

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
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- Baptism:** Please call the parish office
Reconciliation: Sunday & Friday 7:30-8:15 AM or by appointment
Marriage: Arrangements made at least 6 months in advance. Call the parish Office for information.
Parish Registration: Contact the parish office. Registration is important for pastoral and other church needs and services. There are registration forms in the gathering space.
Sick & Homebound: Let us know if you wish for a visit.
In the Hospital: If you are in the hospital, have someone call the parish office to inform us.
Prayer Line: Dorothy Swearingen 304-564-5177.

<u>Mass Dates & Times</u>	<u>Intentions</u>
March 17, Sunday, 8:30 AM	+Vicki Wedgewood by Rich & Lori Kaczmarek
March 21, Thursday, 8:30 AM	+The People of the Parish
March 22, Friday, 8:30 AM	+Robert & Florence Merritt by Sue & Tim Horne
March 23, Saturday, 8:30 AM	+William Webster by JoAnn Klakos
March 24, Sunday, 8:30 AM / Palm Sunday	+Luke Cooper by David & Jennifer Quarterman

<u>Mass Dates & Times</u>		<u>Ministry Schedule</u>	
March 17, Sunday, 8:30 AM		<u>Readers</u>	<u>Extraordinary Ministers</u>
March 24, Sunday, 8:30 AM-Palm Sunday		Matt Burskey	David & Jennifer Quarterman
		Jennifer Quarterman / Beth Dicks	Larry Binkoski
<u>Mass Dates & Times</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Greeters</u>	<u>Gift Bearers</u>
March 17, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Tyler Dillon	Dan Robinson	Andrew McDonald/Michelle & Tanner Dudick
March 24, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Taylor & Evelyn Woodbury	Pam Riggi	Norma Moore & Dave Burskey

March 10, 2024 Sharing Our Time, Talents, and Treasures. Thank you for your Generosity!

Envelopes	\$1,046.00
Loose	\$36.00
Candles	\$48.00
Maintenance	\$5.00
Priest Retirement Fund	<u>\$10.00</u>
Total	\$1,145.00

Attendance: 65

Please pray for the sick and shut ins

Susie Clapton, Kathy DeFrancesco, Kendall Dunbar, Anthony Everly, Daniel Frederick, Anita Guire, Allison Hannick, Carol Lorenzoni, Eliza Mazezka, Brook McFarland, Mickey McHaffie, Irene Mesler, Jeanne Pratt, Ed Rettinger, Cindy Roeger, Blaine Sadler, Brendon Sadler, Marge Swartzmiller, Linda & Ray Terpack, Mary Kay Westlake, Nora White, Kurt White

If you have a name to be added to or removed from this list, please call the parish office. Please inform us about the progress of those we pray for.

New Cumberland Food Closet
Canned Fruit
Thank you for your generosity!

From the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston

To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may contact WV Child Protective Services at 800-352-6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by Personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling Charleston, please contact the Diocese at 888-434-6237 or 304-233-0880.

2023 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS are available for your tax preparations. Please contact Janice at 304-387-0198 or 304-564-5068 or shp2226ches@dwc.org to get a copy of your statement.

PRAYERS FOR OUR CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES who will receive the fullness of the Holy Spirit on May 12 from Bishop Brennan: *Caleb Dicks, Tyler Dillon, Bryce Emler, Adriana Reese, Evelyn Woodbury, Marshall Woodbury, and Taylor Woodbury.*

LENTEN CONFESSIONS Sacred Heart, Chester, March 17, 2:00 – 3:00 PM. Fr. Bill will be in the cry room, while Fr. John will be in the confessional.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Sacred Heart, Chester, Thursday, March 21, 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM. Mass follows Adoration at 6:00 PM.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Immaculate Conception: Adoration 5:30 PM, Stations 6:30 PM

Sacred Heart: Rosary 6:00 PM, Stations 6:30 PM

WOMEN'S CLUB will have their next meeting today following Mass. All women of the parish are welcome to attend.

WOMEN'S CLUB will be hosting the Hancock County Retired School Employees on Tuesday, March 19, for their luncheon meeting. Salads for the luncheon should be at the church by 11:00 AM on Tuesday. For early delivery the church door at the back parking lot will be open Monday evening until 8:00 PM and again on Tuesday morning beginning at 7:30 AM. Thank you for your help and generosity.

TRIDUUM LITURGIES

3/28 *Holy Thursday Mass* 7:00 PM at both parishes

3/29 *Good Friday Service* 3:00 PM at Sacred Heart; 7:00 PM at Immaculate Conception

3/30 *Blessing of Easter Baskets* at Immaculate Conception. Time to be announced.

3/30 *Easter Vigil Mass* 8:00 PM at Sacred Heart

3/31 *Easter Sunday Mass* 8:30 AM at Immaculate Conception; 11:00 AM at Sacred Heart

Please sign up to pray in front of the Blessed Sacrament after Holy Thursday Mass. Times are in 30 minute increments.

We need a member from the Men's Club and one from the Finance Council for the Holy Thursday foot washing.

There is a ministry sign-up sheet in the gathering space for Holy Week. We will need *Altar Servers, Extraordinary Ministers* and *Readers* for *Holy Thursday* and *Good Friday*.

PALM SUNDAY / GOOD FRIDAY READINGS For those who will read on Palm Sunday and Good Friday your Readings are in the Sacristy with your names on them. Please pick them up this Sunday.

HOPE SCHOLARSHIP Parents, have you considered sending your child(ren) to Madonna HS, Saint Joseph the Worker Grade School, or Saint Paul Grade School for a Catholic education? **OPEN HOUSE** on Monday, March 11, 6:00 – 7:30 PM. This Scholarship can make a Catholic education possible for your child(ren). Questions??? Call 304-723-0545 or email info@weirtonmadonna.org.

TAX DAY RAFFLE Madonna H.S. is selling raffle tickets for a drawing on 4/15/2024. The winner gets \$5,000.00. The winning number is the one that matches that day's WV Daily 3. Tickets are \$20 each and are available in the parish office. Deadline for purchasing tickets is Monday, April 8.

