#### ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA SHARING OUR TREASURE FEBRUARY 11, 2024

Attendance at 11 a.m. = 45	
Regular Collection	\$ 807
Mass Intention Stipends	
Diocesan Collection—US Missions	\$ 177
Total Collection	\$ 984

St. Catherine of Siena January 2024 Financial Summary		
Collections	s: \$ 3390	
Expenses	\$ 6191	Net: - <mark>\$ 2801</mark>

Our popular Lenten Fish Dinners will be served on Friday, February 23, and March 1, 8, 15, and 22.



The dinners are sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and both the St. Catherine of

Siena and St. Charles Borromeo parishes. The dinners will be served at the Emmanuel Methodist church hall in White Sulphur Springs.

- There will be seating for those who wish to dine in
- To-go dinners will also be available.
- Dinner hours are from 4:30 p.m. —7:00 p.m. Friday.

• Price is \$15 per plate; \$5 for an extra piece of fish. It takes many people to make these dinners run smoothly. All help will be greatly appreciated. We need workers beginning about 1 p.m. on Fridays until about 8 p.m. Also -we need HOMEMADE desserts each week for the six weeks. If you can help or make a dessert, please call Mike Williams at 304-645-1373

#### ST. CHARLES BORROMEO SHARING OUR TREASURE FEBRUARY 10 AND 11, 2024

Attendance at 4 p.m. = 57 Attendance at 9 a.m. = 50	
Regular Collection	\$ 977
Mass Intention Stipends	
Diocesan Collection—US Missions	\$ 318
Poor Box Donations	\$ 197
Total Collection	\$ 1492

St. Charles Borromeo January 2024 Financial Summary		
Collections: \$ 4110		
Expenses:	\$ 7402	Net: - \$ 3292

We want to thank you for participating in the baby bottle fund raiser for the Greenbrier Pregnancy Center. This is just a

reminder there is only a couple more weeks left in the campaign to help the Greenbrier Pregnancy Center. We hope you are enjoying this tool in your families as a reminder to pray for others as well as make an impact in the Kingdom of God.

Please continue to fill your bottles or give

online at www.GreenbrierPregnancyCenter.org to benefit the ministry of GPC and remember to turn them in at our church on Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>. If you need more information, please call Ann Turley at 681-484-4745.

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 Convers. email: jconvers@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)

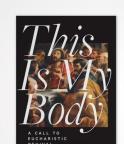
The Church Office for both churches is located at St. Charles Borromeo on the lowest level of the Rectory. Church Secretary: Leah Trent. office email: stcharlesborromeocc@gmail.com Phone: 304-536-1813 Office Hours next week: Feb.19 and 20 from 9am-2pm and Feb. 23 from 9am-2pm Church Office address: 40798 Midland Trail E. White Sulphur Springs. WV 24986

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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.

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



Bishop Mark Brennan, Deacon Bill Strange and Father Jim Convers at St. Charles on Sunday, February 11, 2024

## LENTEN BOOK STUDY

Everyone is invited to join in our Lenten Book Study, which begins this coming Wednesday, February 21, 2024. The book study will be held on Zoom from 7-8 p.m. on Wednesdays February 21, 28, and March 6,13 and 20, 2024.

Please call or email the office if you would like to receive the Zoom invite. There are copies of the book at the back of each church.



Sunday Rosary 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass 11:00 a.m. Sunday Confession 12:15 p.m. Thursday Mass 6:30 p.m.



Office phone for both churches: 304-536-1813

#### Dear Family,

There are so many people to thank for your kindnesses and selfless efforts in recent weeks. First of all, I thank all of you who prayed for me in my recent illness. I am doing much better now, and I am so glad to be back in church with you again, just in time for Lent.

I also thank all the people who helped to prepare for the bishop's visit. Everything worked out so well for all the Masses, and the music at both parishes was outstanding. Mary and Dr. Bob Thompson, and Rodger and Leah Trent, and both our choirs, always add that vital element of beauty to all our Masses.

Our dinner on Saturday evening was especially wonderful. Carol Herrick and Chef Sue Moats made everything work together from making the menu to preparing great food. And I thank all the people who set up, cleaned up and brought those tasty dishes that made the dinner complete and a great celebration. I especially want to mention Drenda Given, Jeanne Scobbo, Deborah Fabry, Kevin Given, Alicia McIntire and Carol Herrick

Bishop Brennan is always mindful of keeping costs down, so he stayed upstairs in the Rectory of St. Charles. Several people made it a comfortable place for him and brought food for his breakfast. I thank you all for your contributions.

Lastly, I always need to mention the efforts of Leah Trent, our Parish Secretary, who does so much more than anyone knows to make any event work so well for both parishes.



May God richly bless you all,

Fr. Jim Conyers

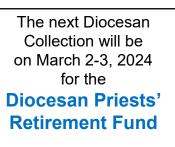
Bishop Mark Brennan and Father Jim Conyers concelebrating Mass at St. Catherine of Siena Church on Sunday February 11, 2024.

## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

DATES FOR LENTEN FISH DINNERS:

Friday February 23, 2024 Friday March 1, 2024 Friday March 8, 2024 Friday March 15, 2024 Friday March 22, 2024

Lenten Fish Dinners from 4:30—7:00 p.m. at Emmanuel Methodist Church in White Sulphur Springs. Price: \$15 per plate; \$5 for extra piece of fish Children under 5 years of age: free!



This weekend's Social Concern Collection at St. Catherine's will be collected for 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



CHURCH CALENDAR	OTHER EVENTS	ST. CHARLE IN WHITE SUL SCH
Saturday Feb. 17		3:30 p.m.—Confession 4 p.m. Mass for <b>Genev</b> <i>Reader: Bill Martin</i>
Sunday Feb. 18		8:30 a.m.—Confession 9:00 a.m.— Mass for <b>M</b> <b>Grahan</b> <i>Reader: Jeanne</i> S
Monday Feb. 19	Office open 9 a.m.– 2 p.m.	No Mass
Tuesday Feb. 20	Office open 9 a.m.– 2 p.m.	No Mass
Wednesday Feb. 21	Office Closed	No Mass
Thursday Feb. 22	Office Closed	
Friday Feb. 23	Office open 9 a.m.– 2 p.m.	8:30 a.m. Mass for <b>Jim</b> 9:15 a.m. Stations of th
Saturday Feb. 24		3:30 p.m.—Confession 4 p.m. Mass for <b>Msgr.</b> <i>Reader: Alicia Mcl</i>
Sunday Feb. 25		8:30 a.m.—Confession 9:00 a.m.— Mass for <b>M</b> <b>Gr</b> <i>Reader: Jennifer</i>
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### Year End Contribution Statements for 2023

Thank you for your financial support of St. Charles and St. Catherine's. We cannot continue to minister the sacraments, pass on the faith and help those in need without you. Your gifts are most appreciated. In the past contribution statements were mailed out. This year, to save expense of postage stamps and envelopes for mailing the year-end statements, we will have the statements ready for you in the Church office, beginning Monday February 12, 2024. If you need us to mail your statement, please call the office at 304-536-1813, and we will mail your statement to you. Thank you all for your sacrifice of time, talent, and treasure!

#### 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

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



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& Rosary <b>a Bostic (D)</b>	
& Rosary a <b>rilyn Fabry</b> n (D) Scobbo	11 a.m.— Mass for <b>Geraldine</b> <b>Williams (D)</b> <i>Reader: Connie Brown</i> 12:15 p.m.—Confession
	No Mass
	No Mass
	No Mass
	6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross 6:30 p.m. Mass
<b>my Oppedisano (D)</b> e Cross	
& Rosary Edward Sadie ntire	
& Rosary <b>arilyn Fabry</b> <b>aham (D)</b> <i>King</i>	11 a.m.— Mass for <b>Deacon Gary</b> <b>Waple (D)</b> <i>Reader: Jack Lampton</i> 12:15 p.m.—Confession