# Saints Peter & Paul Catholic Church

129 Elmore St., Oak Hill, West Virginia 25901



# **PASTORAL STAFF:**

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# **Knights of Columbus/Food Pantry:**

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# **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

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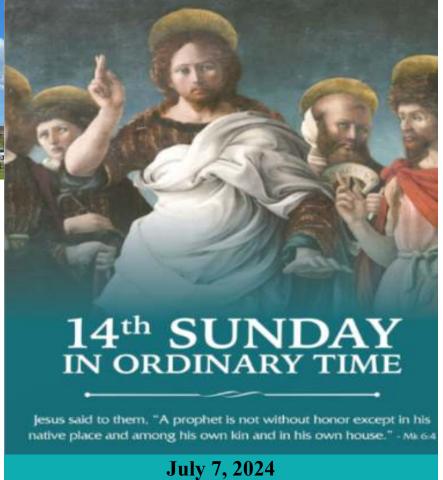
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# Sacraments

## **Baptism**

Contact Parish office or Fr. Jojan to schedule the Baptism and make arrangements for the required parent preparation session.

### **First Holy Communion**

First Eucharist is celebrated in April/May for children who are enrolled in second grade at either Saints Peter & Paul Catholic School, or the Faith Formation Program of our Parish.

# **Confession**

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available every Saturday from 4:15pm to 5:15pm, and before or after weekday Masses.

## Confirmation

Celebrated for students in 9th grade who have been prepared during their 8th grade year. Catholic adults who have not been confirmed should contact the Parish Office to be included in the celebration.

<u>Marriage</u> Contact Parish office or Fr. Jojan Joseph <u>6 months in</u> advance of the marriage date.

### Anointing of the Sick & Visiting of the Sick/Homebound

Please notify Fr. Jojan Joseph at 304-281-0086

# 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. July 6 Vigil

5:30p.m. †Locant & Garvin Families

req. by Debbie Garvin

Sun. July 7 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00a.m. For Our Parish Family 10:30a.m. †Marie Herrmann

req. by Michell Craddock

Mon. July 8 No Mass

Tue. July 9

5:30p.m. †Orville Richard Gamby

req. by Brad DeFlumeri & Rachel Roush

Wed. July 10

5:30p.m. †Patty & George Vargo

req. by Scott & Brenda K . Vargo

Thu. July 11

5:30p.m. †Jim Hagedorn

req. by John & Susan Woods

6:00p.m. Adoration

Fri. July 12

5:30p.m. †Jr. - Leeona

reg. by James & Hue Jones

Sat. July 13 Vigil

5:30p.m. Good Health of Frances & Eugene Allgood

req. by Booth Family

Sun. July 14 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00a.m. †Florence Bias req. by Tom Bias

10:30a.m. For Our Parish Family

Saints Peter & Paul Parish will be celebrating all weekday Masses at 5:30p.m. until school is back in session in August 15.

**Patron Saint's Peter & Paul Feast Day** was a great celebration. Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for their flag ceremony and the Ladies Guild who blessed us



with refreshments, something for everyone. It is a blessing to be able to share our parishes devotion with so may visitors. Thank you to all those who participated.



Liturgical Ministry Schedule for July 13/14				
Altar Servers	Lectors	<b>Hospitality Ministers</b>	Extraordinary E.M.	
Saturday 13, 5:30p.m.				
Magnolia Campbell		Rebecca Stinnett	Steve Morel	
	Randy Rosiek	Curtis Richards	Emma Davis	
Sunday 14, 8:00a.m.				
		Debbie Garvin	Debbie Hatcher	
Brandt & Blake Kemlock	Aaron Kemlock	Anthony Gerard	Dianne Murphy	
Sunday 14, 10:30a.m.		Fred Neudek		
		Andy Wickline		
CJ Wickline		Eddie Chornobay	Herman Hundley	
	Barbara Breshock	Ron Sheehan	Gemma White	
If you are unable to serve, please find a substitute				



Saints Peter & Paul Parish will be represented at the 2024 National Eucharistic Congress by our very own Rev. Jojan Joseph & parishioner Gabriel Covington.

Let us pray for the success of the Eucharistic Congress and it's goal, that we all ask him to revive our love of the Eucharist and breath his life into our dry bones.

Let us also pray for the safe journey of *Our Pilgrims* that they may return with the zeal to enliven our parish as though we were all there!

# Pope's Prayer Intention for July For The Pastoral Care of The Sick

Let us pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, bestows the Lord's strength to those who receive it and to their loved ones, and that it may become for everyone an ever more visible sign of compassion and hope.



# **Do you want to become Catholic? Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)**

Our first meeting will be Sunday, September 1, 2024. from 9:15a.m. -10:00a.m. in the Father Moore room. Do you know anyone interested in becoming Catholic? If a family member or friend has shown interest in our faith, please encourage them to join our OCIA program.

If you have friends or family who have questions about our faith or if you have questions about your Catholic faith, consider attending the OCIA classes.

**O.C.I.A.**/ **Inquirer Information Forms** can be found in the back of the Church. Please be as thorough as possible when completing this form. Completed forms may be submitted to the Parish office.

# Last Week's Attendance & Giving

June 29/30, 2024

Attendance: 329

Regular Collection Combined Masses

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Weekly Offering	\$2	,855.00
Online	\$	510.00
School	\$	50.00
School Maintenance	\$	25.00
Parish Maintenance	\$	100.00
Votives	\$	27.00
Second Collection -	\$	25.00
Catholic Communications		
Mass Intentions	\$	20.00
Catholic Sharing	\$	0.00
Give Love Love	\$5	,791.00

Thank you for your generous support

# Second Collection: July 21, 2024 Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign - Connect with Christ and the Catholic Campaign for Human Development

Half of your donation will stay in our diocese to support local communications efforts. The other half will support national projects in the United States and around the world. Learn more at www.usccb.org/ccc.

# **Adult Bible Study**

Sunday's: 9:15a.m. - 10:15a.m. Jesus in the Eucharist Study #7



# **Ladies Guild Gift Card Basket**

Don't forget to get your tickets! To help finance parish events we are raffling off over \$700 in gift cards. Tickets are \$3 each or 4 for \$10. The drawing will be on Sunday, August 11 at the Parish picnic. See any ladies guild member for tickets or after

weekend masses. You could be the lucky winner!



# **GIVE LOVE ~ LIVE LOVE Campaign**

5 new donations \$5,791 as of 7/1/24



The purpose of this campaign is for the repair of the school roof and a new Church portico.

Our first phase goal of \$50,000 has been reached!!

Our final phase of **GIVE LOVE-LIVE LOVE** Campaign goal is \$22,203.59.

To reach our goal, we are running short of \$16,412.59

We are 326 families and if half of them donate, we will conquer our final phase.

Total donations received: 93 Total raised to date: \$60,985.41 Thank you to all who have participated in this campaign & generously donated!







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 Cindy Everly the Coordinator for our church's Safe Environment team.

# Eucharistic Revival



Father in heaven, you have made us for yourself; our hearts are restless until they rest in you. Fulfill this longing through Jesus, the Bread of Life, whose sacramental Body we receive in the Eucharist,

Parish Revival

so that we may witness to him who alone satisfies the hungers of the human family.

By the power of your Spirit

lead us to the heavenly table where we may feast on the vision of your glory for ever and ever, Amen.

# **School News**

Ss. Peter & Paul School is seeking a 4th/5th grade teacher for the 2024-2025 school year. Candidate should have a bachelor's degree preferably in education. Applicant needs to be able to create lesson plans and implement curriculum that align with state standards, have a passion for teaching, and support students in their academics. Qualified applicants should have teaching certification or be willing to pursue certification. For more information, please contact Natasha Seay at 304-465-5045 or email her at nmucho@ssppcatholic.org.

~Natasha Mucho-Seay, Principal

<u>New Enrollment:</u> We are accepting new students for the 2024-25 school year, and we accept the Hope Scholarship. To apply for our school, please visit www.ssppcatholic.org.



The WV Hope Scholarship is now accepting applications for the 2024-25 school year. The amount of the scholarship is \$4,921.39 which will cover the tuition with money left over for supplies. To apply, please visit hopescholarshipwv.com.

<u>Preschool:</u> We still have openings for our preschool, especially for three-year-olds. If you or someone you know is interested, they may contact the school for more information or go to <u>ssppcatholic.org</u> to apply online. The cost is \$3,475 for the school year, and payments can be made in monthly installments.



## SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, August 11th, 4:00p.m.

# Saints Peter & Paul Parish Picnic

SSPP Parish will be celebrating the end of summer vacation with a parish picnic!

Where: SSPP school grounds/cafeteria

**Food:** Potluck for side dishes, everyone bring your families favorite dish or ethnic dinner.

Ladies Guild to provide hamburgers, & hotdogs, buns & drinks.

Fun & Games for all ages: There will be basketball hoops, corn hole contests, light up lawn darts, and many other games. A lot of fun and prizes.

Kids just for you:

<u>Knights News:</u> Grand Knight: Dr. Ricky White 1-405-812-5448 Rickyd.white@gmail.com

**Thanks** to all the Knights of Columbus that took part in the flag ceremony.

Starting this weekend there will be **food pantry envelopes** for the parish to help donate money for the pantry. The Knights will lead the charge to help with the food purchase.

Saint Francis de Sales and Saints Peter and Paul are starting to plan this years **rummage sale.** 

Location: Saint Francis de Sales gymnasium. Items to be donated drop off times are: Aug 3rd and 4th after each mass, Aug 5th - 8th after 5pm. All donated items are to be taken directly to Beckley.

Rummage Sale starts Aug. 9th from 8am to 4pm and Aug. 10th from 8am to 2pm in Saints Francis gym.

<u>PASTORAL COUNCIL</u>: Anthony Gerard (Chairperson), Herman Hundley, Dianne Murphy, John Woods, Robert Littreal, Susan Woods, Andre Re, Rob Rosiek and Marty Mrozek.

<u>FINANCE COUNCIL</u>: Jim Lively (Chairperson), Mike Malay. Denise Light, Bill Klenk, Debbie Hatcher, Scott Vargo and Elizabeth Campbell, Natasha Mucho-Seay (Ex-officio)

If you have any concerns, please let our Council know

# Patron Saints Peter and Paul Feast Day June 29, 2024





Saints Peter & Paul pray for us.







# **Opening Ceremonies**

The Congress will open with a major procession as we welcome all four branches of the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage to their final destination and prepare for the arrival of the King.



# **Jesus Arrives**

The procession will culminate when Jesus enters the stadium, carried by Bishop Cozzens in a massive monstrance created specifically for the Congress. The Eucharist will take center stage, and the stadium will fall silent as we adore the King on his throne.











Camp Carlo 2024





Register online at campcarlowv.org





June 30 - July 6 July 7 - July 13 July 14 - July 20 July 21- July 27





Make friends with other young people!





Spend time riding horses, swimming, hiking, and many more fun activities!

Participate in regular Mass, Adoration, and entertaining catechesis!





The Cursillo leadership group, of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, is planning a mini retreat, for all Cursillistas (individuals who have already attended a Cursillo weekend) who are interested in gathering together, in the name of the Jesus Christ and the Cursillo Movement, in our diocese.

It will be held at the St. John XXIII Pastoral Center, in Charleston, on Saturday, August 17th. Free lodging will be available for those individuals and couples who come from a great distance.

It will be an all-day retreat, from morning until the late afternoon. Lunch will be provided.

The retreat will consist of prayer, presentations, discussions, and planning.

If you'd like to register for the retreat, or if you'd like more information, please contact Daniel Maul, at dmaul@dwc.org, or call 304-233-0880, ext. 376.



# "TEACH US TO PRAY"

Living the Year of Prayer in Preparation for Jubilee 2025

## THE JUBILEE PRAYER

Father in heaven. may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

> May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen

> > Franciscus



In order to register, an engaged couple must be referred by their pastor, associate pastor deacon who is assisting Preparation them in preparation for their marriage.

Register online at Wheeling-Charleston Retreats or Go to https:// dwc.org

### **UPCOMING DATES**

July 13-14, 2024 at John XXIII Nov. 16-17, 2024 at John XXIII

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Final Phase Target is \$22,203.59

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