

OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH

3570 KING WILLIAM AVENUE, WEST POINT VA 23181



MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS: SATURDAY 5:30 P.M.

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.

11:30 A.M. (SPANISH MASS)

WEEKDAYS: 8:30 A.M. Tuesday - Friday

PARISH OFFICES at the MERCY CENTER

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843-4339

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W 12:30 pm - 2:30 p.m.

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SACRAMENT of RECONCILIATION

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Also by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday and Tuesday

Mercy Center Chapel

First Friday at the Mercy Center Chapel

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

OUTREACH

A food basket and donation box are in the church entry. Your donations provide the means to give direct help to the needy. We collect food on the first weekend of the month.

INFANT BAPTISM

Parent preparation classes are required for each couple planning to have their baby baptized. To schedule a preparation session, please call the church office.

MARRIAGE

OLBS sponsors a preparation program for couples who intend to marry. The Pastor must be contacted at least six months prior to the date of the wedding.

RECEPTION into the CHURCH

Those inquiring into the Catholic Faith or seeking Communion with the Church are invited to contact the Parish Office. Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is offered.

*The mission of Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church,
centered in the Eucharist, is to Love God and His people
and to extend His Love to others through service and prayer.*

THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

June 2nd & 3rd, 2018

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| Sat | 6/2 | Virginia Schmitz (RIP) Requested by Carole & Wayne Beasley | Fr. Oscar |
| Sun | 6/3 | Virginia Schmitz (RIP) Requested by Edwina & Bill Madigan Alfred Sforza (RIP) Requested by Liberato Family | Fr. Oscar |
| Mon | 6/4 | No Mass | |
| Tue | 6/5 | Rev. John Brieffies, MSF (RIP) Requested by Donna Geron | Fr. Oscar |
| Wed | 6/6 | Joe Sr., Elsie & Johnny Drexler (RIP) Requested by Linda & Joe Drexler | Fr. Oscar |
| Thur | 6/7 | Victor Kaczmarek (RIP) Requested by Mary Ann & Frank Fetterolf | Fr. Oscar |
| Fri | 6/8 | Richard & Anna Kozlowski (RIP) Requested by Linda & Joe Drexler | Fr. Oscar |
| Sat | 6/9 | Virginia Schmitz (RIP) Requested by Brandon, Gary, Traci & Chris | Fr. Oscar |
| Sun | 6/10 | Virginia Schmitz (RIP) Requested by Meredith & Joe Crowe James W. Ellis – For Good Health Requested by Nancy & Mike Pausic | Fr. Oscar |

Collections for May 26th & 27th, 2018

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| Parish Operations (Personnel, Utilities, Office, Postage, Repair & Maintenance, etc.) | \$3,044.00 |
| Special Collection | 30.00 |
| Total | \$3,074.00 |
| Amount needed weekly for Parish Operations is | \$3,400 |
| Restricted, Special Use or Sent out of Parish | |
| Poor Box | \$ 24.50 |
| Capital Improvements | 230.00 |
| Peter's Pence | 345.00 |
| OLBS Scholarship Fund | 25.00 |
| Maintenance Fund | 418.00 |

Thank you for your support of your Parish!

Church Attendance

Saturday, May 26 - 73
Sunday May 27 - 140
Spanish Mass – 32

OLBS Church Cleaning Schedule

5/28 thru 6/3 – Tom & Rowena Fauber
6/4 thru 6/10 – Jorge Duran Family/Hugo Rojas/Dan Gibbs Family

SAVE THE DATE: July 23 – 27 is Vacation Bible School 6:30 – 8:30 pm. Our theme is "Shipwrecked! We're Rescued by God"

Calendar for Week of June 4th, 2018

Monday – 6/4 – No Mass -

KofC Meeting 7:30 pm

Tuesday – 6/5 – Mass 8:30 am

Wednesday – 6/6 – Mass 8:30 am

Thursday – 6/7 – Mass 8:30 am

Friday – 6/8 – Mass 8:30 am

OLBS OUTDOOR YARD SALE – 9 AM TO 1 PM

Saturday – 6/9 – **Rosary 4:45 pm - Mass 5:30 pm -**

First Communion

OLBS OUTDOOR YARD SALE – 8 AM TO 1 PM

Sunday – 6/10 - **Mass 9 am**

Spanish Mass 11:30 am

PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND GOOD HEALTH

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| Carolyn Alford | Gordon Langston |
| Elizabeth Alley | Patricia Lanuza |
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| Jon Boyette | Randy Morrow |
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| Kevin Carson | Pam Rigsby |
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| Vincent D'Elia | Virginia Ryczak |
| Denise DePompeo | Bill Scaife |
| Donna Donahue | Barbara Schafer |
| Amanda Leigh Fincher | Allen Smith |
| Brenda Frederick | Geno Spiller |
| Helen Fudala | Barbara Sturtz |
| Margaret Geron | Levi Sturtz |
| Jim Gregory | Jim Tokarz |
| Pat Hinkle | Mae Touray |
| Kelly Hipple | Dorothy Ware |
| Mary Ann Hooper | Linda Webster |
| Helen Kaczmarek | Shelli Whitehurst |
| John Kellam | Lois Wilson |
| Gloria Kojcsich | Robert 'Bobby' Wilson |
| Bonnie Kopacki | Jody Zogran |

PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOME

Irene Kruger - -Melvina Gooch

PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY

Major Jonathan Culberson (Afghanistan)
Sp. Logan W. Gay - Sgt. Nathan Gurganus
First Lieutenant Amber Fauber, F.E. Warren in
Cheyenne, Wyoming

Lt. Col. John Pilong – Afghanistan

ALTAR SERVERS

6/2 – Oliver Owens, Ryan Sprouse
6/3 – Tazewell Rae, Daniel Duke
11:30 am – Misael Hernandez, Jovany Velazquez
6/9 – Daniel Gibbs, Jr., Jackson Gibbs, Peter Nguyen
6/10 – Adrian Vidal, Tazewell Rae, Daniel Duke
11:30 am – Misael Hernandez, Jovany Velazquez

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

6/2 – Jackie Silvia, Gary Silvia, Tom Fauber
6/3 – Mary Horton, Bill Madigan, Edwina Madigan, Kimberly DiLandro, Mary Leigh McDonald
6/9 – Gary Silvia, Cathy Fudella, Lorraine Ryalls
6/10 – Jim Pyne, Chris Polcyn, Paula Polcyn, Wini Barron, Sarah Rae

DO YOU KNOW

The first Mass in the English-speaking American colonies was held on Saint Clement's Island in Maryland on March 25, 1634, and was the beginning of the Archdiocese of Washington.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Why did Jesus arrange for this transformation of bread and wine into His Body and Blood? Because he intended another kind of transformation. The bread and wine are transformed into the Body and Blood of Christ which are, in turn, meant to transform us. Ever hear the phrase: "you are what you eat?" The Lord desires us to be transformed from a motley crew of imperfect individuals into the Body of Christ, come to full stature. Our evangelical brethren often speak of an intimate, personal relationship with Jesus. How much more personal and intimate can you get? We receive the Lord's body into our physical bodies that we may become him whom we receive. The bread and wine are transformed, we are transformed and we are called to transform the world!

Adult: Do I see the Eucharist simply as an obligation or as a means of life?

Child: What are some ways that I can prepare to receive Holy Communion?

The Saturday evening Mass is in need of additional ushers. If you are interested in serving in this ministry, please contact Lorraine Ryalls at 843-3125 or lrkryalls@cox.net.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED for the repose of the soul of Bibiane Walthew, who died recently. Our condolences to her family, and may her soul rest in eternal peace.

OLBS OUTDOOR YARD SALE & FINER THINGS SALE - Friday, June 8th from 9 am to 1 pm, and Saturday, June 9th from 8 am to 1 pm. Located at the Preschool and Mercy Center parking lot. If you would like to help, please call Erin Hayden at 804-366-4435.

ALTAR FLOWERS – If you wish to donate flowers in honor or memory of a loved one, or for a special intention, please call the office by Tuesday at 1:30 pm for the following weekend. The office will make arrangements with the florist.

IF YOU WISH TO HAVE A FAMILY PICTURE PUBLISHED IN THE PARISH DIRECTORY, PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR PHOTO NO LATER THAN JUNE 29, 2018 TO THE PARISH OFFICE OR MAIL TO JACKIE SILVIA, 4720 REGENTS PARK, WILLIAMSBURG, VA 23188. PLEASE INCLUDE NAMES OF ALL THOSE IN THE PICTURE. MY PHONE NUMBER IS 757-561-8749 IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS. THANK YOU!

PARISH COUNCIL: With the recent adoption of the revised by-laws/constitution for the Parish Council, there is an opportunity for new members to replace those who are stepping down after several years of service. If you are interested in serving our parish as a member of the Parish Council, please contact Fr. Oscar or Bob Ryalls, Parish Council Chair (757-207-0215) for more information.

The Parish Council is an advisory group to the pastor that assists in making pastoral decisions for the parish. Applicants should be Catholic adults in good standing, active members of the parish, and able to meet each month on the third Sunday after the 9 am Mass.

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

The newly formed Women's Group is organizing the Father's Day Breakfast to be held on Sunday, June 17th in the VDB Hall, following the 9:00 am Mass. Please, join us!

Sign-up sheets will be in the foyer of our church to help supplement breakfast casseroles that the participants of the Women's Group have offered to make and donate. The sign-up sheets include offerings such as fresh fruit salad and breakfast baked goods. Together, we will have a bountiful breakfast offering and celebration to honor the fathers in our lives. If you would like to learn more about the Women's Group, contact Karen Liberato (843-4420) or Mary Leigh McDonald (804-769-2483).

THE WOMEN'S GROUP.....SERVICE, SUPPORT, FELLOWSHIP

FIRST COMMUNION will take place on Sunday, June 3rd during the 11:30 am Spanish Mass, and Saturday, June 9th during the 5:30 pm Mass.

SENIOR LUNCHEON will take place on Thursday, June 21st immediately following the 11 am Mass at Tony & George's Restaurant in West Point. Call the office to have your name placed on the sign-up sheet if you plan to attend. Join us for good food and fellowship!

WELCOME CENTER is located on the table at the back of the church. Take a moment to look at the various brochures on display. Also, the new Constitution of the Parish Council is on the bulletin board at the back of the church for your perusal.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

New members are asked to register at the Parish Office in the Mercy Center.

We invite all parishioners to join a ministry.
Contact the Chairperson of the ministry or call the Parish Office at
804.843.3125

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| ALTAR SERVERS Joe Drexler | 843-2541 |
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