

MAYORAL PROCLAMATION
in harmony with
CHRISTIAN HERITAGE WEEK IN WEST VIRGINIA
November 23 – 29, 2025
As proclaimed by
Governor Patrick Morrisey

WHEREAS: Thanksgiving week marks the thirty-fourth consecutive *Christian Heritage Week* in West Virginia: thus continuing a tradition of annual proclamations beginning with Governor Gaston Caperton in 1992 thru 1996 and continued by Governor Cecil Underwood from 1997 – 2000, Governor Bob Wise from 2001 – 2004, Governor Joe Manchin from 2005 – 2010, Governor Earl Ray Tomblin from 2011 – 2016, Governor Jim Justice in 2017 – 2024 and Governor Patrick Morrisey in 2025: and,

WHEREAS: 243 MAYORS FROM 143 CITIES, TOWNS, AND VILLAGES THROUGHOUT THE State of West Virginia have proclaimed *Christian Heritage Week* since 2001: and,

WHEREAS: LOCAL CHURCHES ARE ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE WITH RELEVANT Sunday School lessons, sermons, patriotic song services, youth programs, and prayer meetings: and,

WHEREAS: Psalm 127:1 warns, “Except the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it: except the Lord keep the city, the watchman waketh in vain.”

NOW THEREFORE: Let it be Known that November 23 – 29, 2025, Thanksgiving week, is hereby proclaimed as:

CHRISTIAN HERITAGE WEEK
IN THE
TOWN OF GRANVILLE, WV

And we invite all citizens to join in this observation each in their own way.

BY: Patricia Ruvis
MAYOR

DATE: 10-14-25
Anno Domini