

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

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The Baptism of the Lord

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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 p.m.—5:15 p.m. Our Lady of the Hills: Tuesday 6:00 p.m.—6:15 p.m.



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**And a voice
came down
from heaven,
“You are my
beloved Son;
with you,
I am well
pleased.”**

Mass Schedule January 8—16

Saturday 01/08: <small>The Baptism of the Lord</small>	SA Mass 5:30 p.m. † Theresa Withrow (J. & B. Withrow)
Sunday 01/09: <small>The Baptism of the Lord</small>	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. People of the Parish SA Mass 10:30 a.m. People of the Parish
Monday 01/10:	No Mass
Tuesday 01/11:	OLH Mass 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday 01/12:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m.
Thursday 01/13:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m.
Friday 01/14:	SA Mass 9:00 a.m.
Saturday 01/15: <small>2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</small>	SA Mass 5:30 p.m. People of the Parish
Sunday 01/16: <small>2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</small>	OLH Mass 8:30 a.m. People of the Parish SA Mass 10:30 a.m. † Ameila Nogoda Gould (St. Anthony Benefactor)

Stewardship Report for January 1, 2 & 3, 2022

St. Anthony

Offertory	\$ 1,747.00
Christmas	1,000.00
Catholic Charities West Virginia	20.00

Attendance Saturday—0 Sunday—62

Our Lady of the Hills

Offertory	\$ 705.13
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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.

Prayer List for the Sick & Homebound

St. Anthony—Mary Hanson, David Dodd, Nazira Joseph, Zachariah Kushner, Christina Lopez, Michael McCallister, Robin Holly, Michael Bee, William Ashworth, Rosemary Clark, Mark Scarpelli

Our Lady of the Hills—Bert Zodorozny, Violet Edwards, William Spencer, Katie Caroli, Jeanne Rollins, Steven Spencer, Doug Rollins, Vickie Ayooob, Hannah Killough

Please call Father Thomas Kalapurackal at 304-342-2716, ext. 406 if you would like a visit and to receive communion or a home blessing.



TOGETHER IN HOLINESS™
FORMATION SERIES

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.

Also available for Spanish-speaking couples through captioned videos and translated materials

thformation.forlifeandfamily.org



St. Anne's Outreach Center Our Lady of the Hills



Serving families and young expecting single mothers in Big Chimney, Clay, Clendenin, Elkview and Pinch areas.

Children—newborn to 4 yrs.

Thursday: 8:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Visit us or call 304-965-7670

As of December 31, 2021, St. Anne's has served 4 children this year.

Balance as of 12/31/20	\$ 4,285.98
Contributions Received	1,435.00
Less: Expenses	(972.86)
Balance as of 12/31/21	\$ 4,748.12

Thank you for your generosity!

Music for Liturgy



Entrance:	When Jesus Comes to Be Baptized — #111
Gloria:	Mass of Healing — handout
Offertory:	A Voice Cries Out — #45
Communion:	Come to the Water — #617
Recessional:	River of Glory — #650



Bulletin & Mass Announcements—The deadline this week for bulletin announcements is Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. and for Mass announcements is Friday at 9:00 a.m. Thank you!

OLH Synod Discussions

OLH will begin its weekly synod discussions this morning after Mass. There will be weekly listening sessions until the topics are completed. Each listening session will last approximately one hour.

SA Collecting Personal Care Items

We will continue collecting items to help the less fortunate in our community. There are donation baskets labeled at the back of the church.

2021 Tax Contribution Statements—To save money on postage, paper and ink for our parishes, your 2021 tax contribution statements will not be automatically mailed to you. **Please contact Michele at the office (email: secretary@stanthonywv.com or phone: 304-342-2716) after Thursday, January 13, 2022** if you would like to receive a copy of your tax contribution statement. **If you have any receipts for items purchased for your parish to be added to your statement, please submit them no later than Friday, January 21, 2022. Thank you!**

March for Life: Washington, D.C.—The annual March for Life in Washington, D.C. will be at noon on Friday, January 21, 2022. A chartered bus will leave the parking lot near Sears in the Morgantown Mall on the evening of January 20th and will return the evening of the 21st. The group will meet with the WV Congressional delegation. The march is at noon on Friday at the Ellipse. Those traveling on their own can attend the initial vigil Mass on Thursday and all-night vigil at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington and the closing Mass on Friday morning. If you wish to carpool to Morgantown for the bus, please call Stan Wyatt at 304-346-8135.



January Birthdays

- 1 August Green
- 5 Tobin Arnold
- 5 Jacob Swecker
- 7 Eric Carroll
- 11 Natalie D'Alessio
- 11 Agnes Michaelson
- 11 Betty Spradling
- 12 Maya Clark
- 13 Kayla Jusko
- 15 Pat Lanna
- 15 Emma Ware
- 15 Brenda Withrow
- 17 Dan Lanham
- 18 Ellen Asbury
- 20 Barbara Ferrell
- 20 Jameson Garton
- 22 Joyce Sweeney
- 24 Mary Ellen O'Farrell
- 25 Mary Arnold
- 27 Brenda Cavendish
- 30 Melissa Tyler

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

Thank you!

Minister Schedule

	January 1 & 2, 2021 The Epiphany of the Lord	January 8 & 9, 2021 The Baptism of the Lord
<u>St. Anthony</u> 5:30 Vigil Mass		
Lector:	R. Stonestreet	M. Doneghy
Acolytes:	Volunteers	Volunteers
Ushers:	Volunteers	Volunteers
10:30 Mass		
Lector:	S. Kawash	M. Tyler
Acolytes:	M. Burdette & E. Carroll	C. Vaughn & M. Isabella
Ushers:	R. Swecker & R. Carroll	R. Carroll & J. Ashworth
Counters:	N. Swecker & S. Kawash	C. Joseph & J. Burdette
Cleaning:	<i>January 3—9, 2022</i> S. Spencer & D. Hess	<i>January 10—16, 2022</i> N. & R. Swecker
<u>Our Lady of the Hills</u>		
Lector:	E. Asbury	G. Kozera
Eucharistic Minister:	J. Felber	L. Kozera

CATHOLIC BELIEFS—A six-week course is being offered through the University of Dayton's Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation (VLCFF). This is a LIVE course which is being held at Ascension Parish in Hurricane, WV, on six consecutive Wednesdays from January 12 through February 16, 2022, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. The course is CATHOLIC BELIEFS. This course will enable the student to appreciate the function of doctrine and the process of theology through which doctrines develop in the Roman Catholic Tradition. In addition, students will develop the skills to articulate personal beliefs, explain the role and function of faith in theology, and describe the role of the catechist in passing on the tradition. The course is being underwritten by the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston's Office of Evangelization & Catechesis, who pays 100% of the tuition and the cost of the book associated with the course. The course facilitator is Gerri Wright. To register, please contact Jeanne McKeets at jmckeets@dwc.org with your name, address, email address, and phone number. Please refer any questions relating to the course content to Gerri Wright at gwright@dwc.org.

University of Dayton's VLCFF—Three five-week courses are being offered through the University of Dayton's Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation (VLCFF). These courses are hybrid models. They are composed of both weekly live two-hour zoom lectures as well as a rich variety of online course materials and discussion experiences through the University of Dayton's Virtual Learning Community For Faith Formation (VLCFF). The courses are being underwritten by the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston's Office of Evangelization & Catechesis, who pays 100% of the tuition and the cost of the books associated with the courses. The course instructor is Dr. Rodica Stoicoiu. For further information or to register, please contact Jeanne McKeets at jmckeets@dwc.org with your name, address, and phone number.

First Course: The New Testament Cycle 1 Jan 17-Feb 20 (registration open now). This course explores the stories in and behind the writings we call the New Testament. The course is a general overview introducing the student to the cultural context, composition, themes, and pastoral application of the New Testament accounts for growing in Biblical knowledge. We will study the texts from the threefold perspective of the World within the Text: Literature, The World behind the Text: History, and the World in Front of the Text: Our Culture. Through the study of Biblical maps, articles and religious art present on authoritative websites, our text and class discussions students can grow in New Testament knowledge, understanding and application to their life and ministry.

Introduction to Prayer Cycle 2 Mar 7-Apr 9 (registration opens Jan 19). "Prayer is our means of taking a sighting, of re-orienting ourselves – by re-establishing contact with our goal. In the presence of God many components of our life fall into perspective and our journey makes more sense. Prayer is inseparable from living." (Casey, p.5). This course explores prayer as essential to our lives as Christian people, as individuals, and within our community of faith. Through this course, students will explore the qualities, forms, and expressions of prayer that help to form and sustain our lives as Catholic Christians.

TEC stands for Teens Encounter Christ. TEC is an international, spiritual-renewal movement in the Catholic Church that strives to bring young people and adults into a close, personal relationship with Jesus Christ. The next TEC retreat that will take place in the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston will be held from Friday, January 14th to Monday, January 17th, at the St. John XXIII Pastoral Center in Charleston, West Virginia. It will be free for all teens who are in their junior year of high school through first year of college.

You can register on the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston website, at <https://dwc.org/diocese/ministries/youth-and-young-adult-ministry/youth-ministry/tec/>, or you can contact Jeanne McKeets at the Office of Evangelization and Catechesis to register: 304-233-0880, ext. 374 or jmckeets@dwc.org.

Prayer to SAINT JOSEPH

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage, and defend us from every evil.
Amen.



Women's Retreat Embraced with Compassion... Embracing the World.

Please join us for our annual Women's Retreat, co-Sponsored with the DWC Office of Evangelization & Catechesis, February 25-27, 2022, at St. John XXIII Pastoral Center in Charleston. Presented by Sr. Mary Dean Pfahler. The weekend will consist of presentations, quiet reflection, small group break-out sessions, media resources, and communal prayer. For more information contact Gerri Wright by phone at 304-552-3662 or email gerwright1@aol.com. You can register online at www.dwc.org/2022-Womens-retreat. \$150 per person single occupancy or \$125 per person double occupancy.