

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

† **Sunday, October 5: Social Sunday** at both Parishes. **AOOL is having a Breakfast/Brunch.** Don't forget to bring your favorite dish. Fr. Dan will have the **blessing of the animals** in honor of St. Frances of Assisi, SA-after Mass, AOOL at 2:00 PM



† **Tuesday, 7th:** Fr. Dan continues the 8 week class on **"Oremus: A Guide to Catholic Prayer"**, at AOOL at 2:00 PM. Join us!

† **Wednesday, October 8th:** K of C Business Mtg. at 7 PM at AOOL

† **Thursday, October 9th :** SA Craft Day , 10 AM - 1 PM. Reconciliation at SA at 6:00 PM before 6:30 PM Mass

† **Saturday, October 11th:** Reconciliation at AOOL at 4:00 PM before 4:30 PM Mass

† **Sunday, October 12th:** SA will pray the Rosary for the Unborn before 11 AM Mass.



In loving memory of Edgar & Helen Harris, with love from Fr. Dan.

## HELPING HAND



**HELP NEEDED...** The entire month of October & November, every week, AOOL will be collecting non-perishable food items to fill boxes and distribute to those in need the week before Thanksgiving. Contributions may be placed in the social hall. This will be the only food collected for these boxes.

Thank you for your generosity and helping to help those in need.

**Needed:** Instant mashed potatoes or Scalloped potatoes  
Canned vegetables (corn, green beans)  
Chicken or Turkey Broth Stuffing Mix  
Corn Muffin Mix Candied Yams  
Small Marshmallows Dessert or Cookie mix



St. Anthony's Craft Day for this month has been moved to 10/09/25 from 10 AM-1 PM.



## REMINDER

**TUESDAY, October 7th -** Join Fr. Dan as he continues showing "Oremus: A Guide to Catholic Prayer" video at 2:00 PM in the social hall at AOOL.

*Just Give it to GOD*



## Ladies October Brunch

OPEN TO ALL WOMEN

**October 18th at 11:30 AM**  
New Orient Buffet & Grill

1230 National Hwy, LaVale, MD 21502

Come for great food and fellowship

**Sanctuary Studios - Now open** every 1st Saturday of each month and will continue until Nov. 22nd when Hilmar Gottesthal will give an artist talk at 2 PM. Located just five miles off I-68 at exit 62. The GPS address is 13910 Scofield Road.

**BLOCK PARTY**  
OCTOBER 12th, 1:00 PM-5:00 PM  
1st Baptist Church  
58 N Old Mill Rd, Fort Ashby, WV 26719  
Games, Bouncy House, Food, Drinks & Fun

Join us for a **MAGIC SHOW**  
Saturday, October 18th at 7:00 P.M. at AOOL  
A free will offering will be accepted to help with the continued funding efforts to replace the windows in the Rectory. There will be refreshments for purchase at intermission. Hope to see you there!



**Women's Ministry Group Meeting at AOOL**  
Sunday, October 19th after Mass. Everyone is welcome to attend. We will watch a video by Fr. Mike Schmidt and do a craft that Patti Henry has offered to share with the group.



The Catholic Parishes of

## ANNUNCIATION of OUR LORD & SAINT ANTHONY

October 5, 2025

*Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*The word of the Lord remains forever. This is the word that has been proclaimed to you.*

*1 Peter 1:25*

**MUSTARD SEED FAITH**  
LUKE 17:1-10

**PROVERBS 3:5-6**

Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths.



## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 4:00-4:15 PM (AOOL)  
Thursdays 6:00-6:15 PM (SA)  
or by appointment



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursdays 5:30 PM (SA)  
1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month  
5 PM - 7 PM (AOOL)

**Pastor:** Rev. Daniel Price  
**Email:** dprice@dwc.org  
**K of C #15610 Grand Knight:** Brian Crist  
**Directors of Religious Education**  
Michele Schultz (St. Anthony)  
Matt Sisk (Annunciation)  
**Sacristan (SA):** Fran McFarland  
**Sacristan (AOOL):** Mike Weaver/Volunteers  
**Organist (SA):** Becky Wolfe  
**Organist (AOOL):**  
**Nursing Home Coordinator:** Linda Ward  
**OCIA Coordinator (AOOL):** Armando Herrera

**E-mail:** [annunciationchurch@atlanticbbn.net](mailto:annunciationchurch@atlanticbbn.net)  
**Website:** [aolsa.org](http://aolsa.org)  
[www.facebook.com/groups/147125069949301](http://www.facebook.com/groups/147125069949301)  
**Office Hours Monday-Thursday 8 AM - 1 PM**  
Tammy Collett, Parish Secretary  
Kathy Brockett, Bookkeeper/Secretary  
**Physical Address:** 8871 Frankfort Hwy.  
AOOL - Fort Ashby, WV 26719  
SA - 176 Main St., Ridgeley, WV 26753  
**Mailing Address (both parishes):**  
P.O. Box 1560, Fort Ashby, WV 26719-1560  
**Phone:** (304) 298-3392 **Fax:** (304) 298-3419

**Devotional Prayers (25 minutes prior to Sunday Mass times):**

Divine Chaplet - Every First Sunday of the Month

Holy Rosary - On the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays of the Month

To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact a local law enforcement agency, or confidentially contact WV Child Protective Services at 800.352.6513. In addition to civil authorities, report suspected cases of sexual abuse by Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston personnel to the Diocese, at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880. Visit [www.dwc.org](http://www.dwc.org) under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods.

## Schedule of Masses

Saturday, October 4 <i>St. Francis of Assisi</i>	9:00 AM (SA)	Janet Jack Req. by St. Anthony's Guild
<i>Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)</i>	4:30 PM (AOOL)	Charles H. Price II † Req. by Fr. Daniel Price
Sunday, October 5 <i>Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Respect Life Sunday</i>	9:00 AM (AOOL)	Richard Rossell † Req. by Patti & Roger Henry
	11:00 AM (SA)	For the People
Tuesday, October 7 <i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i>	12:00 (N) (SA)	For Our Seminarians Req. by St. Anthony's Guild
Wednesday, October 8	8:00 AM (AOOL)	Mary Susan Resser † Req. by People of the Parish
Thursday, October 9 <i>St. Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs; St. John Leonardi, Priest</i>	6:30 PM (SA)	Burr & Dorothy Whipple † Req. by Fr. Dan Price
Friday, October 10	8:00 AM (AOOL)	Mike Miltenberger & Chris Bradshaw <i>(Birthdays)</i> Req. by Steve & Jean Bradshaw
Saturday, October 11 <i>St. John XXIII, Pope, BVM</i>	9:00 AM (SA)	No Mass
<i>Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)</i>	4:30 PM (AOOL)	For the People
Sunday, October 12 <i>Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9:00 AM (AOOL)	Tara Henry Welling <i>(Healing)</i> Req. by Patti & Roger Henry
	11:00 AM (SA)	Edward L. Malomphy † Req. by Cumberland Historical Cemetery Organization

## Weekly Readings

**Monday:** Jon 1:1—2:2, 11 / Lk 10:25-37  
**Tuesday:** Jon 3:1-10 / Lk 10:38-42  
**Wednesday:** Jon 4:1-11 / Lk 11:1-4  
**Thursday:** Mal 3:13-20b / Lk 11:5-13  
**Friday:** Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2 / Lk 11:15-26  
**Saturday:** Jl 4:12-21 / Lk 11:27-28  
**Sunday:** 2 Kgs 5:14-17 / 2 Tm 2:8-13 / Lk 17:11-19

## Weekly Collections Sept. 27 & Sept. 28, 2025

**Attendance AOOL: 51 / 91**    **Weekly: \$ 2,287.00**    **Poor Box: \$ 79.00**  
**Catholic Univ.: \$ 760.00**    **Debt. Red.: \$ 35.00**    **Candles: \$ 52.00**  
**Attendance SA: 55**    **Weekly: \$ 668.00**    **Catholic Univ.: \$ 223.00**    **Poor Box: \$ 130.00**



## Ministry Schedule

### Annunciation:

**Sat., Oct. 11, 4:30 PM**

Lector: Jackie Beverlin

E.M.: Joe Hughes,

Pat Penrod,

Jane Adams

Ushers: Justin Smith,

Steve Penrod

Server: Volunteer

Cantor: Daryl Wolfe

**Sun., Oct. 12, 9:00 AM**

Lector: Sue Long

E.M.: Sue Pyles,

Brian Crist,

Margie Grogg

Ushers: Roger Lantz,

Bob Grabenstein

Server: Patti Henry

Cantor: Daryl Wolfe

Counters: Patti Henry &

Patricia Folk

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### St. Anthony's:

**Sun., Oct. 12, 11:00 AM**

Greeter: Anna Kirk

Lector: Jean Dorsey

E.M.: Michele Schultz,

Jim Howard,

Dianna Howard

Ushers: Fred Wolfe,

Wayne Houdersheldt

Servers: Volunteers

Cantor: Rosemary Lehman

**Eucharistic Adoration at**

**AOOL on Tuesday, Oct. 7th,**

**from 5 PM to 7 PM.**

## From the Desk of Fr. Dan

Hello everyone. Hope you had a good week. Welcome to October. It should be a spooktacular month for us. A couple of reminders for the upcoming week: This Sunday, the 5th, at both churches, we will have the  **blessing of the animals** . At St. Anthony, it will be after Social Sunday, around 12:30 PM. At Annunciation, it will be at 2:00 PM. Bring your little kitty cats and your poochie dogs for a blessing. If you can manage to bring any of your other animals, that's okay, I want it to be an equal opportunity for all animals.

On Tuesday, the 7th, we will have Adoration at Annunciation from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM. I know there has been some consternation in getting this information out to you, but *it is in the bulletin every week on the front page*. We will announce it as well. We will also have a special Adoration at St. Anthony's on Tuesday the 7th at 11:00 AM to include the normal Rosary for the Unborn. The diocese wants the parishes to have a Pro-Life Rosary within Adoration during the first full week of October, the month dedicated to Mary, and also a month to promote life.

This past Tuesday, I was at a Vicariate (regional) meeting at Priestfield Retreat Center in Kearneysville, in Jefferson County. A couple of things of note to be aware of. Our software that keeps track of parish records (ParishSoft) has been replaced, as of October 1st, by *Flocknote*. You may have heard of it as a mass email platform. Flocknote has branched out into a full-blown parish recordkeeping software program. The diocese decided to adopt this and replace ParishSoft. It is not without its glitches, as expected with a new platform. We are not fully versed in it yet, so there is a massive learning curve for all of us in the office. Please be patient with us as we learn it and utilize it in our daily recordkeeping for both parishes. As with anything, it will take us some time to learn it and the bugs will need to be exterminated, but we will be working on it in conjunction with the diocese and Flocknote. Again, please be patient.

It was also brought up at the meeting that with the ever-increasing use of AI, there has been an increase in scam emails which appear to come from legitimate sources. So, for us on a parish and diocesan level, there have been parishioners who have received emails that appear to come from their pastors and/or parish staff. Please note, this has not happened here, that I know of. Be very careful with any email you receive from us on this level. Please use caution and feel free to call the office if in doubt to verify that what was sent was a legitimate email from us. These emails look very real, but some may not be so real. Just so you know I will not be asking for money from you to bail me out of prison in Africa or that I need money to get back to the United States from overseas. Believe me, I am not a traveler whatsoever and I would never ask any of you for money for personal gain or personal use. This is just one example I have heard over the years. If it smells fishy, it probably is. If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is, so please call the office if you have any concerns.

I want to pass on a joke one of our parishioners passed on to me the I thought was funny. A pastor was giving a homily at a children's Mass, and he was talking about priest vestments and clothes. He asked the kids why they thought the priest wears a collar? One child chimed in with confidence and said, "because it kills fleas and ticks up to 30 days."

Okay, that's good for now, have a wonderful week.

**Please Pray for:** Laura Beth Amtower, Dena & Jason Albright, Walter & Jennifer Aumuller, Grayson Bishop, Nathan Blubaugh, Barbara & Greg Bonat, Charlie & Debbie Boone, Kara Breedlove, Darlene Bridges, Mary Kay Britt, Vicky Brown, Cathy Case, Bob & Carla Clark, Donnie Clark, Julia Codire, Marsha Combs, Melissa Dahlheimer, Robert Dayton, Nick Dearcangelis, Vera Demeduk, Richard Delaney, Robert Deremer, Karen Dodrill, Amy Driver, Logan Duncan, Jenny Emerick, John & Eileen Engel, Jan Evans, Father Bob, Jamie Fazzalore, Lily Fletcher, Patricia Folk, Leia Gallen, Aaron Glinke, Dawn Green, Dale & Tina Hankinson, Roy Harsh, Lucy Haywood, Krista Howard-Clarke, Janet Jack, Marc Jedlowski, Kenneth Jenkins, Lisa Jones, Wanda Kirk, Michael Knotts, Stacy Kobe, Liz Lantz, Ernest Lease, Bob Lewis, Audrey Liller, Annie Light, Ed Lindner, Luke Lindner, Ty Linthicum, Catherine & Kierstin Lippold, Galen Markley, Jim Martin, Janice McBride, Lilly McCormick, Greyson McCullough, Marty Medovic, Maddox Mervinsky, Joey & Heather Miltenberger, Mike Miltenberger, Adrienne Monroe, Hogan Moody, Steve Morgan, Wally Mowry, Robin Patch, Colleen Patton, Marilyn Paul, Steve Pelaez, Heather Peters, Bonnie Price, Mary Lou Quin, Kira Robey, Bertha Romine, Malea Rugg, Cody & Jenny Saville, Debbie Seward, Shank Family, Shawnee Simmons, Luke Sites, Destinee Smith, Barry Steed, Harper Struntz, Donna Struntz, Lu & Lois Thibault, Jimmy Twigg, Linda & Ronnie Ward, Adam Watts, Carl Welch, Mark Wilbourne, Joe & Dolly Wolfe, Judy Wolfe and Family, Bob Wolford, Harlow Wooton