

# Saint Agnes Catholic Church



Pro-Life, Pro-Family, Stewardship Parish 49th Street and Staunton Avenue, Charleston WV 25304 Phone: 304-925-2836 email: stap1101char@dwc.org Vol. 3479

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## REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 12:00 P.M., 5:00 P.M.  
Sunday 8:00 A.M., 10:30 A.M., &  
12:30 P.M. (in Spanish)  
Monday No Mass  
Tuesday 6:00 P.M.  
Wednesday 6:00 P.M.  
Thursday 6:00 P.M.  
10:30 P.M. (in Spanish)  
Friday 9:30 A.M.

*(For holy days, see pg. 2 or check our website.)*

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

THURSDAYS 5:00 P.M. - 5:45 P.M.

SATURDAYS 3:30 P.M. - 4:45 P.M.

## CONFESSION

30 minutes prior to Daily Mass,  
Thursdays from 5:00 P.M. - 5:45 P.M. and  
Saturdays from 3:30 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.  
or by appointment.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

**Mailing Address:** 4807 Staunton Avenue  
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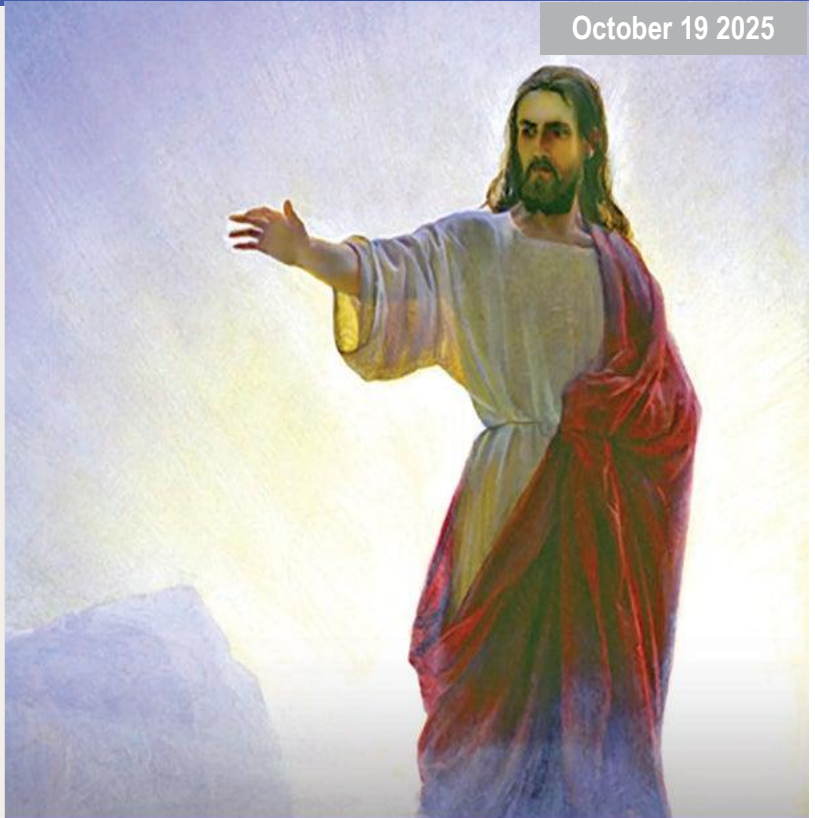
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October 19 2025



## 29<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? Will he be slow to answer them? I tell you, he will see to it that justice is done for them speedily. But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?” - Lk 18:7-8

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## The Feast of Saints Simon & Jude Tuesday, October 28th

Mass here at St. Agnes at 6:00p.m.

St. Simon the Zealot matured into an apostle during his three years of ministry with Jesus. He was able to spread the gospel in truth and love to all nations. St. Jude was a son of Clopas and his mother Mary was the Virgin Mary's cousin. Ancient writers tell us he preached the Gospel in several countries. Catholics invoke St. Jude when in desperate situations as he is the patron saint of desperate cases.

## WEEKEND ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING

## MASS INTENTIONS OCT. 20 - OCT. 26

### October 11 - October 12

#### Weekend Attendance:

5:00 P.M.- ; 8:00A.M.- ; 10:30 A.M. - 128 ; 12:30 P.M. -

1st Collection	\$ 5,754. <sup>00</sup>
2nd Collection - Debt Reduction	\$ 674. <sup>90</sup>
Other collections	\$ 100. <sup>00</sup>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 6,528<sup>90</sup></b>

October 19 - Mission Sunday/Universal Mission

October 26 - Parish Outreach

*Thank you for your generosity!*

### WELCOME TO ST. AGNES!

If you are new to our area or parish & have not registered, we invite you to do so. You can find parish registration forms in the church narthex and online at <https://stagnescharlestonwv.org>. Paper forms can be dropped off at the parish office or placed in the mail.

### SACRED SILENCE IN THE CHURCH

Please remember to maintain a sacred silence when you are in the main body of the church, especially before and after Mass. If you need to talk with someone, simply move to the vestibule, or into one of the side areas. Thank you!

### MASS INTENTIONS

The Mass is the greatest prayer we can offer to God. It is customary for the faithful of a parish to have Masses offered for their own intentions, especially for loved ones who have passed away. To do this, please contact the parish office or fill out the Mass Intention envelope from the narthex of the church. The suggested donation is \$10.00 for a daily Mass and \$20.00 for a weekend Mass.

### SUPPORT OUR SEMINARIAN

Please consider writing a letter of encouragement or sending a little gift to our seminarian, Daniel Long, while he is in seminary this year! Here is his address:

**Daniel Long**  
**Pontifical College Josephinum**  
**7625 N High St.**  
**Columbus, OH 43235**

### LECTORS

Mass Time	Oct. 18 & 19	Oct. 25 & 26
5:00 p.m.	Nancy Stark	Marcin Karcz
8:00 a.m.	Dana Fox	Woody Mitchell
10:30 a.m.	Tiffany Hastings	Lou Dent Smith
12:30 p.m.	Juanita Mata	Gladys Cuartas

MON 20	6:00 P.M.	No Mass
TUE 21	6:00 P.M.	Joseph Gebelt + by Caleb Kobman
WED 22	6:00 P.M.	Ronald Jones +
THU 23	6:00 P.M.	Mildred Montalvo
	10:30 P.M. (IN SPANISH)	David & Theresa Gwiazda by Theresa Gwiazda
FRI 24	9:30 A.M.	Wayne F. Maresch by Theresa Gwiazda
SAT 25	12:00 P.M.	Shannon M. Gwiazda Theresa Gwiazda
	5:00 P.M.	Jon Fulcher by Pat & Rich Fulcher
SUN 26	8:00 A.M.	Parishioners of St. Agnes
	10:30 A.M.	Betty Mehalik +
	12:30 P.M. (IN SPANISH)	Parishioners of St. Agnes

### FUNERAL PREPARATION

If you or a loved one is planning a funeral that will be held at St. Agnes or celebrated by Fr. Szabo, please contact the Parish Office before speaking to the Funeral Home. This will ensure that Fr. Szabo will be available and will make your meeting with the funeral home much

### HOMEBOUND AND NURSING HOME VISITS

If you or a loved one are no longer able to make it to Mass in person, please call (304) 881-3228 to speak with Mr. Stanley Lewis who helps coordinate our homebound and nursing home ministry.

### JOIN THE SERRA CLUB OF CHARLESTON!

Serra International is a global lay apostolate for vocations in the Catholic Church. The Charleston Club is growing & welcomes new members. For more information: contact Mark Sadd at (304) 345-2000 ext/ 1101 or [msadd@lewisglasser.com](mailto:msadd@lewisglasser.com).

### SAFE ENVIRONMENT

To report suspected cases of child sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, please contact one of the Bishop's designees at 888 434-2637 or 30) 233-0880: Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Mr. Tim Bishop, ext. 353; or call the Office of Safe Environment at 304 230-1504.

# OCT/NOV

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
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## ST. AGNES WEEKLY UPDATE

Dear St. Agnes,

I have been meditating on Jesus' parables of the Sower and of the Weeds and the Wheat for the past three weeks while slowly clearing weeds off the hillside near where the church property and 49th street connect. While working on this project during my off time, I have often seen how almost all of the good grass and flowers have long ago been choked to death by the weeds, and also how small patches of struggling grass can be easily destroyed by pulling up the weeds that are growing in and around them. No wonder Jesus used these images to explain how worldly cares and pleasures can choke our faith (Mt. 13:7), and how we must be patient with the presence of evil lest we do more harm than good in our effort to escape it (Mt. 13:30). Unique to us here at St. Agnes, however, is that there are also beer bottles, liquor miniatures, and little flasks of something called "Johny Bootlegger" half buried amongst the weeds. I wonder how Jesus would have incorporated this into His metaphors had he grown up in Charleston. If you have any ideas, let me know!

The most fascinating part of this helpful metaphor for me right now, and one that goes a little beyond the examples given by Our Lord, is how important it is to plant new grass and flowers on an area where the weeds have been recently removed lest the entire area be taken over again by weeds or suffer devastating erosion. For example, after I cleared the first section of the hillside, I began raking all the loose material away to prepare the ground for seeding. To my amazement, the rich soil underneath the debris was incredibly fragile! With every step I took on the bare bank, soil would become dislodged! And, with every stroke of the rake, a small avalanche of dirt would roll down to the bottom of the hill! It was terrifying to see my beautiful hillside so vulnerable!

This is exactly what can happen to us if we try to STOP doing bad things without simultaneously trying to START doing good things. If we focus only on rooting sin out of our life without replacing these bad habits with good ones, we will not be able to keep the weeds from coming back and, due to the erosion that will have occurred in the meantime, we will be worse off after than we were before!

This is why, as Catholics, we are required to "do" so many good things such as go to Mass, go to Confession, pray every day, obey the Commandments, etc. It is not because we think that we can "earn" our way into Heaven, but rather it is because we know that we cannot keep our gardens clean without a regular maintenance plan to stabilize the soil of our soul.

So, as we continue to grow as a family here at St. Agnes, consider this: are you making the mistake of trying to become a Saint by just pulling the "sin" weeds out of your soul? Or are you both pulling out the weeds AND simultaneously planting the grass of good deeds and the flowers of virtue? We must do both if we ever hope to make it to Heaven. Romans 2:6-8 tells us that God, "will repay according to each one's deeds: to those who by patiently doing good seek for glory and honor and immortality, he will give eternal life; while for those who are self-seeking and who obey not the truth but wickedness, there will be wrath and fury." We cannot simply "have faith" and clean up our sins, we also need to help Jesus cultivate a beautiful garden in our soul. How appropriate it was for Mary Magdalene to mistake Jesus for the gardener after His Resurrection (John 20:15)! May we all allow Jesus to be our gardener!

Fr. Szabo

## ST. AGNES TO-DO LIST

*Perhaps you have wondered before, “What can I do to help around the church?” Well, take a gander! Here are some chores that need doing. Though I enjoy this kind of work, I can’t say that I’ll get to all of these things in a reasonable amount of time, so your help would be much appreciated! Just email me (pszabo@dwc.org) once you have taken care of something so I can remove it from the list!*

**Bulletin Advertisements:** We have a lot of room on the back of our bulletin for more advertisements. If you have a business that already supports the church, let us know so we can put your ad on the bulletin. If you have a business that is not directly supporting the church yet, or if you know of another business owner who would be interested in supporting the church, please let us know!

**Weed Trimming:** If you know how to run a trimmer (or as we call them back home a “weed-wacker”) we would love your help with the trimming around the church. We have a generous parishioner who is cutting the lawn each week, but it is just too much for him to also go around the buildings, fences, trees, etc. and trim along the edges of things. Let us know if you can help with this!

**Stick Collection:** Despite all of the tree trimming we have done this past year, the trees continue to drop branches all over the yard. There are some large enough to cause trouble for anyone helping mow the lawn. If you have about an hour a week to spare, consider taking a walk around the property here once a week with our wheelbarrow to pick up sticks that are laying in the yard. Let us know and we will tell you how to access the wheelbarrow.

**Garden Maintenance:** The gardens around the church, rectory, and office are improving and will be being prepared for the colder weather. If you have some time and would like to help prepare the gardens for the colder weather, let us know.

**Plumbing:** A number of faucets are leaking in one way or another, or doing things really old plumbing does. If you know how to do this sort of thing, let me know! We could use a hand replacing a number of old faucets!

**Painting Stairs by Old Convent:** The metal stairway leading up to the lower entrance into the old convent is in rough shape. You can tell that it was last painted black, but the green, and other colored paints from the past, are showing through. This will take some time to scrape and repaint. Let us know if you can help.

**Shredding Old Common Grounds Files:** Common Grounds is getting rid of its older unneeded files. They contain sensitive personal information and need shredded. If you don’t mind repetitive work, come by the office anytime and help us shred these documents.

**Leaf Raking:** It’s that time of year again! We had an excellent crew of leaf rakers last year, but we can always use a few more good more men, or women! Please send me an email if you would like to be added to our leaf raking crew!

**Phone Call Ministry:** We are looking for a volunteer to organize a phone call ministry to homebound parishioners. This person would help connect interested volunteers with homebound parishioners who would appreciate a phone call on a regular basis. This ministry would also reach out occasionally to people who are listed as our parishioners, but no longer attend Mass to see if they are in need of any help. Let us know if you can help us start this ministry.

**Rides to Mass Ministry:** We are looking for a volunteer to organize a group that is willing to help bring people to and from Mass that are unable to drive themselves, or who do not have a car. At times, these volunteers may also help people get to and from doctors appointments and other places that they cannot usually get to themselves. Let us know if you can help us start this ministry!

## UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

# Men's Night

In the Rectory of St. Agnes in  
Charleston



**Saturday, October 25**

**6:30pm**

**Open to All Men 21+**



## *Young Adult Ladies' Dinner*

*Sunday, October 26<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm*

@ Saint Agnes in Charleston

*Gentlemen Cook for the Ladies*

*RSVP REQUIRED*

[dre.stagneswv@gmail.com](mailto:dre.stagneswv@gmail.com)

## Hallowtide Celebration

All Hallows Eve  
(Oct. 31)

**5:00PM VIGIL MASS**

**6:30PM HALLOWEEN PARTY**

Saint Dress-Up Presentation

Trunk-or-Treat

Pumpkin Carving

Chili Dinner

Barn Dance (~8:15pm)

Camp Fire

Talk on Demons (~10:00pm)

- Separate Children's

**12:00AM (MIDNIGHT) CANDLELIGHT**

**MASS**

All Saints Day  
(Nov. 1)

**10:00AM FAMILY ADORATION**

**12:00PM MASS (ALL SAINTS)**

**5:00PM VIGIL MASS (ALL SOULS)**

**6:30PM CARDINAL NEWMAN SERMON**

In Celebration of Pope Leo XIV's  
Declaration of Saint John Henry  
Cardinal Newman as a Doctor of the  
Church (weather dependent camp fire)

All Souls Day  
(Nov. 2)

**8:00AM MASS**

**9:15AM RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**10:30AM MASS**

**12:30PM SPANISH MASS**

**2:30PM ALL SOULS ROSARY AT SPRING  
HILL CEMETERY**



**Join us for  
Family Adoration!**

**St. Agnes  
Charleston, WV**

**November 1 @ 10:00am**



**All Souls Rosary  
in  
Spring Hill Cemetery**

**Sunday  
November 2**

**2:30pm**

## **NEW Weekday Sacrament Schedule Starting Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Monday: Mass at 5:00pm only on Holy Days,  
Solemnities, and Major Feast Days

Tuesday: Mass at 5:00pm, Confessions at 4:30pm

Wednesday: Mass at 5:00pm, Confessions at  
4:30pm

Thursday: Mass at 5:00pm, Confessions and  
Adoration at 4:00pm

Friday: Mass at 9:30am, Confessions at 9:00am

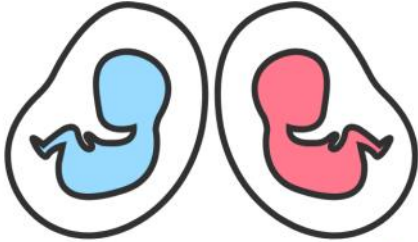
Mark your calendar for the  
**Parish Spaghetti Dinner**  
Saturday, November 15 at 6:00pm.

There's a sign-up sheet in the main narthex  
if you can help: cook, set up, clean up,  
run activities.

For more information:  
Carol White: [cjwhite0729@yahoo.com](mailto:cjwhite0729@yahoo.com)  
or text 614-615-9730



# MARCH FOR LIFE



January 23, 2026

Sign Up

Bus Leaves: 5:00am

Bus Returns: ~10:30pm

Cost: \$140

Scholarships Available



Questions?

[dre.stagneswv@gmail.com](mailto:dre.stagneswv@gmail.com)



## MOUNT 2000

THE SIGN OF  
CONTRADICTION

### FEBRUARY 6-8

Open to All Highschoolers

Questions and Registration:

Contact [dre.stagneswv@gmail.com](mailto:dre.stagneswv@gmail.com)



SEVEN SISTERS  
APOSTOLATE

No! You don't have to be a nun to be a sister! The Seven Sisters Apostolate is for at least seven (although we hope for more) women in the parish to sign up for a designated day to give one holy hour of prayer for Father Szabo. The purpose of the apostolate is:

**Spiritual Support for Priests:** The primary purpose is to offer consistent prayer for priests, recognizing the challenges and sacrifices they face in their vocation.

**Strengthening the Church:** By praying for priests, the apostolate seeks to bolster the entire church, as priests are considered essential shepherds for their flocks.

**Fostering Gratitude:** The ministry is a way for lay people to show gratitude for the spiritual care they receive from their priests.

**Deepening Devotion:** Prayers are offered for the priests' sanctification, health, and their deepening devotion to the Blessed Mother.

Please reach out to Jennifer Clark:  
[jdclark0516@gmail.com](mailto:jdclark0516@gmail.com) or (681) 205-3735  
if you are interested in learning more.

All are Invited to Join

### Saint Agnes' Rosary Guild

Contact Mrs. Nancy Gray @ [nancygraycpa@gmail.com](mailto:nancygraycpa@gmail.com)



**Fridays @ 3:00pm**

In the Sanctuary or Marian Grotto (By the Side Entrance)

Fellowship to Follow!

Nota Bene: Please Maintain a Reverential Silence in the Sanctuary

## Employment Opportunity Available

Sacred Heart Co-Cathedral is in need of a full-time housekeeper, 35 - 40 hours a week with medical, dental, & vision benefits available.

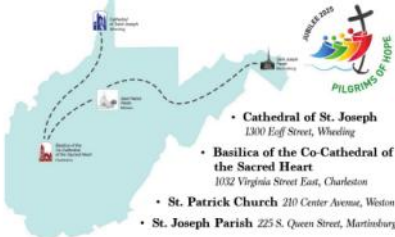
Duties include cleaning (sweeping, mopping, dusting, vacuuming, laundry, etc..), the Sacred Heart Cordis Center, Sacred Heart Basilica, and other areas as needed.

Must have reliable transportation & good time management skills. If interested call 304-342-8175.



# DIOCESAN COMMUNICATION

## DIOCESE OF WHEELING-CHARLESTON WV PILGRIMAGE SITES FOR JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE



Through December 28, 2025, Catholics are invited to visit any and all of these locations to obtain a Plenary Indulgence by completing:

- **Reverent Prayer** (at site): Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Liturgy of the Hours, or Mass.
- **Confession** - within 20 days before or after pilgrimage.
- **Holy Communion**
- **Pray for the Pope**

For information and updates go to: [dwc.org/jubilee-year-2025](http://dwc.org/jubilee-year-2025)



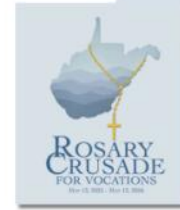
**October**

### Respect Life Month

Join us in praying for our nation to recognize the dignity of life at all stages.

## ROSARY CRUSADE FOR VOCATIONS IN WV

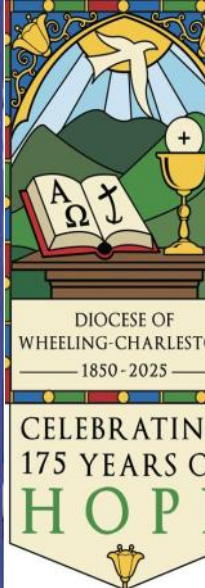
SCAN ME!



From May 13, 2025, to May 13, 2026, faithful around the world can join our Rosary Crusade for Vocations in WV. PRAYER WORKS! Step up for Jesus and His Church! **Pledge. Share. Pray.**

Your gift to the Catholic Sharing Appeal Strengthens:

- Catholic Education in our schools & parishes
- Charitable Outreach to those in need
- Faith Formation for young adults
- Clergy support & Vocations
- Parish-specific projects that renew sacred spaces and enhance ministry



## World Mission Sunday 2025 October 19th

MISSIONARIES OF HOPE among the Peoples

SHARE: GIVE NOW



TEXT "MISSIONS25" TO 53555

YOUR GIFT HELPS SUPPORT:

82,498 Seminarians	8,749 BROTHERS and ORPHANAGES	11,992 Health Centers	843,785 Catechists	258,540 Religious Sisters
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## JUBILEE & HOPE SYMPHONY CONCERT

SONGS TO CELEBRATE THE JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE AND THE 175<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE DIOCESE OF WHEELING-CHARLESTON

MONONGALIA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA & REGIONAL DIOCESAN CHOIRS AND MUSICIANS

**6 PM  
NOV. 16**

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH  
MORGANTOWN, WV

EVENT IS FREE | ALL ARE WELCOME | RECEPTION TO FOLLOW

SPONSORED BY: DIOCESAN MUSIC COMMISSION



DIOCESE OF WHEELING-CHARLESTON

[www.dwc.org](http://www.dwc.org)

# ST. AGNES MINISTRIES

## The Sacraments

### WEDDING PREPARATION

Marriage is a wonderful Sacrament that we here at St. Agnes are happy to help you prepare for. Please contact the Parish Office at least 6 months before your scheduled wedding date so that we will have enough time to complete the preparation and paperwork.

### ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

If you or a loved one is preparing for serious surgery, undergoing a life-threatening illness, or getting to the age where you are not sure how much more time God has for you on this Earth, contact the parish office to arrange a time when Fr. Szabo can celebrate the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.

## Men's Ministry

### MONTHLY MENS NIGHT

A monthly gathering for men 21 years or older on the last Saturday of the month. This is a time of fellowship, discussion, & prayer for men who are ready to grow closer to God & one another. October's gathering: Saturday, October 25th at 6:30PM. Email Fr. Szabo for more info.

## Young Adult Ministry



### YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Join our GroupMe to find out more or come to our Young Adult Bible study held every Thursday in the St. Agnes Parish Office after 6:00pm Mass!

## Social Outreach

### COMMON GROUNDS

If you would like to volunteer or donate nonperishable items, drop by Common Grounds Food Pantry at 3810 Venable Ave., on Tues. or Thurs. 10:00am - 2:00pm. A basket is in the Church narthex for food donations. For more information: call (304) 720-9690

### THERE'S ROOM FOR MORE!

See a need that isn't being met? Let us know and help us start more ministries here!

## Family Ministries

### FAMILY ADORATION

Family Adoration is held every First Saturday 10:00AM - 10:30AM. This period of Adoration is directed specifically towards the youngest members of our community. Interested families can join us anytime or contact Aisling Whelan at [aislingterese@gmail.com](mailto:aislingterese@gmail.com) for more information.

**October Adoration is October 4th.**

### CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

This Montessori approach to Catholic catechesis is designed for children who are 3-6 years of age. The program is finished for the summer and will resume in September. If you are interested in this program and would like more information, contact our catechist Aisling Whelan at [aislingterese@gmail.com](mailto:aislingterese@gmail.com)



### YOUTH MINISTRY

Please see the bulletin or join our BAND group to receive notifications about upcoming Youth Group activities for our young people!

## Women's Ministry

### LADIES GUILD

Women of the parish are invited to Ladies' Guild. We'll meet Tues., November 11th at 6:00pm at IHOP (Kanawha City). To play an optional game, bring a \$5-\$10 wrapped/bagged gift. RSVP/?s: Ann (304-552 7434) or Pat (304-382 -5311).

## Parish Ministry

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration is offered on Thursdays from 5:00PM until Mass begins at 6:00PM, and on Saturdays from 3:30PM until 4:30PM. Confession is offered during Adoration as well. If you would like to help us start more hours of Adoration, please contact the office.

### ROSARY GROUP

Fridays at 3:00pm we have a weekly Rosary group for all ages. The group will say a Rosary together Fridays at 3:00pm, unless the Church has another event on the same day/time. Fellowship follows either in the vestibule or outside if weather permitting. We also visit local homebound parishioners to pray the Rosary with them,

### PRO-LIFE GROUP

Our Pro-Life group works to support local Pro-Life efforts, as well as to provide needed support to families here at St. Agnes and in our local community. If you would like to learn more about this group, or how you can join, please email Fr. Szabo.

# RESOURCES

 **Woman's Choice**  
PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER  
PO Box 11687 Charleston, WV 25339  
304-346-9779 • reception.womchc@aol.com

**Woman's Choice Pregnancy Resource Center is a pro-life organization which has been helping women and families since 1977.**

**Our FREE services include:**

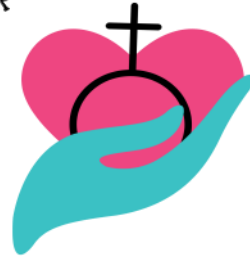
Pregnancy Tests  
Limited Ultrasounds  
Parenting Classes  
Registered Nurse Counseling  
Community Resource Referrals  
Maternity Clothing and Supplies  
"Kids' Klostet" (diapers, wipes, clothing, & baby essentials)



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**CROSS ROADS**  
pregnancy care center



**Catholic  
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Please call Nancy at 304-312-1595 for time and location.

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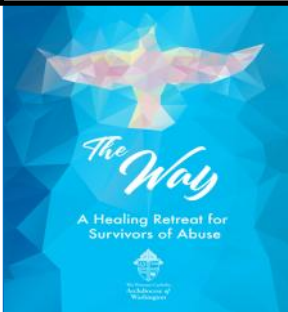
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FOR HELP



viscenter.org



1116 Kanawha Boulevard, East  
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## THE WAY

The Way is a free, 3-day guided meditation & prayer program for men & women who are survivors of abuse.

**The archdiocese will offer a women's retreat on April 25—26, 2026. In partnership with the Archdiocese of Atlanta, a men's retreat will be held June 12-14, 2026.** For more information go to <https://adw.org/the-way-retreat/>. To register email [mcdonald@adw.org](mailto:mcdonald@adw.org).



**Catholic  
Charities**  
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