am
Server:	Frank DeMarco		Nathaniel Bee & Robert Spadafore
Lector:	Mary Ann Ferris	Mary Sims	Sam DeMarco
Cup Ministers:	Jimmy Gemondo	Thom Alonso	Robbie Spadafore
	Cindy Hamrick		Jim Spadafore
Host Ministers:	Frank DeMarco		Steven Bee
Ushers:	Ron Gonzalez & Joe Sears	Helen DeCosta	John DeMarco & VinnieDeMarco

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

Saturday	October 27	5:00pm	Rotunda & Salentro Families by Mary Rose Salentro RM
Sunday	October 28	8:00am	For the People of the Parish
		10:00am	In Memory of David Costelac by Patty & Bob Costelac/Tanya & Bobby RM
Monday	October 29	No Mass	
Tuesday	October 30	6:00pm	Alice Ross by Jim & Peggy Matish RM
Wednesday	October 31	8:30am	Catherine Bitonti by Ryan DeMarco RM
Thursday	November 01	12:00pm	All Saints Day—Holiday of Obligation
		7:00 pm	All Saints Day—Holiday of Obligation
Friday	November 02	6:00 pm	All Soul's Day
Saturday	November 03	5:00pm	Megan Tucker by Nancy Tate & Family
Sunday	November 04	8:00 am	Mass for the People
		10:00 am	Sam Oliverio by Carson Zickefoose and & Sharon Brisbin RM

Immaculate Conception Parish Nurse Ministry will host a Panel Discussion in the Parish Center on Tuesday, October 30 at 6:30 pm. The discussion will be on the line of On Line Prescription Drug Scams



Daylight savings time ends next Sunday, November 4, 2018. Remember to set your clocks back one hour next Saturday evening. This is the good one...you get to sleep an extra hour.



St. Ann's annual Spaghetti Dinner this Sunday, October beginning at 11:00am.

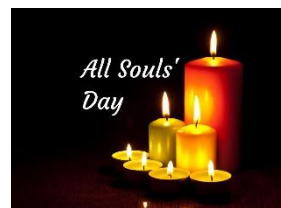
Menu: Spaghetti, 2 Meatballs, Salad, Dessert and a Drink for \$10.00 and \$5.00 for children. Come and join us for a good meal and lots of fellowship.



Wednesday, October 31, 2018, after the Shinnston Trick or Treat hours, all children of St. Anns are invited to come to St. Ann's for an All Saints Day Celebration and Campfire. Children can come in their costumes (or not), and they will gather in the grassy area behind the Chapel. There will be a Campfire and we will be making smores and Hot Chocolate. Encourage your children to research a "favorite" saint, and they can talk about their Saint around the Campfire. Please come and celebrate the All Saints holy Day together. All adult volunteers are welcome and very much appreciated.

Halloween – 'All-Hallows'-Eve' - All Saints Eve – is the meaning of the Halloween celebrations. It was a pagan harvest festival and was later converted to All Saints' Eve Celebrations in the early Church. Later in 1517 with the Protestant reformations, the whole notion of saints changed. Hence, all Northern European countries fell away from the Catholic teachings on the saints and only wanted to continue the fun part of the Halloween celebrations together with different costumes. Scandinavian migrants brought the customs and traditions of Halloween to the lands of America, but without mention of the saints.

Exploring Liturgical Signs and Symbols within our Catholic Church: Candles were used commonly in ancient cults to keep away evil spirits. During the days of Roman emperors, candles were sign of honour. Early Christians used candles for light at the Agape Meals (Eucharist) that were held during the night. In the fourth century, the church liturgy officially began the practice of carrying the candles before the priest as the sign of honour and for the "light of Christ."



Celebrations of the Dead: While All Souls Day is now paired with All Saints Day (November 1), which celebrates all of the faithful who are in Heaven, it originally was celebrated in the Easter season, around Pentecost Sunday (and still is in the Eastern Catholic Churches). By the tenth century, the celebration had been moved to October; and sometime between 998 and 1030, St. Odilo of Cluny decreed that it should be celebrated on November 02 in all of the monasteries of his Benedictine congregation.

Over the next two centuries, other Benedictines and the Carthusians began to celebrate it in their monasteries as well, and soon the commemoration of all the Holy Souls in Purgatory spread to the entire Church.

Souls who departed from our parish community during the year 2018

Teresa Morabito	Bobby Hamrick	Louie Marra	Mary Rose Salentro
Sarah Rose	Mary Talerico	Francis King	Megan Tucker
James "Jim" Fortney			

Open Hours in the Chapel:
Thursday 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Saturday 4:00pm to 5:00pm
Saturday 5:00pm to 6:00pm
Sunday 9:00pm to 10:00pm.

If you wish to take one of these hours, please call Mary K at 304-203-4429 or 304-592-2733.

All praise be yours, my Lord, through Sister Death, from whose embrace no mortal can escape. Woe to those who die in mortal sin! – St. Francis of Assisi



