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April 28, 2024

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:26-31

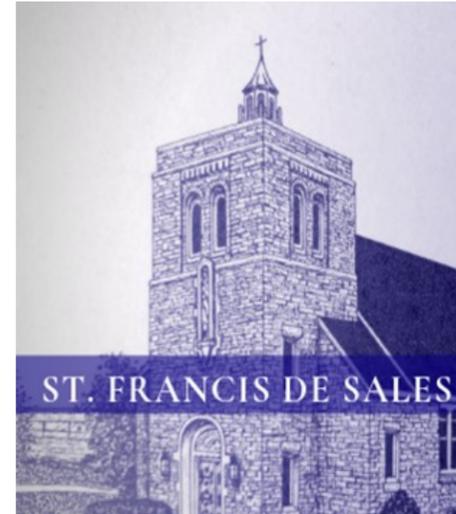
1 Jn 3:18-24

Jn 15:1-8

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil | 5:00 p.m.
Sundays | 8:30, 11:00 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. (Spanish Mass)*
*First Sundays, Spanish Mass is at 7:00 a.m.

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday through Friday | 8:30 a.m.
Wednesday | 6:30 p.m.

Confession (Reconciliation Room in Church)

Saturday | 4:00 to 4:45 p.m.
Wednesday | 9:00 a.m., 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.
(or by appointment)

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesdays | 9:00 a.m to Benediction at 6:00 p.m.

Pastoral Staff

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Please keep in your prayers the following men preparing to be ordained this June to the Permanent Diaconate of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston:

Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston 2024 PERMANENT DEACONS

William Richard Allen, II
John Anthony Basil
Emarjun C. Brucal
Michael Allen Brumley
John David Butler
Victor Francis Cwynar, Jr.
Michael Anthony Kawash
William Joseph Klug
Robert Joseph Krall
Jacob Andrew Manning
James David McCullough
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This Week at our Parish

Mass Intentions

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (April 28)

Saturday, April 27- Vigil

5:00PM For the People of the Parish

Sunday, April 28

8:30AM † Anastasia Morton by Skip & Annette Jennings

11:00AM † Katie Silosky(anniv) the Family

1:30PM (Misa en español) † Rev. Thomas A. Cappelloni

Monday, April 29 - St. Catherine of Siena

8:30AM † Russ Rice(anniv) by Betty Rice

Tuesday, April 30 - St. Pius V

8:30AM † Jamelia Lynch by Resurrection Choir

Wednesday, May 1 - St. Joseph the Worker

8:30AM † Bernie Kluesner by John & Pam Voloski

6:30PM † Marge Pachuta by Mary's House Quilters

Thursday, May 2 - St. Athanasius

8:30AM Celebrant's Intention

Friday, May 3 - Sts. Philip & James, Apostles(all school Mass)

8:30AM † Vivian Spencer by St. Francis School

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (May 5)

Saturday, May 4 - Vigil

5:00PM † Tom DePolo by Skip & Annette Jennings

Sunday, May 5

7:00AM (Misa en español) For the People of the Parish

8:30AM † Nancy Pachuta Hutchins by Frank Pachuta

11:00AM Children of the First Communion Class



Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for May: For the formation of religious women and seminarians

We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.



"Once we have seen the love of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist, we burn, like Mary Magdalen, to bring all souls with us to His Sacred Heart blazing with love for us.
(Bread of Life by Mary Beth Bracy)

Eucharistic Adoration from 9:00 AM to 6:15 PM every Wednesday. Contact Patty Farley 304-253-1603 or Shirley Kim 304-573-7307.

In the Parish This Week

Sunday, April 28

CF classes K to 12 | 9:45 a.m.

KofC Breakfast | after 8:30 a.m. Mass | KofC/Parish Center

Monday, April 29

Morning Prayer | 7:45 a.m. | Church

Seniors Exercise | 9:00 a.m. | De Sales Hall

Tuesday, April 30

Morning Prayer | 7:45 a.m. | Church

Canasta Group | 9:30 a.m. | Mary's House

Catholic Charities | 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. | Parish office

Wednesday, May 1

Morning Prayer | 7:45 a.m. | Church

Seniors Exercise | 9:00 a.m. | De Sales Hall

Reconciliation | 9:00 a.m. | Reconciliation Room

Adoration | 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Reconciliation | 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. | Reconciliation Room

Evening Prayer/Benediction | 5:45 p.m.

Pastoral Council | 7:15 p.m. | Mary's House

Thursday, May 2

Morning Prayer | 7:45 a.m. | Church

Canasta Group | 9:30 a.m. | Mary's House

Catholic Charities | 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. | Parish office

Quilters 6:00 p.m. Mary's House

Narcotics Anonymous | 6:00 p.m. | Parish Center

Friday, May 3

Morning Prayer | 7:45 a.m. | Church

Mass at Greystone | 1:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 4

Reconciliation | 4:00 p.m. | Reconciliation Room

Food for Families after Mass

Sunday, May 5

Food for Families after Masses

First Communion/May Crowning | 11:00 a.m. Mass

CARRY-OUT BREAKFAST!!



On Sunday, April 28, the Knights are making carry-out breakfast available as well as dine-in! Take your breakfast to enjoy at home, or come in and sit down. This meal is sponsored by Dr. Charles Bou-Abboud, so 100% of the donations will go to the Bereavement Committee for funeral luncheons.



First Holy Communion and Confirmation:

"Please keep in your prayers the children and youth from our parish who are preparing for the First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

First Holy Communion is scheduled for Sunday, May 5 at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Those receiving First Holy Communion are:

Kylie Adkins

Adeline Dale

Abigail Joey Fiumefreddo

Emily Harmon

Juliana Haddadin

John Paul Lill

The First Communicants will also be participating in the May Crowning in the church at the end of the Mass.

Confirmation is scheduled for Saturday, June 15 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass, with Bishop Mark Brennan as celebrant. Those to receive the Sacraments of Confirmation are:

Amelia Adkins, Lauren Basham,

Allison Kieran Morgan Bates, Zachary Boothe

Michael Burgess, Sophie Canfield,

Anthony DiBartolomeo, Brandon Fitzgerald,

Brianna Fitzgerald, Elizabeth Fitzgerald,

Alessandra Fragile, Devyn Lanna, Vance Lindley,

Claire Massey, Noah Redman, Reagan Rist,

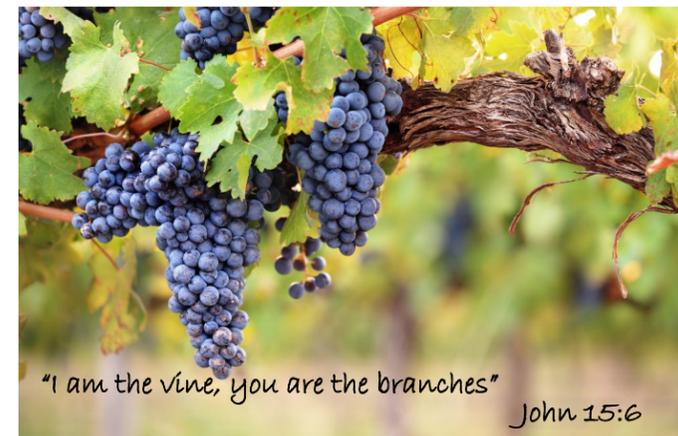
Cambell Stacy, Gabriella Yon

LADIES OF ST FRANCIS DESALES MAY 5, 2024 MEETING WILL BE HELD AT IHOP, this will be a "breakfast meeting". At this meeting we will be discussing the upcoming events:

Confirmation Reception, Vicariate Meeting, Senior Recognition Reception and the Upcoming Corpus Christi "Pot Luck" dinner. PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR AND PLAN TO ATTEND. New Members welcome.

See you on May 5, 2024, at 10:00 at IHOP. THANK YOU

Weekend Collection	Date April 21
Weekly Offering	\$ 4378.85
Maintenance	\$ 10.00
Catholic Radio	\$ 160.00
Grade School	\$ 2427.66
Flood Relief	\$ 3467.72
Mother's Day	\$ 10.00
Total	\$ 10244.23



"I am the vine, you are the branches" John 15:6



MEDICAL STUDENT IN NEED OF ROOM:

John Gallagher, a student at the WV School of Osteopathic Medicine, will be beginning his residency in Beckley on June 1 and is looking for a room to rent for 2 years. If anyone is interested, please contact Debbie Gallagher at: (407) 739-0467.



The Diocese encourages reporting to civil authorities first and foremost if a crime has been committed. 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. In addition to civil authorities, you may also report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel or volunteers of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, by contacting one of the Bishop's designees at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880: Mr. 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. You may also visit www.dwc.org, under "Accountability" for additional reporting mechanisms.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule (Please check online schedule for updates/changes)

Altar Servers	Readers	Ushers	Extraordinary Ministers of HC
Saturday, May 4, 5:00 PM Vigil Hannah Keiling, James Eastman	Steve Hoyle	W. Keiling, B. Keiling OS M. Peck, J. Moore NS	Deacon Harry NB L. Keiling, M.G. Peck NC Priest OB S. Williams, S. Jennings OC J. Webber CHOIR
Sunday, May 5, 8:30 AM Kevin Halliwell, Evy Halliwell	Rita Burluson	S. Jacinto, C. Yon OS J. Halliwell, A. Mouse NS	Deacon Jay NB K. Finch, D. Voloski NC Priest OB H. Bobbin, S. Zeto OC Dr. S. Finch CHOIR
Sunday, May 5, 11:00 AM Jayden Dy, Hattie Harmon	Carolyn Wagner	M. Bates, M. Lowery OS S. Cantley, sub req NS	Deacon Jay NB J. Byron, B. Byron NC Priest OB C. Cruz, J. Basham OC B. Cruz CHOIR