



Assumption Catholic Church

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May You Find Christ Here...May You Bring Christ To The World!

May 31, 2020



Mass Schedule:

Saturday, 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, 12 noon

Friday, 9:00 a.m.

Pre-registration is currently required

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Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday

9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Bulletin Deadline:

Wednesday, 12 noon

Sunday Reflection – Pentecost Sunday

Do we know and experience in our own life the gift and power of the Holy Spirit? After his death and resurrection Jesus promised to give his disciples the gift of the Holy Spirit. He said to them, Receive the Holy Spirit! (John 20:22) Jesus knew that his disciples would need the power of the Holy Spirit to carry out the mission entrusted to them. The gift of the Holy Spirit was conditional upon the ascension of Jesus to the right hand of the Father. That is why Jesus instructed the apostles to wait in Jerusalem until you are clothed with power from on high (Luke 24:49).

The Holy Spirit is given to all who are baptized into Jesus Christ to enable us to live a new way of life - a life of love, peace, joy, and righteousness (Romans 14:17). The Holy Spirit fills our hearts with the love of God (Romans 5:7), and he gives us the strength and courage we need in order to live as faith-filled disciples of the Lord Jesus. The Spirit helps us in our weakness (Romans 8:26), and enables us to grow in spiritual freedom - freedom from doubt, fear, and from slavery to our unruly desires (2 Corinthians 3:17). Isaiah foretold the seven-fold gifts that the Spirit would give: wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, and fear of the Lord (Isaiah 11:2). Let us pray: Lord Jesus, we thank you for the gift of Pentecost and for the new life you offer in the Holy Spirit. Fill us with your Holy Spirit and set our heart ablaze with the fire of your love that we may serve you in joy and freedom. Amen.

Readings for Sunday, June 7

(Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity)

Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

John 3:16-18

Send Your Angel to Holy Mass Prayer



We first shared this special prayer (at right) in April while churches were still closed.

Since so many of our parish family members are still not able to attend Mass, the pews in our church that are unusable to ensure social distancing

having been reserved for their Guardian Angels.

Thank you to Jean Harber and Sue Harber for decorating our church so beautifully and creatively!

Send Your Angel to Holy Mass Prayer

*O holy Angel at my side,
Go to the church for me.
Kneel in my place at Holy Mass
Where I desire to be.*

*At Offertory in my stead
Take all I am and own,
And place it as a sacrifice
Upon the Altar Throne.*

*At Holy Consecration's bell,
Adore with Seraph's love.
My Jesus, hidden in the Host,
Come down from Heaven above.*

*Then pray for those I dearly love
And those who cause me grief,
That Jesus' Blood may cleanse all hearts,
And suffering souls relieve.*

*And when the Priest Communion takes,
Oh bring my Lord to me.
That His sweet heart may rest on mine,
And I His temple be.*

*Pray that this Sacrifice Divine
May mankind's sin efface.
Then bring me Jesus' blessing home,
The pledge of every grace. Amen.*

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, May 30

4:00 p.m. - Mary Wagoner's Intentions

Sunday, May 31

8:30 a.m. - Katie Kuhn's Intentions

Monday, June 1

No Mass

Tuesday, June 2

No Mass

Wednesday, June 3

6:00 p.m. - James DeMasi †

Thursday, June 4

12 noon - Deceased Members of the
Hoover & Dickel Families †

Friday, June 5

9:00 a.m. - John Turner †

Saturday, June 6

4:00 p.m. - Herman Wise †

Sunday, June 7

8:30 a.m. - Sr. CCD Students' Intentions

Collections & Attendance:

May 23-24, 2020

Offertory Envelopes.....	\$2,780
Loose Contributions.....	\$230
Repairs & Maintenance.....	\$15
Diocesan Collections.....	\$195
Votive Candles.....	\$0
Poor Box.....	\$0
Total	\$3,220
Saturday Attendance.....	26
Sunday Attendance.....	20
Total	46

Second Collection This Week

A Diocesan collection takes place this Sunday, May 31, for Peter's Pence. This fund allows Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works around the world.

Since the offertory is not taken up during Mass, please drop your envelope for Peter's Pence in the basket with your weekly envelope.



PENTECOST SEQUENCE

Veni, Sancte Spiritus

Come, Holy Spirit, come!
And from your celestial home
Shed a ray of light divine!
Come, Father of the poor!
Come, source of all our store!
Come, within our bosoms shine.

You, of comforters the best;
You, the soul's most welcome guest;
Sweet refreshment here below;
In our labor, rest most sweet;
Grateful coolness in the heat;
Solace in the midst of woe.

O most blessed Light divine,
Shine within these hearts of yours,
And our inmost being fill!
Where you are not, we have naught,
Nothing good in deed or thought,
Nothing free from taint of ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew;
On our dryness pour your dew;
Wash the stains of guilt away;
Bend the stubborn heart and will;
Melt the frozen, warm the chill;
Guide the steps that go astray.

On the faithful, who adore
And confess you, evermore
In your sevenfold gift descend;
Give them virtue's sure reward;
Give them your salvation, Lord;
Give them joys that never end.

Amen. Alleluia.

Pre-Registration for Mass Continues

For Weekend Masses

To ensure we maintain social distancing guidelines and to avoid more parishioners attending than we can safely accommodate, we will continue to pre-register for all **weekend** Masses for the foreseeable future.

Ways to register:

Online (<https://signup.com/go/LNZufWb0>)

Email (acckwv@gmail.com)

Phone (304.788.2488)

For Weekday Masses

Because attendance is currently low for weekday Masses, if you decide to attend but have not pre-registered, you're welcome to come. We can register you when you arrive.

Schedule for Live Streamed Mass from the Diocese

As a reminder since we are no longer recording Mass at our church, Mass is broadcast live from the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Wheeling every weekday at 12:05 p.m. and every Saturday at 6:00 p.m. The recorded Saturday Mass airs every Sunday at 11 a.m. and is available until 12:05 p.m. on Monday.

To access Mass from the Diocese:
www.dwc.org/home/Mass.

The Word Among Us for June

Copies of *The Word Among Us* for June are available in the back of the church. Additional copies are available in a tote on the porch of the rectory so that our parishioners who are not yet able to attend Mass can pick one up.

Thank You!
very much

For Supporting
Our Parish!

Congratulations Seniors!

We will celebrate our graduating senior CCD students at Mass next Sunday, June 7.

Congratulations to our Class of 2020:

Jaden Brant
Rebekah Rhodes
Ryan Shoemaker
Don Woodworth



Prayer List

To have a name added or removed from the list, please call or email the parish office or put a note in the collection basket.

Jennifer Boling	Helen Holder*
Wanda Bruno*	Viola Huffman*
Bobby Dorsey	Tom Rutherford*
Joe & Barbara Gratto	Sue Spotts
Sue & Mick Greco	Bonnie Whetzel

**Piney Valley resident*

(135 Southern Drive, Keyser, WV 26726)

Weekly Email Announcements

Parish announcements are sent by email at the beginning of each week. If you are not receiving them, please call or email the Parish Office. Thank you!

Lector Schedule

Saturday, June 6..... Kenny Brant
Sunday, June 7..... CCD Senior
Saturday, June 13 Karen Yowler
Sunday, June 14 Kelley Kuhn

If you cannot fulfill your scheduled date, please arrange for a replacement.