

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA
SHARING OUR TREASURE
JANUARY 14, 2024

Attendance at 11 a.m. = 43	
Regular Collection	\$ 895
Mass Intention Stipends	
Diocesan	
Social Concerns—Family Refuge Center	\$ 205
Total Collection	\$ 1100

REVISED St. Catherine December 2023 Financial Summary
Collections: \$ 7230
Expenses \$ 4577 Net: \$ 2653

ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO
SHARING OUR TREASURE
JANUARY 20 AND 21, 2024

Attendance at 4 p.m. = 23 Attendance at 9 a.m. = 43	
Regular Collection	\$ 666
Mass Intention Stipends	\$ 40
Diocesan: Church in Dev. World	\$ 230
Poor Box Donations	\$ 306
Total Collection	\$ 1242

St. Charles December 2023 Financial Summary
Donations: \$ 8230
Expenses: \$ 7802 Net: \$ 428

Join us in the Pilgrimage to the
NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

Indianapolis from July 17-21, 2024
with Bishop Mark Brennan
and the Diocese of Wheeling Charleston

Tour includes

- ◆ NEC Congress Pass (5 days)
 - ◆ Four nights accommodations
 - ◆ Continental breakfasts
 - ◆ Round trip transportation from WV to Indianapolis
 - ◆ Transportation from hotel to Convention Center
- Cost:
\$1,119 (Double) or \$1,619 (Single)

For more info visit dwc.org

In the narthex of each church you will find baby bottles for Greenbrier Pregnancy Center's First Annual Baby Bottle Campaign. The future of GPC and its ministries are only possible through the prayers and provisions of local congregations, businesses and community members. They are fully donor supported and do not receive any government funds.



Put the bottle in a popular place in your home as a reminder to pray for the unborn and the men and women who are facing unplanned or crisis pregnancies. Fill the bottles with coins, cash and checks and return the bottles to the church on February 18, 2024. Other ways you can give are available as well, either with the provided self-addressed envelopes or online at www.GreenbrierPregnancyCenter.org

Together we can make a difference
for the unborn and their families.

PRIESTHOOD DISCERNMENT RETREAT

Mount St. Mary's Seminary

16300 Old Emmitsburg Rd, Emmitsburg, MD 21727

Sunday March 10, 2024 (12:30 p.m.) through **Monday March 11, 2024** (10:00 p.m.)

for men ages 18 and older, who are devoted to their Catholic faith

Pray, Share Meals, and Attend Seminary Classes....Hear talks about priestly life and discernment
To apply, contact Fr. Phillip Szabo, at pszabo@dwc.org to arrange a time for a brief phone interview

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)

The Church Office for both churches is located at St. Charles Borromeo on the lowest level of the Rectory.

Church Secretary: Leah Trent. office email: stcharlesborromeocc@gmail.com Phone: 304-536-1813

Proposed Office Hours next week: Jan. 29, 31, and Feb. 2 from 9 a.m.—2 p.m. (depending on weather conditions)

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 304.233.0880.

JANUARY 28, 2024

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

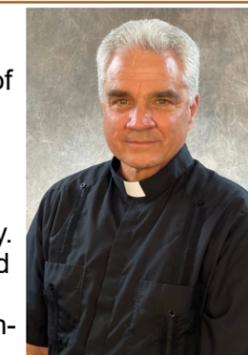


TOGETHER IN HOLINESS

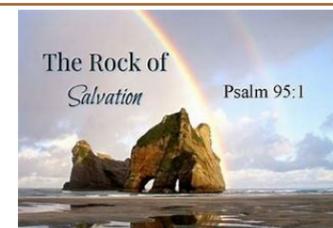
"Where Spouses Discover God's Plan for their Family" presented by the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston.
Saturday, February 10, 2024 from 10:45 a.m.—6 p.m.
St. James the Greater Catholic Church
in Charles Town, West Virginia.

The conference includes dynamic presentations, childcare, Mass, Adoration, and Confession.
Full and Partial Scholarships are available.
Couple cost : \$64. For more info contact
Cameron Kelly, Cameron@forlifeandfamily.org or
832-779-1070
Together in Holiness is an initiative of the St. John Paul II Foundation

FATHER BILL KUCHINSKY is celebrating Masses with us this weekend. On November 22, 1997, Father Kuchinsky was ordained a priest for the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, West Virginia. He served as an associate pastor for two years before being named a pastor in 2000. From 2003 to 2011, he pastored Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church in Romney.



He is a survivor of throat cancer after several years of radiation and chemotherapy. He served as head of prison ministry for the Diocese, he has been greatly involved in the pro-life movement, and serves on the board of the American Life League as their spiritual director. He retired recently and is serving as a supply priest throughout the state of West Virginia.



PSALM 95: 1-2

**COME LET US SING JOYFULLY TO THE LORD;
LET US ACCLAIM THE ROCK OF OUR SALVATION,
LET US COME INTO HIS PRESENCE WITH THANKSGIVING;
LET US JOYFULLY SING PSALMS TO HIM.**

ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO
Established 1903

40798 Midland Trail E.
White Sulphur Springs, WV 24986
www.stcharlesborromeowv.org

Sunday Confession & Rosary 8:30 a.m.
Sunday Mass 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday Mass noon
Friday Mass 8:30 a.m.
Saturday Confession & Rosary 3:30 p.m.
Saturday Mass 4:00 p.m.

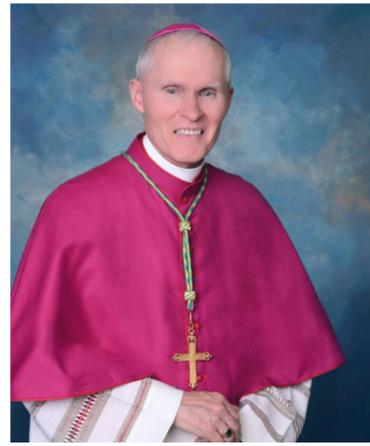
ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA
Established 1892

163 Walnut Street Ronceverte, WV 24970
www.stcatherinewv.org

Sunday Rosary 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Mass 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Confession 12:15 p.m.
Tuesday Mass 8:30 a.m.
Thursday Mass 6:30 p.m.
Office phone for both churches: 304-536-1813

Dear Family,

As I have announced, **Bishop Mark Brennan** is coming to be with us on the weekend of February 10-11. He will be present for all Masses: Saturday 4:00 p.m., Sunday 9:00 a.m. and Sunday 11:00 a.m. I am not sure we have ever had a bishop for the entire weekend, so this will be a very special time. You will find Bishop Brennan to be a very friendly and caring soul, and very approachable. He has said, by the way, that people should call him "Bishop Brennan," or "Bishop Mark," or just "Bishop."



In order to give everyone a chance to talk with the bishop, we are planning a dinner on Saturday evening, February 10, following the 4:00 p.m. Mass at St. Charles Borromeo. We will gather at 5:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall at St. Charles, with dinner served at 6:00 p.m. I want to emphasize that **everyone from both parishes is invited**. I hope to see lots of people there, and we will have a very good menu, put together by our very good chefs.



You will need to sign up for the dinner so that we will know how many to prepare for. The sign-up list will be in the narthex at both churches. The deadline for you to sign up will be Monday, February 5. If you did not sign up by that date, but want to come, please call the church office at 304-536-1813 on February 5th before 2:00 p.m.

May God richly bless you all,

Fr. Jim Conyers



Saturday Feb. 10 at 4 p.m. Mass with Bishop Mark at St. Charles
Saturday Feb. 10 at 5:30 p.m. Dinner with Bishop Mark at St. Charles
Sunday Feb. 10 at 9 a.m. Mass with Bishop Mark at St. Charles
Sunday Feb. 11 at 11 a.m. Mass with Bishop Mark at St. Catherine's

CHURCH CALENDAR	OTHER EVENTS	ST. CHARLES BORROMEEO IN WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS SCHEDULE	ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA IN RONCEVERTE SCHEDULE
Saturday Jan. 27		3:30 p.m.—Confession & Rosary 4 p.m. Mass for Jody Riley (D) Reader: <i>Alicia McIntire</i>	
Sunday Jan. 28		8:30 a.m.—Confession & Rosary 9:00 a.m.— Mass for Mike Hoover (d) Reader: <i>Debbie McComb</i> 3 p.m. <i>Knights meeting & Covered dish dinner</i>	11 a.m.— Mass for Jeannie Crabtree (L) Reader: <i>Ken Plumley</i> 12:15 p.m.—Confession
Monday Jan. 29	Office open 9 a.m.– 2 p.m.	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday Jan. 30	Office Closed		8:30 a.m. Mass 9:15 a.m. Adoration / Confession
Wednesday Jan. 31	Office open 9 a.m.– 2 p.m.	11 a.m. Adoration / Confession Noon—Mass	
Thursday Feb. 1	Office Closed		5:30 p.m. Adoration / Confession 6:30 p.m. Mass
Friday Feb. 2	Office open 9:30 a.m.– 2:30 p.m.	8:30 a.m. Mass = Candlemas 9:15 a.m. Adoration / Confession	
Saturday Feb. 3		3:30 p.m.—Confession & Rosary 4 p.m. Mass Reader: <i>Mikki Dixon</i>	
Sunday Feb. 4		8:30 a.m.—Confession & Rosary 9:00 a.m.— Mass Reader: <i>Carol Herrick</i>	11 a.m.— Mass for The Foley Family (D) Reader: <i>Mary Dailey</i> 12:15 p.m.—Confession

Mass Intentions—we have openings for Mass Intentions at both churches for both weekday and weekend Masses. Please call or email the church office to arrange for a Mass to be said for your loved one.

The tradition of offering Masses for others, particularly the dead, originates in the very early Church. Inscriptions discovered on tombs in Roman catacombs of the second century evidence this practice: for example, the epitaph on the tomb of Abercius (d.180), Bishop of Hieropolis in Phrygia, begs for prayers for the repose of his soul. Tertullian (ca. 200) attested to observing the anniversary of a spouse with prayers and sacrifices, i.e. the Mass: **“Indeed she prays for his soul, and requests refreshment for him meanwhile, and fellowship with him in the first resurrection; and she offers her sacrifice on the anniversaries of his falling asleep.”**

Please pray for the following people:

Ronnie Hollandsworth, Lonnie Withrow, John Boyle, Clyde Bowling, Dr. Joan Moore, Chad O'Donnell, Perk & Sue Berry, Mary Thompson, Ed DeLong, Charlie Friedman, Margie Sheppard
At Stonerise: Frankie Musselman
At The Seasons: Carol Spencer
Serving in our Military
 Paul Roshau

Call the Church Office to add names to our prayer list: 304-536-1813.



Readings for 1-28-2024

Deuteronomy 18: 15-20

Psalm 95: 1-9

I Corinthians 7: 32-35

Mark 1:21-28



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Sunday January 28, 2024 3 p.m.—covered dish social for Knights and the Auxiliary and their families. The meeting will focus on planning for the Lenten Fish Dinners.

Lent begins on Wednesday February 14, 2024.

Friday February 16, 2024—First Lenten Fish Dinner



The next Diocesan Collection will be on the weekend of February 10-11, 2024 For

**Church Missions in the United States:
 Black & Indian Missions and Catholic Home Missions**

The next Social Concern Collection at St. Catherine's will be collected February 18, 2024

The donations will be sent to **Bethlehem Farm.**

The **Greenbrier Chapter of West Virginians for Life** meets at Emmanuel Community Church, located on Route 60 in Harts Run. Their next meeting will be Thursday, January 18, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. All those interested in attending are welcome.

For more info, contact Paula McLaughlin
 Phone: 304-661-9866

Email: greenbrierwv4life@gmail.com

