

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. The Fish Frydays project 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.

Snow Removal

We need volunteers to remove snow from the sidewalks and parking lots—especially with Fish Frydays coming up. Does anyone know someone with equipment to remove snow? If you would like to help with snow removal or you know someone with snow removal equipment, please call the office at 304-342-2716. Thank You!

 A Mass of Christian Burial was held for Betty Wuletich, sister of Deacon David Wuletich at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, January 29, 2016 at St. Stephen in Caldwell, OH. Please pray for Betty, Deacon David and their family. May she rest in peace.

Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy

January 24: 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*

January 31: To refrain from judgment and condemnation means, in a positive sense, to know how to accept the good in every person and to spare him any suffering that might be caused by our partial judgment, our presumption to know everything about him.—*Misericordiae Vultus*

Notes from the Office

Father Babu Joseph will return for Masses next weekend. There will be no daily Masses this week and **First Friday is cancelled.** 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 31, 2016

Mass Schedule January 31—February 7

Sunday 01/31:	OLH Mass 8:30 am—Faith Formation Special Intention SA Rosary 10:00 am—Mass 10:30 am Special Intention
Monday 02/01:	No Mass. Office is closed.
Tuesday 02/02:	No Mass—Father is out of town.
Wednesday 02/03:	No Mass—Father is out of town.
Thursday 02/04:	No Mass—Father is out of town.
Friday 02/05:	No Mass—Father is out of town.
Saturday 02/06:	SA Mass 5:30 pm
Sunday 02/07:	OLH Mass 8:30 am—Faith Formation Special Intention SA Rosary 10:00 am—Mass 10:30 am †Elizabeth Solomon

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, Mary Hanson, Joyce Vickers, David Dodd, Nazira Joseph, Jackie Canterbury, Pauline Wyatt, Zachariah Kushner, Virginia Hederi-Evans, Frances Hale, Beverly Lang

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

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MUSIC FOR LITURGY



Entrance:	Christ In Me Arise — #513
Gloria:	Mass of Renewal — #866
Offertory:	Christians, Let Us Love One Another — #476
Communion:	Ubi Caritas — #478
Recessional:	Christ Before Us — #410

LORIE'S MUSIC NOTES

Our second reading today is from Corinthians. It is the passage you hear very often at weddings: "Love is patient, love is kind...it bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never fails." I have chosen our Offertory and Communion songs today to reflect this reading. I'm sure most of you know this, but *Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est* is Latin for "Where there is charity and love, there is God."

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. **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 30 & 31, 2016	February 6 & 7, 2016
5:30 Vigil Mass		
Lector:	R. Stonestreet	M. Doneghy
E. M.:	D. Hess & M. Ferguson	S. Spencer & W. Leach
Acolytes:	P. Booker & B. Scarpelli	P. Booker & E. Ferguson
10:30 Mass		
Lector:	Stephen Kawash	P. Franklin
E. M.:	M. Ferguson & A. McIntire	M. Hamilton & J. Polak
Acolytes:	N. Burdette & M. Hamilton	N. Burdette & C. Vaughn
Counters:	M. Isabella & S. Kawash	N. Swecker & J. Polak
Cleaning:	<i>January 31—February 6, 2016</i> J. & J. Burdette	<i>February 7—13, 2016</i> N. & R. Swecker