# Catholic Parishes of St. Anthony and Our Lady of the Hills

July 7, 2024

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## **General Directory**

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**Office Hours:** 

Monday-Thursday-Friday from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm; Closed Tuesday, Wednesday and holidays.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** 

St Anthony: Saturday 4:15 p.m.—4:45 p.m. Our Lady of the Hills: Tuesday 5:00 p.m.—5:15 p.m.

I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and constraints, for the sake of Christ; for when I am weak, then I am strong.

2 Corinthians 12:10

#### Mass Schedule July 6—July 14

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 07/06: SA Mass 5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday 07/07: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. †Sharon Istfan (C. Mosier)

SA Mass 10:30 a.m.

†Frank Nogoda & Amelia Gould Families

Monday 07/08: No Mass

Tuesday 07/09: OLH Mass 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday 07/10: SA Mass 9:00 a.m.

Thursday 07/11: SA Mass 9:00 a.m.

Friday 07/12: SA Mass 9:00 a.m.

†Holy Souls in Purgatory (M. J. Zsoldos)

Saturday 07/13: SA Mass 5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday 07/14: OLH Mass 8:30 a.m.

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SA Mass 10:30 a.m.

†Anna Marie Ashworth (J. & R. Ashworth)

## Stewardship Report for June 29 & 30, 2024

St. Anthony

Offertory \$ 1734.00 St. Anthony Caring Fund \$20.00

Attendance

Saturday—49 Sunday—67

Our Lady of the Hills

Offertory 1205.00

Attendance Sunday—36

### Thank you for your generosity. May God bless you!

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, to report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact the Diocese at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880. Please visit www.dwc.org under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods.

**Mass Intentions**—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.

Mass Intention requests are scheduled in the order they are received.

#### Prayer List for the Sick & Homebound

St. Anthony—Michael McCallister, Robin Holly, Michael Bee, Chris Newman, David Wuletich, Linda Davis, Ursula Paezold, Christine Hansbarger, Mary Wuletich, Mary Beth Abbot, Deborah McDougall

Our Lady of the Hills—Violet Edwards, Ursula Paezold, Bill & Nancy Audia, Judy Killough & Family, The Dorseys, John Caroli

Please call Father Thomas Dharelli H.G.N. at 304-342-2716, if you would like a visit and to receive communion or a home blessing.



## **Music for Liturgy**



**Entrance:** Praise to the Lord – #203

Gloria: Mass of Renewal — #876

**Offertory:** There's a Wideness in God's Mercy — #491

**Communion:** Taste and See — #348

**Recessional:** The Spirit Sends Us Forth — #390

#### **Minister Schedule**

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	14th Sunday in Ordinary Time	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
St. Anthony		
Mass	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Lector:	C. Harmon	M. Tyler
Eucharistic Minister:	M. Doneghy	D. Hess
10:30 a.m. Mass		
Lector:	J. Bowles	B. Ashworth
Eucharistic Minister:	J. Bowles & B. Morton	B. Ashworth & M. Hamilton
Counters:	K. Layne & S. Spencer	N. Swecker & C. Joseph
Our Lady of the Hills		
Lector:	C. Stodola	G. Kozera
Eucharistic Minister:	T. Stodola	L. Kozera

<u>Bulletin & Mass Announcements</u> — The deadline this week for bulletin announcements is <u>Wednesday</u> at 5:00 p.m. & for Mass announcements is <u>Friday</u> at 9:00 a.m. Thank you!

**Bible Study** — Join Deacon David for Bible Study every Thursday at 2:00 p.m. in the SA Parish Center!



<u>St. Anthony Caring Fund</u> — Collections for the St. Anthony Caring Fund will be taken up today. Your generosity allows us to assist those experiencing financial hardship within the West Side community. Thank you!

<u>Gifts from the Holy Land</u> — Bethlehem Wood will be at all Masses at both parishes the weekend of July 20 and 21 with beautiful handmade olivewood carvings from the Holy Land. Proceeds from the sale will benefit Christian families in Bethlehem/Holy Land.

The Cursillo leadership group, of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, is planning a mini retreat, for all Cursillistas (individuals who have already attended a Cursillo weekend) who are interested in gathering together, in the name of the Jesus Christ and the Cursillo Movement, in our diocese. It will be held at the St. John XXIII Pastoral Center, in Charleston, on Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup>. Free lodging will be available for those individuals and couples who come from a great distance. It will be an all-day retreat, from morning until the late afternoon. Lunch will be provided. The retreat will consist of prayer, presentations, discussions, and planning. If you'd like to register for the retreat, or if you'd like more information, please contact Daniel Maul, at dmaul@dwc.org, or call 304-233-0880, ext. 376.



# July Birthdays

- 5 Luca D'Alessio
- 8 Maria Magana
- 8 Nancy Swecker
- 9 Linda Baughman
- 9 Nathaniel Burdette
- 14 Samuel Curia
- 15 William Nehr
- 20 Johnathan Burdette
- 20 Jerry Jackson
- 22 Thomas Hart
- 24 Anthony Curia
- 24 Christina Thomas
- 30 Jeremi Turley

Please notify the office if your birthday is not listed or the date is incorrect.

Thank you!



## Jesus Marveled because of Their Unbelief

**Meditation:** Are you critical towards others, especially those who may be close to you? The most severe critics are often people very familiar to us, a member of our family, a relative, or neighbor or coworker we rub shoulders with on a regular basis. Jesus faced a severe testing when he returned to his home town, not simply as the carpenter's son, but now as a rabbi with disciples. It would have been customary for Jesus to go to the synagogue each week during the Sabbath, and when his turn came, to read from the scriptures during the Sabbath service. His hometown folks listened with rapt attention on this occasion because they had heard about the miracles he had performed in other towns. What sign would he do in his hometown?

#### Look upon your neighbor with the eyes of Christ who comes to heal and restore us

Jesus startled his familiar audience with a seeming rebuke that no prophet or servant of God can receive honor among his own people. The people of Nazareth took offense at Jesus and refused to listen to what he had to say. They despised his preaching because he was a mere workman, a carpenter, and a layman who had no formal training by a scholar or teacher. They also despised him because of his undistinguished family background. How familiarity can breed contempt. Jesus could do no mighty works in their midst because they were closed-minded and unbelieving towards him. If people have come together to hate and to refuse to understand, then they will see no other point of view than their own and they will refuse to love and accept others. How do you treat those who seem disagreeable to you?

The word "gospel" literally means "good news". Isaiah had prophesied that the Messiah would come in the power of the Holy Spirit to bring freedom to the afflicted who suffered from physical, mental, or spiritual oppression (see Isaiah 61:1-2). Jesus came to set people free - not only from their physical, mental, and spiritual infirmities - but also from the worst affliction of all - the tyranny of slavery to sin, Satan, and the fear of losing one's life. God's power alone can save us from hopelessness, dejection, and emptiness of life. The Gospel of salvation is "good news" for everyone who will receive it. Do you know the joy and freedom of the Gospel?

Lord Jesus, you are the fulfillment of all our hopes and desires. Your Spirit brings grace, truth, freedom, and abundant life. Set my heart on fire with your love and truth.

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Blessed Sacrament will be Hosting a VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - July 22 - 26, 2024. 5:30-7:30 p.m. Vacation Bible School will consist of a week of fun, learning, and growing in faith. The theme this year is Splash Canyon — God's Promise on Life's Wild Ride. It features an array of river-related bible stories paired with lessons, a reference to the Catechism, and a Mighty Saint's Story. There is no cost. Donations will be appreciated. Here's who we need to make this

- a success.

  O children to come, learn, and have fun —
- o preschoolers, 1-2, 3-5 graders;
- O adults who will have their own track;
- adult volunteers to register children each day, teach or help the teacher, run

games, assist with arts and crafts, decorate, and prepare food. Volunteers can help every day or days fitting their schedule. For more information, to register, or to volunteer, please contact the Blessed Sacrament Parish Office

bsccwv@gmail.com or Mike Granata mikegranata3@gmail.com

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The St. John Paul II Foundation and the

FORMATION SERIES

TOGETHER IN HOLINESS

The St. John Paul II Foundation and the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston present the *Together in Holiness* Formation series

Year-round marriage enrichment for small communities of spouses that equips them with the formation, encouragement, support, and practical tools to grow together in holiness and to form their children in the Catholic faith.

To get involved, contact Daniel Maul at dmaul@dwc.org.