



ST. ANN CATHOLIC PARISH

Physical Location: 610 Pike Street, Shinnston, WV 26431
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November 3 & 4, 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 10 & 11, 2018 THIS WEEKS LITURGICAL COLORS ARE GREEN

	5:00pm	8:00am	10:00am
Server:	Frank DeMarco		Andrew & John David Dumas
Lector:	Carolyn Potesta	Heather Stalnaker	Mary Ann Spadafore
Cup Ministers:	Mary Ann Ferris	Mickey Arco	Keith Dumas
	Cindy Hamrick		Robbie Spadafore
Host Ministers:	Frank DeMarco		Jim Spadafore
Ushers:	Ron Gonzalez & Joe Sears	Helen DeCosta	Bill Benson & Mary Fleece

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

Saturday	November 03	5:00pm	Sarah Rose by Nick & Donna Fleece RM
Sunday	November 04	8:00am	For the People of the Parish
		10:00am	Sam Oliverio by Carson Zickifoose & Sharon Brisbin RM
Monday	November 05	No Mass	
Tuesday	November 06	6:00pm	Joe Ross by Jim & Peggy Matish RM
Wednesday	November 07	8:30am	Ivan & Dorothy Thompson by Mary K Romeo RM
Thursday	November 08	6:00pm	Al Watson by Ryan Demarco RM
Friday	November 09	8:30am	Jim Fortney by John & Sylvia Belcastro RM
Saturday	November 10	5:00pm	Douglas Brisbin by Sharon Brisbin RM
Sunday	November 11	8:00am	Mass for the People
		10:00am	Bobby Hamrick by Pat & Linda Knight RM

Whoever possesses God is happy. *St. Augustine of Hippo*



Our parishioners Jason and Heather Stalnaker lost their loving mother, Jill Stalnaker this past week. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers. May Jill rest forever in God's loving arms. Jill's funeral was held this past week.

November 8, 2018 there is going to be ushering training in the church 6:30pm.

Holy Name Society (Men's Group) is hosting a Fritti sale, Saturday, November 17, 2018

Holy Name Society (Men's Group) meeting is Sunday, November 18, 2018 at 6:00pm.

Thank you to the Altar Society for hosting the Spaghetti Dinner again this year. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped, and thank you to all parishioners who supported this function. All the hard work is for the good of the parish.



Commissioning of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, lectors, ushers and altar servers will take place on November 18, 2018. All ministries will be commissioned at the Mass in which they serve.

Archbishop William E. Lori, Apostolic Administration for the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, has approved a special collection to be held the weekend of November 10-11 in all parishes and missions throughout the diocese to support recovery efforts related to the recent natural disasters that have occurred across the country.

Proceeds from this collection will support the humanitarian and recovery efforts of the Catholic Charities USA and Catholic Relief Services and will provide pastoral support and rebuilding assistance to impacted dioceses throughout the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. Please remember in prayer those who have lost their lives as a result of the storms and flooding, as well as all those who are injured and lost their homes, cars, employment, access to food and water and to those who remain without electricity or are stranded.



St Ann Altar Society are accepting donations for gloves, scarfs, socks, hats, and hand warmers. The items be donating are for men, women, and children of all ages. The drive will run from October 27 to November 30, 2018. Please place your donation in the box at the front entrance doors of the hall. All donations will be for those in the Shinnston area based on the information given to us on the need from local churches, Lord Pantry and the Nutrition Center. For more information see Betty Swiger, Helen DeCosta, and Linda Knight.

Exploring Liturgical Signs and Symbols within our Catholic Church: Incense is a mixture of resins such as the resin of pine trees. Incense was historically used to overcome unpleasant odors of the church. In the Old Testament (Psalm 141), incense was used as a sign of adoration. The early church rejected the use of incense because of its association with pagan rites. Tertullian, an early christian writer, tells us that incense was, however, used for the cult of the dead. The Eastern churches were the first to use incense as an expression of joy. Gradually incense began to have religious significance in the West. By 1800 A.D. incense in Gaul was used at the offertory to symbolize the sacrifice rising to God. When it is burnt on a piece of lighted charcoal, the incense ascends as a fragrance and it symbolizes that our selfishness is burnt before the Lord. Today, it is a beautiful symbol of the human spirit rising to God in prayer.

The Liturgical year (known as church year or Christian year) consists of the cycle of liturgical seasons in the Christian churches that determine when feast days, including celebration of saints, are to be observed, and to which portions of Scripture to be read either in an annual cycle or a cycle of several years. A new liturgical year begins on December 02, 2018. The first season of the new liturgical year is the season of Advent.

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.



