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<u>Baptism:</u>	Please call the parish office			
<u>Reconciliation:</u>	Sunday & Friday 7:30-8:15 AM or by appointment			
<u>Marriage:</u>	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.			
<u>Sick & Homebound:</u>	Let us know if you wish for a visit.			
<u>In the Hospital:</u>	If you are in the hospital, have someone call the parish office to inform us.			
<u>Prayer Line:</u>	Dorothy Swearingen 304-564-5177.			
Mass Dates & Time	<u>es</u>	<u>Intentions</u>		
January 14, Sunday, 8:30 AM		+Vicki Wedgewood by Anne Eisenhart		
January 18, Thursday, 8:30 AM		+The People of the Parish		
January 20, Saturday, 8:30 AM		+The Getsinger Family by Friends		
January 21, Sunday, 8:30 AM		+Mary Lou Rossi by Larry & Nancy DeRosa		

Ministry Schedule						
Mass Dates & Times		<u>Readers</u>		Extraordinary Ministers		
January 14, Sunday, 8:30 AM		Jo Ellen Kessel		Tanya Dillon		
January 21, Sunday, 8:30 AM		Bonnie Burskey		Jennifer Quarterman / David Quarterman		
Mass Dates & Times	Altar Servers		Greeters	Gift Bearers		
January 14, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Taylor & Evelyn Woodb	ury	Pam Riggi	Larry & Nancy DeRosa		
January 21, Sunday, 8:30 AM	Vanessa & Caleb Dicks/	Гyler Dillon	Carol Lorenzoni	Elizabeth Dicks / Mary Ann Bainbridge		

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Talents, and Treasureyour Generosity!EnvelopesLooseCandlesMaintenanceChurch Dev. WorldCatholic Charities	es \$2,398.00 \$82.00 \$21.00 ance \$250.00 Dev. World \$25.00 Charities \$25.00 ffering \$130.00 lowers \$5.00 ts \$10.00 ty of Mary \$10.00 as Offering \$25.00 \$2,981.00	Kathy DeFrancesco, Kendall Dunbar, Anthony Everly, Daniel Frederick, Anita Guire, Allison Hannick, Rich Kaczmarek, Eliza Mazezka, Mickey McHaffie, Irene Mesler, Jeanne Pratt, Ed Rettinger, Cindy Roeger, Blaine Sadler, Brendon Sadler, Marge Swartzmiller, 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.
Initial Offering Easter Flowers All Saints Solemnity of Mary Christmas Offering Total Attendance: 73		New Cumberland Food Closet Assorted Cereals Thank you for your generosity!From the Diocese of Wheeling-CharlestonTo 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.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS are offered to *JoAnn Clark*. Have a special birthday and a healthy and blessed New Year 2024!

NEW SCHEDULES for January and February for Altar Servers/Extraordinary Ministers/Lectors/Gift Bearers are in the gathering space. Please pick one up at your earliest convenience.

FINANCE COUNCIL will have their next meeting on Sunday, January 21, following Mass.

SPECIAL COLLECTION for the Holy Land will be taken this weekend. Envelopes are available in the gathering space for your use.

ALL-DAY ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, FRIDAY, JANUARY 19

Sacred Heart Parish will have adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM on Friday, January 19, 2024, to join in prayer with the thousands attending the March For Life in Washington, DC. We pray that our nation will uphold the dignity of human life and shun the scourge of abortion. Please sign up for one hour of prayer in the church that day. There will not be Friday morning Mass or confessions at Immaculate Conception. Rather, Mass and confessions will be Saturday, January 20.

DIVINE MERCY CENACLE GROUP meets twice in January: January 9 and January 23, at 9:30 AM, in the Sacred Heart Center Library. We study the Bible, the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and the Diary of Saint Faustina. We will meet in the mornings during the winter months. All are welcome! If school is closed or delayed, our session is canceled.

WOMEN'S CLUB will have their next meeting on Sunday, January 28, following Mass.

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FOOD CLOSET During 2023 Immaculate Conception provided the following support of the New Cumberland Food Closet: 580 food items, \$1,345.00 financially (\$665.00 to the church and \$680.00 sent directly to the Food Closet) as well as volunteer hours. Your caring generosity is greatly appreciated. During the year 325 families have been helped. Many, many thanks!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WEIRTON COUNCIL #3734 will host a Mardi Gras Dinner on Friday, February 9, at 7 PM at the Blue Steel Café Restaurant of Steel Valley Lanes. Authentic New Orleans food will be served, and music provided by the Matt Hill & Friends Jazz Band. Reservations are \$30 per person to cover the cost of dinner and reservations are due by Monday, January 22. Seating is limited, so please respond early to Larry DeRosa 304-670-4513, Nick Yoklic 304-914-6582, or Jim Gerlando 304-604-2785.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING SEMINAR will be held at St. Michael's Angelus Center 1225 National Rd. Wheeling on Thursday, January 18, from 8:30 AM-11:30 AM. There will be speakers from law enforcement and community members. This free event will be hosted in person and virtually via WebEx. Registration is required by calling 304-234-7743 or use the QR code found on the flyer on the bulletin board to go to the registration page.

CPR/AED TRAINING is available at Weirton Medical Center on these dates/times: *Thursday, January 25, 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Tuesday, February 13, 6:00-8:00 PM* Register at 304-797-6054. Cost \$25.00.

FERTILITY*CARE* **CENTER** Do you want a natural and effective way to plan your family or are you experiencing infertility or other women's health issues? If so, then the Creighton Model Fertility*Care* System can help. For more information or to register for an Introductory Session call Kathy Hirkala at 304-723-0478.