

# SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church

Oak Hill, West Virginia

*Have a safe and Happy New Year!*



Jan. 23 & 24, 2021

**Third Sunday  
In Ordinary Time**



## Important Reminders:

Our sincere gratitude to our kind benefactors for their generous contributions for our GIVE LOVE LIVE LOVE fund raiser. We raised \$33, 635.00 - and Sts. Peter & Paul is in the 14th place out of 100 parishes/missions in the Diocese.

Thank you so very much! The Finance Council of the Parish will now oversee/in charge of this new account of the parish. Transparency will be shown to all. The council is fully in charge of the donation. No more sharing with the Diocese.

To those who are still deciding to give, please donate with your heart. Give Love to our parish and school. Remember what we give, we retain all

**February 5, 2021 - First Friday of February**

**4:15 - 5:15pm Silent Holy Hour**

**5:30p.m. Mass**

## Liturgical Schedules for Upcoming Week:

### Tuesdays - Fridays:

Confession - 4:30pm to 5:15pm  
Mass - 5:30pm

### Saturdays:

Confession - 4:15 to 5:00pm  
Vigil Mass - 5:30pm

### Sundays:

Masses - 8:00am & 10:30am

1st Fridays 4:15 - 5:15pm Holy Hour

(Mass follows @530pm)

## **PASTORAL STAFF:**

Pastor: Fr. Tony Lacson

Parish Office Manager: Amy Inghram

Dir. Rel. Educ.: Mike Kemlock

Parish Property & Facilities: Tony Gerard

Maintenance: Kathy Ryder/Vicki Francis

School Principal:

Mrs. Natasha Mucho-Seay

School Secretary: Kristy Humphrey

Parish Office Hours: Mondays & Thursday

10:30am—5:00p.m.

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## **Week of Mass Readings**

### **January 25 - 31, 2021 - Third Sunday in Ordinary Times**

Monday – Jan. 25 – The Conversion of St. Paul, The 13th Apostle  
Acts 22: 3 - 16; Ps. 117: 1 - 2; Mk. 16: 15 - 18

Tuesday – Jan. 26 – Ss. Timothy and Titus, Bishops  
2 Tim. 1: 1 - 8; Ps. 96: 1– 3,7-8a, 10; Mk. 3: 31 - 35

Wednesday – Jan. 27 – St. Angela Merici, Religious  
Heb. 10: 11 - 18; Ps. 110: 1 - 4; Mk. 4: 1 - 20

Thursday – Jan. 28 – St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest (Dominican)& Doctor of Church  
Heb. 10: 19 - 25; Ps. 24: 1 – 4b, 5 - 6; Mk. 4: 21 - 25

Friday – Jan. 29 - Weekday  
Heb. 10: 32 - 39; Ps. 37: 3 – 6, 23 – 24, 39 - 40; Mk. 4: 26 - 34

Saturday – Jan. 30 BVM  
Vigil for Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Times

Jan.31 – Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Times  
Dt. 18: 15 - 20; Ps. 95: 1 – 2, 6 - 9; 1 Cor.7: 32 - 35; Mk 1: 21 - 28

### This Week's Mass Intentions

<b>Sat. Jan. 23</b> <b>5:30p.m.</b>	<b>Vigil</b> †Vicki Caldwell by, Kathy Bracken
<b>Sun. Jan. 24</b> <b>8:00a.m.</b>	<b>Sunday of the Word of God</b> †Saundra Hood by, Steve & Debbie Hatcher
<b>10:30a.m.</b>	For All Parishioners
<b>Tue. Jan 26</b> <b>5:30p.m.</b>	†John Droppleman by, Sanger Family
<b>Wed. Jan 27</b> <b>5:30p.m.</b>	†Barbara Downs by, Art & Mary Gonzales
<b>Thu. Jan. 28</b> <b>5:30p.m.</b>	†Mary Kerby by, Bracken Family
<b>Fri. Jan. 29</b> <b>5:30p.m.</b>	†Josephine Vento by, Judy Learnmonth
<b>Sat. Jan. 30</b> <b>5:30p.m.</b>	<b>Vigil</b> †Loretta Kemlock Swanigan by, Regina O'Neal & Family
<b>Sun. Jan. 31</b> <b>8:00a.m.</b>	<b>4th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> For All Parishioners
<b>10:30a.m.</b>	†William & Mary Neudek by, Fred Neudek

### This Month's Special Collections - January 2021

The Church in Latin America January 30/31, 2021

The Collection for the Church in Latin America supports pastoral programs as awarded by the Subcommittee on the Church in Latin America throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Projects include the work of evangelization, formation of laity, religious and seminarians, as well as youth ministry and catechesis. Funding is limited to programmatic expenses and excludes building construction except in cases of emergency.



Interested in RCIA: classes will be starting soon.

If interested, please call Diane Murphy at 304-395-3351 or contact the church office.

First Communion classes started in **January 20** at 4:30pm. If interested, please contact Laura Kiliany @ 304—575-2172. (Check with Laura for update RE: Covid Fayette County standing)

ATTENTION: Ski School to be offered thru Winterplace Ski Resort. Date & times to be determined, but if you need for information, please contact Michell Craddock at [michellchowder@me.com](mailto:michellchowder@me.com)

#### Sacraments:

Anointing of Sick/Last Rites & visiting of the sick/homebound - please notify Fr. Tony at (707-812-0084).

Baptism: After proper Instructions - contact Fr. Tony to make arrangements.

Marriage: After proper instructions, Pre-Cana seminars, contact Fr. Tony **6 months in advance** before date of marriage.

### GIVE LOVE - LIVE LOVE

- a Total and 100% Love Offering for Sts. Peter and Paul Parish
- ALL DONATIONS to be managed by the Finance Council of Sts. Peter and Paul.
- Transparent reporting to the Parish Family.

#### OBJECTIVES:

- regular maintenance/improvement for Sts. Peter and Paul Church.
- Financial assistance to our school.
- School Scholarships.
- Proposed marketing/evangelization projects for the parish.

NOTE: Please use our "Give Love Live Love" donation envelopes.

Fill in your information and please MAIL or DROP ENVELOPES in the Collection Basket.



#### ON LINE GIVING for STS. PETER and PAUL:

- 1) Click on website of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston (<http://dwc.org>)
- 2) Click on the GIVING TUESDAY link.
- 3) Page will open to the GIVING TUESDAY main site.
- 4) Scroll down until you find the box labeled PARISHES & MISSIONS. Click on box.
- 5) Scroll down until you find Sts. Peter & Paul. Click to enter our page.
- 6) Choose your amount and click.
- 7) Fill in your confidential credit information.
- 8) Click Submit when finished.

*Give Generously!*

## Reflection—Third Sunday in Ordinary Times

Focus of this Sunday: Repent!

Jesus' call to repentance is meant to lead us to spiritual health - not merely to be a scolding or a warning of impending punishment. We repent in order to live fully in God's love.

Repentance - (1) reviewing of one's actions and feeling real contrition or regret for past wrongs, (2) which is accompanied by a strong commitment to and actual actions that show and prove a change for the better.

### Our Catholic Faith: *Ordinary Times in our Liturgy*

January 22, 2021 - Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children.

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal no. 373 designates January 22 as a particular day of prayer and penance, called "The Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children." In ALL the Dioceses of the United States, January 22 shall be observed as a particular day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion.

As Catholics: we are called to observe this day through the penitential practices of prayers, fasting, and/or alms giving.

The over 60 million abortions since the 1973 decision of Roe vs. Wade (figures source is USCCB) - reflect heartbreaking magnitude what Pope Francis means by "throw away culture." However, we have great trust in God's Providence. We are all reminded time and time again in Scriptures to seek the Lord's help, and a people of faith. Our prayers are heard.

*Our Lady of Guadalupe - Pray for us!*



### Food Pantry - January, 2021

Items Needed: macaroni and cheese, Vienna sausages, cans or pouches of tuna fish, pouches of instant mashed potatoes, chicken noodle soup, and squeeze bottles of grape or strawberry jelly.

Items may be left in bin in the vestibule of the church or brought to the Pantry 1030 am to 2:00pm, Monday through Friday. Thanks for your continual support!

### Last Weeks Attendance and Giving (Jan. 16/17, 2021)

	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Regular Collection</u>	<u>Combined Masses</u>	
<b>5:30 pm</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>Wkly Offering</b>	<b>\$1,465.00</b>	
		<b>Mass Stipends</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>	
<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>Votives</b>	<b>\$6.00</b>	
<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>\$265.00</b>	
		<b>Online</b>	<b>\$260.00</b>	

### Knights of Columbus

The free online Knights of Columbus New Membership has been extended to June 30, 2021.

Use promo code: MCGIVNEY2020

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