



SACRED HEART

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday, January 18th, 2025 / Domingo, 18 de Enero, 2025

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time / Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
BEHOLD
THE LAMB
OF GOD.
— JOHN 1:29 —



Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday Evening | 5:00pm

Sunday Morning | 9:00am

Weekday Masses

Monday No Mass

Tuesday No Mass

Wednesday No Mass

Thursday No Mass

Friday No Mass

First Friday Benediction/Adoration
9:00am-10:00am

Confession

Saturday | 4:00pm - 4:45pm

or by appointment

Horario de Misas

Misas de Fin de Semana

Sabado | 5:00pm

Domingo | 9:00am

Misas Diarias

Lunes No hay Misa

Martes No Hay Misa

Miercoles No hay Misa

Jueves No hay Misa

Viernes No hay Misa

Primer Viernes Benediction/Adoration
9:00am-10:00am

Confesión

Sabado | 4:00pm - 4:45pm

or por cita

About Us / Sobre Nosotros

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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Parish Office Hours/Horario de la Oficina

Monday - Friday: 9:00am - 2:00PM
Lunes - Viernes: 9:00am - 2:00PM

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Parish Staff & Organizations/ Personal Parroquial y Organizaciones

Pastor / Pastor

Rev. Fr. Paul Vazhappilly
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Parish Secretary & Bookkeeper /

Secretaria Parroquial y Contadora
Lucy Gedies (Monday - Wednesday)/(Lunes a Miercoles)
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Jasmine Mendoza (Thursday-Friday)/(Jueves y Viernes)
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Music Director / Directora Musical

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Finance Council/Consejo de Finanzas

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Kristy Blankenship: (606) 922-5778

Parish Council & Men's Club/Consejo Parroquial y Club de Hombres

Ron Gazdik: (304)417-1213

Parish Council /Consejo Parroquial

3rd Wednesday of every month 6:00PM
Tercer miércoles de cada mes a las 6:00PM

St. Ann Circle/Grupo de Santa Ana

2nd Tuesday of the month 1:00pm
Segundo Martes del mes 1:00PM

Men's Club

3rd Monday of the month 6:00PM (Sept-June)
Tercer Lunes del mes 6:00 p.m. (Septiembre-Junio)

OCIA/RCIA

September-May: Wednesdays at 5:30pm
Septiembre-Mayo: Los Miercoles a las 5:30PM



Benediction/Adoration

Tuesdays: Adoration 4PM, Mass 5pm
First Friday: 8:30am Mass, Benediction/Adoration 9-10am

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00pm-4:45pm or anytime by appointment

Baptism

By Appt. Parents should be registered in the 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

Church Connection / Conexión Parroquial



Stewardship / Mayordomía

Week of Jan 3- Jan 4 , 2025 • Semana de Enero 3 - 4, 2025

The Epiphany of the Lord

Loose & Envelopes	\$2,850.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$486.00
Storehouse Food Pantry	\$100.00
Candles	\$3.00
Collection Total	\$3,439.00

Mass Attendance	
Sat: 42	Sun: 64
Total: 106	

Give online at <https://sacredheartparishhunting.flocknote.com/give>.

Thank you for your support!

Catholic Sharing Appeal

We met 204% of our Catholic Sharing Appeal goal and everything over the first 50% is returned to the Parish. To date, we have received \$5,681.00

Change in Safe Environment Policy

If you have hesitated in signing up to be an Extraordinary Minister, Reader, Usher, Greeter, Money Counter or any other volunteer ministry THAT IS NOT INVOLVED WITH CHILDREN, the Diocese is no longer requiring a criminal background check or to be VIRTUS approved. However, if you will be working with children, then you will need to have VIRTUS training. We encourage those who had served in the past to sign up again. Forms (bright green) are in the back of the Church. Thank you to all who give of your time and talent to build up the Church.

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.

Stay Connected with Our Parish!

Register online through Flocknote to stay up to date on parish announcements, events, and important updates. Information that was in ParishSoft has been transferred to Flocknote, so your basic information might already be there. You'll also be able to easily track your contributions and connect with our parish community. Sign up today, or update your information, and never miss what's happening at our parish!
<https://SacredHeartParishHunting.flocknote.com/register>



Announcements/Anuncios

It's common to hear belief in Jesus and the Church mocked as blind faith and credulity. But in reality, it is deeply human and rational. Think about it: we rely on the testimony of others constantly. I trust chemists who certify the safety of toothpaste and cleaning products. I trust engineers when I use a microwave or drive over a bridge. Why? Because they have studied and seen what I have not, and their testimony proves itself in daily life. That kind of trust is not irrational; it is how human knowledge works. In today's Gospel, John the Baptist declares: "Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God" (John 1:34). That is the language of an eyewitness. It invites us into a very human act: trusting someone who has directly encountered something – or Someone – we have not yet fully seen ourselves. The Church's faith is built on this kind of reliable sight-based testimony. The Apostles did not make abstract claims. They saw, followed, suffered for, and proclaimed Jesus Christ. Over centuries, their witness – carried in Scripture, in the lives of the saints, and in the sacramental life of the Church – has proven dependable. We come to know its truth by assenting to it, by living and studying it, praying with it, trusting it. Faith in Christ is not a childish leap into the dark. It is a step into the light of testimony that proves itself over time.

– Father John Muir

Your paragraph text



John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. He is the one of whom I said, 'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me because he existed before me.'" - Jn 1:29-30



John testified further, saying, "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him. I did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water told me, 'On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit.' Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God." - Jn 1:32-34

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Blessing of the Beloved

Dear God, Bless and anoint us today. You are our Father and guide. Remind us of our identity in You: loved, called, and equipped for mission. Bless us as we journey, giving us strength for each day and grace in each step.
Amen.

Bendición del Amado

Dios mío, Bendícenos y úngenos hoy. Tú eres nuestro Padre y guía. Recuérdanos nuestra identidad en Ti: Amados, llamados y equipados para la misión. Bendícenos en nuestro camino, dándonos fuerza para cada día y gracia en cada paso.
Amén.



January 19: Men's Meeting 6PM Parish Hall

January 24: Catholic Men's Prayer Breakfast 9AM in the St. Joseph Parish Hall

Feb 7-8: Soup Donations for Super Bowl Weekend

Prayer & Readings / Oración y Lecturas

Readings / Lecturas

Sunday/Domingo

Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2 and 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

Monday/Lunes

1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday/Martes

1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday/Miércoles

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday/Jueves

1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday/Viernes

1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday/Sábado

2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday/ Proximo Domingo

Is 8:23-9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

Mass Intentions / Intenciones de Misa

Saturday Jan 17

5:00PM
+Tom Michaels
by: Velda Michaels

Sunday Jan 18

9:00AM
People of the Parish

Monday Jan 19

No Mass

Tuesday Jan 20

No Mass

Wednesday Jan 21

No Mass

Thursday Jan 22

No Mass

Friday Jan 23

No Mass

Saturday Jan 24

5:00PM
People of the Parish

Sunday Jan 25

9:00AM
Sue Stanley's birthday
by: Kristy Blankenship

Mass Intentions

Suggested level of giving is \$20 for Weekend or \$10 for Daily. Any offering is welcomed. If you do not have funds to offer, you are still encouraged to request your intention

Please Pray for / Por Favor Oren por

Ruth Angle

Connie Beford

Beverly Beldon

Jo Bess

Jennifer Blatt

Jeannie Bolt

Margaret Brooks

Marietta Brumbaugh

Anna Burke

Rachel Burke

Nancy Burrell

Judy Callahan

Sarah Cash

Scott Chaffin

Markai Chandler

Lalon Clark

Mike Clark

Tony Clifford

Kay Cox

Deborah Criss

Marilyn Divita

Jennifer Eastham-Chapman

Capri Elswick

Katie Ergenekon

Elizabeth George

Bob Gleason

Linda Gutierrez

Nancy Holley

Brooke Howerton

Robbie Ittig

Susan Johnson

David Keefer

Delores Law

Jenny Leonoro

Joe Leonoro

Shelia Lester

Hannah Long

Wes Lynch

Pat Manis

Andrea Markham

Mandy Martinez

Fr. Chuck McGinnis

Mario Mendez

The Vincent Mendez family

Aldo Mendoza

Catalina Mendoza

Francisco Mendoza

Karol Milroy

Maria Morabito

Viola Parsley

Felicia Perry

Joan Radcliffe

Dave Rice

Ricky Sebastiani

Wesley Slone

Judy Smith

Pat Stach

Josh Stroud

Carolyn & Barry Smith

Trish Smith

Craig Spaulding

Sam & Lydia Spurlock

Louise Tamlyn

Dreama Taylor

Denise Taylor

Michael Taylor

Earl Wall

Loretta Whitfield

Jim Wright

Special Intention for

Healing

January Birthdays

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|----|----------------|----|-------------------|
| 1 | Larry Keith | 19 | Ray Guarnieri |
| 3 | Bernie Kerns | 20 | Raegan Criss |
| 5 | Ruth Reger | 21 | Mike Scheibelhood |
| 12 | Ruth Angle | 26 | Mary Ann Lipps |
| 13 | Rita Howerton | 31 | Damien Merrifield |
| 17 | Isaac Quintero | 31 | Kristen Earl |
| 18 | Sue Stanley | | |

Date	Lector	Extraordinary Minister	Altar Servers	Money Counters
Jan 3, 2026	Eileen Rupel	Jenny Bias & Serafina Nester	Katy S.	
Jan 4, 2026	Mary Ruth Pruitt	Vince Macri & Rita Howerton	Chase R, Bentley R, & Zachary E	Ron Gazdik & Eileen Farren
Jan 10, 2026	Sandee Lloyd	Sue Stanley & Jenny Bias	Katy S.	
Jan 11, 2026	Kristy Blankenship	Vince Macri & Rita Howerton	Chase R, Bentley R, & Zachary E	Joe Bickar & Mark Blatt
Jan 17, 2026	Eileen Rupel	Jenny Bias & Serafina Nester	Katy S.	
Jan 18, 2026	Kateryna Schray	Vince Macri & Jim Schray	Chase R, Bentley R, & Zachary E	Eileen Farren & Paul Muth
Jan 24, 2026	Kirsty Blankenship	Sue Stanley & Serafina Nester	Katy S.	
Jan 25, 2026	Mary Ruth Pruitt	Vince Macri & Rita Howerton	Chase R, Bentley R, & Zachary E	Eileen Farren & Joe Bickar
Jan 31, 2026	Sandee Lloyd	Jenny Bias & Serafina Nester	Katy S.	

JANUARY 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
				SOLEMNITY OF MARY MOTHER OF GOD: HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION	FIRST FRIDAY BENEDICTION AFTER 8:30AM MASS	
				9 AM MASS	8:30 AM MASS	5:00PM MASS
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD CCD	STITCHER'S GROUP 6-8:30PM		KNITTER'S 1-3PM			
9:00 AM MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	5:00PM MASS
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD CCD		ST. ANN CIRCLE MEETING 1PM	KNITTER'S 1-3PM		ENGINEER'S MEETING 6PM	
9:00 AM MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	5:00PM MASS
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME CCD	MEN'S MEETING 6PM		KNITTER'S 1-3PM			
9:00 AM MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	5:00PM MASS
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME CCD			KNITTER'S 1-3PM			
9:00 AM MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	5:00 PM MASS