

Mass Intentions

August 1/2

Sat. 5:00 pm	William Bostaph + (Bostaph Family)
Sun. 9:00 am	Fr. Mark Beard + (Michael Bostaph)
Sun. 11:30am	Our Parishioners
Mon. 8:15 am	No Mass
Tues. 7:00 pm	Debra Lynn Copen-Corra + (Ellis Corra)
Wed. 8:15 am	Thanksgiving (Dimvie Balderieso)
Thur. 7:00 pm	Marilyn McLaughlin + (Dorinda Byers/Eddy Biehl)
Fri. 8:15 am	Commemorative Mass Association Members

August 8/9

Sat. 5:00 pm	Mary Gavin + (Bill Gavin)
Sun. 9:00 am	Our Parishioners
Sun. 11:30 am	Mia Carter (Dorina Byers/Eddy Biehl)



Sanctuary Lamp

Donald O'Rourke +
(O'Rourke Family)

Offering for July 26, 2026

Offering - \$ 5283.00

Loose - \$ 140.00

Catholic Campaign for Human Development - \$65.00

Attendance - 258

The miracle of the loaves reveals the heart of Christ, who never sends the hungry away empty. When we place our little into His hands, He transforms it into abundant grace. The Eucharist is the fulfillment of this miracle, where the Lord continues to nourish His Church with His very Body and Blood. Those who are fed by Christ are called to become bread broken in love for others, trusting always in His divine providence.

Fr. Shinu Lukose

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This week we celebrate The Transfiguration of the Lord (Aug 6th). A celebration that honors the moment Jesus Christ showed His divine glory and light to his disciples on Mount Tabor. His face shone like the sun and his clothes turned dazzling white. A bright cloud covered them, and a voice from heaven said "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to Him"

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Please remember in your prayers:

Annette Fehrenbacher, Noah Mancuso, Joan Polen, Pauline Schaffer, Decker Lee Nolan, Christel Reeves, Jim Gray, John Snyder, Melody Judy, Patricia Kincaid, Filomena Pacofsky, Lou Molinaro, Linda Molinaro, Gail Robinson, Marg McLaughlin, Ellis Corra, Joe Wiltsey, Glenn Miller, Joseph D. Corra, Tony Rhodes, Alex Sabo, Luke Goodlive, Joan McLaughlin, John Schneider, Brian Smith, G. Maijib and all of our ill and home-bound parishioners.

August 1/2	Greeters/Usher	Lector	Ex. Ministers	Mass Servers	
5:00 pm 3rd Usher	M. DeRose	D. Byers	J. Williamson/ L. & J. Hushion	L. Williamson	
9:00 am 3rd Usher	L. Wince/ F. Bartimoccia	R. Fanta	B. Fanta/ J. Hofbauer/R. Fish	S. Jamie	
11:30 3rd Usher	D. Baldevieso	J. Bogdan	A Ridenour/ P. Helmick/R. Schaffer	J. Province	
August 8/9	Greeters/Usher	Lector	Ex. Ministers	Mass Servers	
5:00 pm 3rd Usher	L. Thomas	B. Gavin	D. Byers/ E. Biehl/J. Williamson	L. Williamson	
9:00 am 3rd Usher	L. Wince F. Bartimoccia	R. Fanta	B. Fanta/ J. Hofbauer/R. Fish	S. Jamie	
11:30 am 3rd Usher	D. Baldevieso	A. Ridenour	C. Smith/ P. Helmick/R. Schaffer	Baldevieso Family	

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time



In the reading this Sunday, we hear the story from the Gospel of St. Matthew about the feeding of the five thousand. Jesus is not concerned with only our spiritual being, but his heart is moved "with pity" when he knows that his audience is hungry. Jesus cares for our every human need – physical, emotional, spiritual. Simply, Jesus loves us unconditionally. And as we hear in Romans: "For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angles, nor principalities, nor present things, nor future things, nor powers, nor height, nor death, nor any other creature will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Romans 8: 38-39) **Challenge for the Week:** Read Romans 8: 31-39. Where can you show Christ's love to others this week?"



Do you ever wonder why we do what we do in the Catholic Church? If so, plan on attending our OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) classes which will begin in September. Our class will be held on Sunday's after the 11:30 Mass in the library. Specific information will be forthcoming. These classes are open to all those Catholics who are seeking more information as well as for anyone interested in learning about the Catholic faith. Everyone is welcome to come and encouraged to do so. If you are interested in coming please sign up on the sheet in the gathering area. The bulletin will have information periodically regarding the dates of the classes and the topics to be discussed. For information please see either Fr. Shinu or Jane Frances.



Summer Training Workshop Scheduled with Dr. Bernadette Kime

Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers, and Hospitality Ministers (Greeters/Ushers) are encouraged to attend a Workshop presented by Dr. Bernadette Kime, Director of Worship and Sacraments for the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston. Also, those who are interested in joining any of these ministries are also welcome to attend. Join us at 9am on Saturday, August 8th for coffee and donuts. We will begin by learning about the liturgy and the importance of liturgical ministries, and the spirituality of a liturgical ministry. This will be followed up by a practical session focusing on the "how-to's" of each ministry. We will end the day with lunch. Hope to see you there! If you have any questions, please contact Lorri at the Parish Office at 304-295-6109.



The 2026 Catholic Sharing Appeal is going on now. We have reached 99% of our goal. Please continue to donate to this important appeal. Once we reach our goal every dollar will come back to the Parish without being taxed! This is much needed capital for our parish. Thank you for your donation.

BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY WISHES TO:

Birthdays

- 8/1 Vince VanDyke
- 8/2 Karmyn Conley, Vinnie Conley
- 8/3 Charles Maguire
- 8/4 Sydney Zecca
- 8/5 Marlene Sterrick
- 8/6 Sandy Sabo, Andrea Santer
- 8/7 John Fanta, Helen Randolph
- 8/8 Gabriela Bowersock, Terrie Gammon
- 8/9 Steven Orn, Annabelle Vrabel

Anniversaries

- 8/2 Amy/Matt Stevens
- 8/3 Adam/Emily Vrabel
- 8/5 Dale/Jackie Evans
- 8/6 Carmela/John Gallagher
- 8/7 Chris/Sherry Rutherford
- 8/8 Bob/Rita Fish, Felicidad/Fernan Garcia



The altar flowers for the weekend of August 2nd are donated by Alex & Sandy Sabo in Honor of the Korach Family.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL Mark your calendars now for our annual ICE CREAM SOCIAL – Aug 30 from 4-7 pm. Hot dogs, nachos, pizza, bingo and more. We hope to see all Parishioners there for this annual event.



Women's Bible Study: Meetings begin on Friday, August 21 at 9 am in the Library. Each session stands alone so come to one or all of the sessions. If you have any questions, contact Arlene Borkowski at (304) 482-1186, amborkowski@citynet.net.

The St. Michael Men's Organization will meet on Sunday, Aug 2nd at 6 pm. This is an important meeting to plan for the Ice Cream Social which is scheduled for Aug 30th. All men of the parish are invited. Pizza will be served! Any questions, contact Ed Borkowski, 304-482-6902.



Good Samaritan Center
August Donation:
Macaroni & Cheese