

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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- Baptism:** Please call the parish office  
**Reconciliation:** Sunday 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 &amp; Times</u>	<u>Intentions</u>
May 12, Sunday, 8:30 AM	+All Mothers Living and Deceased / Confirmation Students
May 16, Thursday, 8:30 AM	+The People of the Parish
May 17, Friday, 8:30 AM	+Charles & Edith Smith
May 19, Sunday, 8:30 AM	+John McAvoy by the Rensi, Monk & Gilman Families

<u>Ministry Schedule</u>			
<u>Mass Dates &amp; Times</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Extraordinary Ministers</u>	
May 12, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Confirmation Students	Lori Kaczmarek / Larry Binkoski	
May 19, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Beth Dicks	Jennifer & David Quarterman	
<u>Mass Dates &amp; Times</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>	<u>Greeters</u>	<u>Gift Bearers</u>
May 12, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Vanessa Dicks / Jennifer DiLullo	Dan Robinson	Confirmation Students
May 19, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Vanessa & Caleb Dicks	Pam Riggi	Tom & Nancy Sobel

**May 5, 2024 Sharing Our Time, Talents, and Treasures. Thank you for your Generosity!**

Envelopes	\$2,051.00
Loose	\$28.00
Candles	\$46.00
Maintenance	\$270.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$10.00
Mothers' Day Cards	<u>\$133.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,538.00</b>

**Attendance: 78**

**Please pray for the sick and shut ins**

Susie Clapton, Kathy DeFrancesco, Kendall Dunbar, Fr. Chapin Engler, Anthony Everly, George Foley, Daniel Frederick, Anita Guire, Allison Hannick, Helen Kirpan, Carol Lorenzoni, Eliza Mazezka, Brook McFarland, Mickey McHaffie, Irene Mesler, Fr. That Son Ngoc Nguyen, Jeanne Pratt, Ed Rettinger, Cindy Roeger, Blaine Sadler, Brendon Sadler, Linda & Ray Terpack, 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**  
**Assorted Cereals**  
**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.

**THANK YOU** to our parishioners who prepared our Confirmation candidates to live the Catholic life guided by the fullness of the Holy Spirit's gifts: *Beth Dicks, Tanya Dillon, Jo Ellen Kessel, Amy Woodbury.*

**PRAYERS FOR OUR CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES** who are receiving the fullness of the Holy Spirit today from Bishop Brennan: *Caleb Dicks, Tyler Dillon, Bryce Emler, Adriana Reese, Evelyn Woodbury, Marshall Woodbury, and Taylor Woodbury.*

**PIRATES BASEBALL GAME, ALTAR SERVERS** Our parish wants to reward our servers by providing them with tickets to a Pirates home game. Please contact the parish office if you want to attend.

**ADDITIONAL LECTORS** There is a sign-up sheet in the gathering space for those who want to be trained as lectors. Anyone from third grade to infinity is welcome to lector. This is the last weekend to sign up to serve as a lector. Training will take place at the beginning of June.

**CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL** As of May 1, we are at **84%** of our goal. Pledged **\$6,750.00. 24** donors. Thank you for your generosity. There are CSA envelopes and donation cards in the gathering space. Even if you can give just a small amount, it helps us. Since we have surpassed 50% of our goal, all money donated now returns to the parish. We do not pay diocesan tax on CSA donations.

**NEW SCHEDULES** are available in the gathering space for *Altar Servers/Extraordinary Ministers/Readers/Gift Bearers* for May/June and *Greeters* for May/June/July. You can also view them on our website at: <https://immaculateconceptionnc.org>

**WOMEN'S CLUB** will have their next meeting Sunday, May 25, following Mass. All women of the parish are welcome.

**DIVINE MERCY GROUP** will have their next meeting Tuesday, May 21, at 6:30 PM.

**WELCOME Msgr. Joseph Peterson** who will preside at Mass, May 19.

**FR. JOHN LANGAN, SDB** will be in residence again in June and July. He is taking two courses at Franciscan University this summer. He arrives at the beginning of June and departs at the middle of July.

**THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** is looking for Catholic men to join the Weirton Council #3734. Please pick up a card in the gathering space to register online, or call Larry DeRosa 304-670-4513. Thank you!

**MEMORIAL MASS FOR BABIES WHO DIED BEFORE BIRTH** The FertilityCare Center will sponsor a Memorial Mass for babies who died before birth whether by miscarriage, abortion, ectopic (tubal) pregnancy and whether occurring recently or years ago. The Mass will be celebrated on Friday, May 17, at 7:00 PM at Sacred Heart of Mary, 200 Preston Ave., Weirton. Confessions will be available at 5:30 PM. Please call 304-723-0478 to RSVP.

**SAVE THE DATES: June 20, 21, 23** The National Eucharistic Pilgrimage will be coming to the Northern Panhandle. You are invited to gather for Masses, Eucharistic Adoration, Eucharistic Processions, and praise and worship. Events will take place at St. Joseph the Worker, Sacred Heart of Mary, St. Paul's in Weirton, Steubenville and Wheeling. Times and location of events will be published in upcoming bulletins or visit: [www.eucharisticpilgrimage.org/st-elizabeth-ann-seton-route](http://www.eucharisticpilgrimage.org/st-elizabeth-ann-seton-route).

**HAPPY MOTHERS' DAY** to our mothers, grandmothers, godmothers, and spiritual mothers!



