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 immediately</u> following or by appointment.

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Edwards: Sunday 11:00 am

St. Marys Weekly Calendar

Saturday, June 8 5:00 pm Communion Service in the Absence of

a Priest-Deacon Rick Furman

Sunday, June 9 9:00 am Communion Service in the Absence of

a Priest-Deacon Rick Furman

 Monday, June 10
 OFFICE CLOSED

 Friday, June 14
 NO NOON LITURGY

 Saturday, June 15
 5:00 pm Liturgy

 Sunday, June 16
 9:00 am Liturgy

SECOND COLLECTIONS

June 8-9

Peter's Pence

<u>PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION:</u> This weekend is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and charitable works of Pope Francis. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html

Please continue your prayers for our sick and homebound: Shirley Knack, Kathy Lindsay, Keesha Arnold, James Biertzer, Kevin Biertzer, Brother John, Helen Conrad, Jason Conrad, Gene Deshler, Charlie Dix, Charlotte Driggers, Lori Francis, George Fuderer, Chris Meserve, Suzanne Molloy, Bill Mutschler, Sister Mary Ellen, Elizabeth Paradise, Yungho Park, Fran Parks, Mary Pemberton, Joe Post, Kathy Sherowsky, Evelyn Smith Reese, Larry Wise. If there is anyone that you would like to add to or can be removed from the list, please email, or call the office. Thank you!

A VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO FATHER BOAT on Thursday, June 13th!!!

<u>PARISH GATHERING:</u> The next parish gathering will be breakfast on *Sunday, July 7th* immediately following the 9 am Mass. Please bring a dish to share. Everyone is welcome to attend.

<u>UPCOMING WEEK:</u> Father Boat will be away this week. Please call the office for any sacramental needs. The office has reopened, but on a limited basis. Leave a message and your call or email will be returned asap.

<u>COMMUNITY OUTREACH:</u> PLEASE REMEMBER TO GET YOUR BABY BOTTLE to fill with loose change, cash or possibly a check, made payable to the center, to support the new Women's Pregnancy Resource Center here in Wytheville. They offer a variety of free services for young women and couples with pregnancy needs, follow up care and parenting needs. The campaign is now ongoing and ends on June 16th. The bottles are available in the gathering space. The deadline to return the bottles is June 16th but can be returned anytime during that timeframe at the display in the gathering space. Thank you for your support. For more information see presupport.com/bbgiving or contact Brenda May.

Sacrificial Offering		
May 11-12, 2024	Operating Funds Capital Improvement	\$2387.00 \$175.00
	Diocesan Home Missions	\$10.00
May 18-19, 2024	Operating Funds	\$1652.00
	Diocesan Home Missions	\$309.00
May 25-26, 2024	Operating Funds	\$1726.00
	Capital Improvement	\$100.00
	Diocesan Home Missions	\$50.00
June 1-2, 2024	Operating Funds	\$1912.00
	Capital Improvement	\$1040.00
	Catholic Virginian	\$10.00

Please see the updated financial information for March 2024 on the bulletin boards.

AGAPE FOOD PANTRY: Requested For the <u>second quarter</u> is canned fruit, peanut butter, and cereal. Thank you for your continued support.

<u>DOG/CAT FOOD AND CAT LITTER DONATIONS: URGENT REQUEST:</u> 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.*

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

<u>HOPE PACK PROGRAM:</u> 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 <u>"Open Door Community".</u> Plastic shopping bags continue to be accepted.* Thank you for your continued support.