

# ST. ANN CATHOLIC PARISH

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March 26 & 27, 2022

PASTOR: REV. FR. AKILA RODRIGO T.O.R. ASSOCIATE PASTOR: FR. CHRIS TURNER

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# **MASS SCHEDULE**

Weekday: Tues & Thurs 6:00pm Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm Sunday: 10:00am



#### **BAPTISMS**

Please contact the office to schedule a baptism. Instruction sessions are required with your first child

#### **MARRIAGES**

Please contact the office at least 6 months prior to the proposed date of marriage

# RECONCILIATION

By Appointment Only Call Fr. Chris directly or contact the church office

### **ADORATION CHAPEL**

The Adoration Chapel is currently open for three days each week – Sundays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 6 am to midnight. For more information or to volunteer, contact John DeMarco at 304-669-2057, or Cindy Bee, 304-709-2908.

In the event of an emergency, or to schedule Last Rites for a loved one, please call Father Chris directly, 304-312-6377, instead of the office

To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, 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, contact one of the Bishop's designees at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880: Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Fr. Dennis Schuelkens, ext. 270, or call the Office of Safe Environment at 304.230.1504. Please visit www.dwc.org under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods. Copies of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston Policy Relating to Sexual Abuse of Children are on the bulletin boards in the church vestibule, social hall and office, and copies are available.

### Offertory and Attendance for March 19 & 20, 2022

March 19 & 20 **Offertory** \$3553 **Weekend Mass Attendance:** 5pm: <u>50</u> 10am: <u>77</u>

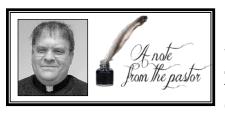
\$210 Diocese Collection, Priests' Retirement Fund

# Ministry Schedule for April 2 & 3, 2022

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4/2/22	5:00pm	4/3/22	10:00am		
Reader:	Jimmy Gemondo	Reader:	Sam DeMarco		
Altar Server	Colton Wright	Altar Server	Cooper Klimek/Cameron Kellar		
Ushers:	Joe Sears	Ushers:	Vinnie DeMarco		
	Helen DeCosta		John DeMarco		
Cleaners:	Cindy Hamrick	Cleaners:	Linda Knight		
	Dave DeCosta		Betty Swiger		
	Helen DeCosta		Donna Fleece		

# MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	March 26	5 pm	+For the People of the Parish
Sunday	March 27	10 pm	+John Marra, by Chuck & Anna Wash
Monday	March 28	No Mass	
Tuesday	March 29	6 pm	+The Delerryelles Family, by Mary Ann Ferris
Wednesday	March 30	No Mass	
THURSDAY	March 31	6 pm	COMMUNAL RECONCILIATION (No Mass)
*FRIDAY	April 1	6 PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
Saturday	April 2	5 pm	+Bill Strugarek, by Diana Book
Sunday	April 3	10 am	+For the People of the Parish



# 'Laetare Sunday' – the Joyous Day in Lent

"Joy in Lent" is the title of a book written by one of my seminary professors and I'm reflecting on it because this weekend we are celebrating "Laetare Sunday," the Sunday where you and I are invited to rejoice ... to step out of our normal Lenten rigors and celebrate.

And we do that because Easter is within sight. "Laetare Sunday" is exactly 21 days before Easter Sunday, so on this day, rose-colored vestments are worn by the clergy. And in addition to attending Sunday Mass, a family might choose to mark this day with roses on the table or a special Sunday feast. It's time to rejoice! Easter is near! Jesus rising from



the dead is quickly approaching. On this day, let us all take some time to find the joy in our Lent. Peace! – Fr. Chris

# Birthday Blessings for April

Janet LaFollette George Patrick Donna Bart Anthony Kerzak, Jr. Margaret Perri Mary Kay Romeo Teresa Fortney Sandra Gonzalez Marie Marchio Mountaha Sims David DeCosta Phyllis Ryan Deborah Slaughter John Reese



Erik Ferris Keith Dumas Christina Anderson Ioshua Shaw Matthew Post Iason Stalnaker Heather Stalnaker Vincent DeMarco

Timothy Wilson Ryan Gemondo Sofia Tate Gabriel Kellar Thomas Lear Izabel Shaw Payton Romeo Dominick Spadafore Taylor Keener Peyton Keener Sunny Opron Collins Radcliff Margaret McCullough

# ST. ANN'S EASTER BAKE SALE

# Saturday, April 9 • 8 am − 2pm

Breakfast will be served 8:30-11 am (Sausage & biscuits, hash browns, scrambled eggs, fruit & beverage)

#### Easter Bread Cookie Trays Small \$5 Med. \$15 **ORDERS** Med. \$7.50 \$25 Large **MUST** Large \$10 **BE IN BY FRIDAY, APRIL 1**

• Galettes	\$7 doz	
<ul> <li>Wedding Cookies</li> </ul>	\$7 doz	
Peanut Butter Balls	\$7 doz	

# For orders, call:

Linda Knight	304-203-8905
Renee Book	304-841-1487
Susie Meredith	304-592-2243
<b>Betty Swiger</b>	304-584-4376

The Altar Society is asking for donations of ingredients for the Bake Sale. The following items are requested:

Sugar

•Oil •Butter & margarine

Eggs Anise extract & seeds

# TAREA COMMUNAL RECONCILIATIONS

#### Immaculate Conception

7 pm, March 28

St. Ann 6 pm, March 31

St. James 7 pm April 6



#### NON-Communal Reconciliations:

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, April 3, 6:30~7 pm All Saints, April 5, 10-noon

# LENTEN MEAL FOR FRIDAY, APRIL 1

A variety of pizzas, garden salad and dessert. The meal is free, but donations are appreciated. A basket will be available for those who wish to donate.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church in Stonewood will have a "Take-Out Spaghetti Dinner" from 11-4 pm on Sunday, April 3, in their Parish Hall. The public is invited.