### ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA OCTOBER 9, 2022

Sunday Mass @ 11am = 53 people attended			
Regular Collection	\$ 1259		
Maintenance	\$ 83		
Diocesan			
Mass Stipends	\$ 100		
Social Concerns			
Total Collection	\$ 1442		

#### **Insurance Money Owed**

Your assistance is greatly needed to pay for insurance costs which have escalated since the flood of 2016.

The current debt for St. Charles is \$ 27,187

The diocese will pay half the bill, but we still owe \$13,593.50. So far \$3718 has been donated.

The church needs your help. Please make checks payable to **St. Charles Borromeo** and put "**insurance**" in the memo line.

Thank you.

Thank you for your help and your generosity.

#### ST. CHARLES BORROMEO OCTOBER 8 AND 9, 2022

Saturday Mass @ 4pm = 39	Sunday Mass @ 9am = 48
Regular Collection	\$ 1105
Maintenance	
Diocesan	
Mass Stipends	\$ 120
Community Outreach = Donations to the Poor Box	\$ 134
Donations to insurance debt	\$ 500
Total Collection	\$ 1859

#### **Knights of Columbus**

Coat Drive: the Knights are collecting gently used coats, hats, gloves and scarves.
Bring your donations to church.



Sunday Oct. 23—noon

The Knights & Auxiliary will drive and visit Perk & Sue Berry in Smith Mountain Lake, VA. Let Mike Williams know if you can drive or if you need a ride (304-645-1373) or email him at cwilliams1948@frontier.com

# The next meeting of the Women of the Church will be





in the rectory at St.
Charles Borromeo.
All women
are invited to attend.



The Altar Rosary
Society will be hosting an Oktoberfest
at noon on Sunday
Oct. 30, 2022 at St.
Catherine of Siena.
Bratwurst and potato

salad will be served and there will be a bake sale and craft boutique. Please join us!

**Pastor:** Father Jim Conyers. email: jconyers@dwc.org Phone: 304-667-9043 **Deacon:** Robert Holliday. email: rholliday@dwc.org Phone: 304-646-4476

Deacon: Bill Strange. email: deaconbill@frontier.com Phone: 304-237-4470(cell) 304-536-2333 (home)

Community Outreach: 336 W. Main St. in WSS. Open Tuesday & Friday, from 12-2 p.m. Phone: 681-331-6122

Music leaders at St. Catherine: Bob and Mary Thompson. Music leaders at St. Charles: Rodger and Leah Trent.

The Church Office is located at St. Charles Borromeo in White Sulphur Springs on the lowest level of the Rectory.

Church Secretary: Leah Trent Church email: stborromeo@frontier.com Phone: 304-536-1813

Office Hours Monday Oct 17 and Friday Oct 21 from 9 a.m.—2 p.m.

The church office will be closed Wednesday Oct 19th as Leah will be attending a PACE conference in Charleston.

Church Office address: 40798 Midland Trail E. White Sulphur Springs, WV 24986

U.S. CATHOLIC SISTERS AGAINST HUMAN TRAFFICKING Sistersagainsttrafficking.org To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact WV child Protective Services at 800.352.6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, please contact the diocese at 888.434.6237 or 203.233.0880.

# OCTOBER 16, 2022 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA Established 1892

163 Walnut Street Ronceverte, WV 24970

Sunday Rosary: 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass: 11:00 a.m. Sunday Confession 12:15 p.m.



#### ST. CHARLES BORROMEO

Established 1903 40798 Midland Trail E. White Sulphur Springs, WV 24986

Saturday Confession & Rosary 3:30 p.m. Saturday Mass 4:00 p.m.

Sunday Confession & Rosary: 8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m.

Dear Family,

Perhaps you have already heard about the conversion of the actor Shia LeBeouf to Catholicism. There is a fascinating interview of him by Bishop Robert Barron on the website <a href="www.wordonfire.org">www.wordonfire.org</a>. Shia, a 35-year-old man, grew up partly as a Jew and partly as a Protestant Christian, but with no real faith. As a young adult he thought of himself as an agnostic or atheist, and he cared very little for the Christian worship that he encountered.

At a low point in his life when he had broken all the important relations and wrecked his career, he got a call from a highly respected director who offered him the part in a movie, "Padre Pio," playing the title part as the Capuchin Monk. He gladly accepted the part, thinking he would get his career back on track, but it became more than that.



He spent several months at a Capuchin Monastery and Seminary in San Lorenzo, California. He lived with the community there and studied the life of Padre Pio. He also attended Latin Masses (the Mass of Padre Pio). He said that for the first time in Christian worship he felt as though no one was trying to sell him something. He was just a part of an event in which he was participating with others that was truly focused on a transcendent reality. At that point he decided to become Catholic.

This is a wonderful observation that we can keep in mind as we worship. Let us pray that others may also come to discover that reality.

God's blessings to all,

Fr. Jim Conyers



#### St. Catherine of Siena NOVENA

This novena will begin on Sunday October 16, 2022.

## PRAYER for those who have FALLEN AWAY from the SACRAMENTS

Jesus, Good Shepherd, we earnestly ask you to send your grace of conversion into the hearts of those who have strayed away from grace. You went out in search of the one sheep which was lost and called for rejoicing when it was found. Help us now so we may rejoice in your goodness.

We pray in particular for those who once were close to you and now have drifted away because of sin or neglect. It may be a relative or friend for whom we pray, or perhaps someone we scarcely know. They are yours, Lord Jesus, redeemed by your precious blood. Bring them safely back into your fold. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The next Diocesan
Collection
will be for
World Mission
Sunday
October 23, 2022



#### **CHURCH WEBSITES**

We have new websites for both of our churches. Rob Wickham, Senior Internet Technologies Engineer at the Diocese of Wheeling Charleston, designed our websites. The websites are provided to churches in our diocese at no charge to the church.

The websites are a "work-in-progress" but we are very pleased to have current and accurate information available for our parishioners and our guests. Current Mass, Adoration, and Confession times are listed. In addition, there are "buttons" you can click on to see the current bulletin, flyers for current events, and past bulletins.

http://stcharlesborromeowv.org http://stcatherinewvorg

#### **Brunswick Stew**

The Greenbrier County Chapter of WV for Life

is offering quart jars of homemade Brunswick Stew for sale. Preorders are now being accepted. The soup will be ready for pick-up at Emmanuel Community Church on Saturday October 29 from 3-5 p.m. Quarts are \$10 each. Traditional Brunswick stew has chicken, pork, veggies, and spices. Vegan soup (without meat or meat broth) is also available. Place your order by emailing: greenbrierwv4life@gmail.com





How you can help in our community

Ronceverte Food Pantry: St. Catherine parishioners are scheduled to help October 21 & 22. The Food Pantry needs your help.

If you have time, please come to the Ronceverte Food Pantry on **Saturday, October 22nd** between 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.

The next time you can volunteer to help prepare and assemble Gwen's meals is **Wednesday, November 23rd** at 9 a.m. at St. Catherine's Church.

Menu: chili, Jiffy corn muffins, and fruit

In addition to assembling the to-go meals, we need at least 6 people to VOLUNTEER to make chili in their own crock pot.

The chili will need to be brought to the Parish Hall at St. Catherine's on Wednesday November 23 by 9 a.m.



CHURCH CALENDAR	OTHER EVENTS	ST. CHARLES BORROMEO IN WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS MASS SCHEDULE	ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA IN RONCEVERTE MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday October 15	RCIA Class @ St. Charles 1-3 p.m.	3:30 pm—Confession Mass @ 4 p.m. Reader: Gloria Martin	
Sunday October 16		8:30 am—Confession Mass @ 9:00 a.m—Mike Hoover (D) Reader: Ann Turley	Mass @ 11 a.m.— James Dale Plumley (D) Reader: Andrea Karrs Noon—Confession
Monday October 17	Office open 9am-2pm	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday October 18			Mass @ 8:30 a.m. After Mass—Adoration / Confession
Wednesday October 19	Office open 9am-2pm	11 a,m.—Adoration / Confession Mass @ noon	
Thursday October 20			5:30 p.m.—Adoration / Confession Mass @ 6:30 p.m.—J.J. O'Brien (D)
Friday October 21	Office open 9am-2pm	Mass @ 8:30 a.m. After Mass—Adoration / Confession	
Saturday October 22	RCIA Class @ St. Charles 1-3 p.m.	3:30 pm—Confession Mass @ 4 p.m. Reader: Julie Burton	
Sunday October 23	Noon—The Knights will drive to visit Sue & Perk Berry in VA.	8:30 am—Confession Mass @ 9:00 a.m—Nadine O'Neil (D) Reader: Paul Grist	Mass @ 11 a.m.—Peggy Miller (D) and Peggy Burns (D)  Reader: Buck Williams  Noon—Confession

#### Please pray for the following people:

Nuala Gallagher-Morgan, Ryan Czul, Grace Dean, Deborah Conyers, Perk & Sue Berry, Anastasia (Fama) Morton, Mary Thompson, Ed DeLong, Charlie Friedman, John and Ann Withrow, Margie Sheppard, Gertrude Worsham, Frankie Musselman, Jean Foley, Armella Johnson, and all those suffering from Covid.

Those at the Seasons: Kay Morgan

Those serving in our Military: Paul Roshau, Father John McDonough (in Saudi Arabia until October),

Call the Church office to add names to prayer list: 304-536-1813

## The Social Concern collection on October 16th

at St. Catherine of Siena will be for The Shepherd's Center of Greenbrier Valley which serves seniors, and also adults who need assistance. The Shepherd's Center helps mature adults live their lives independently and provides them with opportunities to continue to learn, expand their social contacts, and volunteer their time and skills.

shepherd's center