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; Confessions immediately following or by appointment.

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Confessions-1 hour before Mass Sunday 9:00 a.m. Confessions-1 hour before Mass

St. Edwards: Sunday 11:00 am

St. Marys Weekly Calendar

Saturday, July 26 5:00 pm Liturgy-Presider Fr Dave Stanfill 9:00 am Liturgy-Presider Fr Dave Stanfill

Monday, July 28 Office Closed Thursday, July 31 Office Closed

Friday, August 1 Noon Liturgy, Office Closed

Saturday, August 2 5:00 pm Liturgy Sunday, August 3 9:00 am Liturgy

Mass Intention for Sat., July 26th is in loving memory of Kevin Foy given by Theresa Rolard.

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Reading I Genesis 18:20-32 Reading II Colossians 2:12-14 Gospel Luke 11:1-13

SECOND COLLECTIONS

August 2-3 St. Mary's Capital Improvement

<u>Father Boat's Homilies</u>: Please remember that you can read Father's Homilies on the parish website on Tuesdays after the weekend Masses; <u>www.stmaryswytheville.org</u>.

<u>REMINDER:</u> Just a quick reminder about the Parish Votive Stand that is located at the Monroe Street entrance for everyone's use. A donation is truly appreciated to help cover the costs of the candles. There is a slot for donations located on the front of the stand. Thank you.

Please continue your prayers for our sick and homebound: Keesha Arnold, Sarah Arnold, Brother John, Helen Conrad, Roger Delp, Gene Deshler, Glenda Dunford, Maria Elliot, Lori Francis, George Fuderer, Darlene Lockard, Joyce McDaniel, Suzanne Molloy, Bill Mutschler, Sister Mary Ellen, Elizabeth Paradise, Frances Post, Joe Post, Carl Sealander, Kathy Sherowsky, Gary Simmons, Emmy Walters. 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!

FROM THE OFFICE: The office will be closed Thursday, July 31st and Friday August 1st.

<u>PASTORAL COUNCIL:</u> The next Pastoral Council meeting will be Wednesday, August 20th @ 5:30 pm in the Pastoral Center. All members please plan to attend.

<u>MISSION COOPERATIVE PROGRAM:</u> Father Boat is away this weekend at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church in Charlottesville. Please keep him in your prayers for another great weekend. We welcome Father Dave Stanfill with us to preside at Mass.

REQUEST FROM THE OFFICE: We are in the process of updating everyone's contact information to complete an updated parish directory. If you need to fill out a parish registration form, please contact the office by email at officemanager@stmaryswytheville.org, or by phone 276-228-3104, and one will be left for you to pick up over the weekends, or you are welcome to contact the office during office hours. **OR**, if any of your information has changed, i.e., address, phone, family changes, etc., we ask that you get your information submitted ASAP. Thank you for your cooperation.

<u>Lectors and Ushers:</u> We are looking for volunteers to help us by being ushers and lectors. We could use the help. Please see Ernie Brewer for ushers or Rose Lester for lectors.

Sacrificial Offering

July 19-20, 2025

 Operating Funds
 \$2129.00

 Capital Improvements
 \$10.00

 Mission Co-Op
 \$35.00

 Votive
 \$37.34

Updated finance information is available on the bulletin boards.

Minutes from the last Pastoral Council meeting are also available.

<u>AGAPE FOOD PANTRY:</u> <u>Third quarter of 2025 requests</u>: macaroni & cheese, vegetables and canned beans. Thank you for your continued support.

<u>FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER:</u> Along with the needed items on the list on the wall above the bin, packaged plastic silverware is also needed. *Please leave your donations in the designated container in the gathering space.* Thanks.

<u>PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER:</u> Donations are still being accepted for the PRC. Please see the list of items located by the donation bin in the gathering space.

<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 "Open Door Community." Plastic shopping bags continue to be accepted.*Bags are packed each Wednesday at 5 pm, volunteers are always welcome.