

SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church

Oak Hill, West Virginia

2021



Oct. 11- 17, 2021

29th Sunday In
Ordinary Time



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Liturgical Schedules

Autumn Schedule

Masses :

Weekday Masses : Tuesdays to Thursdays

Confessions 4:15 - 5:15p.m.

Adult Parish Mass 5:30p.m.

School Mass: Fridays 8:30a.m.

Vigil Mass: Saturday Evening

Confessions 4:15 - 5:15p.m.

Adult Parish Mass 5:30p.m.

Sunday Masses:

8:00 and 10:30a.m.

Week of Mass Readings:

Oct. 11 - 17, 2021

Oct. 11– Monday – St. John XXIII, Pope

Rom. 1: 1 - 7; Ps. 98: 1bcde, 2 - 4; Lk. 11: 29 - 32

Oct. 12 – Tuesday – Weekday

Rom. 1: 16 - 25; Ps. 19: 2 - 5; Lk. 11: 37 - 41

Oct. 13 – Wednesday - Weekday

Rom. 2: 1 - 11; Ps. 62: 2 - 3, 6 - 7, 9; Lk. 11: 42 - 46

Oct. 14 – Thursday - St. Callistus I, Pope & Martyr

Rom. 3: 21 - 30; Ps. 130: 1b - 6b; Lk. 11: 47 - 54

Oct. 15– Friday – St. Teresa of Jesus,

Virgin & Doctor of the Church

Rom. 4: 1 - 8; Ps. 32: 1b - 2, 5, 11; Lk. 12: 1 - 7

Oct. 16– Saturday – St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Religious

Rom. 4:13, 16 - 18; Ps. 105: 6 - 9, 42 - 43; Lk. 12: 8 - 12

Oct. 17– Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Cycle B

Is. 53: 10 - 11; Ps. 33: 4 - 5, 18 - 20, 22;

Heb. 4: 14 - 16; Mk. 10: 45

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sat. Oct. 9 5:30p.m.	Vigil †Trish Blake by, Frances Pemberton
Sun. Oct. 10 8:00a.m. 10:30a.m.	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time For All Parishioners †Terri Lyn Harvey by, Glenn & Dianne Murphy
Tue. Oct. 12 5:30p.m.	†(Diana) Lynn Tracy, by Parish
Wed. Oct. 13 5:30p.m.	†Tony Ayersman by, Myrtle Ayersman
Thu. Oct. 14 5:30p.m.	†Terri Lyn Harvey by, Steve & Debbie Hatcher
Fri. Oct. 15 5:30p.m.	†William and Sally Klenk by, Parish Friend
Sat. Oct. 16 5:30p.m.	Vigil †Trish Blake by, Becky Williams
Sun. Oct. 17 8:00a.m. 10:30a.m.	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time †Joyce Lokant by Ladies Guild For All Parishioners
Tue. Oct. 19 5:30p.m.	†Marilyn Wilson by Amy Inghram
Wed. Oct. 20 5:30p.m.	†Sue Navicki by Judy Learmonth
Thu. Oct. 21 5:30p.m.	†Krystina Sypiaka by, George Lechalk
Fri. Oct. 22 5:30p.m.	†Mary Kerby by Parish Friend
Sat. Oct. 23 5:30p.m.	Vigil †Joyce Lokant by, O'Neal Family
Sun. Oct. 24 8:00a.m. 10:30a.m.	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time †Vicki Caldwell by, Amy Inghram For All Parishioners

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.

School Notes and News

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT 2021 - 2022 PRE - K TO GRADE 6

Sts. Peter & Paul School is now open for enrollment for the school year 2021-2022. We invite all to call us (304-465-5045) or come for a tour of our school and what we offer. This school has a high level of success records among our alumni. Many are very successful people today.

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus in Oak Hill, WV has an Outreach Program for our needy families. We have been distributing food bags to Mt. Hope and Scarbro. If you know any district where the Knights of Columbus can distribute food for needy families, please let us know.

Monetary donations can be made to SSPP, mark memo "Food Pantry."

Items Needed:

Vienna Sausages, Saltine Crackers, Macaroni & cheese, spaghetti sauce, dry cereal, instant mash potatoes in the pouches. (Can be dropped off in the vestibule of the church 9:00am until 6:00p.m., and at the Food Pantry M- F 10:00am until 2:00pm.)

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar (Mark 10: 17 - 30)

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Having possessions is an illusion. In today's gospel Jesus told the young man to give up his need to control and put his trust in God. He couldn't let go! In families our need to control destroys relationships. We can lead, teach and encourage, but we can't control anyone but ourselves.



Now Streaming our 10:30a.m. Mass service on our Facebook Page!

Look for **Sppp Church** (account Name) and click on the link.

Last Weeks Attendance and Giving (Oct. 2/3, 2021)

	Attendance	Regular Collection	Combined Masses
		Wkly Offering	\$2,476.44
5:30 pm	29	School	\$50.00
		Food Pantry	\$00.00
8:00 am	53	Votives	\$22.00
		Parish Maint.	\$50.00
10:30 am	55	Mass Stipends	\$20.00
		Online	\$195.00
		Second Collection	\$185.00
		(Hurricane Ida Relief)	

Give Love, Live Love Campaign as of Sep. 30, 2021 \$69,702.54

Scheduled Second Collection:

October 23/24, 2021 World Mission Sunday

CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL 2021 *(Fund raising for the School)*

For more than a decade, the Catholic Sharing Appeal (CSA) of the Diocese has been providing support to ministries, services, and programs throughout the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, as well as for parishes and missions. All of us should have received a letter from Bishop Brennan asking you to join him in making a sacrificial gift to the CSA. May we consider sharing our gifts, whether it be financial gift to the CSA or a gift of your time.

Sts. Peter and Paul Parish Goal for the CSA 2021: \$16, 965.00

(As of October 7, 2021 - 49% collected. That is \$8,340.00 out of the \$16,965.00)

** \$143.00 more until we can obtain our 50%.**

Let us pray: "Use me, O God, show me how to give generously, pray purposefully, and serve joyfully for a purpose greater than myself."

GOAL of CSA 2021: Development of School Programs for our Children and Teachers.

Announcements:

- (1) October is the month of **Our Lady of the Rosary**. The Rosary is a major devotion in our Catholic Faith as it not only addresses our Blessed Mother to intercede for us - but it helps us meditate on the entire life of Our Lord from birth to Ascension. *Every Friday of October (5 Fridays), we will have Holy Hour with the recitation of the rosary; asking our Blessed Mother's help to eradicate the virus and other intentions, followed by evening Mass.* Holy Hour: 4:15p.m. - 5:15p.m. Mass: 5:30p.m.
- (2) From Rachel White, Christ in the City, Colorado.

She has been at CtC for one month and will be sending an update on what is going on. For now, she wanted to let the people at Ss. Peter & Paul know about CIC's annual celebration this Saturday (Oct. 2nd)!! People across 44 states will be tuning in to support our mission and learn how to encounter the poor in their own communities!

Here is a link you can use to register to sign up (it's free)

<https://christinthecity.org/watchpartyguest/>



(3) The blessing of the animals was a resounding success last Monday (October 4th) for the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi. There were many beautiful pets at the basketball court. Our children and their families had a great time.

(4) **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!**

Our Parish member Regina O'Neal is looking for volunteers from Ss. Peter & Paul on October 9th at 9am to assist with spreading a ground cover of river rock at the Parish and School. Please bring work gloves, shovels, etc., to make this operation quick and successful. **Your help is needed!** Please contact Regina if you have any questions or concerns.

(5) **CONFIRMATION CLASS:** Good News! we have reached 16 students now. We started last Sunday, Oct. 3rd. **Classes will be every Sunday starting OCTOBER 10, 2021**, at 9:15am until 10:15am in the Parish Hall.

(6) The Parish is searching for volunteers to handle the livestreaming cameras at the 10:30am Masses. Mr. Mike Malay will train volunteers. Please see Fr. Tony or Amy at the parish office.

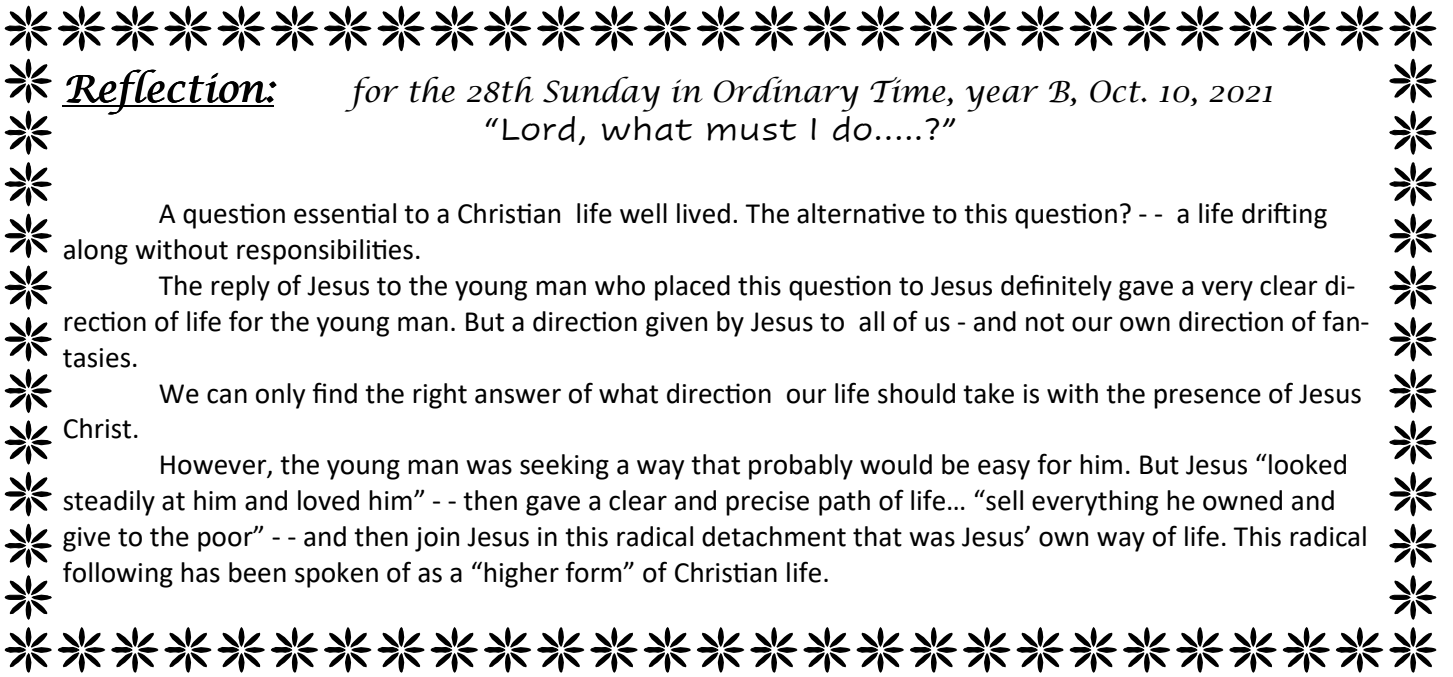
(7) **SSPP Ladies Guild** want to extend an invitation to all the ladies of the parish to attend the next meeting of the Guild, Monday, October 11, 2021 in the Parish Hall. (Side Meeting Room). The meeting will begin at 3:30p.m. Plans are being made to focus on enhancing the dedication and service - a long tradition at St. Peter and Paul - as well as looking for ideas to continue this essential Ladies ministry. Your active participation is encouraged!! Further Info: Debbie Garvin (304)731-8066 or Kathryn Wickline (304)767-5777.

(8) **CYO** on Sundays from 6—7 pm on Sundays. CONTACT Teresa Rosiek for further details. Next CYO scheduled for **Sunday, October 10th at 6pm.**

(9) Rummage Sale will resume in November for the Christmas Season - Hopefully see you there!

Special Gratitude: Thank You!

- 1) To all who participated in the pastoral survey of the Diocese.
- 2) To those who donated food for the animal shelters.



Reflection: for the 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, year B, Oct. 10, 2021
"Lord, what must I do.....?"

A question essential to a Christian life well lived. The alternative to this question? - - a life drifting along without responsibilities.
The reply of Jesus to the young man who placed this question to Jesus definitely gave a very clear direction of life for the young man. But a direction given by Jesus to all of us - and not our own direction of fantasies.
We can only find the right answer of what direction our life should take is with the presence of Jesus Christ.
However, the young man was seeking a way that probably would be easy for him. But Jesus "looked steadily at him and loved him" - - then gave a clear and precise path of life... "sell everything he owned and give to the poor" - - and then join Jesus in this radical detachment that was Jesus' own way of life. This radical following has been spoken of as a "higher form" of Christian life.

Our Catholic Faith

"At the moment, the young man's face fell and he went away
Sad.... for he had many possessions." (Mark 10: 25)

Poverty of the Heart

- (1) Jesus enjoins His disciples to prefer Him to everything and everyone, and bids them to "renounce all that they have" for his sake and that of the Gospel. The precept of DETACHMENT from riches is obligatory for entrance into the Kingdom of Heaven. (CC2544)
- (2) All Christ's disciples are "to direct their affection rightly, lest they be hindered in their pursuit of perfect clarity by the use of worldly things and by an adherence to riches which is contrary to the spirit of evangelical poverty. (CC 2545)
- (3) Blessed are the poor in spirit. The Beatitudes reveal an order of happiness and grace, of beauty and peace. Jesus celebrates the joy of the poor whom the Kingdom already belongs. (CC2546)

Wisdom from St. John Paul II, Pope:

"those who are more influential because they have a greater share of goods and common services should feel responsible for the weaker and be ready to share with them all they possess..... The Church feels called to take her stand beside the poor, to discern the justice of their requests and to help satisfy them, with out losing sight of the common good...."

NOTE FROM THE PARISH OFFICE:

I will be out of the parish office the week of October 11 through the 15. If you need assistance, please contact Father Tony through his email address, cell number, or at Mass. There will not be a bulletin on the weekend of October 16/17.

Blessings,
Amy Inghram, Parish Office Manager



Until further notice, Bishop Brennan asks that all those in attendance at Mass wear a mask, other than young children under the age of 2.

Thank you for your cooperation in this act of Christian Charity.