

## Pope's Monthly Intentions - April: For the use of the new technologies

Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.

# **Praver for our late Pope Francis**

With the passing of Pope Francis, let us pray for the eternal repose of his soul and for the College of Cardinals as they embark on their sacred duty to elect Pope Francis' successor.

Monthly Devotion The month of April is traditionally dedicated to devotion to Jesus in the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. The Catholic Church teaches that the Blessed Sacrament is the real and living presence of Christ—His Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity—received into our souls with every reception of Holy Communion. Our Eucharistic Lord is the source and summit of our Christian life, the ultimate proof of His infinite love for us.



#### VOTIVE CANDLES

In our Catholic tradition votive candles are lit for intercessions. or to remember a loved one



# SAFE ENVIRONMENT

To report suspected cases of child sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, please contact one of the following designees at (888) 434.2637 or (304) 233-0880: Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Mr. Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Sr. Martha Gomez, ext. 264.



Fr. Mario Richard Claro **September 19, 1940** — April 19, 2025 Franklin, WV

Fr. Mario Richard Claro, 84, of Franklin, WV passed away Saturday, April 19, 2025 at UVA Medical Center, Charlottesville, VA.

The funeral mass for Fr Mario will be held Friday, May 16th at 11.00 am at the St Elizabeth church, FRANKLIN. Bishop Mark E Brennen will be officiating at the funeral mass.

Please visit URL https://www.obaughfuneralhome.com/obituar ies/fr-mario-richard-claro for details.

#### To order memorial trees

(https://store.condolences.com/obaughfuneral-home-highland-county/a38a9584d045-475d-839c-f142f460d246/trees) or send flowers to the family in memory of Fr. Mario Richard Claro, please visit the flower store (https://store.condolences.com/obaughfuneral-home-highland-county/a38a9584d045-475d-839c-f142f460d246/flowers).



Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

John 20:9



April 27, 2025 Acts 5:12-16 Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19 Sunday of Divine Mercy John 20:19-31

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www.potomachighlandscatholic.org

## **Second Collection**

Next Special Collect is on May 25 for Catholic Relief Services.

## Message/Event for All

Please call the office or email St. Mary's to schedule a Mass Intention for someone. On weekday and weekend Mass, we will begin celebrating the Mass for any mass intention. An offering generally made and that offering will go into a fund for these who have less than we.

## Sacrament by Appointment

Please call the number for St. Mary's or send an email if there is a need for a hospital or home visit. Any information for the bulletin and Mass intentions should be forwarded to the general office email address, by Thursday evening.

*Next week's readings* 

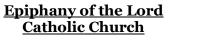
Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 Psalm 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 Revelation 5:11-14 John 21:1-19





**Confession** 

Saturday 4PM to 4:45PM or call to schedule



2029 State Road 55 Moorefield, WV 26836

<u>Liturgies</u> Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday at 12:00 Noon Saturday 5:00PM Sunday 8AM Sunday 12:00 Noon in Spanish

Hispanic Faith Formation at 5PM on Friday



## St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

545 Walnut Street Franklin, WV 26807 304-358-7012

Liturgies Tuesday at 12:00 Noon Sunday 12:00 Noon



Confession Sunday 9:30-9:45AM or call to schedule <u>St. Mary's Catholic</u> <u>Church</u>

4 Grant Street Petersburg, WV 26847

<u>Liturgies</u> Wednesday, Thursday, Friday at 12:00 Noon Sunday 10:00AM

Please join us for Rosary Prayer on Sunday at 9:30 AM. The first Sunday of each month is Birthday Sunday at St. Mary's. Please stay after Mass and celebrate everyone who has a Birthday that month with some sort of dessert and good conversation

<u>Ministry List for May 04, 2025</u>			
	<b>Lector</b> : Lynn Vandevander <b>Eucharist Minister</b> : Brenda Huey	Lector: Pat Colon Acolyte: MC Amerman Eucharist Minister: Tom Hencke & Loretta Alt	

<u>Prayer List</u>			
Mike Adams; Anthony & Marlene Ciccolella; Bill & Susie Craig; Cam Duncan;	Mike Adams; Lynn Beatty; Robert Bennett; Andi Boggs;	Cleo Alt; Paul Borror; David Brosh; Jerry Fetch; Dick Henderson;	
Julie Giblen; Chuck & Tracy Hiett; Jon Hill; Lesley Hill; Eric Kweder; Lanzo	Matilda Garcia; Peggy Harper; Dianna Hevener; Chuck	Mary Frances Idleman; Tommy Kimble, Nola Lawrence; John	
Family; Lanz Family; Family of Julie Markwood; Lisa Milbe; Roger Paredes	Hiett; Deacon John; Kim Kline; Melvina Kolman; Randy	Lutz; Mike & Megan Mayo; Richard Ours; Roy Reynolds; Alice	
Jr; Roy & Kathy Ratcliff; Ring Family; Jesus Rodriguez; Helen Skidmore; Lea	Marston; Tony May; Don Mundy; Residents of Pendleton	Veach; Mary Wood; Gavin Yonce.	
Wetzel; Yarworth Family; Rudolph Zuber Family.	Manor; Rick Waggy.		
		Home Bound members - Cleo Alt, Alice Veach, Larry Whetzel.	
Home Bound members - Joe Dodd; Juanita Martin; Karolina Yarworth.	Home Bound members – Don Mundy at 800 J.D.	at the Grant County Nursing Home – Jerry Fetch.	
	Anderson Dr., Room 228A, Morgantown, WV 26505		

Announcements		
<ul> <li>Welcome to all of our Weekend visitors If you have recently moved to the area, please join us for Mass.</li> <li>Helen Chambers has now moved to Columbus, Ohio with her family. Her address is Coventry Senior Living, 3240 Tremont Road, Unit 208, Columbus, Ohio 43221. She can be contacted by her cell phone number.</li> </ul>	• Anything can be used at CAN.	<ul> <li>DeeAnna is in the office on Tuesdays from. 11 to 2. If anyone needs something business related, please come and see her.</li> </ul>

Deacon: John Windett

The 3rd Sunday of each month is Birthday Sunday at St. Elizabeth. Please stay after Mass and celebrate everyone who has a Birthday that month with some sort of dessert and good conversation.