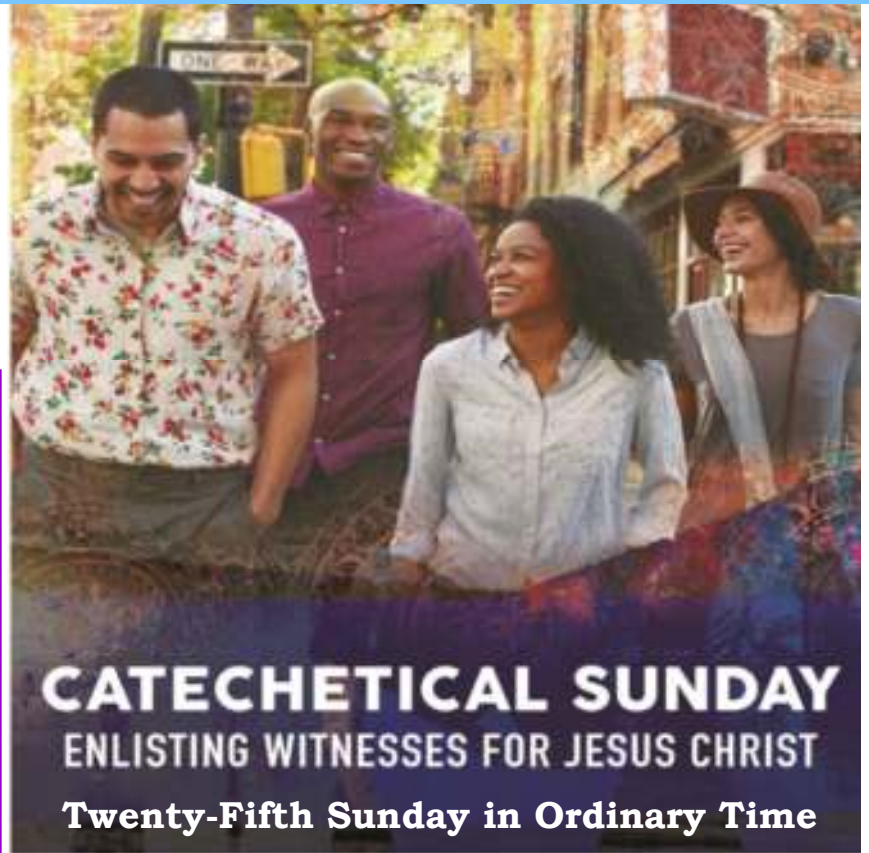


Saints Peter & Paul Catholic Church

129 Elmore St., Oak Hill, West Virginia 25901



PASTORAL STAFF:

Pastor: Fr. Jojan Joseph
304-281-0086 or jjoseph@dwc.org

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caitlinwatkins2002@gmail.com

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10:30am—5:00p.m.
Tue, Wed & Fri: 9am —3pm

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Parish Mailing Address:

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School: 304-465-5045
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SCHOOL WEBSITE

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This Week's Liturgy Schedule

Sat. Sep. 17 Vigil - 25th Sunday in Ordinary Times
5:30p.m. †Timothy Wade Corder req. by
Reggie & Terri Dodd

Sun. Sep. 18

8:00a.m. For Our Parish Family
10:30a.m. †Toni Webb req. by Morgan & Kathy Bracken

Mon. - Tue. Sep. 19/20 No Mass

Wed. Sep. 21

8:30a.m. †Charles Walls req. by Lisa Walls

Thu. Sep. 22

5:30p.m. Good health for James & Donzetta
Roush req. by Brad DeFlumeri

Fri. Sep. 23

8:30a.m. **School Mass**
†Buddy Crouch req. by Art & Mary Gonzales

Sat. Sep. 24

5:30p.m. **Vigil**
†Scott Leilich req. by Terry & Sally Shay

Sun. Sep. 25

8:00a.m. For Our Parish Family
10:30a.m. †Frank Gruden req. by Ernestine Philips

WELCOME TO SSPP PARISH!

NEW MEMBERS - Catholic over the age of 18 (unless they are in school), we invite you to become registered members of our parish! This is a great way to practice the Catholic Faith. Registration forms are available on the bulletin boards in the back of the church.

Sacraments:

Anointing of Sick & visiting of the sick/homebound - please notify Fr. Jojan at 304-281-0086

Baptism: Contact Parish office or Fr. Jojan

Confession: Every Saturday 4:15pm-5:15pm. 30 Minutes before Weekday Masses

Marriage: Contact Parish office or Fr. Jojan **6 months in advance** before the date of marriage.

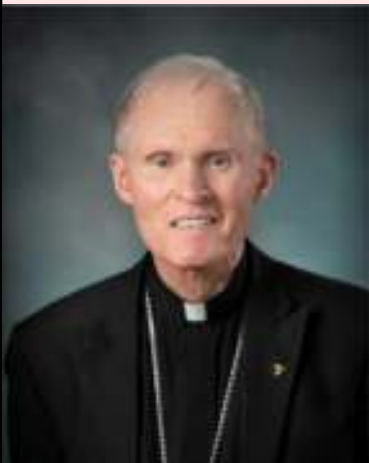
Last Weeks Attendance and Giving (Aug. 10/11, 2022)

	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Regular Collection</u>	<u>Combined Masses</u>
		Wkly Offering	\$2,863.00
		School	\$20.00
5:30p.m.	64	Votives	\$19.00
		Mass Intention	\$13.00
8:00a.m.	43	Parish Maint.	\$75.00
		Online	\$450.00
10:30a.m.	60	Diocesan Scholar.	
		Second Collection	\$285.00

Thank you for your generous support to our parish family!

CONFIRMATION 2022

Bishop Brennan is coming on Sunday, October



9 at 5:30p.m. to confirm our 11 Confirmandi. Please pray for them. Sunday morning classes at 9:10a.m.. Please be prompt! For more information: Please contact Mrs. Murphy at 304-395-3351.

Give Love, Live Love Campaign

as of **Sept. 15, 2022**

Interest Earned from Aug 2022 = \$15.16

No new expenses in summer

NEW ACCOUNT BALANCE = \$83,840.57



Help Us Help Our School!
Kroger Rewards Program allows shoppers to earn rewards for our school every time they shop at Kroger and use their Kroger Rewards Card, without you losing your fuel reward. The money you spend at Kroger directly translates into dollars for Saints Peter & Paul School.

Go to www.krogercommunityrewards.com and create an Account

Children's Mass Sunday, September 18 at 10:30a.m.

Starting this month, we will be having a monthly children's mass! Every third Sunday of the month, we will be having a mass that is celebrated with the kids being the singers, readers, ushers, and altar servers. Thank you to those who came last week to rehearsal.

Ushers and singers can be of any age, but altar servers and readers must have been through first communion. If your child, grandchild, or someone you know may be interested please let me know!

New Cantors and Singers Needed!

As most of you know, Covid has caused our numbers to drop significantly through the entire church, but it has greatly affected our choirs. We used to have a large choir at every mass, but now we are lucky if one person sings with the pianist. We are looking for new cantors and singers that would like to join us! We will be having a choir practice at least once a month, but possibly every week depending on everyone's availability.

I promise we are going to start building this church up again and start working in big ways in our community once again. Please text or call Caitlin Watkins at 304-719-7716, or email caitlinwatkins2002@gmail.com

Music Director ~ Caitlin Watkins

Catechetical Sunday

This year the theme of Catechetical Sunday is “This is my Body given for you.”

This Sunday, children will meet the teachers in their classrooms and at the 10:30am Holy Mass catechists are formally commissioned for ministry to the community. I would like to bless and commission our catechists and students.

This year our parish is offering faith formation class for grades K-1, grade 2 (First Holy Communion), grades 3-5 and grades 6-7 (pre-confirmation) and grades 8-12 (CYO). I request all parents to bring your kids to the Faith Formation Class.

The time of the catechism class: Sundays, at 9:15a.m. to 10:15a.m. in our school building, please enter through the main doors. Schedules will be given at the class.

The time for CYO class: Sunday, September 18 at 6:30p.m. in Parish office building.

Why Should We Teach Our Children the Catechism? It helps them to understand the essential and fundamental teachings of our Catholic faith and morals. It gives our kids a lens for looking at the Bible. It will help them to make right decision at the right time.

Thank you for volunteering to be a part of our Faith Formation program. For any information, please contact Fr. Jojan at 304-281-0086.

PLEASE NOTIFY US

If a family member is hospitalized, homebound or in an area nursing home, I would love to bring Holy Communion to our parish members who cannot come to us. Please call the Parish Office at 304-465-5445 or Fr. Jojan at 304-281-0086



To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please 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, please contact at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880. Please visit www.dwc.org. Our parish has Ms. Amy Inghram as the coordinator for our SSPP's Safe Environment team.

Gifts to the Altar

If you have a weekend Mass scheduled for a loved one, please be sure to tell the Ushers before Mass that you are there to carry the gifts to the Altar.

SSPP School News

Our first big fundraiser, Race for Education, will take place on October 11. If you would like to sponsor a child, or if you would like to donate to the event, please let me know. All money will go to fuel our operations account.

We do have a wish list...we are looking for desk chair mats for hard floors. Our staff roll chairs are hard on our floors, and desk chair mats would immensely assist in keeping the integrity of the floors. Each mat is \$62. If you are interested in donating for the cost of a mat, please contact the school.

The Diocese has now moved to a more automated system for Safe Environment. If you have volunteered for the school in any capacity, especially the fish fry, I will be updating records. Background checks have now changed to every three years for all volunteers and employees. As I update, you may receive an email that will link you to your VIRTUS account to update your records, so you will be in compliance.

We will continue to pray for our school and parish community for the generous outpouring of love, prayers, and support. The students, teachers, and staff thank you for all you do!
Natasha Seay, Principal

PASTORAL COUNCIL : Anthony Gerard (Chairperson), Herman Hundley, Dianne Murphy, Carol Anderson, John Woods, Robert Littreal, Susan Woods

FINANCE COUNCIL: Jim Lively (Chairperson), Mike Malay, Denise Light, Bill Klenk, Debbie Hatcher

If you have any concerns, please let our council know

Second Collection: September 24/25, 2022 ~ Catholic University of America

Altar Servers Training :

Saturday, Sept. 24, after 5:30p.m. Mass and Sunday, Sept. 25, after 8:00a.m. Mass.

Ushers Training:

Saturday, October 1, after 5:30p.m. Mass and Sunday, October 2, after 10:30a.m. Mass.

Eucharistic Ministers Training:

Saturday, October 22, after 5:30p.m. Mass and Sunday, October 23, after 10:30a.m. Mass.

SSPP's Knights of Columbus

- 1) September 25, at 12:00 noon in the Father Moore Room, there will be meeting concerning the SSPP Cemetery in Scarbro with Deacon Doug Breiding.
- 2) To all Knights who have not yet picked up their piggy bank for A.S.A.P. they are in Father Moore room.
- 3) Our pantry is in need of 12 to 14 oz boxes of cereal and Vienna sausages.
- 4) The Knights are inviting all catholic gentlemen over 18 to join us. Please see Anthony Gerard in church office.
- 5) **Food Pantry Assistance:** The facility will be available Monday—Friday, 830am to 2pm in the Fr. Moore Room. (Or by appointment) Please contact Anthony Gerard at 304-673-1054.

MASS IN SPANISH TWICE A MONTH: Sister Beverly and Sister Christian have been hard at work evangelizing and inviting the Hispanic community to come together for Masses in Spanish. Spanish Masses are planned twice each month, on the second Sunday at 7:00 AM, and on the fourth Sunday at 6:30 PM. Thanks to our lay missionaries for their hard work and dedication, and please pray for them. For more information, contact at 304-890-3386 or check their [Facebook Page](#): MisionBeckleyWestVirginia

Holy Hour and Rosary

As part of the National Rosary Congress, our parish is holding the Holy Hour and Rosary on Wednesday, October 5, at 9:00a.m. thru 10:00a.m.

All are welcome!

Installation as Pastor

On Thursday, September 29, at 5:30p.m. Mass Father Jojan Joseph will be installed as our pastor of SSPP. All are invited to join in this celebration. Very Rev. Father Sebastian Devasya, the Vicar Forane of Beckley Vicariate will be installing him as pastor. Please pray for our Priest.

MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE

Holy Mass intentions are available throughout 2022. Please call the office or drop intentions in the collection box to schedule. Holy Masses are offered for living and deceased.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE :

Join Father Leonard Smith for a Holy Land Pilgrimage on April 19 - April 28, 2023 for Itinerary and details, please log in to www.eocatholic.com there are also flyers available in the vestibule.

National Eucharistic Revival 2022– 2025

What are your suggestions to our parish level Eucharistic revival? Please let your pastor or pastor council know from you.

The Catholic University of America - provides funding for academic scholarships at The Catholic University of America in Washington, DC in response to the commitment made by the bishops at its foundation in 1887. It is the only U.S. university with Pontifical faculties. Students are enrolled from all 50 states and almost 100 countries in 12 schools.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule for September 24/25

Altar Servers	Readers	Ushers	Extraordinary E.M.	Sacristan
<u>Saturday, Sep. 24, 5:30pm</u> Jackson Pino, Steve Morel	Anthony Gerard	Sally Shay, Cindy Pino Terri Dodd, Susan Woods	Steve Morel	S. Morel
<u>Sunday, Sep. 25, 8:00am</u> Maggie Campbell, Kai Smith	Carol Anderson	Cindy Everly, Debbie Garvin Dianne Murphy, Kathryn Wickline	Dianne Murphy	A. Gerard
<u>Sunday, Sep. 25, 10:30am</u> Landon Kiliany Trypton Kiliany	Dan Doyle	Judith Connor Ladies Guild Members	Kathy Alexander Herman Hundley	H. Hundley A. Gerard

If you are unable to serve, please find a substitute