

### Explanatory Mass

Father John Finnell, pastor of Blessed Sacrament in South Charleston, would like to invite everyone to an “Explanatory Mass” at 2:00 pm on Sunday, January 31, to help build bridges of understanding among the diverse religious groups of the Kanawha Valley. This will be a complete authentic Catholic Mass with Holy Communion, which will satisfy the “Sunday obligation” for all Catholics who attend. It will take about 2 hours because explanations about each part of the Mass will be added just before it occurs. Questions and comments from the assembly will also be encouraged after the Mass is concluded. Light refreshments will be served following the Mass. Blessed Sacrament is located at 305 E Street in South Charleston, next to Oakes Field.

### Sign Up for St. Anthony Fish Frydays!

We need volunteers to sign up to work our Fish Frydays—February 12, 19 & 26 and March 4, 11 & 18. We need people to serve, host, take orders, bus tables, wash dishes, clean up, make desserts, etc. If you can help us out, there are sign-up sheets located in the back of the church. Fish Frydays is our largest fundraiser and our success depends largely on **you!** Please work with us to make this year an even greater success! For questions, please contact Brenda Ashworth or Moya Doneghy.

### PURSUIT

*Pursuit* is a FREE youth ministry evening for middle and high school students and their families offered by the Diocese of Wheeling Charleston to be held Wednesday, January 27, from 7:00 pm—8:30 pm at Holy Trinity in Nitro. *Pursuit* is an inspiring, fun and faith filled evening for families and will include praise and worship music, prayer and content based on the Year of Mercy. It will be a great opportunity for parents and teenagers to have a fun and spiritually enriching evening together. Attendees **do not** have to register in advance. Other dates & places are available. Please see the poster on the bulletin board.

### Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy

Especially during this Jubilee of Mercy, we are challenged to examine ways that we can live the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy. The Corporal Works of Mercy respond to a person’s experience of lacking resources whether internal (food, drink), external (clothing, shelter) or suffering (disease, imprisonment, death). The Spiritual Works respond to the deficiencies suffered in our spirituality: through instructing (giving counsel and teaching), comforting (during suffering or sadness), imploring the help of God in prayer, or reacting to the disorders of actions (admonishing, forgiving, patiently bearing wrongs).—*Pontifical Council for the Promotion of the New Evangelization*

### Notes from the Office

Father Babu Joseph is on vacation in India. He will return to the U.S. on Thursday, Feb. 4. During this time, different priests will cover the weekend masses. There will not be any daily masses. For Sacramental emergencies, please call Father Thomas Kalapurackal of Holy Trinity at 304-755-0791.



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*“Today this scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing.”*

Our administrator, Fr. Babu Joseph Elamturuthil can be reached by cell phone at (304)207-2585 or email at efrbabu52@gmail.com.

# SUNDAY, JANUARY 24, 2016

## Mass Schedule January 24—31

Sunday 01/24:	OLH Mass 8:30 am—Faith Formation Special Intention SA Rosary 10:00 am—Mass 10:30 am Special Intention
Monday 01/25:	No Mass. Office is closed.
Tuesday 01/26:	No Mass—Father is out of town.
Wednesday 01/27:	No Mass—Father is out of town.
Thursday 01/28:	No Mass—Father is out of town.
Friday 01/29:	No Mass—Father is out of town.
Saturday 01/30:	SA Mass 5:30 pm
Sunday 01/31:	OLH Mass 8:30 am—Faith Formation Special Intention SA Rosary 10:00 am—Mass 10:30 am Special Intention

**Mass Intentions**—If you would like to request a Mass intention, you can fill out a Mass intention envelope at the church or you can create an envelope with the following information: who the Mass intention is for and whether the person is living or deceased, the date you are requesting, your name and a telephone number where you can be reached during the day, and the amount you are offering. You may drop your Mass intention envelope in the collection basket or send it to the office. If the date you request is unavailable, your intention will be scheduled for the next open date available unless you request otherwise.

In accordance with the guidelines from the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, Mass stipends are deposited in a separate checking account. If you are writing a check, please make it payable to **St. Anthony Mass Account**.

The current suggested level of giving is \$20 for a weekend Mass or \$10 for a daily Mass. Any offering, however, is most welcome, and, if you do not have funds to offer, you are encouraged to request your Mass intention.

## PRAYER LIST FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

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, Frances Hale

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

January 16 & 17, 2016      \$1,350.50

**Thank you for your generosity!**

*“The Gospel calls us to be close to the poor and forgotten, and to give them real hope.”*  
—Pope Francis tweet on 01/19/16

# THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## MUSIC FOR LITURGY



<b>Entrance:</b>	Let the Heavens be Glad — #577
<b>Gloria:</b>	Mass of Renewal — #866
<b>Offertory:</b>	The Light of Christ — #602
<b>Communion:</b>	We Are Many Parts — #586
<b>Recessional:</b>	To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King — #729

## LORIE'S MUSIC NOTES

As we sing the Communion song today, think of the second reading from Corinthians. "As a body is one though it has many parts, and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body, so also Christ." This song is also appropriate for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity which is January 18-25th. By annually observing this week of prayer, Christians move toward the fulfillment of Jesus' prayer at the Last Supper "that they all may be one."

**Office Hours: Monday through Friday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm**  
**Closed on holidays.**

**Bulletin & Mass announcements**—call the St. Anthony parish office at 304-342-2716 or send an email to [secretary@stanthonywv.com](mailto:secretary@stanthonywv.com). **The deadline this week for bulletin announcements is Wednesday at 5:30 pm** and for Mass announcements is Friday at 9:00 am. Thank you!!

	January 23 & 24, 2016	January 30 & 31, 2016
<b>5:30 Vigil Mass</b>		
Lector:	D. Hess	R. Stonestreet
E. M.:	M. Doneghy & D. McDougall	D. Hess & M. Ferguson
Acolytes:	M. Ferguson & E. Ferguson	P. Booker & B. Scarpelli
<b>10:30 Mass</b>		
Lector:	J. Polak	Stephen Kawash
E. M.:	B. Kushner & M. Wuletich	M. Ferguson & A. McIntire
Acolytes:	M. Isabella & C. Vaughn	N. Burdette & M. Hamilton
Counters:	M. Isabella & S. Wyatt	M. Isabella & S. Kawash
	<i>January 24—30, 2016</i>	<i>January 31—February 6, 2016</i>
<b>Cleaning:</b>	D. Hess, S. Spencer & W. Leach	J. & J. Burdette