



St. Alphonsus

Wheeling, WV

September 10, 2023

23rd Sunday Ordinary Time

Calendar

Hot Dog Social
Sept. 9

Christian Mothers
Mass and Potluck
Sept 12

Pastor:

Most Rev. Bishop Mark Brennan

Parochial Vicar:

Rev. Joseph Sebastian

Office Hours:

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

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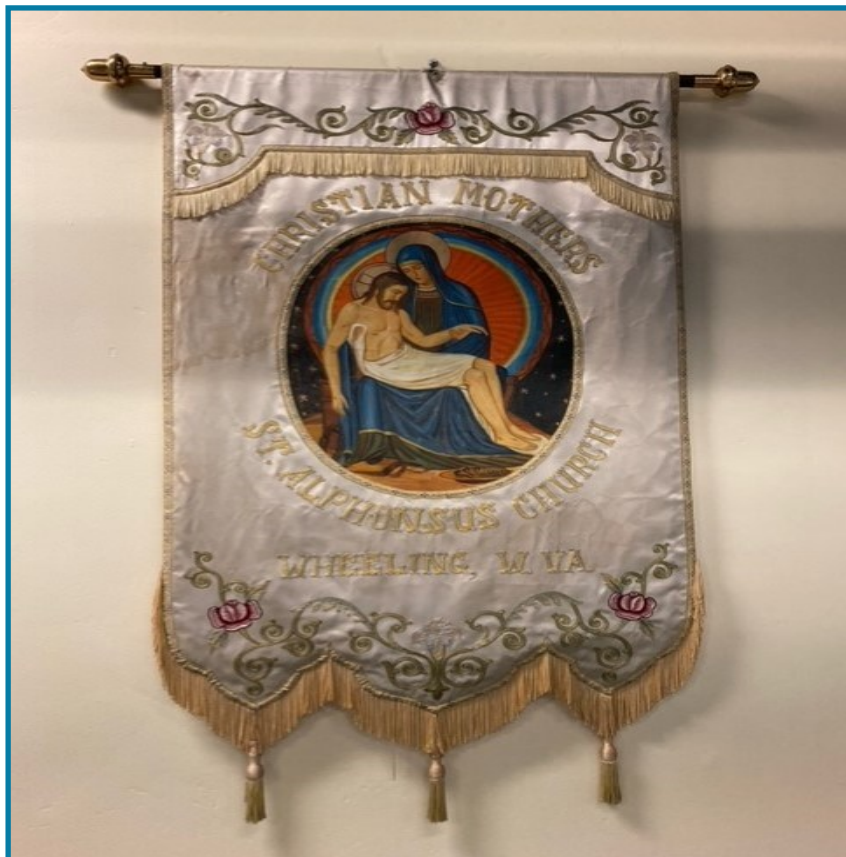
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***"For where two or three are gathered together
in my name, there am I in the midst of them."***

Matthew 18:20

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

September 2 and 3
Envelopes = \$ 1255
Loose = \$ 460
Votive Candles = \$ 96

Mass Attendance

5:30 pm— 65
9:00 am— 56

Minster Schedule

September 16 and 17

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

Readings

Sun: Ez 33: 7-9
Rom 13: 8-10
Matt 18: 15-20

Mon: Col 1 :24- 2:3
Luke 6: 6-10

Tues: Col 2: 6-15
Luke 6: 12-19

Wed: Col 13: 1-11
Luke 6: 20-26

Thur: Nmbs 21: 4-9
Phil 2: 6-11

John 3: 13-17
Fri: 1 Tim 1: 1-2, 12-14
John 19: 21-27

Sat: 1 Tim 1: 15-17
Luke 6: 43-49

The Christian Mother's Ladies' Guild News

A gathering starting with Holy Mass at 5:30 pm
will be Tuesday, September 12
A potluck dinner follows. Please bring a covered dish!

Mark your calendar: Card Party will be November 5!

Candlelight Rosary Procession

Friday, October 6

All are invited to join Bishop Mark Brennan in praying the
Rosary in Procession for our Church, our world and
our families. More details to come.



NOVENA TO THE INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE

Theme - The Eucharist: Gift, Mystery, & Reality

SEPTEMBER 11 TO NOVEMBER 6, 2023
NINE CONSECUTIVE MONDAYS
7:00 P.M.

"The More You Honor Me,
The More I Will Bless You."



THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT JOSEPH
WHEELING, WEST VIRGINIA

Parish School of Religion

The St. Alphonsus Sunday School will begin classes on September 10
from 10-11 am, following the 9am Mass. Contact the parish office or
Tom Mathes if you are interested.

Bible Study begins Wednesday evening, September 13, after the
Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament ends at 7:00!

The **Laymen's Retreat League** invites all Catholic Men of the area
to join us for a day of reflection with Reverend Justin Golna, J.C.L.
from 8am to 5pm. The day includes light breakfast and lunch.
Cost: \$30 JOIN US: Saturday September 30th, 2023,
Saint Vincent de Paul Parish's Marist Center, Wheeling
Don Klamut at 304-280-4626 laymensretrealeatleague@gmail.com

Holy Ghost Café Breakfast

Our next breakfast will be

Sunday, September 24
following the 9:00 am Mass !

SECOND COLLECTION:

September 24: Catholic University of America

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.

ONE MILLION ROSARIES

This campaign is going on now through October 7—
the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary.
Sign up your pledge to say your rosary for the intention of
fruitful vocations for our diocese!
See inserted flyer and posters around the church!

Join us for the St. Alphonsus Hot Dog Social

Saturday, September 9

6-10 pm in the GYM

\$5 per person, Children are FREE!
Kirks Ice Cream, Raffles, Games, Music



Rosary Before Weekend Masses

The rosary will be recited in church at 5:00 pm (30 minutes before the 5:30 pm Mass) on Saturday and also at 8:30 am before the 9:00 am Mass on Sunday. Consider arriving early to join us in this most fruitful devotion! Here are a few of the favors promised by Our Blessed Mother to those who devote themselves to the regular recitation of the rosary.

“I promise my special protection and the greatest graces to those who shall recite the rosary.”

“Whomever shall have a true devotion to the rosary shall not die without the Sacraments of the Church.”

“The faithful children of the rosary shall merit a high degree in Heaven.”

-Our Blessed Mother to Saint Dominic

Greetings from the Parish Office!

This week's cover photo is the banner for our Christian Mother's and Ladies Guild. This organization has been a powerhouse of prayer, fellowship and fundraising at St. Alphonsus Parish for over 143 years! Members will be celebrating this Tuesday evening, September 12, at 5:30 pm with Mass followed by a pot luck dinner. There is something very beneficial to our spiritual growth in belonging to a faith-based organization that actively and joyfully serves. This Sunday's readings speak of the need to gently correct and encourage each other in matters of faith and morality. When this or any other help comes from a group of loving friends, it is often more effective and more easily appreciated.

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**

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 9

5:30 pm— **Norma Tomczyk +**
By Her Family

Sunday, September 10

9:00 am - **Paula Shia Hundley +**
By the Shia Family

Monday, September 11

(No Mass)

Tuesday, September 12

8:00 am— **Elizabeth Smith +**
By Her Children

Wednesday, September 13

6:00 pm— **Dorothy Wright +**
By James & Daniel Wright

Thursday, September 14

8:00 am— **Celebrant's Intention**

Friday, September 15

8:00 am— **Celebrant's Intention**

Saturday, September 16

5:30 pm— **Butch & Jean Mazingo +**
By Maureen

Sunday, September 17

9:00 am— **John Paul Romanek**
By Your Five Loving Children

The St. Michael's Prayer will be prayed after all Masses. It can be found on the back of the missalettes!

*Dates in our
2023 Mass Intention
Book are available!
Suggested stipend per
intention is \$10.*



Called to Know, Love and Serve the Lord
Weekly Calendar

SUNDAY, September 10

Mass @ 9:00 am
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Grandparent's Day!

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

(No Mass.)

Patriot Day!



TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

Mass @ 8:00 am

Most Holy Name of Mary

Mass @ 5:30 pm
Christian Mothers and Ladies Guild
With Potluck dinner follows!

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

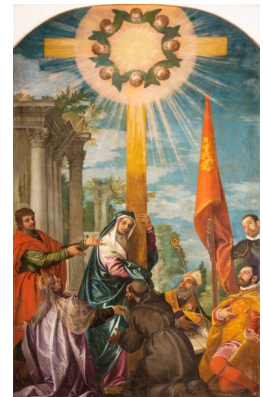
Mass @ 6:00 pm
W/ Adoration until 7 pm
St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church

Bible Study
follows Adoration in the Parish Hall!
Everyone Welcome

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

Mass @ 8:00 am

Exaltation
of the
Holy Cross



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

Mass @ 8:00 am

Our Lady of Sorrows

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Mass @ 5:30 pm

"Let us on both sides of death
always pray for one another."

St. Cyprian to St. Cornelius