

SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church

Oak Hill, West Virginia

2022



Jan. 31 - Feb. 6, 2022

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Liturgical Schedules

New Year Schedule for 2022

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

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Adult Parish Mass	5:30p.m.

Sunday Masses:

8:00 and 10:30a.m.

Week of Mass Readings: Jan 31 - Feb. 6, 2022

Jan. 31– Monday – St. John Bosco, Priest

2 Sam. 15:13 - 14, 30; 16:5 - 13; Ps. 3: 2 - 7; Mk. 5: 1 - 20

Feb. 1– Tuesday – Weekday

2 Sam. 18: 9 - 10, 14b, 24 - 25a, 30-19:3; Ps. 86: 1 - 6; Mk. 5: 21 - 43

Feb. 2 – Wednesday - The Presentation of the Lord

(Candlemas Day) Blessings of candles used in our liturgy

Mal. 3:1 - 4; Ps. 24: 7 - 10; Heb. 2: 14 - 18; Lk. 2: 22 - 40

Feb. 3 – Thursday - St, Blaise, Bishop, Martyr

Blessing of the Throats

1 Kgs. 2: 1 - 4, 10 - 12; Ps.: 1 Chr. 29: 10 - 11b, 11d - 12; Mk. 6:7 - 13

Feb. 4 – Friday – Weekday

Sir. 47: 2 - 11; Ps. 18: 31, 47, 50 - 51; Mk. 6: 14 - 29

Feb. 5– Saturday – St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr

Vigil of the 5th Sunday in Ordinary time, Cycle C

Feb. 6– Sunday - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is. 6: 1 - 2a, 3 - 8; Ps. 138: 1 - 5, 7 - 8;
1 Cor. 15: 1 - 11; Lk. 5: 1 - 11

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sat. Jan. 29 **Vigil**
5:30p.m. †Marilyn Wilson by Frank Wilson

Sun. Jan. 30 **4th Sunday in Ordinary Times**
8:00a.m. For All Parishioners
10:30a.m. †Sande Carl "Bear" Genung by,
 SSPP Knights of Columbus

Tue. Feb. 1
5:30p.m. †Nelsie & Fred Ferri by,
 Scott & Brenda Vargo

Wed. Feb. 2
5:30p.m. †Joe Williams by Wickline Family

Thu. Feb. 3
5: 30p.m. †Bill Craddock by,
 Art & Mary Gonzales

Fri. Feb. 4
5:30p.m. †Vincent Sheehan, Jr. by,
 Ron & Anna Sheehan

Sat. Feb. 5 **Vigil**
5:30p.m. †Elijah Christopher Stark by,
 Mom and Dad

Sun. Feb. 6 **5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00a.m. †Janet Winfrey by,
 Steve & Debbie Hatcher
10:30a.m. 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

Scheduled Second Collection: January

January, 2022

Second Collection for
Church in the Developing World

Church in Latin America, Church in Central & E. Europe
and Church in Africa.

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



Spp Church (account Name) and click on the link.

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar (Luke)

Fourth Sunday Ordinary Times

Mary and Joseph must have been proud when their village "all spoke well of Jesus and were amazed at his words." But they probably felt shame when the same people drove him out of town. Like Mary and Joseph, the highs and lows of parenting are our path to being a Holy Family.

Last Weeks Attendance and Giving (Jan. 23/24, 2022)

	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Regular Collection</u>	<u>Combined Masses</u>
		Wkly Offering	\$2,455.00
5:30 pm	30	School	\$100.00
		Votives	\$42.00
		Food Pantry	\$0.00
8:00am	38	Parish Maint.	\$0.00
		Ch. Devel. World	\$5.00
		(2nd Collection)	
10:30am	58	Online	\$445.00

Give Love, Live Love Campaign as of January 27, 2021

Starting as of Jan. 23 bulletin **\$77,296.36**

Account Expenses:

Funeral assistance (Ryder Family) -500.00

Account Receivables:

New Campaign of 2021/22 - deposits + \$16,611.63

Deposited 1/27/22 + \$ 1700.00

Sub Account Sub Balance = \$18,311.63

NEW BALANCE = \$78,496.36

++R.I.P.++

Our sincere sympathy is extended to Barbara Burgess, Family and Friends on the death of her mother, Margaret Johnson.



May she rest in the peace of Christ.

Give Love, Live Love Campaign

1- Our Parish Needs: 30%

- ~ general maintenance of Church
- ~ Charity begins at home: assistance to our own parish family members (includes thanksgiving dinner, food assistance, etc.)
- ~ our 2 seminarians.

2- School Needs: 70%

- ~ possible salary raise for teachers this year—with other assistance such as diocesan subsidy, parish subsidy.
- ~ scholarships - increase from 2 to 4 students @\$2500/scholarship.
- ~ school equipment: playground, after school needs.
- ~ student or teacher assistance.

****All Donations are 100% for Sts. Peter and Paul Funds. They are deposited in a separate bank account and supervised by our Financial Council.****

Donations as of 01/27/2022: \$18,311.63

Announcements

(1) Catholic Schools Week -

January 30 - February 5, 2022 ~ May we continue to support our school here at Sts. Peter and Paul of Oak Hill. Our Principal, Teachers, Staff and Children deserve the very best.

(2) RCIA classes are now on Mondays, 6pm in the Parish Office Building. More information needed, please contact Mr. Mike Kemlock, DRE.

(3) Confirmation Classes are Sundays at 9:15 am - 10:15 am in the school building.

(4) Marriage Conference - "Together in Holiness"

- ~ sponsored by the Diocese of Wheeling Charleston
- ~ February 12, 2022 from 8:30am to 3:30pm, St. John XXIII Pastoral Center, Charleston

Registration required: visit togetherinholiness.org or call 832-779-1070

Cost: \$32 for couple, \$20 individual, At home Conference Experience \$15

Childcare will be onsite at \$5/child

(5) Women's Retreat "Embraced with Compassion...Embracing the World"

- ~sponsored by Diocese of Wheeling Charleston
- ~ February 25 - 27, 2022 at St. John XXIII Pastoral Center in Charleston

Register on line at www.dwc.org2022-womens-retreat

\$150 single person occupancy, \$125 double occupancy, \$75 commuter (includes all meals)

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."



Reflection: *for the Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ Cycle C*

1 Cor. 13: "And now these three remain: Faith, Hope and Love. But the greatest of these is LOVE."

As we finish 1 Corinthians, chapter 12 wherein St. Paul describes the different gifts we have coming from the Holy Spirit - St. Paul will insist on 1 Cor. Chapter 13, that all these gifts will mean nothing without love in the picture. Paul begins chapter 13 by describing how useless, even destructive, spiritual gifts are when not applied from the standpoint of love. The gifts can be impressive but are worthless if not used as intended by God, out of a heart of love for Him and for others.

St. Paul uses 14 verbs and actions to describe love. True Christians love is about setting one's self aside for the good of others.

Paul sums it all up: "Love believes all things, pushing the burden of truthfulness onto otherness instead of carrying the burdens of uncovering falsehood. Love does not stop hoping for others to do good, no matter the evidence to the post. Love does not quit - Love keeps on going - till the end! Then on that day, Christians will know even as God knows us now. Until then, spiritual gifts provide a partial knowledge of what is to come. Both now and then, love will remain the greatest gift of all virtues



In honor of our National Catholic School Week:

~ For our children and our teachers in Sts. Peter and Paul School, Oak Hill.

Five Reasons why parents choose a Catholic education:

- (1) Parents believe that their child's teachers should serve as moral role models. Strong moral values is the top reason parents choose to send their child to a Catholic School.
- (2) It is important to develop a strong religious foundation. Lessons in the Catholic Faith; i.e., our reflections in our weekly mass create a strong foundation for children. Consistent religious instructions and activities help our children's faith develop in very challenging times.
- (3) A church parish and school together create a community for the family. Families who have children in a parish school have developed a sense of communing with their fellow parishioners. Opportunities for fellowship, friendship, and service are available for families and create a warm and welcoming community.
- (4) Catholic education and schools/diocese always offer generous tuition assistance programs for parish families who need help.
- (5) Catholic Schools offer high quality education. According to the National Catholic Educational Association, 99% of Catholic Secondary school students graduate and 89% go on to college. In general, Catholic schools consistently out perform public and other private schools. In Sts. Peter and Paul, our success rate among our students and alumni are second to none. We have produced outstanding, successful citizens and entrepreneurs.



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