



St. Alphonsus

Wheeling, WV

**"All those who will ever pray here
in any trial whatsoever will be consoled."**

November 12, 2023

Calendar

November 14 - CM Meeting 6 pm

November 23 - Thanksgiving Day!

Pastor:

Most Rev. Bishop Mark Brennan

Parochial Vicar:

Rev. Joseph Sebastian

Office Hours:

Mon, Tues & Thurs 8:30 - 12:30 pm

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Mass Schedule

Sunday	9:00 am
Tues, Thur & Fri	8:00 am
Wednesday	6:00 pm
Saturday	5:30 pm

Reconciliation:

Sat 4:30 -5:00 pm
Sun: 8:30 -8:50 am (or by appointment)

Baptisms, Marriage and Anointing of the Sick:
Contact the Parish Office

The Offertory Report

November 5

Envelopes = \$ 2202

Loose = \$ 1285

Votive Candles= \$149

All Saints/All Souls= \$447

Utilities= \$594

Mass Attendance

5:30 pm— 78

9:00 am— 85

Minster Schedule

November 18 and 19

Readers:

Sat.- **M.Sofka**

Sun.- **P. Holt**

Extraordinary Ministers
of Holy Communion:

Sat.- **J. Brensinger**

L. DeGasperi

J. Vidonic

Sun.- **M. Bohlman**

P. Romanek

J. Brensinger

My Enjoy Coupon Books

Are available

\$40

Coupons include BOGOF for up to 50% off at many area dine in and fast food restaurants, theaters, recreation, bowling, golf, styling salons, auto maintenance, movies, and even classes!

Makes a great gift and is a fabulous fund-raiser for the church!

After weekend Masses or at the Parish Office!

The Christian Mother's Ladies' Guild News

NEXT MEETING: NOVEMBER 14 at 6:00 pm

(Turn in sold 50/50 tickets)

*We will be selling refreshments for parade watchers on Friday, November 17 **

Thank you to all who helped with the Card Party!

BUCKET PARTY !!!!

THIS WEEK

Volunteers are needed to make the Lord's house shine!

Wednesday, Nov. 15 and **Saturday, Nov. 18**

9 am –12 noon

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Come for one or both! Bring a date!

Mass of Gratitude

Monday, November 20 @ 12:05 pm

@ the Cathedral of St. Joseph
Celebrant is Bishop Brennan

BIBLE STUDY

Meets on Wednesdays

At 7:00 pm

All welcome!

Thank you to all who are responding to the Offering Campaign with much generosity!

We do have an online giving option available for those who would find it convenient to do so through our website. As always, if you are a registered parishioner at St. Alphonsus, and your giving is done either through an identifying envelop or online, a statement can be obtained in January for tax deduction purposes.

SECOND COLLECTION:

November 12: Archdiocese of Military Service

Office of Safe Environment

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 888-352-6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact the Diocese at 304-233-0880.

Let us remember
Our Dearly Departed 11/1/22 to 11/1/23

*Charles Vidonic, Trudy Forster, Genevieve Fisher,
Clara DiClemente, Louanne Blazier, and Linda Jasko*

Christmas Raffle

Tickets are now on sale!

First prize is \$500, second \$300, and third is \$200. The winning tickets will be pulled on December 10!

Tickets are \$5 each.

You can pick some up in the vestibules or stop in the parish office!

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Christmas Party Planning Meeting: Thursday, November 16 at 10:00 am @office. Anyone wishing to be involved is welcome!

Greetings from the Parish Office!

This week's cover photo is our statue of St. Elizabeth of Hungary (1207-1231). She was a queen and a Third Order Franciscan living as a contemporary of both St. Francis of Assisi and St. Anthony of Padua. In fact, St. Anthony also died in 1231. St. Elizabeth was married at age 14, widowed at age 20, and died at age 24. Still, she had plenty of time to rid herself of pride and earthly attachments, while exhibiting exceptional devotion and charity. We celebrate her Feast Day this Friday, November 17.

** Our 2024 Mass Intention book is now open and dates are available to have said for your deceased or living loved ones! Suggested stipends for Masses are \$10 each for a weekend or weekday Mass.*

** The 2024 St. Alphonsus Mass Association register is also open. You can enroll the names of your deceased loved ones to be included in the spiritual benefits of Masses said at the parish throughout the year including on all First Fridays. See the form in the vestibules*

Coming soon...the parish Christmas Party will be the evening of December 30.

Please pray for:

Continuous Care: **J.W. Evans and B. Heller**

Good Shepherd: **R. Lewandoski** Mt. St. Joseph: **Sr. Ann Marie Cole**

Peterson: **D. Moore and G. Weithie**, Welty: **J. Murray**

Morgantown: **Leah Reinhardt**

At home: **L. Griffin, B. Blazier, M.K. Heller, N. Klamut, J. Gavarkavich, B. & H. Henry, Donald Henning, Roberta Henning, Roxanne Geleski, Bob Comer, & Dorothy Jagaczewski, Charlotte Jacovetty**

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 11
5:30 pm-

Robert B. Klemm, Sr. +
By Marge Klemm

Sunday, November 12
9:00 am -

Donna Donahie +
By Bernie Morgan

Monday, November 13
(No Mass)

Tuesday, November 14
8:00 am-

Holy Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, November 15
6:00 pm-

Blanch Resczynski +
By Family

Thursday, November 16
8:00 am-

Rose Helen Gast +
By V. Gordon

Friday, November 17
8:00 am-

Celebrant's Intention

Saturday, November 18

5:30 pm- **Kenneth Hart+**
By B. Hart

Sunday, November 19

9:00 am - **Gerald Werner +**
By Family

The Holy Hour at Corpus Christi on Nov. 13 @ 6 pm will be for souls in Purgatory and those who have no one to pray for them.

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Book are available!
Suggested stipend per
intention is \$10.*

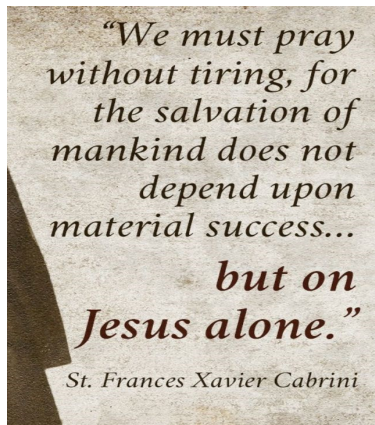


Called to Know, Love and Serve the Lord
Weekly Calendar

SUNDAY, November 12

Mass @ 9:00 am
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13



TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Mass @ 8:00 am

Patron of Arthritis sufferers,
St. Serapius,

Pray for us!

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Mass @ 6:00 pm
W/ Adoration until 7 pm
******PRAYER OF ST. GERTRUDE******

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious
Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with
the Masses said throughout the world today,
for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinners
everywhere, for sinners in the Universal
Church, those in my own home and within my
family. Amen

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

Mass @ 8:00 am

***"As I hope in Thee, O Lord, inspire
me with that confidence which
brings me to
Thy holy mountain."***

St. Margaret of Scotland

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17

Mass @ 8:00 am

***"Father, as in Heaven your will is punctually
done, so may it be done on earth by all
creatures, particularly in me and by me."***

St. Elizabeth of Hungary

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Mass @ 5:30 pm

"Do not look back to the past, nor forward to the
future. Claim only the present, for it holds God's
will. Love aright and you will never be sad.
Embrace God's will and you will be filled with joy
and peace. "

St. Rose Philippine Duchesne