ST. MARYS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS: Mon. – Closed - Call the Rectory for sacramental emergencies Please only use for sacramental emergencies (illness or death). Thanks 276-228-1019 Tues., Wed., Thurs. 9 am – 5 pm Fri. 9 am – 3 pm

MASS SCHEDULE: Fridays 12:00 pm unless otherwise posted differently; <u>Confessions</u> <u>immediately following or by appointment.</u> Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Edwards: Sunday 11:00 am

St. Marys Weekly Calendar

Saturday, January 28	5:00 pm Liturgy Intentions-Lillian Reynolds
Sunday, January 29	9:00 am Liturgy
Monday, January 30	Office Closed
Friday, February 3	12:00 pm Liturgy
Saturday, February 4	5:00 pm Liturgy Intentions-Robert Lindeman
Sunday, February 5	9:00 am Liturgy Presider-Bishop Barry
	Knestout
	Liturgy Intentions-Eva Deibert

Liturgy Intentions for Sat., Jan. 28th are in loving memory of Lillian Reynolds given by Joan Kahwajy-Anderson.

SECOND COLLECTIONS

February 4-5 St. Marys Capital Improvement

Please continue your prayers for our sick and homebound: Doris Graham, Michaela Bethard, Emil Butler, Brother John, Glenn Carroll, Helen Conrad, Gene Deshler, Charlotte Driggers, Yvonne Grothues, Jean Thomas McClamroch, BJ Miller, Steve Mohr, Bill Mutschler, Joe Padgett, Sister Mary Ellen, Ray Raffeinner, Jeff Russell, Michele Sealander, Dolly Shumate, Judith Sweeten, Don Westphal, Joan Word, Norah Young. <u>If there is anyone</u> that you would like to add to or can be removed from the list, please email, or call the office. Thank you!

Thank you to Barnett and Grubb Funeral Homes for their continued support of our bulletins!!

Barnett Funeral Home Tom & Judy Reese 325 S. Church Street/PO Box 558 Wytheville, VA 228-3121

Grubb Funeral Home 6th & Spring Street Wytheville, VA 228-3101 Helping families in time of need

UPCOMING FIRST FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3RD: A reminder that the rosary and benediction begins at 11:00 am before the Mass begins at 12:00 pm. Everyone is welcome.

<u>OLD PALMS</u>: Ash Wednesday, February 22, 2023 - You may begin bringing in your old palms to be burned for ashes for Ash Wednesday. The deadline is **Sun., Feb. 12th.** Thank you.

UPCOMING BISHOP VISIT: Bishop Barry Knestout will be coming to St. Marys for a "**Parish Celebration**" on **Sunday, February 5**th to officially install Father Boat as Pastor, to bless our new pews and improvements to the church, and preside over the Mass. **This is the last weekend to sign up for the reception if you are interested in attending.**

<u>COMMONWEALTH CATHOLIC CHARITIES</u> is looking for people that are interested in becoming Foster Parents. If you may be interested, please see Father Boat and he can get you the contact information.

Sacrificial Offering

January 21-22, 2023

Operating Funds\$1103.75Capital Improvement\$10.00Respect Life\$329.00

Monthly Finance Report ending 12/31/2022

You can find these UPDATED figures on the bulletin boards. Thank you.

HOPE PACK PROGRAM: We continue to accept donations for the Hope Pack Program in memory of Deacon Charles May. The baskets and envelopes are in the gathering space and at the Monroe Street entrance. *Please make all checks payable to Hope, Inc and designate in the memo for Hope Packs in memory of Deacon Charles May. Plastic shopping bags continue to be accepted.* Thank you for your continued support.

DOG/CAT FOOD AND CAT LITTER DONATIONS: URGENT REQUEST: Brother John is continually accepting cat and dog food donations. Please leave them at the Monroe Street entrance. He is grateful for your continued support. **Please pass the word.**

<u>THE AGAPE FOOD PANTRY:</u> Requested for the <u>first quarter</u> of 2023 is cereal, rice, and canned beans. Thank you for your continued support.

FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER: Along with the needed items on the list on the wall above the bin, packaged plastic silverware is now welcome/accepted. They can use this along with all other paper products when they must house a family in a motel. *Please include in the designated container in the gathering space.* Thanks.