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*Price options include \$400 for the bulletin and \$75 for the monthly insert per business card space.*

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.



**March 24, 2024**  
**Palm Sunday**

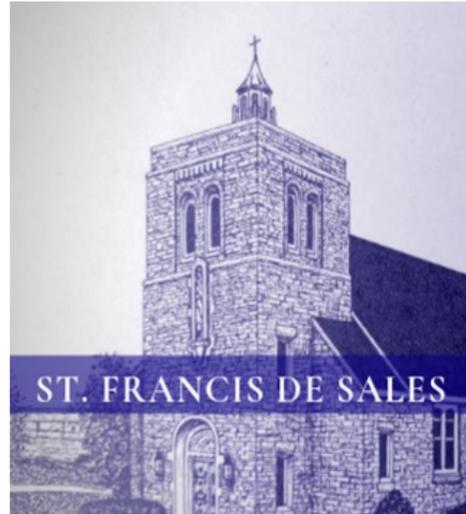


**ST. FRANCIS DE SALES**

**CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
614 S. Oakwood Ave. Beckley, WV

**Mk 11:1-10**  
**Is 50:4-7**  
**Mk 14:1-15**

Parish Office Ph: 253-3695/FAX: 253-3694/email: sfdswv@gmail.com/website: <https://stfrancis-wv.org/>  
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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**

Pastor:  
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1) Fasting is to be observed on Good Friday by everyone 18 years and older, who has not yet celebrated their 59th birthday. On a fast day, one full meal is allowed. Two other meals, enough to maintain strength, may be taken, according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but consuming liquids, including milk and juices, is allowed. 2) Abstinence is observed by everyone 14 years of age or older. On days of abstinence, no meat is allowed. Note that when health or the ability to work is affected, the law does not apply. Good Friday is a day of abstinence. If a person is unable to observe the above regulations due to ill health or other serious reasons, other suitable forms of self-denial are encouraged.

# This Week at our Parish

## Mass Intentions

**PALM SUNDAY (March 24)**

**Saturday, March 23 - Vigil**

5:00PM † Arlene Wallen by Eileen Tice

**Sunday, March 24**

8:30AM People of the Parish

11:00AM † Stacy Morton by Joe & Rose Romero

1:30PM (Misa en español) † Rev. Msgr. Lawrence Deno

**Monday, March 25**

8:30AM Celebrant's Intention

**Tuesday, March 26**

8:30AM † Rose Savisky by Knights of Columbus Council 5657

**Wednesday, March 27**

8:30AM † Melissa & Roger Bartusiak by Andy & Bonnie Moscarito

7:00PM Tenebrae

**THE SACRED TRIDUUM**

**Thursday, March 28 - Holy Thursday**

7:00PM † Deceased Pastors of St. Francis

**Friday, March 29 - Good Friday**

7:00PM Commemoration of the Passion of the Lord

**EASTER SUNDAY (March 31)**

**Saturday, March 30 - Vigil**

8:00PM All Catechumens & Candidates

**Sunday, March 31**

8:30AM Children preparing for the Sacraments

11:00AM For the People of the Parish

1:30PM (Misa en español) Hermanas Misioneras Servidoras

de la Palabra



**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for March:  
For the new martyrs**

We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

## In the Parish This Week

**Sunday, March 24**

NO CF CLASSES

**Procession with palms before 11:00 a.m. Mass**

**Monday, March 25**

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

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

Chrism Mass | 4:00 p.m. | Basilica of the Co-Cathedral

**Tuesday, March 26**

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

Catholic Charities | 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. | Parish Office

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

**Wednesday, March 27**

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

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

Tenebrae | 7:00 p.m.

**Thursday, March 28**

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

Adoration | 8:00 p.m. to midnight | De Sales Hall

**Friday, March 29**

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

Stations of the Cross | 3:00 p.m.

**Saturday, March 30**

Sacraments of Initiation at Easter Vigil | 8:00 p.m.

**Sunday, March 31**

NO CF CLASSES

**HAPPY EASTER!**



"With the Eucharist, therefore, heaven comes down to earth, the tomorrow of God descends into the present and it is as if time remains embraced by divine eternity." (Pope Benedict XVI) Eucharistic Adoration from 9:00 AM to 6:15 PM every Wednesday. Contact Patty Farley 304-253-1603 or Shirley Kim 304-573-7307.



**DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR POSITION OPENING-  
ST. FRANCIS DE SALES SCHOOL**

**QUALIFICATIONS**

Knowledge of Roman Catholic faith and supportive of the mission of the school.

Excellent verbal and written communication, interpersonal and relationship-building skills to effectively work with a variety of people and personalities.

Computer literacy (Word, Access, Excel) and creativity.

**FUND RAISING**

Annual Fund

Major and Planned Giving

Grant Prospects

**CONSTITUENT, DONOR RELATIONS, AND COMMUNICATION**

Coordinates the school's marketing materials, keeping and promoting a consistent image and identity of the school for the purpose of student recruitment and retention, and donor and prospect engagement.

Assists Principal and Pastor in working with School Board to enhance development efforts.

Works with the PTO/Home and School Committees to identify and train a core group of volunteers to assist in the annual giving programs, special events and other fundraising programs.

Please call the school office for more information- 304-252-4087.

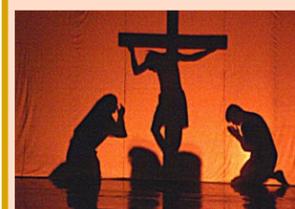
## UPDATE ON HMSP MISSIONARIES:

The current Mission Period for our missionaries from the Missionary Sisters Servants of the Word is drawing to a close. Sisters Alejandra and Teresita will be returning to their community in California on Wednesday, April 3. Please keep them in your prayers, and the new team of missionaries who will be joining us in mid-April. Thank you, Sisters, for all that you do! ¡Gracias, hermanas, por todo lo que hacen aquí en nuestra parroquia, especialmente por la comunidad hispana!

| Weekend Collection | Date March 17      |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| Weekly Offering    | \$ 6428.01         |
| Maintenance        | \$ 225.00          |
| Radio              | \$ 65.00           |
| Grade School       | \$ 2395.00         |
| Priests Retirement | \$ 695.00          |
| Candles            | \$ 293.65          |
| Easter             | \$ 5.00            |
| Ash Wednesday      | \$ 20.00           |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>\$ 10126.66</b> |

## NOMINATIONS FOR PARISH COUNCIL:

This final weekend there are cards in the pews for nomination of new council members. Please suggest parishioners you think would be a good addition to replace the three outgoing members. Current members listed on the back of the card are not eligible for nomination. You may drop your cards in the collection basket.



The Catholic Youth Group of Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church Presents:

**The Living Stations of the Cross In Silhouette**

\*Palm Sunday, March 24th 7:00 pm and

\*Good Friday, March 29th 2:00pm

at SS Peter and Paul Catholic Church. All are welcome!

We adore you, O Christ, and we praise you. Because by your holy cross, you have redeemed the world.

## Annual Good Friday Pontifical Collection for the Holy Land...

Don't forget the Pontifical Good Friday collection which helps the Holy Land Franciscans to care for those in need in the Holy Land, and for the upkeep of the various shrines in the Holy Land under their care.

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

| Altar Servers  | Readers           | Ushers   | Extraordinary Ministers of HC  |
|--|-------------------|--|--|
| <b>Holy Thursday, March 28, 7:00 PM</b><br>Vance Lindley, Zachery Lindley                    | Cecilia Lindley   | W. Keiling, D. Siers OS<br>M. Bates, S. Interdonato NS | Deacons Harry & Jay NB S. Williams, R. Burleson NC<br>Fr. Leonard, Fr. Thomas OB S. Finch, C. Mendoza OC<br>K. Finch CHOIR |
| <b>Good Friday, March 29, 7:00 PM</b><br>T. Shorts, J. Wagner                                | J. Halliwell      | M. Bates, S. Interdonato OSM.<br>J. Moore, M. Peck NS  | Deacon Harry, Deacon Jay NB<br>Fr. Leonard, Fr. Thomas OB  |
| <b>Saturday, March 30, 8:00 PM Vigil</b><br>Vance & Zachery Lindley,<br>Nate & Vince Bechtel | Jeffrey Yeager    | B. Keiling, W. Keiling OS<br>M. Bates, sub req NS      | Deacons Jay & Harry NB D. Appel, L. Keiling NC<br>Fr. Leonard, Fr. Thomas OB L. Wallen, S. Williams OC<br>B. Goode CHOIR   |
| <b>Sunday, March 31, 8:30 AM</b><br>Kevin Halliwell, Evy Halliwell                           | Joan Tomasek      | J. Halliwell, sub req OS<br>C. Yon, sub req NS         | Deacon Harry NB C. Richards, S. Zeto NC<br>Priest OB R. Burleson, D. Voloski OC sub req CHOIR                              |
| <b>Sunday, March 31, 11:00 AM</b><br>Laura Basham, Jayden Dy                                 | Catherine Mendoza | S. Jacinto, M. Lowery OS<br>N. Kapp, L. Misiti NS      | Deacon Jay NB S. Fragile, C. Cruz NC Fr. Thomas OB<br>K. Mann, B. Cruz OC M.A. Adkins CHOIR                                |

## Holy Week 2024 Parish Schedule

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|----------------------|---|
| <b>Sun., Mar. 24</b> | <b>Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord</b><br><b>Holy Week Begins</b>                                      |
| <b>Mon., Mar. 25</b> | <b>Chrism Mass 4:00 p.m.</b><br><b>Sacred Heart Co-Cathedral, Charleston</b>                                  |
| <b>Wed., Mar. 27</b> | <b>Tenebrae 7:00 p.m.</b>   |
| <b>Thu., Mar. 28</b> | <b>Holy Thursday</b><br><b>Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00 p.m.</b><br><b>Adoration 8:00 p.m. - Midnight</b>   |
| <b>Fri., Mar. 29</b> | <b>Good Friday</b><br><b>Stations of the Cross 3:00 p.m.</b><br><b>Commemoration of the Passion 7:00 p.m.</b> |
| <b>Sat., Mar. 30</b> | <b>Holy Saturday</b><br><b>Easter Vigil Mass 8:00 p.m.</b><br><b>Sacraments of Initiation</b>                 |