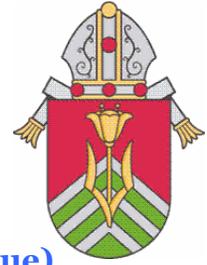


**Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston  
Liturgical Calendar  
2023-2024**



**Holy Father's Monthly Prayer Intentions (listed in blue)**

***The earliest hour for Evening Prayer I and anticipated Masses is 4:00 PM***

<p>First Sunday of Advent December 3, 2023</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Church begins a new liturgical year and Lectionary Cycles: Sundays – Year B; Weekdays – Year II</li> </ul> <p><b>For persons with disabilities: We pray that people living with disabilities may be at the center of attention in society, and that institutions may offer inclusive programs which value their active participation.</b></p>
<p>Monday of the First Week of Advent December 4, 2023</p>	
<p>Tuesday of the First Week of Advent December 5, 2023</p>	
<p>Wednesday of the First Week of Advent December 6, 2023</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Optional Memorial of Saint Nicholas, bishop</li> </ul>
<p>Thursday of the First Week of Advent December 7, 2023</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Memorial of Saint Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor</li> <li>Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
<p><b>Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception</b> <b>December 8, 2023</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Patronal Feast of the United States</li> <li><b>Holy Day of Obligation</b></li> <li><i>Gloria</i> is sung</li> </ul>
<p>Saturday of the First Week of Advent December 9, 2023</p>	
<p>Second Sunday of Advent December 10, 2023</p>	
<p>Monday of the Second Week of Advent December 11, 2023</p>	
<p>Tuesday of the Second Week of Advent December 12, 2023</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe</li> <li>Vestment color: White</li> <li><i>Gloria</i> is sung</li> </ul>
<p>Wednesday of the Second Week of Advent December 13, 2023</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Memorial of Saint Lucy, Virgin and Martyr</li> <li>Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
<p>Thursday of the Second Week of Advent December 14, 2023</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Memorial of Saint John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor</li> <li>Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
<p>Friday of the Second Week of Advent December 15, 2023</p>	

Saturday of the Second Week of Advent December 16, 2023	
Third Sunday of Advent December 17, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Gaudete</i> Sunday</li> <li>• Vestment color: Rose</li> </ul>
Monday of the Third Week of Advent December 18, 2023	
Tuesday of the Third Week of Advent December 19, 2023	
Wednesday of the Third Week of Advent December 20, 2023	
Thursday of the Third Week of Advent December 21, 2023	
Friday of the Third Week of Advent December 22, 2023	
Saturday of the Third Week of Advent December 23, 2023	
Fourth Sunday of Advent Christmas Eve December 24, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>All Masses before 4 PM are considered the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent</b></li> <li>• <b>Christmas Eve schedule may begin at 4 PM or later</b></li> </ul>
<b>Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord December 25, 2023</b>	<b><i>The Bishop of Wheeling-Charleston asks that parishes schedule <u>at least one Mass on Christmas morning.</u></i></b>
Second Day in the Octave of Christmas December 26, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Stephen, The First Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Third Day in the Octave of Christmas December 27, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint John, the Apostle</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Fourth Day in the Octave of Christmas December 28, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of the Holy Innocents, Martyrs</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Fifth Day in the Octave of Christmas December 29, 2023	
Sixth Day in the Octave of Christmas December 30, 2023	
Seventh Day in the Octave of Christmas December 31, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph</li> <li>• <b>Masses after 4:00 PM are for the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God</b></li> </ul>

<b>Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God</b> <b>January 1, 2024</b>	<b>Parishes need to schedule at least one Mass for the Holy Day</b> <b><i>Not a Holy Day of Obligation this year</i></b>  <b>For the Gift of Diversity in the Church: We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community and to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.</b>
Christmas Weekday January 2, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Christmas Weekday January 3, 2024	
Christmas Weekday January 4, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Christmas Weekday January 5, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of St. John Neumann, Bishop</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Christmas Weekday January 6, 2024	
<b>Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord</b> <b>January 7, 2024</b>	
<b>Feast of the Baptism of the Lord</b> <b>January 8, 2024</b>	<b><i>Because the Solemnity of the Epiphany is observed on Sunday, the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord has been moved to the Monday.</i></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Christmas season ends</li> </ul>
First Week in Ordinary Time January 9, 2024	
First Week in Ordinary Time January 10, 2024	
First Week in Ordinary Time January 11, 2024	
First Week in Ordinary Time January 12, 2024	
First Week in Ordinary Time January 13, 2024	
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 14, 2024	
Second Week in Ordinary Time January 15, 2024	
Second Week in Ordinary Time January 16, 2024	

Second Week in Ordinary Time January 17, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Anthony, Abbot</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Second Week in Ordinary Time January 18, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Begins</b></li> </ul>
Second Week in Ordinary Time January 19, 2024	
Second Week in Ordinary Time January 20, 2024	
Third Sunday in Ordinary Time January 21, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Sunday of the Word of God</b></li> </ul>
Third Week in Ordinary Time January 22, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children</b></li> </ul>
Third Week in Ordinary Time January 23, 2024	
Third Week in Ordinary Time January 24, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Third Week in Ordinary Time January 25, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Third Week in Ordinary Time January 26, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Third Week in Ordinary Time January 27, 2024	
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time January 28, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Catholic Schools Week Begins</b></li> </ul>
Fourth Week in Ordinary Time January 29, 2024	
Fourth Week in Ordinary Time January 30, 2024	
Fourth Week in Ordinary Time January 31, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint John Bosco, Priest</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Fourth Week in Ordinary Time February 1, 2024	<p><b>For the terminally ill: We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.</b></p>
<b>Feast of the Presentation of the Lord February 2, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Fourth Week in Ordinary Time February 3, 2024	
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary of Time February 4, 2024	

Fifth Week in Ordinary Time February 5, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Agatha, Virgin and Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Fifth Week in Ordinary Time February 6, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Paul Miki &amp; Companions, Martyrs</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Fifth Week in Ordinary of Time February 7, 2024	
Fifth Week in Ordinary of Time February 8, 2024	
Fifth Week in Ordinary of Time February 9, 2024	
Fifth Week in Ordinary of Time February 10, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Scholastica, Virgin</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 11, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>World Marriage Day</b></li> </ul>
Sixth Week in Ordinary Time February 12, 2024	
Sixth Week in Ordinary Time February 13, 2024	
<b>Ash Wednesday</b> <b>February 14, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lent begins</li> <li>• Day of Fasting and Abstinence</li> </ul>
Thursday after Ash Wednesday February 15, 2024	
Friday after Ash Wednesday February 16, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Day of Abstinence</li> </ul>
Saturday after Ash Wednesday February 17, 2024	
First Sunday of Lent February 18, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><i>Rite of Election celebrated in Charleston at 3:00 PM</i></b></li> </ul>
First Week of Lent February 19, 2024	
First Week of Lent February 20, 2024	
First Week of Lent February 21, 2024	
First Week of Lent February 22, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
First Week of Lent February 23, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Day of Abstinence</li> </ul>
First Week of Lent February 24, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><i>Rite of Election celebrated in Charles Town at 11:00 AM</i></b></li> </ul>
Second Sunday of Lent February 25, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><i>Rite of Election celebrated in Wheeling at 3:00 PM</i></b></li> </ul>
Second Week of Lent February 26, 2024	
Second Week of Lent	

February 27, 2024	
Second Week of Lent February 28, 2024	
Second Week of Lent February 29, 2024	
Second Week of Lent March 1, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Day of Abstinence</li> </ul> <p>For the New Martyrs: We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.</p>
Second Week of Lent March 2, 2024	
Third Sunday of Lent March 3, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First Scrutiny of the Elect</li> </ul>
Third Week of Lent March 4, 2024	
Third Week of Lent March 4, 2024	
Third Week of Lent March 5, 2024	
Third Week of Lent March 6, 2024	
Third Week of Lent March 7, 2024	
Third Week of Lent March 8, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Day of Abstinence</li> </ul>
Third Week of Lent March 9, 2024	
Fourth Sunday of Lent March 10, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Laetare</i> Sunday</li> <li>• Second Scrutiny of the Elect</li> </ul>
Fourth Week of Lent March 11, 2024	
Fourth Week of Lent March 12, 2024	
Fourth Week of Lent March 13, 2024	
Fourth Week of Lent March 14, 2024	
Fourth Week of Lent March 15, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Day of Abstinence</li> </ul>
Fourth Week of Lent March 16, 2024	
Fifth Sunday of Lent March 17, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Third Scrutiny of the Elect</li> </ul>
Fifth Week of Lent March 18, 2024	
<b>Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary March 19, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Patronal Feast of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston</li> <li>• <i>Gloria</i> is sung</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>

Fifth Week of Lent March 20, 2024	
Fifth Week of Lent March 21, 2024	
Fifth Week of Lent March 22, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Day of Abstinence</li> </ul>
Fifth Week of Lent March 23, 2024	
<b>Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord</b> March 24, 2024	
Monday of Holy Week March 25, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Chrim Mass is celebrated in Charleston at 4:00 PM</b></li> <li>• <b>PLEASE NOTE: The Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord has been transferred to April 8.</b></li> </ul>
Tuesday of Holy Week March 26, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Chrim Mass is celebrated in Wheeling at 4:00 PM</b></li> </ul>
Wednesday of Holy Week March 27, 2024	
<b>Holy Thursday</b> March 28, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, the <b>Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper</b> is to begin after 4:00PM at a time convenient for the faithful.</li> <li>• Washing of Feet (<i>Mandatum</i>) <b>by the priest presider</b> is optional, but in the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston it is <b>STRONGLY ENCOURAGED</b> unless the health of the priest is a serious concern. A cross-section of the parish should participate in this ritual, including women and children. The representative number is 12 persons or less. This ritual must not be altered (i.e. handwashing or washing one another's feet).</li> </ul>
<b>Friday of the Passion of the Lord</b> [Good Friday] March 29, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Day of Fast and Abstinence</li> <li>• Mass is <b>NOT</b> celebrated on this day. The principal service is called The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord. <b>NO ONE IS PERMITTED</b> to "add to" or "modify" this service from what is prescribed in the <i>Roman Missal</i>. Only a priest may preside at this service.</li> <li>• The preferred time of this liturgy is 3:00 PM. In the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, it is permitted to begin later for pastoral reasons.</li> </ul>
<b>The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night</b> [Holy Saturday] March 30, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>In the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, the Easter Vigil MUST NOT start before 8:00 PM.</b> It is important that this liturgy take place close to/after sundown. If there are pastoral reasons why the Vigil should begin before 8:00 PM, <b>permission must be sought from the Bishop of Wheeling-Charleston.</b></li> <li>• It <b>MUST NOT BE</b> at the time of the regularly scheduled anticipatory Saturday evening Mass.</li> </ul>
<b>Easter Sunday Resurrection of the Lord</b> March 31, 2024	

Monday within the Octave of Easter April 1, 2024	<b>For the Role of Women: We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.</b>
Tuesday within the Octave of Easter April 2, 2024	
Wednesday within the Octave of Easter April 3, 2024	
Thursday within the Octave of Easter April 4, 2024	
Friday within the Octave of Easter April 5, 2024	
Saturday within the Octave of Easter April 6, 2024	
Second Sunday of Easter April 7, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Divine Mercy Sunday</li> </ul>
<b>Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord April 8, 2024</b>	
Easter Weekday April 9, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 10, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 11, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Easter Weekday April 12, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 13, 2024	
Third Sunday of Easter April 14, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 15, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 16, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 17, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 18, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 19, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 20, 2024	
Fourth Sunday of Easter April 21, 2024	

Easter Weekday April 22, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 23, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 24, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 25, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Mark, Evangelist,</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Easter Weekday April 26, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 27, 2024	
Fifth Sunday of Easter April 28, 2024	
Easter Weekday April 29, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Easter Weekday April 30, 2024	
Easter Weekday May 1, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><i>In the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, this optional memorial has been elevated to an obligatory memorial since Saint Joseph is the Patron of our Diocese.</i></b></li> <li>• <b><u>Memorial of Saint Joseph the Worker</u></b></li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul> <p><b>For the Formation of Religious and Seminarians: We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.</b></p>
Easter Weekday May 2, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Easter Weekday May 3, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Philip and James, Apostles</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Easter Weekday May 4, 2024	
Sixth Sunday of Easter May 5, 2024	
Easter Weekday May 6, 2024	
Easter Weekday May 7, 2024	
Easter Weekday May 8, 2024	
Easter Weekday May 9, 2024	<b>In the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, the Solemnity of the Ascension is celebrated <u>at all the weekend Masses.</u></b>
Easter Weekday May 10, 2024	
Easter Weekday May 11, 2024	

<b>Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord May 12, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>In the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, the Solemnity of the Ascension is celebrated.</i></li> </ul>
Easter Weekday May 13, 2024	
Easter Weekday May 14, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Feast of Saint Matthias, Apostle</li> <li>Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Easter Weekday May 15, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>In the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, this optional memorial has been elevated to an obligatory memorial since there are many farmers in West Virginia.</i></li> <li><b><u>Memorial of Saint Isidore, the Farmer</u></b></li> <li>Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Easter Weekday May 16, 2024	
Easter Weekday May 17, 2024	
Easter Weekday May 18, 2024	
<b>Solemnity of Pentecost May 19, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Seventh Week in Ordinary Time May 20, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church</li> <li>Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Seventh Week in Ordinary Time May 21, 2024	
Seventh Week in Ordinary Time May 22, 2024	
Seventh Week in Ordinary Time May 23, 2024	
Seventh Week in Ordinary Time May 24, 2024	
Seventh Week in Ordinary Time May 25, 2024	
<b>Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity May 26, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Eighth Week in Ordinary Time May 27, 2024	
Eighth Week in Ordinary Time May 28, 2024	

Eighth Week in Ordinary Time May 29, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Optional Memorial of Saint Paul VI, Pope</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Eighth Week in Ordinary Time May 30, 2024	
Eighth Week in Ordinary Time May 31, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Mother</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Eighth Week in Ordinary Time June 1, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Justin, Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul> <p><b>For migrants fleeing their homes: We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.</b></p>
<b>Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood June 2, 2024</b>	
Ninth Week in Ordinary Time June 3, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Charles Lwanga &amp; Companions, Martyrs</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Ninth Week in Ordinary Time June 4, 2024	
Ninth Week in Ordinary Time June 5, 2024	
Ninth Week in Ordinary Time June 6, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
<b>Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus June 7, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Ninth Week in Ordinary Time June 8, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 9, 2024	
Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 10, 2024	
Tenth Week in Ordinary Time June 11, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Barnabas, Apostle</li> <li>Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Tenth Week in Ordinary Time June 12, 2024	
Tenth Week in Ordinary Time June 13, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Tenth Week in Ordinary Time June 14, 2024	
Tenth Week in Ordinary Time June 15, 2024	

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time June 16, 2024	
Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time June 17, 2024	
Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time June 18, 2024	
Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time June 19, 2024	
Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time June 20, 2024	<b>National Eucharistic Pilgrimage arrives in West Virginia. Weirton events</b>
Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time June 21, 2024	<b>National Eucharistic Pilgrimage in Weirton until evening Weirton</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time June 22, 2024	
Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 23, 2024	<b>National Eucharistic Pilgrimage boat procession down the Ohio River w/Diocese of Steubenville</b> <b>Evening Event at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph</b>
<b>Solemnity of the Nativity of John the Baptist</b> <b>June 24, 2024</b>	<b>National Eucharistic Pilgrimage</b> <b>8:30 a.m. Mass at Cathedral of Saint Joseph</b> <b>Walking Procession to St. Alphonsus Parish, Wheeling</b> <b>National Eucharistic Pilgrimage departs West Virginia</b>
Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time June 25, 2024	
Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time June 26, 2024	
Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time June 27, 2024	
Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time June 28, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
<b>Solemnity of Saint Peter and Paul, Apostles</b> <b>June 29, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 30, 2024	
Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 1, 2024	<b>For the Pastoral Care of the Sick: We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all.</b>
Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 2, 2024	

Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 3, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Thomas, Apostle</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 4, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Optional Proper Mass of Independence Day</i></li> </ul>
Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 5, 2024	
Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 6, 2024	
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 7, 2024	
Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 8, 2024	
Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 9, 2024	
Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 10, 2024	
Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 11, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Benedict, Abbot</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 12, 2024	
Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 13, 2024	
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 14, 2024	
Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 15, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 16, 2024	
Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 17, 2024	<b><i>National Eucharistic Congress, Indianapolis, IN</i></b>
Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 18, 2024	<b><i>National Eucharistic Congress, Indianapolis, IN</i></b>

Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 19, 2024	<b>National Eucharistic Congress, Indianapolis, IN</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Founding of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston</i></li> <li>• <i>Diocesan day of Prayer and Fasting</i></li> </ul>
Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 20, 2024	<b>National Eucharistic Congress, Indianapolis, IN</b>
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 21, 2024	<b>National Eucharistic Congress, Indianapolis, IN</b>
Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 22, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene</li> </ul> Vestment color: White
Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 23, 2024	
Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 24, 2024	
Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 25, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint James, Apostle</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 26, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of Mary</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Sixteenth Week in Ordinary Time July 27, 2024	
Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time July 28, 2024	
Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time July 29, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time July 30, 2024	
Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time July 31, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time August 1, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul> <p><b>For Political Leaders: We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.</b></p>
Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time August 2, 2024	
Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time August 3, 2024	

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 4, 2024	
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 5, 2024	
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 6, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 7, 2024	
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 8, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Dominic, Priest</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 9, 2024	
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 10, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 11, 2024	
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 12, 2024	
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 13, 2024	
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 14, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
<b>Solemnity of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary August 15, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><i>Holy Day of Obligation</i></b></li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 16, 2024	
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time August 17, 2024	
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 18, 2024	
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time August 19, 2024	

Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time August 20, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time August 21, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Pius X, Pope</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time August 22, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b></li> <li>• <b>Fifth Anniversary of Bishop Mark Brennan as Bishop of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston</b></li> </ul>
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time August 23, 2024	
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time August 24, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Bartholomew, Apostle</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time August 25, 2024	
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time August 26, 2024	
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time August 27, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Monica</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time August 28, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time August 29, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of the Passion of Saint John the Baptist</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time August 30, 2024	
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time August 31, 2024	
Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time September 1, 2024	<b>For the Cry of the Earth: We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.</b>
Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time September 2, 2024	
Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time September 3, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time September 4, 2024	

Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time September 5, 2024	
Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time September 6, 2024	
Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time September 7, 2024	
Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 8, 2024	
Twenty-Third Week in Ordinary Time September 9, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Peter Claver, Priest</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Third Week in Ordinary Time September 10, 2024	
Twenty-Third Week in Ordinary Time September 11, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>National Day of Mourning and Remembrance (Patriot Day)</i></li> <li>• <i>First Responders Day</i></li> </ul>
Twenty-Third Week in Ordinary Time September 12, 2024	
Twenty-Third Week in Ordinary Time September 13, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
<b>Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross</b> <b>September 14, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 15, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Catechetical Sunday</b></li> </ul>
Twenty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time September 16, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saints Cornelius and Cyprian, Martyrs</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Twenty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time September 17, 2024	
Twenty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time September 18, 2024	
Twenty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time September 19, 2024	
Twenty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time September 20, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saints Andrew Kim Tae-Gon and Paul Chong Ha-Sang and Companions</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>

Twenty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time September 21, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 22, 2024	
Twenty-Fifth Week in Ordinary Time September 23, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Fifth Week in Ordinary Time September 24, 2024	
Twenty-Fifth Week in Ordinary Time September 25, 2024	
Twenty-Fifth Week in Ordinary Time September 26, 2024	
Twenty-Fifth Week in Ordinary Time September 27, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Fifth Week in Ordinary Time September 28, 2024	
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 29, 2024	
Twenty-Sixth Week Ordinary Time September 30, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Sixth Week Ordinary Time October 1, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> <li>• <b>Respect Life Month</b></li> </ul> <p><b>For the Cry of the Earth: We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.</b></p>
Twenty-Sixth Week Ordinary Time October 2, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of the Holy Guardian Angels</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Sixth Week Ordinary Time October 3, 2024	
Twenty-Sixth Week Ordinary Time October 4, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Francis of Assisi</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Sixth Week Ordinary Time October 5, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Optional Memorial of Saint Faustina Kowalska, Virgin</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time October 6, 2024	
Twenty-Seventh Week Ordinary Time October 7, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Seventh Week Ordinary Time October 8, 2024	
Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time October 9, 2024	
Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time October 10, 2024	
Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time October 11, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Optional Memorial of Saint Pope John XXIII</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Seventh Week in Ordinary Time October 12, 2024	
Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 13, 2024	
Twenty-Eighth Week in Ordinary Time October 14, 2024	
Twenty-Eighth Week in Ordinary Time October 15, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Eighth Week in Ordinary Time October 16, 2024	
Twenty-Eighth Week in Ordinary Time October 17, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Twenty-Eighth Week in Ordinary Time October 18, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Luke, Evangelist</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Twenty-Eighth Week in Ordinary Time October 19, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saints John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues and Companions, Martyrs</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 20, 2024	
Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time October 21, 2024	

Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time October 22, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Optional memorial of Saint John Paul II, Pope</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time October 23, 2024	
Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time October 24, 2024	
Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time October 25, 2024	
Twenty-Ninth Week in Ordinary Time October 26, 2024	
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 27, 2024	
Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time October 28, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time October 29, 2024	
Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time October 30, 2024	
Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time October 31, 2024	
<b>Solemnity of All Saints November 1, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Holy Day of Obligation</b></li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul> <p><b>For Anyone Who has Lost a Child: We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.</b></p>
<b>The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Souls Day) November 2, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vestment color: White or Violet</li> </ul>
Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time November 3, 2024	
Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time November 4, 2024	
Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time November 5, 2024	

Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time November 6, 2024	
Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time November 7, 2024	
Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time November 8, 2024	
Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time November 9, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time November 10, 2024	
Thirty-Second Week in Ordinary Time November 11, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Thirty-Second Week in Ordinary Time November 12, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Josephat, Bishop and Martyr</li> <li>Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Thirty-Second Week in Ordinary Time November 13, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Francis Xavier Cabrini, Virgin</li> <li>Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Thirty-Second Week in Ordinary Time November 14, 2024	
Thirty-Second Week in Ordinary Time November 15, 2024	
Thirty-Second Week in Ordinary Time November 16, 2024	
Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 17, 2024	
Thirty-Third Week in Ordinary Time November 18, 2024	
Thirty-Third Week in Ordinary Time November 19, 2024	
Thirty-Third Week in Ordinary Time November 20, 2024	
Thirty-Third Week in Ordinary Time November 21, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</li> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>

Thirty-Third Week in Ordinary Time November 22, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Memorial of Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>
Thirty-Third Week in Ordinary Time November 23, 2024	
<b>Solemnity of our Lord Jesus, King of the Universe</b> <b>November 24, 2024</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vestment color: White</li> </ul>
Thirty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time November 25, 2024	
Thirty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time November 26, 2024	
Thirty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time November 27, 2024	
Thirty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time November 28, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Optional Proper Mass for Thanksgiving Day</i></li> </ul>
Thirty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time November 29, 2024	
Thirty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time November 30, 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feast of Saint Andrew, Apostle</li> <li>• Vestment color: Red</li> </ul>