

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

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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

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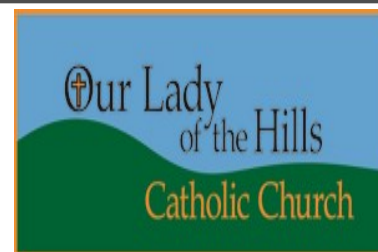
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Office Hours:

Monday-Tuesday-Thursday-Friday from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm; Closed Wednesday and holidays.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

St Anthony: Saturday 4:45 pm to 5:15 pm or other times by appointment. Our Lady of the Hills by appointment.

Why is the Holy Mass a sacrifice and a sacrament?

Jesus instituted the Holy Eucharist during the Last Supper as a sacramental banquet and a sacrificial offering. As a sacrament, the Holy Eucharist is an outward sign in and through which we meet Jesus who shares his life of grace with us. In this Sacrament of the Eucharist, we do meet Jesus the risen Lord who comes to us under signs of bread and wine to nourish and strengthen us for our journey through life. By the words of consecration, Christ is made present again through the “transubstantiation” of the bread and wine into Christ’s Body and Blood. As a sacramental meal, the Eucharist is a foretaste of the eternal banquet of “the Lamb that was slain” (Revelation 5:12). Eucharistic celebration is a sacrifice because in the Holy Mass the same Jesus Christ who offered himself on Calvary now offers himself on the altar. According to the Council of Trent, the Mass is a true and proper sacrifice which is offered to God. The Calvary sacrifice is re-enacted on the altar in an un-bloody way using signs and symbols. By the words, “*Do this in commemoration of me*” (Luke 22:19; I Corinthians 11:24), Christ made the apostles priests. Moreover, He decreed that they and other priests should offer His Body and Blood. St. Paul told his converts in Corinth, “*Every time, then, you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes*” (1 Corinthians 11:26).

Mass Schedule August 25 — September 2

Saturday 08/25: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time	SA Mass 5:30 p.m. People of the Parish
Sunday 08/26: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. Jerry A. Legg (prayer gift) SA Rosary 10:00 a.m.—Mass 10:30 a.m. Pauline Wyatt (prayer gift)
Monday 08/27:	No Mass
Tuesday 08/28:	OLH Rosary 6:00 p.m.—Mass 6:30 p.m. John Shamblin (prayer gift)
Wednesday 08/29:	OLH Rosary 8:00 a.m.—Mass 8:30 a.m. SA Rosary 6:00 p.m.—Mass 6:30 p.m. †Richard (Rick) Puttine, II
Thursday 08/30:	SA Rosary 8:00 a.m.—Mass 8:30 a.m. †Donald G. McKeny
Friday 08/31:	SA Rosary 8:00 a.m.—Mass 8:30 a.m. Zachariah Kushner (prayer gift)
Saturday 09/01: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	SA First Saturday Devotion 8:30 a.m. Christina Lopez (prayer gift) SA Mass 5:30 p.m. People of the Parish
Sunday 09/02: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. †Holy Souls in Purgatory (prayer gift) SA Rosary 10:00 a.m.—Mass 10:30 a.m. †Anna Ashworth



Safe Environment—The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston is committed to the protection of its children and young people. The Diocese complies with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* by maintaining an Office of Safe Environment. To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact the West Virginia Bureau for Children and Families/Child Protective Services by calling the Child Abuse Hotline at 800.352.6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact one of the Bishop's designees at 888.434.6237 (toll free) or 304.233.0880: Sister Ellen Dunn, ext. 264; Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Msgr. Frederick Annie, ext. 267, or Msgr. Anthony Cincinnati, ext. 270. For more information on the Diocese's Office of Safe Environment, please go to www.dwc.org, click the "Diocese" tab, then click "Office of Safe Environment" under the "Offices" menu. To learn more about the Catholic Church's efforts in preventing sexual abuse of children in the United States, please visit <http://www.usccb.org>. Under "Issues and Action," click "Child and Youth Protection" from the drop down menu.



Dear Clergy, Religious and Laity:

On behalf of The Rt. Reverend Matthew Lynn Riegel, S.T.M., The Rt. Reverend W. Michie Klusmeyer, Most Reverend Michael J. Bransfield and Bishop Sandra Steiner-Ball you are cordially invited to:

The 5th Annual LARCUM Conference (Lutheran, Anglican, Roman Catholic, United Methodist) September 10-12, 2018

The LARCUM conference will be held at the Saint John XXIII Pastoral Center. Registration begins at 1:00 pm on Monday and the conference will end after lunch on Wednesday. The only cost for participants for the entire conference is \$105 per person for double room occupancy (roommate must be listed), \$125 for single room occupancy or \$25 fee for commuter registration. Online registration is available at www.dwc.org/larcum.

This year's conference will focus baptism, confirmation and ordination within each respective judicatory tradition:

"Vows that Matter: Baptism, Confirmation, Ordination"

As in years past, each judicatory has provided a speaker for this conference. Each speaker will present three sessions. There will also be a question/answer session where you will have the opportunity to ask questions of the entire panel. In addition to the dynamic speakers, there will be opportunities to pray, socialize, and collaborate with colleagues and individuals from other denominations.

Prayer List for the Sick & Homebound

St. Anthony—Mary Canterbury, Mary Hanson, David Dodd, Nazira Joseph, Pauline Wyatt, Zachariah Kushner, Christina Lopez, Charles Fonguh, Senaida Garcia, Chris Newman, Michael McCallister

Our Lady of the Hills—Bert Zodorozny, Margaret Hancock, Violet Edwards, Marilyn Spencer, William Spencer, Jim Caroli, Katie Caroli, Jeanne Rollins, Patti Stodola, Steven Spencer, Ann Duley, Jerry A. Legg, John Shamblin

Please call Father Tijo George at 304-280-4990 if you would like a visit and to receive communion.

Stewardship Report—August 18 & 19, 2018

St. Anthony

Offering	\$ 1,512.65
Assumption of Mary	225.00
Other	137.00

Attendance Saturday—45 Sunday—67

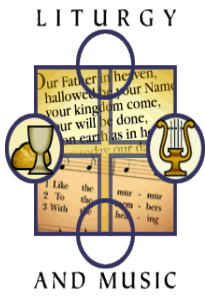
Our Lady of the Hills

Offering	\$ 836.00
Building Fund	90.00
Other	82.00

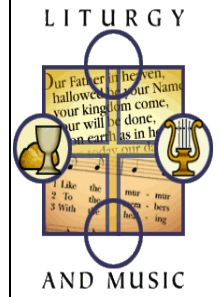
Attendance Sunday—50

Thank you for your generosity!

Music for Liturgy



Entrance	One Spirit, One Church — #419
Gloria	Mass of Renewal — #869
Offertory	God, We Praise You — #204
Communion	Look Beyond — #326
Recessional	O Bless the Lord, My Soul — #533



Lorie's Music Notes

Today is the last Sunday of the Bread of Life Discourse from Chapter 6 of John's gospel. We have sung eucharistic hymns throughout these last six weeks, and today is no exception. Our communion songs reflects the gospel message. We will once again hear Psalm 34 – Taste and see the goodness of the Lord. This psalm of praise and thanksgiving is definitely worth repeating!

Bulletin & Mass announcements—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!!

Minister Schedules

	August 25 & 26, 2018 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time	September 1 & 2, 2018 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
<u>St. Anthony</u>		
5:30 Vigil Mass		
Lector:	D. Hess	Rich Stonestreet
Eucharistic Ministers:	M. Doneghy & D. McDougall	D. Hess & M. Doneghy
Acolytes:	P. Booker & Volunteer	B. Scarpelli & Volunteer
Ushers:	A. Michaelson & Volunteer	A. Michaelson & Volunteer
10:30 Mass		
Lector:	P. Franklin	B. Ashworth
Eucharistic Ministers:	J. Bowles & C. Newman	M. Wuletich & J. Polak
Acolytes:	M. Hamilton & E. Carroll	J. Bowles & Volunteer
Ushers:	J. Ashworth & R. Carroll	R. Carroll & R. Swecker
Counters:	S. Kawash & S. Bossie-Maddox	J. Polak & N. Swecker
Cleaning:	<i>August 26—September 1, 2018</i> D. Hess & W. Leach	<i>September 2—8, 2018</i> C. & C. Hansbarger & K. Scalise
<u>Our Lady of the Hills</u>		
Servers:	Rebecca & Taylor	Catherine & Matthew
1st Reader:	Catherine	Zoe
2nd Reader:	G. Kozera	T. Stodola
Intercessions:	J. Shamblin	C. Stodola
Ushers/Greeters:	H. Sweeney & J. Gagnon	R. Mogielski & J. Akers
Gifts:	Gagnons	Mogielskis
Eucharistic Ministers:	J. Felber, L. Kozera & T. Stodola	B. Starling, M. Azevedo & C. Lothes
Counters:	J. Felber & C. Stodola	E. Mogielski & J. Jarvis
Hosts:	F. Nottingham & K. Ware	B. & C. Crede



Carlos Eugene "Gene" O'Dell, a former St. Anthony parishioner, passed away on Tuesday, August 14, 2018. A Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Anthony on Friday, August 24, 2018 at 11:30 a.m. Please pray for Gene and his family. May he rest in peace.

Saint Anthony Pastoral Council

The Saint Anthony Pastoral Council will meet **Sunday, August 26, 2018** immediately after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Faith Formation Registration

The 2018-2019 Faith Formation year for both parishes will begin on **Catechetical Sunday—September 16, 2018.**

St. Anthony: To register your children for St. Anthony, please contact the office at 304-342-2716. Classes will be held on Sunday mornings from 9:15 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Our Lady of the Hills: To register your children/grandchildren for Our Lady of the Hills, please contact DRE Tina Stodola or call the office at 304-342-2716. Classes are held immediately after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Are you interested in becoming a Catholic? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (**RCIA**) is the process through which non-baptized adults are prepared to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and the Holy Eucharist at the Easter Vigil. In addition, RCIA welcomes adults who are already baptized but not Catholic and prepares those adults to be received into full communion of the Catholic Church, and it also helps those adults baptized Catholic, but who have not received First Communion and/or Confirmation, to complete their sacramental initiation. For more information about RCIA and the Catholic faith, please call Father Tijo at 304-280-4990 or email him at tgeorge@dwc.org.

August 4: Feast of St. Augustine of Hippo

St. Augustine of Hippo is the patron of brewers because of his conversion from a former life of loose living, which included parties, entertainment, and worldly ambitions. His complete turnaround and conversion has been an inspiration to many who struggle with a particular vice or habit they long to break.

This famous son of St. Monica was born in Africa and spent many years of his life in wicked living and in false beliefs. Though he was one of the most intelligent men who ever lived and though he had been brought up a Christian, his sins of impurity and his pride darkened his mind so much, that he could not see or understand the Divine Truth anymore. Through the prayers of his holy mother and the marvelous preaching of St. Ambrose, Augustine finally became convinced that Christianity was the one true religion. Yet he did not become a Christian then, because he thought he could never live a pure life. One day, however, he heard about two men who had suddenly been converted on reading the life of St. Anthony, and he felt terrible ashamed of himself. "What are we doing?" he cried to his friend Alipius. "Unlearned people are taking Heaven by force, while we, with all our knowledge, are so cowardly that we keep rolling around in the mud of our sins!"

Full of bitter sorrow, Augustine flung himself out into the garden and cried out to God, "How long more, O Lord? Why does not this hour put an end to my sins?" Just then he heard a child singing, "Take up and read!" Thinking that God intended him to hear those words, he picked up the book of the Letters of St. Paul, and read the first passage his gaze fell on. It was just what Augustine needed, for in it, St. Paul says to put away all impurity and to live in imitation of Jesus. That did it! From then on, Augustine began a new life.

He was baptized, became a priest, a bishop, a famous Catholic writer, Founder of religious orders, and one of the greatest saints that ever lived. He became very devout and charitable, too. On the wall of his room he had the following sentence written in large letters: "Here we do not speak evil of anyone." St. Augustine overcame strong heresies, practiced great poverty and supported the poor, preached very often and prayed with great fervor right up until his death. "Too late have I loved You!" he once cried to God, but with his holy life he certainly made up for the sins he committed before his conversion. His feast day is August 28th.