

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA
SHARING OUR TREASURE
MAY 12, 2024

Attendance 5-12-24 = 68	
Regular Collection	\$ 432.00
Mary Immaculate Church Collection	
ONLINE giving	\$ 282.25
Diocesan Collection	
Social Concerns	
Total Collection	\$ 714.25

ST. CHARLES BORROMEEO
SHARING OUR TREASURE
MAY 11 AND 12, 2024

Attendance 5-11-24 = 29 Attendance 5-12-24 = 87	
Regular Collection	\$ 875.00
ONLINE giving	\$ 218.65
Diocesan Collection	
Poor Box Donations	\$ 397.00
Eucharistic Congress Donations	
Total Collection	\$ 1490.65



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

St. Charles Borromeo

ONLINE GIVING

We now offer online giving for both of our parishes. You can use a credit card or bank account to set up recurring or one-time donations. You may now give by:

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

The above numbers are NOT numbers for you to call.... They are only for texting
We still welcome traditional offerings of cash and checks. We thank you for your generosity.

We are still in need of money to help send our representative to the **National Eucharistic Congress** in July. If you would like to donate, please make your check out to "St. Charles" and put "Euch. Congress" in the memo field. Cash donations are also accepted. \$965 has been donated. **We still need \$654.**

CLEANING UP THE RECTORY AT ST. CATHERINE'S



Colleen and Samuel Urffer take a well-deserved break after removing and disposing of the rug from the front porch of the rectory. St Catherine teams are assisting in a much-needed repairs and "sprucing up" in preparing the rectory for our new tenants .

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**
Church Office Hours next week: Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 9 a.m.—2 p.m.
Church Office address: 40798 Midland Trail E. White Sulphur Springs, WV 24986

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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.

MAY 19, 2024

SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST SUNDAY



WHAT IS PENTECOST?



Pentecost (from the Greek word "Pentecoste" meaning "50th day") is the one of the most prominent feast days in the Christian calendar. It is often referred to as the "birthday of the Church."

It marks the day, nearly 2,000 years ago, when the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles, who had been living in fear for fifty days following the resurrection of Jesus Christ on Easter Sunday.

Emboldened by the Holy Spirit, the apostles set forth to tell all people in Jerusalem of the Resurrection. As they spoke in tongues given to them by the Holy Spirit, all nationalities present could understand them in their own mother tongue.

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This magnificent window (pictured above) is part of a sculpture designed by sculptor Gian Bernini. It is located in St. Peter's Basilica in Rome, Italy, above the Chair of St. Peter. The whole composition is crowned by the fantastic gilt and stucco Gloria peopled by a host of angels among rays of light and gigantic billowing clouds. In their midst is the precious window of Bohemian glass, divided into twelve sections as a tribute to the Twelve Apostles; a brilliant dove stands out against it, the symbol of the Holy Spirit, the soul of the Church which he never ceases to help and to guide.

Gaspere Vanvitelli decorated the vault with gilded stucco. The fine alabaster window, surrounded by golden clouds and angels flying between rays of light, casts a mystical warmth through the basilica, especially in the afternoon. The twelve sections pay homage to the twelve Apostles who carried the words of the Gospel throughout the world.

ST. CHARLES BORROMEEO

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

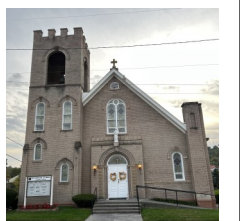
Sunday Confession 8:30 a.m.
Sunday Mass 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday Mass noon
Friday Mass 8:30 a.m.
Saturday Confession 3:30 p.m.
Saturday Rosary 3:30 p.m.
Saturday Mass 4:00 p.m.



ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Established 1819
163 Walnut Street
Ronceverte, WV 24970
www.stcatherinewv.org

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 304-536-1813



Dear Family,

As you all know, I will be retiring soon – June 28, 2024 will be my last day as your Pastor, which is also the tenth anniversary of my ordination. All my time in the Catholic Church has been here with these two parishes (St. Catherine of Siena and St. Charles Borromeo), and it has been a wonderful experience. I have six more weeks to say goodbye, and I don't want to spend too much time on farewells, as you will also be welcoming a new pastor.

Monsignor (Msgr.) Kevin Quirk will be moving into the Rectory at St. Charles Borromeo on June 19, and he will take up his duties as Pastor on June 29. As they say in the military, this will be a time of "Hail and Farewell!"

I was really amazed and surprised when I heard that Msgr. Quirk would be coming here. Although he is still quite young, he has had more experience in the Church than most priests in our Diocese. In fact, he is the priest that most other priests go to with questions they have concerning most anything in the Church. He is well-known throughout the Diocese, and he has taught many classes around the Diocese to both priests and laity. He is also very energetic and pastoral. I am sure that you will like him very much.

May God richly bless you,

Fr. Jim Conyers



RITE OF CROWNING—SUNDAY MAY 12, 2024



Adelyn Wallington (pictured at left) placed the crown of roses on the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary for the Rite of Crowning in Mount Loretto Cemetery at St. Charles Borromeo Church in White Sulphur Springs. Adelyn attends the Sunday Mass at St. Charles with her brother and sister, and her parents Stephen and Aleacha.

Audri Nobel (pictured at right with Father Jim Conyers) completed the Rite of Crowning at St. Catherine's in Ronceverte. The crowning was attended by all Sunday Mass parishioners. Audri and her brother attend Mass weekly with their father, Abel.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Sunday May 19, 2024 — All Catholic families with children age 18 and under are invited to join the Knights for a covered dish dinner on Sunday May 19 at 6 p.m. in the Parish Hall of St. Charles Borromeo Church. Mac 'n' Cheese will be provided along with sodas, coffee, water and paper products. Two \$500 "Tommy Given Memorial Scholarships" will be awarded at the dinner for grandchildren of Knights members. All youth at both St. Catherine and St. Charles will be honored as well.



WALKING WITH MOMS IN NEED

Walking with Moms in Need is a nationwide, parish-based initiative to increase support for pregnant and parenting mothers in need. It works to ensure that any woman who finds herself unexpectedly pregnant, or parenting in difficult circumstances, can turn to her local Catholic Church and be connected with the resources she needs. Volunteers walk with moms throughout the motherhood journey, offering them authentic Christian friendship and ongoing support.

For more information, please contact Kathleen Barton, Director of Social Ministries for the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston at (304) 233-0880, Ext. 289 or kbarton@dwc.org.

CHURCH CALENDAR	OTHER EVENTS	ST. CHARLES BORROMEO IN WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS SCHEDULE	ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA IN RONCEVERTE SCHEDULE
Saturday May 18		3:30 p.m.—Confession & Rosary 4:00 p.m.—Mass for Tommy Given (D) <i>Reader: Alicia McIntire</i>	
Sunday May 19	6 p.m. Knights dinner honoring the families & youth in our churches	8:30 a.m.—Confession 9:00 a.m.— Mass for Eleanor "Tommy" Porterfield (D) <i>Reader: Jeanne Scobbo</i>	10:30 a.m. Rosary 11 a.m.— Mass for Virginia Cleo McGuire (D) <i>Reader: Jack Lampton</i> SOCIAL CONCERN collection: Monroe County Outreach Ministry 12:15 p.m.—Confession
Monday May 20	Office open 9 a.m.— 2 p.m.	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday May 21	Office open 9 a.m.— 2 p.m.		8:30 a.m.—Mass
Wednesday May 22	Office open 9 a.m.—2 p.m.	11:00 a.m.—Adoration / Confession Noon— Mass for Nadine O'Neil (D)	
Thursday May 23	Office Closed		5:30 p.m. Adoration / Confession 6:30 p.m. Mass for Jimmy Oppedisano (D)
Friday May 24	Office Closed	8:30 a.m. Mass for Jim Trout (D) 9:15 a.m.—Adoration / Confession	
Saturday May 25		3:30 p.m.—Confession & Rosary 4:00 p.m.—Mass for Herman & Jane Heyl <i>Reader: Mikki Dixon</i>	
Sunday May 26		8:30 a.m.—Confession 9:00 a.m.— Mass for Mike Hoover (D) <i>Reader: Cheryl Hoover</i> DIOCESAN COLLECTION: Catholic Relief Services	10:30 a.m. Rosary 11 a.m.— Mass for Joseph & Alyce Williams (D) <i>Reader: Kathy Anderson</i> DIOCESAN COLLECTION: Catholic Relief Services 12:15 p.m.—Confession



Father Chapin Engler (who was the priest for St. Catherine and St. Charles from 2011-2018) is suffering from throat cancer. He is currently undergoing treatment in Houston Texas. If you would like to send him a card, his address is

Father Chapin St. Dominic Villages Archbishop Fiorenza Priest Home #2
2407 Holcombe Blvd Houston, TX 77021-2023

Please pray for the following people:

Mary McGinnis, Rosanne Shupe, Mary & Berl Collins, Father Chapin Engler, Ronnie Hollandsworth, Lonnie Withrow, John Boyle, Clyde Bowling, Dr. Joan Moore, Chad O'Donnell, Perk & Sue Berry, 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



Readings for 5-19-24 Solemnity of Pentecost Sunday

Acts 2:1-11
Psalm 104: 24-30
1 Corinthians 12:3-13
John 20:19-23

