

**ST. ANN CATHOLIC PARISH**

Physical Location: 610 Pike Street, Shinnston, WV 26431  
 Mailing Address: 43 Mahlon Street, Shinnston, WV 26431

**March 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**ADMINISTRATOR: REV. PATSY WASH**

**TELEPHONE NUMBERS:**

**OFFICE: 304-592-2733**

**SOCIAL HALL: 304-592-0077**

**RECTORY: 304-592-2733**

**FR. PAT'S TELEPHONE #: 304-624-1793**

**OFFICE HOURS:**

**9:00AM TO 2:00PM MON TUES, THURS & FRI**

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**PARISH: [STANNSHINNSTON@AOL.COM](mailto:STANNSHINNSTON@AOL.COM)**

**WEBSITE:**

**[WWW.STANNSHINNSTON.COM](http://WWW.STANNSHINNSTON.COM)**

**Mass Schedule:**

Sunday Masses:	Saturday:	5:00pm
	Sunday:	8:00am
		10:00am
Weekday Masses: Mon & Thurs		6:00pm
	Tues & Friday	8:30am



**Baptism**

*Please contact the Pastor to schedule a baptism. Instruction sessions are required with your first child.*

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Saturday: 4:00pm to 4:30pm  
 Before and after any weekday service and by appointment



**Marriages:**

Please contact the Pastor at least 6 months prior to the proposed date of marriage.

**Rosary and Prayer Group meets every Wednesday at 6:30pm in the Church**



**Minister's Schedule for March 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

	5:00pm	8:00am	10:00am
Server:	Frank DeMarco	Robert Spadafore, Matt Fleece, Kylieana Romeo	
Lector:	Mary Ann Ferris	Heather Stalnaker	Robbie Spadafore
Cup Ministers:	Jimmy Gemondo	Mickey Arco	Keith Dumas
	Mary Ann Ferris		Mary Ann Spadafore
Host Ministers:	Frank Demarco		Jim Spadafore
Ushers:	Joe Sears	Nick Fleece	Chad Riley



**MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:**

Saturday:	March 10	5:00pm	For the People of the Parish
Sunday:	March 11	8:00am	Mary Edith DeMary by Nick & Donna Fleece
		10:00am	Sam & Cinderella Moschella by the Moschella Family
Monday:	March 12	No Mass	
Tuesday:	March 13	8:30am	Pat Allawatt by John & Sylvia Belcastro
Wednesday:	March 14	No Mass	
Thursday:	March 15	No Mass	
Friday:	March 16	8:30am	Giovanni & Felomina Greco by Pat Post
Saturday:	March 17	5:00pm	Bobby Hamrick by Cindy Hamrick
Sunday:	March 18	8:00am	For the People of the Parish
		10:00am	Roger Spagnuolo by his family

**Father Tom would like to thank everyone for the many cards that he has received, and he wants you all to know how much he appreciates them. He is continuing to recuperate and more tests will be conducted next week.**

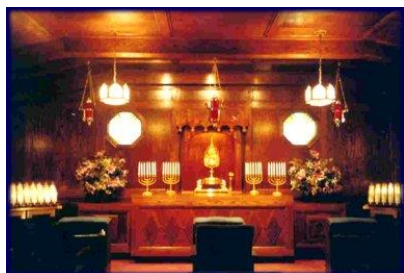
“I am the Bread of Life which came down from heaven.”

John 6:41

Jesus waits for us in this Sacrament of Love. Come, for Eucharistic Adoration and “watch and wait”, remain “silent” in His Presence and open yourselves to His Graces which flow from the Eucharist.

**OPEN HOURS THAT ARE AVAILABLE IN THE CHAPEL:**

Monday	10:00am	to	11:00am
Monday	6:00pm	to	7:00pm
Tuesday	2:00pm	to	3:00pm
Tuesday	10:00pm	to	11:00pm
Thursday	8:00am	to	9:00am
Thursday	9:00am	to	10:00am
Saturday	4:00pm	to	5:00pm
Saturday	5:00pm	to	6:00pm



**PLEASE CONSIDER TAKING AN HOUR**, and if you would like to commit to one hour per week for adoration to Christ, please call Mary K at 304-592-2733 or 304-203-4429 or Mary Ann at 304-669-3504.



Sunday of Divine Mercy is April 8, 2018. Divine Mercy Sunday is a very special Sunday when the Divine Floodgates from Heaven are wide-opened and Jesus offers us the total forgiveness of all sins and punishment to any soul, who goes to Confession and receives Him in Holy Communion on that day. Jesus gave the instructions for the feast to Saint Faustina and she faithfully recorded them in her diary. Jesus said that “the Feast of Mercy was a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners, and He asked that “On the day of My feast, the Feast of Mercy, you will go through the whole world and bring fainting souls to the spring of My mercy. I shall heal and strengthen them.”. **A novena is typically nine days of prayer in preparation of a celebration of a feast day. The Novena for Divine Mercy would begin on Good Friday, March 30, 2018.** The Divine Mercy Novena and Chaplet

Pamphlets and Prayer Cards are available on the front table of the church if you wish to participate in The Divine Mercy Novena of Chaplets. **The Lord specifically asked that the Chaplet be recited as a novena (nine days of prayer) and is typically recited at the three o'clock hour. Christ said “I desire that during these nine days you bring souls to the fountain of My mercy, that they may draw therefrom strength and refreshment and whatever grace they have need of in the hardships of life, and especially at the hour of death.**



Every Friday during Lent, we will be offering a Lenten Dinner in the Parish Hall. The Dinners will begin at 6:00pm, and the Stations of the Cross will be given immediately after the meals at approximately 6:45pm. **Next week's Lenten meal is on March 16<sup>th</sup> and the menu is Meatless Soup Beans, Brown Beans and Dumplings, corn bread, a very special casserole dish made by Jim McDowell and a dessert.** Everyone is invited to attend, and any donation that you wish to make will be accepted for the meals.



Please remember to bring your items in to fill the Essential Needs Baskets for the Clarksburg Mission. Donations will be accepted up until **Easter Sunday**, and are to be placed on the table in the box provided in the hall. Items needed are: men's and Women's Toiletry Items, Men's and women's socks, brushes, combs, small change purses, cologne or makeup, small candies and snack items, gum and mints, toothbrushes and toothbrush holders, drawstring backpacks, and cash donations. Our Religious Education Children will be preparing the baskets and taking them to the Clarksburg Mission on April 8, 2018. Thank you so much for your generosity.



The Altar Society will be selling Homemade Easter Eggs after each Mass on the 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> and again on the 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> in the Social Hall. Flavors available are: Peanut Butter, Coconut, Almond, Cherry Nut, Maple Nut, and other flavors. All eggs are \$5.00. Stop by and pick up your Easter Candy today.

The Holy name Society (Men's Group) will meet on Sunday, March 18, 2018 at 6:00pm. All men of the parish are invited and encouraged to attend.

The First United Methodist Church in Shinnston is sponsoring a Pancake Breakfast Fund Raiser for Pastor Cindy Boggs, who is battling cancer. The Fund Raiser is Saturday, March 17, 2018 from 8:00am until Noon. Please come and show your support as Pastor Cindy continues to fight for healing. Any monetary donations may be sent to: Robin Righter, PO Box 234, Shinnston, WV 26431



We have a used metal desk for sale. It is sturdy and in ok condition. We are asking \$40.00

We have a pair of large light scones for sale. We are asking \$20.00. Both items are in the social hall if you would like to stop and look. Just ask Bill Strugarek, and he will show you the items.

Please be sure and let the office or Fr. Pat know if you are in the hospital or ill at home and would like for Fr. Pat to come and visit you. Under the current privacy laws, information is not available to us regarding our parishioners who are in the hospital. The only way that Fr. Pat will know is if you call us.

Save the Date! Catholic Charities will be holding the *Raising Hope Designer Purse Bingo* on Saturday, April 14, 2018 at the Knights of Columbus in Fairmont. Doors will open at noon. Early Bird Bingo at 12:30. Regular Bingo begins at 1:00pm. There will be 20 Regular games. Tickets are \$20.00 for the event. Bingo dobbers are \$1.00 each or you may bring your own. Extra Bingo Cards are \$10.00 each. Concessions will be available. Proceeds are to benefit Catholic Charities Central Region. You can get tickets from any Regional Advisory Council member or contact Alissa Wilmoth at 304-292-6597. **Please support this project if you can as this benefit directly helps people in our North Central Region.**









