

Schedule of Masses		
Saturday, May 11	9:00 AM (SA)	No Mass
<i>The Ascension of the Lord (Vigil)</i>	4:30 PM (AOOL)	Robin Hughes † Req. by Joe Hughes
Sunday, May 12	9:00 AM (AOOL)	Kathleen Brinkman † <i>(5th Heavenly Birthday)</i> Req. by Debbie & Dave Abe
<i>The Ascension of the Lord</i> <i>Mother's Day</i> <i>World Day for Social Communications</i>	11:00 AM (SA)	For the People
Tuesday, May 14	12:00 (N) (SA)	Angie Weimer Req. by Judy Wolfe
<i>St. Matthias, Apostle</i>		
Wednesday, May 15	8:00 AM (AOOL)	Nancy McGann Req. by Kathy Brockett
<i>St. Isidore</i>		
Thursday, May 16	6:30 PM (SA)	Betty Lou Jones Req. by Lisa Jones
Friday, May 17	8:00 AM	Tina Cook Req. by People of the Parish
Saturday, May 18	9:00 AM (SA)	No Mass
<i>St. John I, Pope and Martyr</i> <i>Pentecost Sunday (Vigil)</i>	4:30 PM (AOOL)	Rachael W. (healing) Req. by Linda & Chuck Ebeling
Sunday, May 19	9:00 AM (AOOL)	For the People
Pentecost Sunday	11:00 AM (SA)	Paige Sharp Req. by Judy Wolfe



Weekly Readings



Monday: Acts 19:1-8 / Jn 16:29-33 **Tuesday:** Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 / Jn 15:9-17
Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38 / Jn 17:11b-19 **Thursday:** Acts 22:30; 23:6-11 / Jn 17:20-26
Friday: Acts 25:13b-21 / Jn 21:15-19 **Saturday:** Gn 11:1-9 / Rom 8:22-27 / Jn 7:37-39
Sunday: Acts 2:1-11/ 1Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 / Jn 15:26-27; 16-12-15



Never stop doing little things for others. Sometimes those little things occupy the biggest part of their hearts.

Author: Unknown



Weekly Collections (May 5, 2024)			
Attendance - Annunciation: 42 / 127	Weekly: \$ 3,036.00	Poor Box: \$ 113.00	
	Debt. Red. \$ 1,838.00	Candles: \$22.00	
St. Anthony: 47	Weekly: \$ 751.00	Building Fund: \$ 353.00	Candles: \$ 20.00



Ministry Schedule

Annunciation:
Sat. May 18, 4:30 PM
Lector: Mark Seward
EM: Joe Hughes,
Christy Kegg,
Pat Penrod
Ushers: Steve Penrod,
Joe Hughes
Servers: Volunteer
Cantor: Phil Douthitt

Sun May 19, 9:00 AM
Lector: Morgan Notel
EM: Sue Long,
Brian Crist,
John Liller
Ushers: Tony Liller,
Chris Liller
Servers: Lillian, Amelia &
Fredricka
Counters: Tony Liller,
Chris Liller
Cantor: Phil Douthitt

St. Anthony's:
Sun. May 19, 11:00 AM
Greeter: Anna Kirk
Lector: Debbie Boone
E.M: Jim Howard,
Tanner Robey,
Peggy Brakeall
Ushers: Sly Logsdon,
Wayne Houdersheldt
Servers: Volunteer
Cantor: Rosemary Lehman

Thanks to all Moms, near, far, deceased and living, for giving us life and unconditional love. We love you!



Please Pray for: Pam Adams, Dena Albright, Alex Balice, Paul & Barb Biser, Grayson Bishop, Nathan Blubaugh, Stanley & Dora Boinovich, CeCe Bogard, Darlene Bridges, Cathy Case, Carla Clark, Julia Codire, Tina Cook, Robert Dayton, Nick Dearcangelis, Richard Delaney, Logan Duncan, Chuck Ebeling, Jenny Emerick, Father Bob, Jamie Fazzalore, Lily Fletcher, Patricia Folk, Aaron Glinke, Dawn Green, Dale Hankinson, Roy Harsh, Kathy Hayes, Lucy Haywood, Jim Hymes, Janet Jack, Marc Jedlowski, Kenneth Jenkins, Wanda Kirk, Doris Klipstein, Michael Knotts, Sami Knotts, Margritt Kramms, Stacy Kobe, Ernest Lease, Bob Lewis, Audrey Liller, Ed Lindner, Ty Linthicum, Catherine & Kierstin Lippold, Doug Long, Bob Maiers, Galen Markley, Jim Martin, Janice McBride, Tom McCoy, Greyson McCullough, Marty Medovic, Maddox Mervinsky, Jean Miller, Joey & Heather Miltenberger, Adrienne Monroe, Steve Morgan, Morris Neppi, Dottie Nattolly, Jim Patterson, Colleen Patton, Steve Pelaez, George Perry, Heather Peters, Robin Puffinburger, Mary Susan Resser, Jude and Hunter Rice, Jeanie Rigney, Jacob Robey, Kira Robey, Bertha Romine, Malea Rugg, Cody & Jenny Saville, Debbie Seward, Samantha Shank, Dorothy Sheldon, Shawnee Simmons, Destinee Smith, Barry Steed, Harper Struntz, Donna Struntz, Lu Thibault, Adam Watts, Carl Welch, Mark Wilbourne, Joe Wolfe, Judy Wolfe and Family, Bob Wolford, Donnie Wolford, Mary Margaret Wollan, Harlow Wooton

From the Desk of Fr. Dan

“Everybody all around the world [or Mineral and Hampshire County, at least], gotta tell you what I just heard. There’s gonna be a party all over the world. I gotta a message on the radio, but where it came from, I don’t really know, and I heard these voices calling all over the world.”

Yep, I gotta message for you. Yes, we can have a party, but I can only control what goes on here, not all over the world. I'm not that coordinated to handle that, just so you know. The message I got is that I am very pleased with last Sunday's First Communion. I think it went well, and the crowd!! Yea buddy, that's what I like to see. I'd like to see that every week. Congratulations to Harlow, Noriah, Lillian, and Owen! Special thanks to Jenn Tupa for a fantastic job guiding our communicants; she is very much appreciated. With that, I'd like to thank all of our CCD/RE/RCIA teachers for the great job they did for us at both locations. All of you deserve a pat on the back and a round of applause. Please stand up to accept the adulation you deserve. With that, we also need to recognize the hard work of our DREs - Tammy Robey and Kiersten von Hagel - take a bow.

I also want to thank our Knights of Columbus for the Cinco de Mayo events they put on at both parishes; the food was *excelente*! We even had some Latin music to add to the ambience. Maybe next year we can get a Mariachi band to play. We need sombreros and a piñata; the kids would love that! If we can't get a mariachi band, then maybe we can play some music from Marc Antony, Enrique Iglesias, Daddy Yankee, Luis Fonsi, Gente D' Zona, Shakira, etc. That would liven up the place for sure! It will *definitivamente haganos bailar* (definitely make us dance).

This weekend we celebrate the Ascension of the Lord, whereby he ascends into heaven 40 days after rising from the grave. Technically, it was this past Thursday, May 9, but most dioceses in the US, in their infinite wisdom, have decided it is better to celebrate it on the following weekend. The ascension of Christ into heaven celebrates his exaltation to the throne of heaven as our eternal king, sitting at the right hand of the Father. On earth he was the model servant, but in heaven we know him as our ruler and Lord of all. He completed his work on earth and now we await his eventual return descending on the clouds of heaven.


Looking ahead a bit, the next few weekends we celebrate major feasts of the Church. Next weekend we celebrate Pentecost, then The Holy Trinity and the first weekend in June we celebrate the Body and Blood of Christ. On that Sunday, the times for Mass will be slightly different to accommodate those going to the ballgame, including me. Saturday will stay the same, of course. Sunday at Annunciation, Mass will be at 8:00 AM while at St. Anthony it will be 10:00 AM. Don't panic!! This is only for that weekend, don't tar and feather me. Okay? Please.

Something to ponder: A baby's laughter is one of the most beautiful sounds you will ever hear. Unless it's 3:00 AM, and you're home alone, and you don't have a baby.

Have a great week. TTFN.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



† Sunday, May 12th: Happy Mother's Day - The Ascension of the Lord	† Connie Milligan from Bishop Walsh will be speaking at both Churches at the end of Mass.
† Saturday, May 18th: Armed Forces Day	† Monday, May 20th: CEOS Mtg. AOOL Social Hall Reserved 11:30 AM—2:00 PM
† Sunday, May 19th: AOOL Religious Education students/families ICE CREAM Party after Mass— SA Guild meeting after Mass —	† Wednesday, May 22nd: Family Covered Dish Social. Everyone is invited!

 **National Eucharistic Pilgrimage** Jesus Is Calling Us Deeper. *He promises to restore and renew His people.* National Eucharistic Pilgrimage May 17, 2024 - July 16, 2024. The National Eucharistic Pilgrimage will express Christ's desire to draw close to each one of us and, like Zacchaeus, many who encounter Christ by the roadside will be converted. An outpouring of healing grace will remind our world that the same Jesus who gave sight to the blind and life to the dead is active today in our midst!

Mineral County Energy Express

Sponsor-A-Child

Needed - community donations to help children with books, supplies and more. Each child receives a nutritional breakfast and lunch at no expense to the families. If you'd like to donate or volunteer, please call MCFRN 304-788-9099 for more information. Thank you for making a difference in the life of a child and helping us to continue to offer this free program! Energy Express, c/o Mineral Co. Family Resource Network 251 1/2 W. Piedmont St., Keyser, WV 26726

 It's an opportunity to have a fun time with your camera/cell phone on **May 18th** by signing up for the "Art of Photography Workshop" held at **Sanctuary Studios from 9:30 to 4:30** by award winning fine arts photographer Penny Knobel-Besa. It starts even before you come as when you register (which I suggest soon!) I then send you a Scavenger Hunt Photo List of 20 items. You are challenged to take creative photos, most can be found in your house. You bring the photos to the workshop for a show and tell, which is followed by a slide show of tips for even better photos, handouts of sample model releases, info on copyrights and other material. A mini field trip around the studio area ends with a model shoot where each photographer will have the opportunity to pose the model using props and in various gowns, dresses, hats, etc. with backdrop and lights. Fee: \$85, lunch is included along with morning pastry. Register by sending a check to Penny Knobel-Besa 13910 Scofield Rd. N.E. Flintstone, MD 21530 plus email notice that you want to register so I can send you the Scavenger Hunt list. Here's the email pkbphotos42@gmail.com and phone for any questions (301) 478-2735. 

 *A Mother's love is the closest thing we know to God's love.*

Thanks to everyone that supported the K of C Council #15610, Cinco de Mayo Fundraiser. It was a fun time with great food!





A Mother's Day Prayer

Happy Mother's Day
In the name of **JESUS CHRIST**, we lift up all **MOTHERS** today. We thank them for their sacrifices so that we can have a life of contentment. Grant them favour, Lord and may they have a wonderful place in existence in Your heart of **GRACE**. AMEN

First Communion at AOOL



 **THE JAMES ISAAC HOUSE PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER** If you took a baby bottle to fill for the James Isaac House, please **return them to a Knight**. They would like to have ALL bottles returned this weekend. The total **COLLECTED by Mother's Day weekend** will go to the **James Isaac House**. Thank you for supporting the K of C Council #15610 Project and the James Isaac House Pregnancy Resource Center. 

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.



The Catholic Parishes of

ANNUNCIATION of OUR LORD & SAINT ANTHONY

May 12, 2024

The Ascension of the Lord

*Go and teach all nations,
says the Lord; I am with you
always, until the end of the world.*

Matthew 28:19a, 20b



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday 5:30 PM (SA)



Pastor: Rev. Daniel Price

Email: dprice@dwc.org

K of C #15610 Grand Knight: Brian Crist

Directors of Religious Education

Tammy Robey (St. Anthony)

Kierstin von Hagel (Annunciation)

SA Sacristan: Fran McFarland

SA Organist: Becky Wolfe

AOOL Sacristan: Mike Weaver/Volunteers

AOOL Organist: Joanne Peto

Nursing Home Coordinator: Linda Ward

E-mail: annunciationchurch@atlanticbbn.net

Website: aoolsa.org

www.facebook.com/groups/147125069949301

Office Hours Monday-Thursday 8 AM -1 PM

Tammy Collett, Parish Secretary

Kathy Brockett, Bookkeeper/Secretary

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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