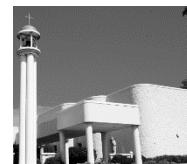


Celebrating 77 Years As A Parish!

ALL SAINTS NEWS!



ALL SAINTS PARISH
317 East Main Street, Bridgeport, WV 26330



June 30, 2024, 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Parish Staff:

Pastor: Very Rev. Walter M. Jagela, Assoc. V.F. Ext. 13
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Business Manager: Kris Gladden, Ext. 12
Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation & Spirituality: Brian Suehs-Vassel: Ext. 14

Liturgies:

Saturday, June 29th at 5pm + Louis Pishner by Family
Sunday, June 30th at 10am + Jean Quinones by Ben Quinones
Tuesday, July 2nd at 8am: +Gerry Simon by Mark, Marsha and Lauren Fredrick
Saturday, July 6th at 5pm +Mary Lou Long by Tammy Reid and Family
Sunday, July 7th at 10am + Peggy Mildred Marie Leuliette
by Scott, Lisa, Scott & Karen Kozlowski

Sunday Offering /Attendance: 6/22-6/23: \$6,466 5pm: 201 10am: 262 Total in person 463 (online 41) Total In person and Online 504

New Members since Covid began: 83 Registered Households

Parish Membership: Fill out a Census Form found on the table in the gathering area, if you'd like to be a member here. We can then give you credit for your tax deductible contributions.

“Teach Us To Pray - Pilgrims of Hope”

***All Saints 2025 Parish Jubilee Pilgrimage to Rome
and Additional Cities in Italy.***

Tentative dates, (next year)

End of September - into the beginning of October 2025.

We will have an informational meeting on

Wednesday, August 7 at 6:30 PM at All Saints. Everyone is welcome.

REFLECTION ON TODAY'S SCRIPTURES by Anne M. Osdieck

First Reading Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

1. “For God formed man to be imperishable; the image of his own nature he made him.” (Wisdom 1:14). **What in humankind’s nature is made in God’s own image?** Is it true of all of humankind or just Christians?

2. “For he fashioned all things that they might have being; and the creatures of the world are wholesome.” (Wisdom 1:14). Do you and I have any responsibility to respect the whole of creation and keep everything wholesome that is fashioned by God? **What can you do to protect our environment?**

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

1. **To which do you think many people in the world respond better, a wealthy God or a poor God?** Explain your answer. With which do you feel more comfortable? Why?

This reading is about sharing your abundance. **What do you have that you can share?** How much time are you willing to give to another? How can you share some of your talents? How much of your treasure are you willing to share? When you share do you also receive?

Gospel Mark 5:21-43 **Did Jesus leave anything that you might touch if you had a problem and you just wanted to quietly touch/receive something that might help?** What? The Eucharist? The woman with the hemorrhage was shunned. Are women in some cultures still oppressed? Is racial bias a type of shunning?

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2. What does Pope Francis say we can do to imitate Jesus in healing people?

He says: “The story of this nameless woman—let us call her this way, **“the nameless woman”**—**in whom we can all see ourselves, is exemplary**. . . . More than her health, her affections were compromised. Why? She had blood loss and therefore, according to the mindset of the time, she was deemed impure. She was a marginalized woman; she could not have stable relationships; . . . She lived alone, with a wounded heart. . . . Sister, brother, you are here, **let Jesus look at and heal your heart**. I too have to do this: let Jesus look at my heart and heal it. And if you have already felt his tender gaze upon you, imitate him, and do as he does. Look around: you will see that many people who live beside you feel wounded and alone; they need to feel loved: take the step. Jesus asks you for a gaze that does not stop at the outward appearance, but that goes to the heart: a gaze that is not judgmental. Jesus asks us for a gaze that is non-judgmental, but rather welcoming. Let us open our hearts to welcome others. Because **love alone heals life, love alone heals life.**”

Angelus for 13th Sunday Ordinary B, Vatican City, Rome, Italy.
Pope Francis June 27, 2021

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PARISH HEALTHCARE MINISTRY:

Blood Pressure Clinics will be held after Mass: July 20th and 21st, August 17th and 18th.
All Saints Healthcare Ministry

The All Saints Healthcare Ministry is expanding its membership.

The All Saints Healthcare Ministry is a faith-based, caring group of volunteers working to provide education and resources for the congregation and communities in which they reside. We are in need of additional members. If you are a health care professional and would like to be a part of this ministry, please sign the tablet on the table in the gathering area of the church. For additional information concerning the All Saints Healthcare Ministry please call :
Susie Graber 304-203-5890, Monica Iaquinta 304-677-6384, Maria Dufford 304-641-8998,
and Ellen Condron 304-290-9730.

Bereavement: *Resumes this Fall.*

Mommy and Me Playgroup “Little Saints”: Moms and young children ages 5 and under are welcome to join in the preschool room on Thurs. from 9-11 for a playdate, fellowship and support.

HELP NEEDED: As most of you know All Saints provides a meal to the Clarksburg Mission the 2nd Saturday of every month. We are currently looking for additional volunteers to help with this service. If you are interested and would like to be added to the Sign Up Genius distribution list, please call or text Cyndy Smell at 304-677-1932. Thank you!

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION FOR “ALL SAINTS NEWS” need to be sent to us by Noon on Wednesday, preferably via email. Editing of any submitted news item will be to our discretion. It can be emailed to allsaintswv@gmail.com

Holy Communion for Parishioners at Home: We are continually developing an updated list of parishioners who would like to receive Holy Communion at home on a weekly basis. We would also like to know of those who would just be in need of a home visit on a regular basis. Kindly call the church office to leave the name of the person, preferred day of the week and time of day to receive a visit by a Eucharistic Minister or to receive a home visit.

The Diocese encourages reporting to civil authorities first and foremost if a crime has been committed. 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 800.352.6513. In addition to civil authorities, you may also report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel or volunteers of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, by contacting one of the Bishop’s designees at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880: Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Mr. Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Sister Martha Gomez ext. 264 or call the Office of Safe Environment at 304.230.1504. You may also visit www.dwc.org, under “Accountability” for additional reporting mechanisms listed for reporting, including EthicsPoint, a third party reporting system that accepts reports via Internet or phone. You may report anonymously to EthicsPoint if you prefer.

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Attention Parishioners:

With such **GROWTH** in our parish; we are looking for an energetic, approachable person (s) to assist us in our Baptism Prep here at All Saints for the newly expectant parents & others. We will train you in the “how to's “ and, then you will be on your way to providing this much needed important ministry to our growing parish! Please see Father Walt or e-mail him at drfrjags18@gmail.com to offer your gifts.

OCIA: Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

As summer keeps on keeping on and we are planning for the Fall; We are in need of individuals to build our OCIA Team (formerly known as our RCIA). We are looking for folks who have some knowledge of the Faith, can share about faith and specific topics assigned to them for each session. This is a commitment but one that is very rewarding to both candidates and the Team! Please feel free to ask Father Walt or e-mail him at drfrjags18@gmail.com for more details. This is a crucial ministry for our parish as we continue to evangelize and bring others to experience Jesus in the church.