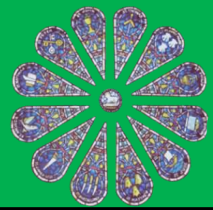




# St. Vincent de Paul Parish

2244 Marshall Avenue, Wheeling, WV 26003



## Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A) - October 15th, 2023

### Parish Office Hours:

Monday through Friday, 8:00 am - 3:00 pm

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*Parable of the Wedding Feast  
Icon*

### First Reading - Isaiah 25:6-10a

The Lord will provide richly for his people.

### Responsorial Psalm - Psalm 23:1-6

The Lord is our shepherd.

### Second Reading - Philippians 4:12-14,19-20

Paul tells the Philippians that God provides whatever he needs.

### Gospel Reading - Matthew 22:1-14

Jesus compares the kingdom of heaven to a wedding feast

### Living the Word This Week

*How can I make my life a gift for others in charity?*

Invite someone to join you for Mass or a devotion or program at your church.

### October is the month of the Rosary

For information on how to pray the Rosary, go to <https://www.usccb.org/how-to-pray-the-rosary>

### Liturgy / Holy Mass Schedule

**Sunday:** 9:00 am / 11:30 am

**Tuesday:** 5:30 pm \*Adoration 10:00 am to 5:30 pm

**Wednesday:** 5:30 pm

**Thursday:** 8:00 am

**Friday:** 8:00 am

**Saturday:** 8:00 am / 5:00 pm (Vigil)

\* Rosary 30 minutes prior to each Mass

\* Reconciliation every Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 pm

\* Reconciliation 1st Saturday of the Month after morning Mass

\* Evening Adoration 3rd Tuesday of the Month from 6:00 - 9:00 pm

### Next Mass at OLSD

Sunday, November 5th, at 10:15 am



# St. Vincent de Paul Parish School

*Education for Your Child's Mind, Body, & Soul*



127 Key Avenue, Wheeling, WV 26003  
(304) 242-5844

**Jarett T. Kuhns, M.Ed., Principal**

**Julie Peroni, Assistant Principal**

**Tracy Thomas, Office Manager & Administrative Assistant to the Principal**

Office Hours: Monday through Friday  
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Website: [www.stvincentschool.org](http://www.stvincentschool.org)

Facebook, Instagram & YouTube: [@SVS.Wheeling](#)

## SVS - A LOOK AHEAD...

Sunday 15	Monday 16	Tuesday 17	Wednesday 18	Thursday 19	Friday 20	Saturday 21
Parish Rosary Rally  CCHS Open House			PSA Officer Election  6th Grade REAP	School Mass 9:45am  School Rosary- 2:37pm 6th Grade REAP		SVS Fall Festival 10am to 3pm SVS Gym 

**Sunday, October 29th**

**Next Warrior Mass, 11:30 am - Cookies & Punch to be Served in the Vestibule of the Church after Each Warrior Mass. Please Join Us!**

## SVS CHRISTMAS SARRIS CANDY SALE

Dear Parents, Families, Parishioners, Alumni, and Friends,

Our Christmas Sarris Candy Sale is here! Sarris Candy is a holiday tradition for many families. It makes for great gifts, stocking stuffers, holiday entertainment pieces, office goodies, and more. Don't miss out on this great opportunity to get your holiday sweet treats and support our school at the same time.

If you own a business and are interested in making a corporate purchase through the school, Sarris Candies are great employee and client gifts, break room treats, or employee incentives. If you know a business owner who may be interested, please contact Mr. Yelenic at the school office.

All proceeds from this sale will benefit our school and its programs. We will be facilitating both online and brochure sales. We make approximately 25% through online sales and 30% through brochure sales. Brochure sales will be delivered to the school and distributed to the seller on a designated date. Online sales are shipped directly to the purchaser's door. Having both options make it easy to sell to both local and out-of-town relatives and friends.

To Order Online:

1. Go to [www.SarrisCandiesFundraising.com](http://www.SarrisCandiesFundraising.com)
2. Use Group ID#: **17-1717**
3. Flat Rate Packaging Fee of \$5 will be Added
4. Orders are Shipped Directly to Purchaser
5. Ships Anywhere in the U.S.

Brochure Sales (buy from an SVS student):

1. Order Cost is the List Price and Tax is Included
2. Payment is Due to the Seller at the Time of Order
4. Delivery Day (to School): December 11th
5. Your Seller will Deliver Items to You
6. If Paying by Check, **Make Payable to SVS**

Thank you for your support!

## Parish Information

### COUNCILS & COMMITTEES

**Altar Society Chairs:** Jim Baller and Mary K Bell

**Building & Property Chair:** Bob Smith

**Development Committee Chair:** Libby Reasbeck

**Finance Council Chair:** Larry Bandi

**Pastoral Council Chair:** Joann Drnach

**SVS School Advisory Board:** Anne Ricci

### Attendance for October 7th & October 8th

5:00pm - 111 / 9:00am - 138 / 11:00am - 90

**Total Attendance: - 339**

### Offertory for October 7th & October 8th

SVDP: \$3,666 / OLSD: \$1,511 / WeShare: \$1,983.32

**Total Collection - \$7,160.32**

**Upcoming Second Collection, October 22nd - World Mission Sunday Collection**

When writing checks for any collection, please make all checks payable to **St. Vincent's Church.**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUAL PARISH SUPPORT!**

**Catholic Sharing Appeal - Goals & Progress, St. Vincent de Paul Parish, Wheeling, WV**

**Raised \$24,997 of \$38,655 with 89 gifts**

**65%**

# Parish Information

## Liturgy and Minister Schedule

### Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A) - October 15th, 2023

**Gospel Acclamation: Cf. Eph 1:17-18** May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, so that we may know what is the hope that belongs to our call.

#### Greeters for October 14th & October 15th

**5:00 pm** - Jeff Klosinski & John Bartsch / **9:00 am** - Tammy & Trenton Rosenthal / **11:30 am** - Paul & Susie Newmeyer

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Mass Intentions</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>
<b>Saturday, October 14th</b> <i>*Vigil</i>	8:00 am *5:00 pm	+ CMA + Harold Miller ⊕ Rod & MaryAnn Miller 40th Wedding Anniversary	Gwen Porter	<b>Bread:</b> Carol Harris <b>Cup:</b> Maria Minor & Vickie Joseph
<b>Sunday, October 15th</b>	9:00 am 11:30 am	+ John Pyle  + Cecil Comer (A)	Mary K Bell  Richard Oswald	<b>Bread:</b> Susie Koval <b>Cup:</b> Matt Koval & Marilyn Delbrugge <b>Bread:</b> Judy Stadler <b>Cup:</b> Karen Bates & Susie Newmeyer
<b>Tuesday, October 17th</b>	5:30 pm	+ Margaret Johnson	<b><u>ALTAR SERVERS (Weekend Masses)</u></b> Logan Buchannan, Charleigh Carr, Georgia Carr, Riley Chiazza, Claire Connley, Mallory Connley, Emma Dean, Ava Dominquez, Eleanor Hortet, Lydia Koval, Landon Kazemka, Billy Looney, Ivan Lopez-Prianti, Sarai Macias, McKenzie Looney, Luke Minor, Angelene Ricci, Austin Schwanker, Ava Thomas, Emma Thompson, Justin Wilson	
<b>Wednesday, October 18th</b>	5:30 pm	+ Rosemary Coury		
<b>Thursday, October 19th</b> <i>*School Mass</i>	8:00 am *9:45 am	+ CMA + MaryJo Dodderer		
<b>Friday, October 20th</b>	8:00 am	+ CMA		

#### Greeters for October 21st & October 22nd

**5:00 pm** - Jeff Klosinski & John Bartsch / **9:00 am** - Matt & Susie Koval / **11:30 am** - Gwen Porter & Nancy Freeman

<b>Saturday, October 21st</b> <i>*Vigil</i>	8:00 am *5:00 pm	+ Mitzi Wiczorkowski + Margie Muecheck	Vickie Joseph	<b>Bread:</b> Nancy LaBrosse <b>Cup:</b> Vickie Joseph & Tom McFadden
<b>Sunday, October 22nd</b>	9:00 am 11:30 am	All the People of the Parish  + John Przelenski Sr.	Cecilia Palmer  Lori Buchanan	<b>Bread:</b> Denny Beiter <b>Cup:</b> Lynn Hetzel & Joann Drnach <b>Bread:</b> Barb Napple <b>Cup:</b> Karen Bates & Susie Newmeyer

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**M - OCTOBER 16TH** - ROM 1: 1-7 / Ps 98: 1. 2-3AB. 3CD-4 / Lk 11: 29-32  
**T - OCTOBER 17TH** - MEMORIAL OF SAINT IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH, BISHOP AND MARTYR ROM 1: 16-25 / Ps 19: 2-3. 4-5 / Lk 11: 37-41  
**W - OCTOBER 18TH** - FEAST OF SAINT LUKE, EVANGELIST 2 TM 4: 10-17B / Ps 145: 10-11. 12-13. 17-18 / Lk 10: 1-9  
**T - OCTOBER 19TH** - MEMORIAL OF SAINTS JOHN DE BRÉBEUF AND ISAAC JOGUES, PRIESTS, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS ROM 3: 21-30 / Ps 130: 1B-2. 3-4. 5-6AB / Lk 11: 47-54  
**F - OCTOBER 20TH** - ROM 4: 1-8 / Ps 32: 1B-2. 5. 11 / Lk 12: 1-7  
**S - OCTOBER 21ST** - ROM 4: 13. 16-18 / Ps 105: 6-7. 8-9. 42-43 / Lk 12: 8-12  
**S - OCTOBER 22ND** - TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Is 45: 1. 4-6 / Ps 96: 1. 3. 4-5. 7-8. 9-10 (7B) / 1 THES 1: 1-5B / MT 22: 15-21

*Lord of perfect charity, You have invited all people to share in the glorious banquet of Heaven.*

*The only requirement is that we allow all sin and selfishness to be purged from our lives so that we are covered with the garment of charity.*

*I accept Your invitation this day, dear Lord, and commit myself to the purifying fires of Your perfect love.*

*Jesus, I trust in You.*

*If God is the center of your life, no words are necessary. Your mere presence will touch hearts. ~ St. Vincent de Paul*



# Prayer & Worship

## Prayer List, Mass & Adoration Opportunities, Religious Education



### Please Pray for:

Charles Ballard, Jim Baller, Barb Bennett, Patricia Bock, Marsha Boissy, Steven Bonenberger, Carl Bott, Mary Kay Britt, Bill Childers, Theresa Comer, Gerald Cook, Holly Custer, Betty Dietrich, Allison Dunlap, Ethan Eckman, Melissa Hipkiss, Joe Holly, Frederick Jaquay, Jack Klug, Flavia Langan & Family, Ray Laudermilt, Marcia Laughlin, Brandi Mackey, Brandt Mazerowski, Arlene Muccioli, Mike Perring, Madelyn Reed, Vincent Rodak, Jenna Russell, Paul Russell, Gary Shaver, Julie Shiess, Addison Stephens, Joe Tankovits, Marlene Trischler, Katrina Turkaly, Glen Ullom, Lynn Uraco, John Wagner, John Walt, Fr. Joe Wilhelm, Ann & Charlie Wolfe, All Homebound, Sick and Shut-Ins



### EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION

St. Vincent de Paul Parish welcomes you to Walk With Jesus!

Sunday, October 15th after the 9:00 am Mass.

We will process from the Church, to Key Avenue, to Lounez Avenue, to Parker Avenue, to Marshall Avenue and back to the Church.



### BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Announcements must be submitted via email to [technology@saintvincentparish.org](mailto:technology@saintvincentparish.org) by 9:00 pm on Tuesday before the Sunday of publication.

Thank You!



### Condolences and Prayers

to the family of

**Beverly Vanaman**

who was laid to rest on October 11th.

### BELL CHOIR

It is once again that time of year to start preparing for the upcoming Advent season!

Anyone wishing to ring bells for the St. Vincent's Bell Choir please contact Jacki. We are looking to add more members so we can have two octaves in this year's bell choir. Our first practice will be **Monday, October 16th at 5:30 pm** in the **Caveney Room**.

### CHURCH CHOIR

Anyone wishing to join this years St. Vincent's Church Choir please contact Jacki. Singers of all ages are welcome to join us for our first practice on **Monday, October 16th at 6:45 pm** in the **Mary Mother of Mercy Chapel**.

### JESUS AND THE EUCHARIST STUDY

Session 5: God Is With Us

Tuesday, October 17th

**6:15 pm - 8:15 pm** in the Marist Center.

*God's presence in the Old Testament foreshadows the gift of the Eucharist, one of the seven sacraments of the Church. Jesus established the Eucharist to give us strength and accompany us at every moment of our earthly journey.*

To register, contact **Joann Drnach** at **304-238-6534**

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**Tuesdays from 10:00 am - 5:30 pm**, concluding with a **Benediction at 5:30 pm** followed by Mass.

Helpers are needed for Eucharistic Adoration, especially between the hours of **4:00-5:00 pm** and for the **6:00 pm, 7:00 pm and 8:00 pm** time slots on the **3rd Tuesday of the Month**.

Please call **Joann Drnach** at **304-238-6534** to sign up.

### PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR)

PSR classes each **Sunday at 10:15 am** in the Marist Center / Parish Hall. Registration forms are available in the vestibule of the church. You can turn completed registration forms in to the Parish Office or bring them with you to the first day of classes.

### BECOMING CATHOLIC - OCIA (RCIA)

Any non-Catholic interested in becoming a Catholic Christian can contact the parish office for information regarding the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults. **(OCIA is also a wonderful "refresher course" for Catholics wanting to deepen their faith!)**

### WEST VIRGINIA INSTITUTE FOR SPIRITUALITY

**Accessing and Integrating with the Enneagram via Zoom**  
**Friday, October 20th** from 12:45 – 9:00 pm and **Saturday, October 21st**, 8:00 am – 3:00 pm EST

Questions: Email **Sr. Carole Riley, C.P.D., PhD** at [wviscr@aol.com](mailto:wviscr@aol.com)

The Enneagram is a sophisticated and powerful system for self-understanding, personal development, and spiritual transformation. This workshop takes you into the depths of the Enneagram for your own personal transformation. It is not a description of the Nine Types but an entrance into the deeper dynamics of how we understand the self, our worldview, our clients, and our experiences.

Prior to attending, all participants are expected to read two books: 1) The Essential Enneagram by Daniels and Price, and 2) The Road Back to You by Cron and Stabile. Additionally, if you are unfamiliar with the Enneagram, it would be helpful for you to determine your enneagram type prior to this workshop. RHETI test available at <https://tests.enneagraminstitute.com/>

Donation: \$100

CEU credits are available for Social Workers (10 CEU), Registered Nurses (7.5 CEU), and Licensed Professional Counselors (15 CEU)


Register: email [wvisreg@gmail.com](mailto:wvisreg@gmail.com)

# Parish Information

## Weekly Calendar & Upcoming Events

### SVDP - A LOOK AHEAD...

By tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates each month of the year to certain devotion. The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary, one of the best known of all Catholic devotions.

<b>Saturday, October 14th</b>	<b>Marist Third Order of Mary Meeting</b> , 9:30 am - 12:30 pm in the Caveney Room
<b>Sunday, October 15th</b> 	<i>Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <b>Eucharistic Procession / Rosary Rally</b> after the 9:00 am Mass
<b>Monday, October 16th</b>	<b>Bell Choir</b> , 5:30 - 6:30 pm in the Caveney Room <b>Church Choir</b> , 6:45 - 7:45 pm in the Mary Mother of Mercy Chapel <b>OCIA (RCIA)</b> , 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm in the Youth Room
<b>Tuesday, October 17th</b> <i>Adoration, 10:00am-5:30pm</i> <i>Evening Adoration, 6:00-9:00pm</i>	<b>Prayer Shawl Group</b> (Kreitzer), 1:00 to 3:00 pm <b>Stitching Group</b> (McFadden), 5:00 - 7:00 pm <b>St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting</b> , 6:15 - 7:15 pm in the Youth Room <b>Jesus and the Eucharist Study</b> (Drnach), 6:15 - 8:15 pm in the Marist Center
<b>Wednesday, October 18th</b>	<b>Small Group</b> (Mazzzocca), 6:00 - 8:00 pm <b>Small Group</b> (McKeets), 6:00 - 8:00 pm
<b>Friday, October 20th</b>	<b>Rosary</b> (Mazzzocca), 4:00 - 5:00 pm
<b>Saturday, October 21st</b>	<b>SVDP Euchre Tournament</b> , Tournament starts at 7:00 pm (Doors open at 6:15 pm) <b>\$10.00</b> per person / Snacks provided / Cash Bar
<b>Sunday, October 22nd</b>	<i>Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>

### **EUCHRE TOURNAMENT**

Saturday, **October 21st**  
Doors open at **6:15 pm**  
Tournament starts at **7:00 pm**

**\$10.00** per person  
Snacks provided Cash Bar



### **SPAGHETTI DINNER**

Saturday, **November 11th**  
from **5:00 pm** to **8:00 pm**  
in the Marist Centre

Adults **\$10**  
Children 10 and under **\$5.00**  
Eat in or take out

In honor of Veteran's Day,  
all Veterans dinners are **FREE!**

### **TRIVIA NIGHT**

*Holiday Edition!*

Saturday, **November 18th**  
Doors open at **6:30 pm**  
Trivia starts at **7:00 pm**

**\$10.00** per person  
Teams of up to eight players

*(If you don't have a team, we can place you on a team in need of players)*

### **UPCOMING SVDP SOCIAL EVENTS!**

**December 16th**, Cookie Sale

**December 31st**, New Year's Eve Dance

### **QUARTER AUCTION RECAP**

A big thank you to everyone who donated, helped to organize, worked and participated in our  
**2nd Annual St. Vincent de Paul Quarter Auction.**

We earned a total profit of **\$4701.68** for our Church!

### **MARIST CENTRE RENTAL**

Did you know that our Marist Centre is available to rent for Baby Showers, Wedding Showers & Receptions, Birthday Parties, Family Reunions, Community Events and more?

For information, pricing and rental agreements; please contact Susie Newmeyer in the Parish Office at **304-242-0406**.

### **SVDP PARISH FESTIVAL RETURNS IN 2024!**

**Friday & Saturday, June 7-8, 2024**

The next festival planning meeting will be  
**November 15th**, at **6:30 pm** in the Marist Center.

**Please consider helping with the Parish Festival as a Planning Committee Member or Volunteer!**

# Parish Outreach

## Service Organizations, Community Events & Announcements

### MARIST THIRD ORDER OF MARY

Next Meeting: **Saturday, October 14th at 9:30 am** in the Caveney Room.

### OLSD ALTAR SOCIETY

Next Meeting: **October 26th at 11:30 am** at OLSD.  
Everyone is invited to attend and join.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

If you would like to attend a meeting, call **Mary Lou Kent** at **(304) 242-1019**. The next meeting is **Tuesday, October 17th at 6:15 pm** in the Youth Room. *(We are attending Mass at 5:30 pm and meeting after Mass.)*

#### **Did You Know?**

All money that is collected in our poor boxes goes to help the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

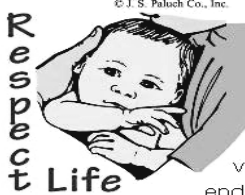
#### **Bed Ministry**

The St Vincent de Paul Society, is in need of usable beds, size queen and smaller. Also we need blankets and sheets. We are most in need of twin blankets and queen sheets. We are in great need of young people willing to help carry beds into homes.

We are also looking for a few more drivers who would have a truck or access to a truck to help us deliver beds for our bed ministry. Thank-you!

#### **Donate Riesbeck's Points**

An easy way to donate to the St Vincent de Paul Society is when you shop at Riesbecks, consider donating your points to the St Vincent de Paul Society. We use the points to purchase hygiene and cleaning items for our neighbors in need. At the check out, put in the SVdP Society telephone number, **304-242-8868**.



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### **9-DAY NOVENA FOR LIFE**

October we celebrate Respect for Life Month, and the first Sunday of October is observed as Respect Life Sunday.

As Catholics, we are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between.

Here at Our Lady of Peace, we will do a 9-day Novena for Life beginning on **Saturday, October 21**, for nine consecutive days, ending on **Sunday, October 29**. Join us - Pray with us.

NOVENA	DAY	DATE	TIME
1ST DAY	SATURDAY	OCT 21	Mass at 5:00PM Mass, followed by Novena
2ND DAY	SUNDAY	OCT 22	Mass at 8:30AM Mass, followed by Novena Mass at 10:30AM Mass, followed by Novena
3RD DAY	MONDAY	OCT 23	Mass at 6:00 PM Mass, followed by Novena
4TH DAY	TUESDAY	*OCT 24	Mass at 6:00 PM Mass, followed by Novena
5TH DAY	WEDNESDAY	OCT 25	Mass at 6:00PM Mass, followed by Novena
6TH DAY	THURSDAY	*OCT 26	Mass at 6:00PM Mass, followed by Novena
7TH DAY	FRIDAY	OCT 27	Mass at 6:00PM Mass, followed by Novena
8TH DAY	SATURDAY	OCT 28	Mass at 5:00PM Mass, followed by Novena
9TH DAY	SUNDAY	OCT 29	Mass at 8:30AM Mass, followed by Novena Mass at 10:30AM Mass, followed by Novena

**\*No 8:00am Daily Mass**



Sponsored by our Knights of Columbus

### ROSARY RALLY

JOIN US for the Rosary Rally on **Saturday, October 14th at 12:00 noon** in the parking lot of Grisell's Funeral Home in Bethlehem. Remember to bring your rosary and chair. All are welcome. Rosary booklets available.

### CONSECRATION OF CHILDREN BORN AND UNBORN

**Sunday, October 15th**, following the 11:30 am Mass at St. Vincent de Paul Parish.

This is an opportunity of added protection and prayer for all children. The child need not be present.

Fr. James McCafferty, S.M. and members of The Marist Third Order of Mary will conduct the ceremony. The born and unborn will be consecrated to Mary Our lady of Good Hope.

Forms will be available at the Parish Office or on the day of consecration.

For additional information, contact **Judy Stadler 304-242-5867**

### CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE



**Sunday, October 15th, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm**

For more information, please call **304-233-1660**

or visit [www.cchsknights.org](http://www.cchsknights.org)

### OCTOBER HOLY HOUR

To Celebrate the Year Of the Holy Eucharist, as proclaimed by Pope Francis, Corpus Christi Parish is hosting an evening **Holy Hour** every third Monday of the month (**Monday, October 16th**) for a specific cause.

You are invited to attend this event in the month of October, to **pray for the protection of all life**. Please give one hour of your time to pray for an end to abortion, for the protection of all God's children in the womb, for an end to euthanasia, and for laws at the state and national level that would protect life in all stages. Please also come to pray for those women who have had abortions, for the fathers that have lost a child through abortion and for those medical professionals who perform abortions, that they would have a deep conversion of heart. In the United States, 24 states have good to excellent protection laws for life, 2 have moderated protections, and 24 have poor to terrible protections for the unborn. (datavisualizations.heritage.org.)

There is a very bold and aggressive battle occurring in the United States regarding abortion and euthanasia right now—your prayers make a difference!!

**“Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving” Colossians 4:2**

### ST. JOHN'S BEREAVEMENT GATHERING

*Grief from a Faith Perspective:*

**6:00 pm** on the **last Monday of each month** at St. John's Fellowship Hall in Benwood, WV.

Call St. John's parish at **304-232-6455**

Next gathering will be **October 30th**.



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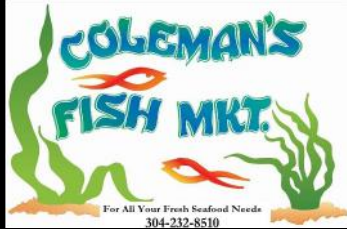
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