

# Sacred Heart CATHOLIC CHURCH



2015 ADAMS AVENUE,  
HUNTINGTON, WV 25704

OCT 6, 2024 | THE 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*“But from the beginning  
of creation, God made  
them male and female.”*  
- Mk 10:6

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### PARISH STAFF

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### WORSHIP

#### WEEKEND LITURGIES

Saturday Evening: 5:00pm  
Sunday Morning 9:00am

#### WEEKDAY LITURGIES

Monday: NO MASS  
Tuesday: Adoration: 4PM  
Mass: 5PM  
Wednesday: 8:30AM  
Thursday: NO MASS  
Friday: 8:30AM MASS  
First Friday: 9AM-10AM  
Benediction/Adoration after Mass

### PARISH CENTER

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9:00am-2:00pm  
*(Bulletin Deadline: Monday by  
10:00am)*

Phone: (304) 429-4318

Parish Email: [shcchwv@gmail.com](mailto:shcchwv@gmail.com)

Parish Facebook: [fb.com/shcchwv](https://www.facebook.com/shcchwv)

Parish Website: [shcchwv.com](http://shcchwv.com)



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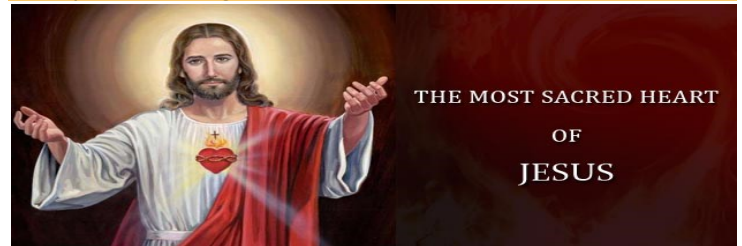


**CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS**

- CCD/Youth Leader**  
Jim Schray: (304) 697-6932
- Finance Council Chairperson**  
Pat Reger: (304) 522-2031
- Burke Foundation**  
Wayne Budrus: (304) 523-3501
- Parish Council Chairperson/Men's Club**  
Ron Gazdik: (304) 417-1213
- St. Ann Circle President**  
Katie Ergenekon: (540) 539-4881
- Parish Pastoral Council**  
3rd Wednesday of every month 6:00pm
- St. Ann Circle**  
2nd Tuesday of month 1:00pm
- Men's Club**  
3rd Monday of the month 6:00pm (Sept -June)
- OCIA/RCIA**  
September-May Wednesdays 5:30pm



- BENEDICTION/ ADORATION**  
Tuesdays: Adoration 4:00PM, Mass 5:00PM  
First Friday: 8:30AM Mass; Benediction/Adoration 9-10AM
- RECONCILIATION**  
Saturday 4:00 - 4:45pm. Anytime by appt.
- BAPTISM**  
By appointment. Parents should be registered in parish at least 6 months. Instructions required.
- MARRIAGE**  
Arrangements made AT LEAST 6 months in advance. Instructions required, and parishioners registered in the parish at least 1 year.
- ANOINTING OF THE SICK**  
Please notify Fr. Paul prior to surgery or in times of illness. Also, please notify us when a parishioner is in the hospital, nursing home, or is homebound.



**WELCOME TO SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 Our warmest welcome to all who are visiting us for today's Liturgy. If you are not officially registered in the parish and would like to become a member, please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket.  
 Please use this form to also note any address and/or family information changes.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of members in household: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**  
 Sacred Heart Church is a small family-oriented parish serving West Huntington and Northern Wayne County community through Word and Ministry. Our primary goal is to announce the Good News of Jesus Christ to everyone in our area. In our Social Ministry we reach out to help the many poor and needy in our midst, with special concern for the elderly and the homeless.

**THE DIOCESE OF WHEELING-CHARLESTON ; TO REPORT SUSPECTED CASES OF SEXUAL ABUSE TO CHILDREN**  
 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 to the Diocese, please contact the Diocese at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880. Please visit www.dwc.org under "accountability" for additional information and reporting methods.



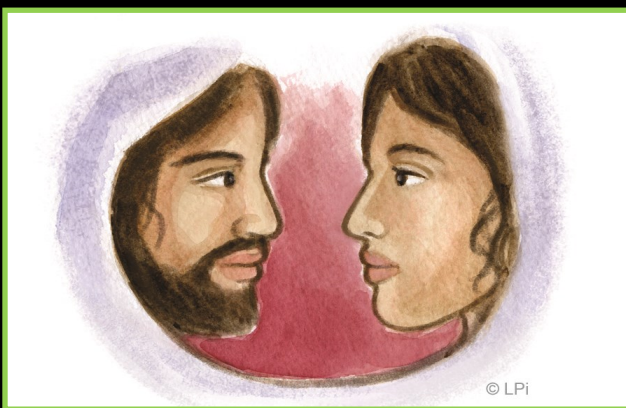
## October 6, 2024

## 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

As a young pastor years ago, I met with a middle-aged couple who had been divorced and civilly remarried. They were frustrated that an annulment had to precede a Church marriage. Sympathizing with their plight, I promised to walk with them along their journey. Once as we sat in my office, the man said to me, "Why is the Church so difficult on marriage?" I replied, "Actually, Jesus' teaching is what's difficult." He furrowed his brow and asked what I meant. We opened the Bible and together read today's gospel passage from Mark 10:12 in which Jesus says, **"Whoever divorces his wife and marries another, commits adultery with her..."** My two friends sat in silent astonishment. Surely Jesus understands the complexities of human life and sexual love. The words hung thick and heavy in the air. How could the merciful Lord be so seemingly unrealistic in his expectations, especially with so much divorce and remarriage in our world? I didn't know what to say. So, we kept reading. Next, Jesus says, **"Let the children come to me."** The innocence of children allows them to receive and give love, to trust unconditionally, to believe in love that endures. Most children aren't yet jaded by statistics, broken hearts, or dysfunctional relationships. Children remind us of the world to come. The couple and I began to talk about child-like trust in Jesus and his teaching, and we continued to move forward. When it comes to the Church's demanding teaching on marriage, it's best to approach it as trusting children, whatever situations in which we find ourselves. – *Father John Muir*



He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?" They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss her." But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, **God made them male and female.**" - Mk 10:3-6



"For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. So they are no longer two but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, no human being must separate." - Mk 10:7-9

### 27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### Prayer for Marriage

God, pour Your blessings upon those You have called to marriage. Strengthen the bonds of their unions. May Your love be revealed in the ways they cherish and support each other, in good times and bad, for richer or poorer, in sickness and in health. Amen.

### Oración por el Matrimonio

Dios, derrama Tus bendiciones sobre aquellos a quienes has llamado al matrimonio. Fortalece los lazos de sus uniones. Que Tu amor se revele en las formas en que se aprecian y se apoyan mutuamente, en los buenos y en los malos momentos, en la riqueza y en la pobreza, en la salud y en la enfermedad. Amén.

### Message from Sister Mary Kay:

Dear Members of Sacred Heart Parish, I enjoyed my visit to your parish and meeting so many of you. Thank you for your prayers and for your generosity to our missions in the Dominican Republic and the Philippines. Know you are in my prayers and the prayers of all the Sisters. Blessings! Sister Mary Kay Homan

### SAVE THE DATES

- Octo 6th 3:00PM: Rosary Rally at St. Joseph's Church
  - Oct 20th 9:00AM: Rosary Procession after Mass
  - Oct 22nd 6:00PM: Finance Council
  - Oct 26th 5:00PM: Chili Cookoff after Mass (kids can wear their Halloween costumes)
- Schedule your home blessings for October—call the office at 304-429-4318

# 4 STEWARDSHIP AND PRAYER

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## OUR STEWARDSHIP

SEPT 21 & SEPT 22, 2024

Loose and Envelopes	\$1,488.00
2nd Collection—Catholic University	\$150.00
Mission Collection—Adrian Dominican Sisters	\$1,000.00
Candles	\$13.00
Storehouse Food Pantry	\$25.00
Collection Total	\$2,676.00
Mass Attendance	Sat 5:00 pm: 54 Sun 9:00 am: 51 Total: 105

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Ruth Angle	Fr. Chuck McGinnis
Beverly Beldon	Mario Mendez
Rose Blankenship	The Vincent Mendez family
Linda Blatt	Francisco Mendoza
Donald Brooks	Catalina Mendoza
Margaret Brooks	Tom Michaels
Marietta Brumbaugh	Maria Morabito
Nancy Burrell	Viola Parsley
Anna Burke	Felicia Perry
Sarah Cash	Joan Radcliffe
Scott Chaffin	Dave Rice
Markai Chandler	Leo Rudnytzky
Mike Clark	Ricky Sebastiani
Trey Clayborne	Sister Elizabeth
Kay Cox	Pat Stach
Jennifer Eastham-Chapman	Josh Straud
Capri Elswick	Carolyn & Barry Smith
Elizabeth George	Judi Smith
Linda Gutierrez	Trish Smith
Brooke Howerton	Craig Spaulding
Amanda Hunter	Sam & Lydia Spurlock
Robert Hutton	Louise Tamlyn
Susan Johnson	Dreama Taylor
Conner Karr	Denise Taylor
Delores Law	Michael Taylor
Joe Leonoro	Monica Thompson
Hannah Long	Earl Wall
Pat Manis	Loretta Whitfield
Andrea Markham	Jean Williams
Mandy Martinez	Jim Wright

### PRAYER LIST

We believe in the power of prayer. If you have someone you would like to add to the prayer list call: (304-)429-4318 or email [shcchwv@gmail.com](mailto:shcchwv@gmail.com)

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please notify Fr. Paul in times of illness, prior to surgery, and when in the hospital, nursing home, or you are homebound. Call (304) 397-0694

### CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL

We have met **91% of our goal as of 23 Sept with \$9,500 contributed and a goal of \$10,485. Thank you to all who have contributed.** The first 50% of our Parish goal goes to various ministries & outreach efforts. Everything over the 50% of the Parish goal comes back to the Parish.



### SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

The Diocese requires all volunteers to have a criminal background check and take "Safe Environment" training annually. Both are available on the VIRTUS website. The background check needs renewed every three years. Results from the background check are not revealed to the Parish Staff; but, if there is something that may keep you from working with children, the Diocesan Safe Environment Office will contact Father Paul directly. Additionally, printed VIRTUS material and a verification form can be provided to you. If this is your first time to complete Virtus, please go to [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org) to fill out the form and view the video. Click on "First Time Applicant" and the program will direct you from there.

## WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 6TH 2024

- Sunday:** Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (see 5)/ Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12
- Monday:** Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c/Lk 10:25-37
- Tuesday:** Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Lk 10:38-42
- Wednesday:** Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Lk 11:1-4
- Thursday:** Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Lk 11:5-13
- Friday:** Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 11:15-26
- Saturday:** Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 11:27-28
- Next Sunday:** Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 (14)/ Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27



### LAS LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA DEL 6 DE OCTUBRE DE 2024

- Domingo:** Gn 2, 18-24/Sal 127, 1-2. 3. 4-5. 6 (ver 5)/ Heb 2, 9-11/Mc 10, 2-16 o 10, 2-12
- Lunes:** Gal 1, 6-12/Sal 110, 1-2. 7-8. 9 y 10/Lc 10, 25-37
- Martes:** Gal 1, 13-24/Sal 138, 1-3. 13-14. 14-15/Lc 10, 38-42
- Miércoles:** Gal 2, 1-2. 7-14/Sal 116, 1. 2/Lc 11, 1-4
- Jueves:** Gal 3, 1-5/Lc 1, 69-70. 71-72. 73-75/Lc 11, 5-13
- Viernes:** Gal 3, 7-14/Sal 110, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/Lc 11, 15-26
- Sábado:** Gal 3, 22-29/Sal 104, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7/Lc 11, 27-28
- Domingo siguiente:** Sab 7, 7-11/Sal 89, 12-13. 14-15. 16-17 (14)/Heb 4, 12-13/Mc 10, 17-30 o 10, 17-27

## PRAY FOR ALL WHO HAVE GONE BEFORE US

### MASS INTENTIONS

- SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5**  
5:00PM The People of the Parish
- SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6**  
9:00AM +Daniel Wall  
By Sister Terance
- MONDAY, OCTOBER 7**  
No Mass
- TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8**  
5:00PM Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion of our Parish
- WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9**  
8:30AM The Souls in Purgatory
- THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10**  
No Mass
- FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11**  
8:30AM +Jack Lipps  
By: MaryAnn Lipps
- SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12**  
5:00PM The People of the Parish
- SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13**  
9:00AM +Marcella Corkrean  
By: Suzanne Manin

**MASS INTENTIONS:** SUGGESTED LEVEL OF GIVING IS \$20 FOR WEEKEND OR \$10 FOR A DAILY MASS. ANY OFFERING IS WELCOMED. IF YOU DON'T HAVE FUNDS TO OFFER, YOU ARE STILL ENCOURAGED TO REQUEST YOUR INTENTION

## LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

- SATURDAY OCTOBER 5**  
Lector: Eileen Rupel  
Extraordinary Ministers: Sally Scheibelhood & Sue Stanley
- SUNDAY OCTOBER 6**  
Lector: Mary Ruth Pruitt  
Extraordinary Ministers: Vince Macri & Rita Howerton
- SATURDAY OCTOBER 12**  
Lector: Sandee Lloyd  
Extraordinary Ministers: Jenny Bias & Kristy Blankenship
- SUNDAY OCTOBER 13**  
Lector: Kristen Earl  
Extraordinary Ministers: Vince Macri & Rita Howerton
- SATURDAY SERVERS**  
Coby M & Katy S
- SUNDAY SERVERS**  
Aldo M; Chase R; Bentley R; & Zachary E



# 6 COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## SACRED HEART ASSIGNMENTS - OCTOBER 2024

Date	Lector	Extraordinary Minister	Altar Servers	Money Counters
5	Eileen Rupel	Sally Scheibelhood & Sue Stanley	Coby M & Katy S	
6	Mary Ruth Pruitt	Vince Macri & Rita Howerton	Chase R, Bentley R, & Zachary E	Ron Gazdik & Eileen Farren
12	Sandee Lloyd	Jenny Bias & Kristy Blankenship	Coby M & Katy S	
13	Kristen Earl	Vince Macri & Rita Howerton	Chase R, Bentley R, & Zachary E	Eileen Farren & Jim Schray
19	Kristy Blankenship	Sue Stanley & Serafina Nester	Coby M & Katy S	
20	Kateryna Schray	Vince Macri & Jim Schray	Chase R, Bentley R, & Zachary E	Eileen Farren & Joe Bickar
26	Kristy Blankenship	Jenny Bias & Sally Scheibelhood	Coby M & Katy S	
27	Kateryna Schray	Vince Macri & Rita Howerton	Chase R, Bentley R, & Zachary E	Ron Gazdik & Joe Bickar

# EVENT CALENDAR

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# October 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	1	2	3	4	5
			Knitters 1-3PM	No Mass	First Friday <i>Novena to Sacred Heart &amp; Benediction after Blessing of Animals</i> 5:30PM Mass 8:30AM	Mass of Healing  Mass 5PM
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Ordinary Time Mass 9AM	Stitching Group 6-9PM No Mass	Adoration 4PM Mass 5PM	Knitters 1-3PM  Mass 8:30AM	St. Ann visit to the Wayne Monastery 1-4PM No Mass	Mass 8:30AM	Mass 5PM
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Ordinary Time Mass 9AM	No Mass	Adoration 4PM Mass 5PM	Knitters 1-3PM Storehouse Food Pantry Pickup Mass 8:30AM	No Mass	Engineers Meet 5-9PM Mass 8:30AM	Hall rental in the afternoon (baby shower) Mass 5PM
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rosary Procession after Mass Ordinary Time Mass 9AM	Men's Meeting 6PM No Mass	Finance Council 6PM Adoration 4PM Mass 5PM	Knitters 1-3PM  Mass 8:30AM	No Mass	Chili Cookoff after 5PM Mass Mass 5PM	Mass 5PM
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
Ordinary Time Mass 9AM	No Mass	Adoration 4PM Mass 5PM	Knitters 1-3PM  Mass 8:30AM	Trunk or Treat Parking Lot 6-8PM No Mass	Mass 8:30AM	Mass 5PM
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Changes in Red						