

SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church

Oak Hill, West Virginia

Have a safe and Happy New Year!



Jan. 16 & 17, 2021

Second Sunday
In Ordinary Time



Important Reminders:

First Communion classes set to resume on Wednesday, January 20, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. If you have any question/concerns please contact Laura Kiliany .

No Mass Scheduled for Wednesday, January 20th.

This month's Vocation Prayer:

After hearing your call spoken among the People of God, Saint Anthony went out to the desert in search of a place where he could develop an intimate friendship with you. May we all find that place of quiet where your voice can be heard. Amen. (Monthly prayers found in Parish Calendar)

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

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Week of Mass Readings

January 18 - 24, 2021

Monday – Jan. 18 - Weekday (2nd Week in Ordinary Time)

Heb. 5: 1 - 10; Ps. 110: 1 - 4; Mk. 2:18 - 22

Tuesday – Jan. 19 - Weekday

Heb. 6: 10 - 20; Ps. 111: 1 - 2, 4 - 5, 9, 10c; Mk. 2: 23 - 28

Wednesday – Jan. 20 – St. Sebastian, Martyr; St. Fabian, Pope & Martyr

Heb. 7: 1 - 3, 15 - 17; Ps. 110: 1 - 4; Mk. 3: 1 - 6

Thursday – Jan. 21 – St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr

Heb. 7: 25 - 8:6; Ps. 40: 7 - 8a, 8b - 9, 10, 17; Mk. 3: 7 - 12

Friday – Jan. 22 - Weekday (Anniversary of Roe vs Wade) {purple}

Heb. 8: 6 - 13; Ps. 85: 8, 10, 11 - 14, Mk. 3: 13 - 19

Saturday – Jan. 23 St. Marianne Cope (USA) from Syracuse

Vigil of the 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jan.24 – Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (Sunday of the Word of God)

Jon 3: 1 - 5, 10; Ps. 25: 4 - 9; 1 Cor.7: 29 - 31; Mk 1: 14 - 20

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sat. Jan. 16 5:30p.m.	Vigil †M/M Theodore Dixon by, Marvin & Coletta Vandall
Sun. Jan. 17 8:00a.m.	2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time For All Parishioners
10:30a.m.	†Barbara Downs & William Daniel Downs by, Bill Downs
Tue. Jan. 19 5:30p.m.	†Bruce & Toni Webb by, Parish Friends
Wed. Jan. 20	NO MASS
Thu. Jan. 21 5:30p.m.	†Jeffrey Keith Burner by, Joe Brumer
Fri. Jan. 22 5:30p.m.	†Angel Wojtowicz Jewell by, Ed & Fay Wojtowicz
Sat. Jan. 23 5:30p.m.	Vigil †Vicki Caldwell by, Kathy Bracken
Sun. Jan. 24 8:00a.m.	Sunday of the Word of God †Saundra Hood by, Steve & Debbie Hatcher
10:30a.m.	For All Parishioners

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

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—Second Sunday in Ordinary Time - January 17, 2021

“Here I am Lord, I come to do your will.” (Psalm 40)

This psalm is a life changing situation for the people in the psalm times as they realize that ritual sacrifices was not a proper means of expressing gratitude to the Almighty. So, they had a major shift - from ritual sacrifices to informed obedience. The people in these psalm times have recognized that their relationship with God has matured. It now called for a deeper discernment of God’s Will - and a deeper meaning of that call. Psalm 40 now requires them and us to talk to God directly, and to surrender ourselves to God’s Will, as did Our Blessed Mother in the Annunciation.

Our Catholic Faith: *Ordinary Times in our Liturgy*

We cannot speak of Ordinary Times in our liturgy without referring to Sunday. The every seven day celebration of the Lord’s Day is the basic structure upon which the church year is built. Ordinary Times is not very ordinary at all. Ordinary times, the celebration of Sunday, is the identifying mark of the Christian community which comes together - to learn about our Lord’s teachings on discipleship, which is the fabric of Catholic Christian living. There are 34 Sundays in Ordinary Times that allow us all to reflect on how to follow our Lord Jesus Christ in a more intimate way - a thorough procedure of teachings of a different lifestyle of a disciple of Jesus Christ.

Announcements and Acknowledgements

- (1) Sincere appreciation and thanks to the care and prayers of our parish family during my quarantine.
 - a) Dr. Margaret Stagers - who continuously made home visits to check on my health.
 - b) to those who brought delicious food to the rectory.
 - c) to the comforting words I received with texts.
- (2) Let us continue to pray for the speedy recovery of those who are affected by the Virus. May God bring back their good health and strength.
- (3) To the Ladies and Gentleman Guilds of the Parish - for their complete dedication in our Christmas liturgical settings - and after, taking them down and shifting liturgical motifs to Ordinary Times. Our grateful thanks to their commitment to the parish.

(4) Prayer and Condolences:

Let us remember a parish family Mr. Bill Downs. His wife Barbara recently died. Let us all pray for the eternal repose of Barbara - and may God grant comfort to Bill and his family.



Last Weeks Attendance and Giving (Jan. 9/10, 2021)

	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Regular Collection</u>	<u>Combined Masses</u>
5:30 pm	24	Wkly Offering	\$2,530.00
		Cath. Charities	\$25.00
8:00 am	16	Flowers	\$25.00
10:30 am	32	School	\$100.00
		Online	\$305.00
		Parish Maint.	\$75.00

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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