

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

For June 6 & 7, 2015,  
St. Anthony parishioners and  
friends contributed \$2,084.00 to  
the regular collection.  
**Thank you for your generosity!**

## CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL UPDATE

### As of June 4, 2015

St. Anthony has pledged \$12,100.00,  
which is 118% of our parish goal of  
\$10,275.00. Of the money pledged,  
\$5,400 or 53% has been received.

Remember 100% of donations above  
our goal will come back to St.  
Anthony! Thank you for your  
commitment and generosity!!

**Bulletin announcements**—contact the St. Anthony parish office at 304-342-2716 or send an email to [secretary@stanthonywv.com](mailto:secretary@stanthonywv.com). The announcement deadline for the bulletin this week is **Wednesday at 5:30 pm**. Thank you!!

### Serving for June 13 & 14, 2015

#### 5:30 Vigil Mass

**Lector:** M. Doneghy  
**E. M.:** M. Ferguson & W. Leach  
**Acolytes:** B. Scarpelli, Sr. F. Kirtley  
& P. Booker

#### 10:30 Mass

**Lector:** J. Bowles  
**E. M.:** M. Wuletich & A. McIntire  
**Acolytes:** M. Hamilton, D. Kushner  
& M. Isabella

#### **Cleaning:**

*June 14—20* D. Hess, S. Spencer  
& W. Leach

### Serving for June 20 & 21, 2015

#### 5:30 Vigil Mass

**Lector:** D. Hess  
**E. M.:** M. Doneghy & D. McDougall  
**Acolytes:** Volunteer, P. Booker  
& E. Ferguson

#### 10:30 Mass

**Lector:** S. Kawash  
**E. M.:** M. Hamilton & J. Polak  
**Acolytes:** C. Vaughn, N. Burdette  
& C. Joseph

#### **Cleaning:**

*June 21—27* J. & J. Burdette

## Mass Schedule June 14—21

**Sunday 06/14:** OLH Mass 8:30 am  
SA Rosary 10:00 am—Mass 10:30 am  
SA Vesper Service 4:00 pm

**Monday 06/15:** OLH Rosary 10:30 am—Mass 11:00 am

**Tuesday 06/16:** SA Mass 7:30 am

**Wednesday 06/17:** SA Mass 7:30 am

**Thursday 06/18:** SA Mass 7:30 am

**Friday 06/19:** SA Mass 7:30 am

**Saturday 06/20:** SA Mass 5:30 pm

**Sunday 06/21:** OLH Mass 8:30 am  
SA Rosary 10:00 am—Mass 10:30 am



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The kingdom of God is as  
if someone would scatter  
seed on the ground...



*“To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants.”*

Our pastor, Fr. James Kurtz, OFM Cap. can be reached by email at [kurtzwv@gmail.com](mailto:kurtzwv@gmail.com) To make an appointment for personal business please contact him at 304-342-2716 x 406



## Deo Gratias!

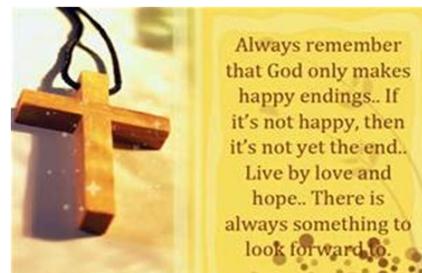
*“I have not stopped giving thanks for you in my prayer.”* – Ephesians 1:16

Although today, in many ways, is a very sad day, yet it is a day to rejoice in the Lord; a day to thank and praise God for the countless ways He has blessed the people of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston through the ministry of the many Capuchin Friars who have served here for over a hundred years, as well as a day for us Capuchin Friars to thank God for the many people that we were privileged to serve, to form friendships with, and to preach the Gospel to here.

Pleased be assured of our continued prayers for you. Pray for us. Together let us give thanks to the Lord for He is good and His Love endures forever!

I thank all of you in this parish for the kindness and generosity you have shown toward me these past four years. I leave here with many fond memories. I will miss you all. Let us not stop giving thanks for one another in our prayers to our good and gracious God: the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. And may the Blessed Virgin Mary, our Mother and our Queen pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death.

—Fr. Jim



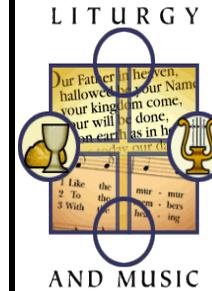
Always remember that God only makes happy endings.. If it's not happy, then it's not yet the end.. Live by love and hope.. There is always something to look forward to.

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

† Erma Moore, John Polcari, Joseph T. Joseph, James Kessler, Rose B. Corey, Barbara Carey, Francis Nagoda, Jr.

Mary Canterbury, Stephanie Merenda, Richard Diggs, Mary Hanson, Joyce Vickers, David Dodd, Nazira Joseph, Teresa Campbell, Carmen Lopera, Jackie Canterbury, Pauline Wyatt, Alan Cottrill, Zachariah Kushner, Virginia Hederi-Evans, Mary Yunis, Maryellen Wiepper

## MUSIC FOR LITURGY



**Entrance:** Glory and Praise to Our God — #547

**Gloria:** Mass of Renewal — #871

**Offertory:** For the Fruits of this Creation — #427

**Communion:** Seed, Scattered and Sown — #363

**Recessional:** Let All Things Now Living — #596

## LORIE'S MUSIC NOTES

The song selections for today, as usual, echo the stories heard in the readings. They speak of harvest, growth, and the well-known story of the mustard seed. However, these songs speak also of thanksgiving for the fruits we have been given. I think they are particularly appropriate for today, as we bid farewell to Fr. Jim. We are thankful for the gifts he has shared with us, and for his pastoral presence these last four years. Peace and blessings to you, Fr. Jim. You will be missed.

### CAPUCHIN FAREWELL VESPER SERVICE

You are cordially invited to the **Capuchin Farewell Vesper Service** at **St. Anthony on Sunday, June 14 at 4:00 pm.**

There will be a reception in the Parish Center immediately following the service.

### SPECIAL MASS ANNOUNCEMENT

On Wednesday, June 17, 2015, Father Jim will celebrate his last Mass with us at 7:30 am. There will not be an evening Mass on this day.

**Take a “Dare to Share” envelope and learn how to share the Catholic Faith with family and friends!**

We welcome **Father Babu Joseph**—In consultation with Bishop Remegiose Inchananiyil of Thamarasserry (Syro-Malabarese), India, **Father Babu Joseph Elamturuthil is appointed administrator of St. Anthony Parish, Charleston, and Our Lady of the Hills Parish, Elkview, with residence at the parish rectory in Charleston, effective June 17, 2015.** He is also appointed to serve the sacramental needs of the chaplaincy of the University of Charleston.

