# Saints Peter & Paul Catholic Church

129 Elmore St., Oak Hill, West Virginia 25901



#### **PASTORAL STAFF:**

**Pastor**: Rev. Jojan Joseph

304-281-0086 or jjoseph@dwc.org
Parish Office Manager: Ms. Amy Inghram
Pastoral Secretary: Ms. Cindy Everly
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caitlinwatkins2002@gmail.com

Parish Office: 304-465-5445

Parish Email: ssppoffice@stsppcatholic.org

Parish Office Hours: Monday & Thursday

10:00am—6:00p.m. Tue, Wed & Fri: 9am —3pm

DRE: Natasha Mucho-Seay

<u>Ladies Guild:</u> Mrs. Susan Woods susanwoodsrx@gmail.com

#### Knights of Columbus/Food Pantry:

Mr. Anthony Gerard agerard1956@gmail.com

#### PARISH WEBSITE & Facebook Page:

http://www.stsppcatholic.org (FB) SSPPCatholicChurchOakHill,WV

#### Parish Mailing Address:

129 Elmore St., Oak Hill, WV 25901

#### **SCHOOL STAFF:**

<u>School Principal</u>: Mrs. Natasha Mucho-Seay nmucho@ssppcatholic.org

<u>School Secretary:</u> Mrs. Kristy Humphrey secty@ssppcatholic.org

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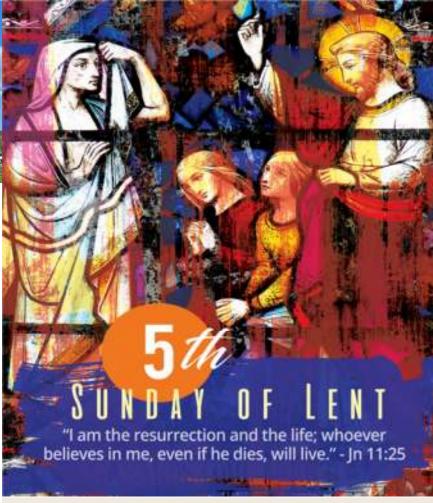
Parish/School Fax: 304 465-8726

#### SCHOOL WEBSITE

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# March 26, 2023

#### **Sacraments:**

# **Anointing of the Sick & visiting of the sick/homebound:**

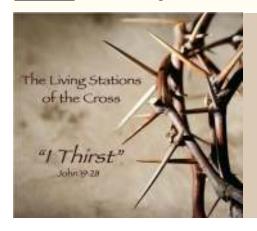
Please notify Fr. Jojan Joseph at 304-281-0086 **Baptism**: Contact Parish office or Fr. Jojan Joseph

**Confession**: Every Saturday from 4:15pm to 5:15pm and 30

minutes before weekday Masses.

Marriage: Contact Parish office or Fr. Jojan Joseph 6 months in

advance of the marriage date.



Palm Sunday, April 2, at 6:30pm

Presented By our CYO Class

Come and be Moved

#### WELCOME TO SSPP PARISH!

NEW MEMBERS - Catholics over the age of 18 (unless they are in school) are invited 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.

# This Week's Liturgy Schedule

Sat. Mar. 25 Vigil

5:30p.m. †Elizabeth LaRocco

reg. by Ardie & Michell Craddock

Sun. Mar. 26 5th Sunday of Lent

8:00a.m. †Trish Blake

req. by Debbie Hatcher

10:30a.m. For Our Parish Family

Mon. Mar.27

5:30p.m. †Family Members in Vietnam

req. by Mr. & Mr. James Jones

Tue. Mar. 28 No Mass

5:30p.m.

Wed. Mar. 29

8:30a.m. Good Health of Gina Demasi

req. by Mary Demasi

2:30p.m. School Stations of the Cross

Thu. Mar. 30 Stations of the Cross (6:00p.m.)

5:30p.m. †Deceased Knights of Columbus Members

req. by Knights of Columbus

Fri. Mar. 31 School Mass

8:30a.m. †Mary Kerby

req. by Booth Family

Sat. Apr. 1 Vigil Palm Sunday

5:30p.m. †Mary Kerby

req. by SSPPLG & Adult Faith Formation

Sun. Apr. 2 Palm Sunday

8:00a.m. †Michael Murphy

req. by Glenn & Dianne Murphy

10:30a.m. For Our Parish Family

### Rachel White, Missionary for Christ in the

City: Dear Friends at Saints Peter & Paul, I come to you to ask for support for a pilgrimage to Lisbon, Portugal for World Youth Day. My goal is \$2,000 for food, lodging & flights. This is a massive Cath-

olic conference where young adults from all over

the world meet, pray & worship together.

If you would like to contribute please Venmo

@big\_\_rach or mail checks to 4433 Almond St.

Philadelphia, PA 19137.

Any questions, my phone number is 304-663-8598,

my email is rachel94@christinthecity.org.

Thank you and God Bless you during this Lenten season.

# **EMHC Training: This Weekend**

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will have a training session on March 25 following 5:30pm Mass and March 26, following 8:00am & 10:30am Masses. It's an urgent meeting before we begin to distribute the, "Blood of Christ" on April 6. Also, this training session meets the criteria to renew EMHC every three years.

#### **New Eucharistic Ministers Needed**

Receiving the Precious Blood of Christ will require new Eucharistic Ministers. Please think of joining this ministry. Sign up sheet will be in the Vestibule.

Kathy Alexander, Co-ordinator

Liturgical Ministry Schedule for April 1/2			
Altar Servers	Readers	Ushers	Extraordinary E.M.
Saturday, April 1, 5:30pm	Anthony Gerard	Anthony Gerard	S. Morel
4 Volunteers	Randy Rosiek	John Woods, Susan Woods	R. Rosiek
Sunday, April 2, 8:00am	Aaron Kemlock	Anthony Gerard, Robert Littreal	D. Hatcher
4 Volunteers	Bill Klenk	Brenda Vargo, Scott Vargo	D. Murphy
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Sunday, April 2, 10:30am	Tom Gerencer	Anthony Gerard, Jose Ibarra	G. White
4 Volunteers	Herman Hundley	Eddie Chornobay, Art Gonzales Jim Jones, Fred Neudek	A. Gerard
If you are unable to serve, please find a substitute			

#### **LENTEN ACTIVITIES 2023**

#### **Stations of the Cross**

Wednesdays by SSPP Students at 2:30pm Thursdays at 6:00pm following 5:30pm Mass

#### **Living Stations**

Palm Sunday, April 2, at 6:30pm

#### **Lenten Penance Service**

Sunday March 26 at 3:00pm

#### **Book Study - The Eucharist**

Sundays 9:15am to 10:15am in Office Building

#### **HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

Holy Thursday, April 6 - 5:30p.m.

Washing of the Feet Repose of the Blessed Sacrament Repository open until 8:00p.m.

#### Good Friday, April 7 -

3:00p.m. Stations of the Cross 5:30p.m. The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

Easter Vigil - 8:00p.m. Saturday Evening

Easter Sunday - 8:00a.m. & 10:30a.m.

# **Stations of the Cross** (Following 5:30pm Mass)

Thursday, March 30 Lectors & Ushers

Living Station: Sunday April 2, at 6:30pm

#### MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE

Holy Mass intentions are available throughout 2023. Please call the office or drop intentions in the collection box to schedule. Holy Masses are offered for living and deceased.

#### Gifts to the Altar

If you have a weekend Mass scheduled for a loved one, please advise the Ushers, before Mass, that you are available to carry the gifts to the Altar.

#### **Last Weeks Attendance & Giving**

(Mar. 18/19, 2023)

Attendance:

Regular Collection Combined Masses

Weekly Offering	\$1,724.55	
Online	\$205.00	
School	\$75.00	
Votives	\$32.00	
Mass Intention	\$140.00	
Parish Maint.	\$25.00	
Food Pantry	\$00.00	
Easter Flowers	\$00.00	
2nd Collection	\$00.00	
Holy Land (April 7)		

#### Give Love, Live Love Campaign

as of Feb. 28, 2023

\$64,394.55

Assistance to school \$20,000.00 Interest Earned from Jan. 2023 \$8.24 I NEW ACCOUNT BALANCE \$44,414.06

## **Catholic Sharing Appeal 2023**

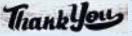
Parish Goal \$17,270.00

Received as of 3/20/2023 \$ 1,245.00 (7%)

\$16,025.00

#### Second Collection April 7, 2023

Pontifical Good Friday for the Holy Land Collection - support of the Holy Places, but above all for those pastoral, charitable, educational and social works which the Church supports in the Holy Land for the welfare of their Christian brethren and of the local communities.



Thank Daniel Maul's, Eucharistic
Lenten Retreat was a thought

provoking time. He is a vibrant and motivating speaker, and gave us much to think about. It was good to see all who joined in.

Thank you, to the Ladies Guild for providing refreshments and drinks for all.

**PLEASE NOTIFY US:** If a family member is hospitalized, homebound or in an area nursing home, I would love to bring

Holy Communion to those parish members who cannot come to us.

"We pray that those called to service in ministries of leadership in our communities may be inspired by the example of the humility of Christ and his early disciples."



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, please contact 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880. Please visit www.dwc.org under "Accountability" for additional information and reporting methods. Sts. Peter & Paul Church has named Amy Inghram the Coordinator for our church's Safe Environment team.

#### **Knights News**

The Gabriel Project is in need of diapers, sizes 4,5,6 & 7. Pull-up training pants in sizes 4t and 5t and hypoallergenic baby wipes. Items may be placed in boxes located in our vestibule or drop off at Father Moore room.

For more information, text or call Anthony Gerard, Grand Knight, at 304.673.1054 or email agerard1956@gmail.com.

### **Pastoral Council Nomination Form**

Please look through the Pastoral Council Nomination Form and volunteer yourself, or suggest an eligible Parish member. We are looking for **Two New Members**. The last date to submit names will be on Sunday, March 26, 2023. Place in the collection basket or in the Parish Office. The new Council will convene by the end of April. Extra forms are available in the Vestibule.

# SSPP Prayer Chain

Contact: If anyone is sick, hospitalized or just needs prayers, please call or text Paula Lagos @ 304-731-8889 (cell) or 304-574-3310.



#### Our Tabernacle

The meeting on Tuesday, March 14, revealed the hearts of the parishioners regarding the position of our Tabernacle. Hence, our Parish Pastoral Council will meet to finalize.

If anyone wants to give their suggestions, Father Jojan is available 24/7. Rev. Jojan Joseph

#### National Eucharistic Revival 2022–2025

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

"This is my Body given for you."

#### SSPP School News

There is one more Stations of the Cross scheduled for our school on April 5, 2023 at 2:30p.m.

SSPP School Spring Break begins on Good Friday April 7 through April 14, 2023.

New Enrollee Applications for 2023-2024 has begun. Contact school at 304-465-5045 or

www.ssppcatholic.org.

Hope Scholarship Program, which is a WV Treasury Program, can cover our tuition fees. For more information visit www.hopescholarshipwv.com.

Natasha Seay, Principal

ALL BAKERS... WE NEED YOUR HELP! EACH YEAR, VOLUNTEERS GRACIOUSLY DONATE HOMEMADE DESSERTS FOR FISH FRY EVERY WEEK. SINCE ALL OUR MEALS ARE TO-GO.



WE ARE REQUESTING ITEMS SUCH AS:
BROWNIES, COOKIE BARS, POUND CAKES, FUDGE,
CAKE BALLS, AND ANY OTHER DESSERTS THAT CAN
BE PREPACKAGED EASILY. PREFERRABLY NO ICING
OR ANYTHING THAT STICKS TO THE BAGS. WE ASK
THAT ALL DESSERTS ARE DROPPED OFF BY 3:00PM
EACH THURSDAY BEFORE FISH FRY (preferably prepackaged if possible) WE GREATLY THANK YOU IN ADVANCE!

#### 2023 FISH FRY FRIDAY: MARCH 31

Receiving Precious Blood of Christ: We will resume on Holy Thursday, April 6. While we believe that when one receives either the Body or Blood of Christ, one is receiving the whole Christ. "Those who are fearful or uncomfortable receiving from the Chalice, should not feel badly because the reception of the Sacred Cup has always been an option. If any of us has an illness, please refrain from the Cup out of concern for others."

#### **PASTORAL COUNCIL:**

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

<u>FINANCE COUNCIL</u>: Jim Lively (Chairperson), Mike Malay. Denise Light, Bill Klenk, Debbie Hatcher and Scott Vargo

If you have any concerns, please let our council know