

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA  
SHARING OUR TREASURE  
MARCH 24, 2024

Attendance at 11 a.m. = 55	
Regular Collection	\$ 635
Mass Intention Donations	\$ 30
Diocesan Collection	
Social Concerns	
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$ 665</b>

ST. CHARLES BORROMEEO  
SHARING OUR TREASURE  
MARCH 23 AND 24, 2024

Attendance at 4 p.m. = 38    Attendance at 9 a.m. = 53	
Regular Collection	\$ 1861
Mass Intention Donations	
Diocesan Collection	
Poor Box Donations	\$ 252
Easter Lily Donations	\$ 60
Eucharistic Congress Donations	\$ 200
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$ 2373</b>



# MARCH 31, 2024 EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD



Here is the QR code you can scan on your cellphone to donate to **St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church.**

You can set up a recurring gift, or a one-time gift following the prompts on your phone.

St. Catherine of Siena



Here is the QR code you can scan on your cellphone to donate to **St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church.**

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St. Charles Borromeo

### ONLINE GIVING

Thank You  
FOR  
**GIVING**  
...  
GENEROUSLY

We now offer online giving for both of our parishes. You may now give to either church by

- ♦ using the QR codes found above
- ♦ by clicking on the "Give Online" buttons on our websites, or
- ♦ by texting GIVE to the following numbers:  
St. Catherine: 304-449-8883  
St. Charles : 304-247-1813

*Note: These are NOT phone numbers for you to call ... these phone numbers for texting only.*

We still welcome traditional offerings of cash and checks.

**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**

**New Office Hours beginning March 25, 2024: Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 9 a.m.—2 p.m..**

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

U.S. CATHOLIC SISTERS AGAINST  
HUMAN TRAFFICKING  
[Sistersagainstrafficking.org](http://Sistersagainstrafficking.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.

Easter Flowers at St. Charles Borromeo were given in memory of the following people:



Sally Benton  
Eugene & Geneva Bostic  
Peggy & Jim Buckley  
Lois & Gene Cole  
Tommy Given  
The Hennessey Family  
Alice & John Kennedy  
Charlie Marsh  
The Paul Moran Family  
Reggie & Nancy Mutter  
Pat & Vincent O'Neil  
Anne & Nick Scobbo  
Ronald R. Scobbo  
Stephanie Scott  
Parents of Ann & Briane Turley  
William & Delores Vallandingham  
Mary Marsh Williams

Easter Flowers at St. Catherine of Siena were given in memory of the following people:

The Berlinski Family  
Kelly, Ann, Frank & Bettie Ford  
Clint and Elaine Hasenohr  
Bill Higgins  
Eddy Houchins  
Gary Lewis  
Marsh-Hennessey Family  
Helen and Walter Karrs  
Randolph Knipp  
Stanley and Genevieve Konicki  
Majella Mane  
Edsel Moody  
J.J. O'Brien  
Grace Persuda  
Nellie & Joe Rodriguez  
Max Snelling  
Nellie Stangreciak  
Mike and Dolores Stempa  
Pat Sullivan  
Robbie Thompson  
Bill Williams  
Geraldine Williams



**ST. CHARLES BORROMEEO**  
Established 1903  
40798 Midland Trail E.  
White Sulphur Springs, WV 24986  
[www.stcharlesborromeowv.org](http://www.stcharlesborromeowv.org)

Sunday Confession 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.**



**ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA**  
Established 1819  
163 Walnut Street  
Ronceverte, WV 24970  
[www.stcatherinewv.org](http://www.stcatherinewv.org)

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 and Friends,

## Christ is Risen! He is Risen Indeed!

This is the greeting that Greek Christians give to one another on Easter (except in Greek, of course! Χριστός ἀνέστη! – Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη!) It is a fine summary of this day, and the very thing that is important about it.



A most happy and blessed Easter to everyone. This is The Great Day, and I am so glad to see all of you. You are blessed by coming because it is Christ himself who blesses you, and it is the angels and saints with us today in this place, who welcome you into the presence of God's glory.

This is not a day for unbelief. This is a day to be open to the great possibility that God is real; that Jesus is the Son of God come in the flesh; that He rose from the dead and somehow opened the door to eternal life for every human being who believes in Him. All of this may not be news to you, but the question it raises for some may be: Is this real?

Perhaps that question is yours. Things that are spiritual cannot be tested like things that are material, but the first step of belief is to ask: "Does all of this that we come to believe about God constitute converging and convincing arguments?" There is much spoken and written in Holy Scripture and through the teachings of the saints over the centuries that constitute these arguments.

Faith is a response to what God has revealed to us about himself, but it is more than that. Faith is a supernatural virtue given to us by God to help us believe. Our part is simply to be open to the possibility that there is a God who knows you, loves you and wants you to come to know and love Him. Altogether it is a rather simple thing, but the wonderful results of faith are profound.

Christ is Risen! He is Risen Indeed!

The Peace of Christ be with you all on this happy day,

Fr. Jim Conyers

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



THANKS to everyone who helped to make our Lenten Fish Dinners a success this year. Such a large group of volunteers worked well together to provide delicious fish dinners for many happy parishioners and guests.

The Knights will use any proceeds from the dinners to fund various community projects throughout the year.

We thank everyone for their donations of time, effort, and money!

This next Diocesan Collection will be on Sunday May 26, 2024 for the **Catholic Relief Services**

The next Social Concern Collection at St. Catherine's will be collected April 21 for the **Ronceverte Ministerial Association**

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, April 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. CHARLES BORROMEEO IN WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS SCHEDULE	ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA IN RONCEVERTE SCHEDULE
Saturday March 30		***NOTE*** There is NO Mass at St. Charles today	8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil
Sunday March 31	<b>HAPPY EASTER!</b>	8:30 a.m.—Confession & Rosary 9:00 a.m.— Mass for <b>Alice Kennedy (D)</b> Reader: Ann Turley	11 a.m.— Mass for <b>Geraldine Williams (D)</b> Reader: Ken Plumley 12:15 p.m.—Confession
Monday April 1	Office open 9 a.m.— 2 p.m.	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday April 2	Office open 9 a.m.— 2 p.m.	No Mass	No Mass
Wednesday April 3	Office open 9 a.m.— 2 p.m.	No Mass	No Mass
Thursday April 4	Office Closed	No Mass	No Mass
Friday April 5	Office Closed	No Mass	No Mass
Saturday April 6		3:30 p.m.—Confession 4:00 p.m.—Mass for <b>Francisca Yañez Gonzalez (D)</b> and <b>Carmen Withrow (D)</b> Reader: Gloria Martin	
Sunday April 7		8:30 a.m.—Confession & Rosary 9:00 a.m.— Mass for <b>Jimmy Oppedisano (D)</b> Reader: Cheryl Hoover	11 a.m.— Mass for <b>The Foley Family (D)</b> Reader: Mary Dailey 12:15 p.m.—Confession



In the Church, the traditional greeting on Easter morning and throughout the Easter Octave is:  
**Christus surrexit! - Surrexit vere, allelúja**  
"Christ is risen!" - "He is risen indeed, Alleluia!"  
This ancient phrase is similar to the Greek one, and echoes the greeting of the angel to Mary Magdalene and Mary, the mother of James, as they arrived at the sepulchre to anoint the body of Jesus: "He is not here; for he has risen, as he said" (Matthew 28:6 and Luke 24:6)

### 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 Lewisburg Health Care:

Frankie Musselman

At The Seasons: Carol Spencer

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



### Readings for March 31, 2024

Acts 10: 34-43  
Psalm 118: 1-23  
Colossians 3:1-4  
1 Corinthians 5:7-8  
John 20:1-9

