

**Sunday of Divine Mercy**  
**April 03, 2016**  
**The Churches of St. Catherine and St. Charles**

St. Catherine of  
Siena Parish  
(est. 1892)



**April 29**  
*Patron of Nurses*

Oh God, you caused St. Catherine to shine with divine love in the contemplation of the Lord's passion and in the service of your church. By your help, grant that your people, associated in the mystery of Christ, may ever exalt in the revelation of His glory.

407 Walnut Street  
Ronceverte, WV 24970

MASS: Sunday, 11:00 AM  
Daily: As Scheduled

Rosary: Sunday, 10:30 AM  
Confessions: Thursday, 6:00 PM

St. Louis  
Confessions: Saturday, 3:30 PM  
MASS: Saturday, 4:00 PM

***Deadline for Bulletin Items***  
***Noon on Thursday***

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St. Charles Borromeo  
Parish  
(est. 1903)



**November 4**  
*Patron of Seminarians and Catechists*

Oh God, Maintain in your people that spirit with which you inspired your Bishop St. Charles, so that your church may be constantly renewed, conforming itself to Christ and manifesting Christ to the world.

325 West Main Street (U. S. 60)  
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MASS: Saturday, 5:30 PM

Sunday, 7:00 AM

Sunday, 9:00 AM

Daily: As Scheduled

Rosary: Saturday, 5:00 PM

**Office Hours:**

Monday-Wednesday-

Friday 10:00 am to  
3:00 PM

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<http://parishesonline.com/scripts/HostedSites/o>

Check out our parish web sites: St. Charles is at  
<http://parishesonline.com/scripts/HostedSites/organ.asp?ID=9278>

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**What Does the Catholic Church Teach About....?**

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**Question:** I was asked to explain what “The Steubenville Trip” means. It is talked about but never explained. We are asking for money, but for what?

**My Answer:** All great questions. Here we go. Steubenville is a town in Ohio just north of Wheeling, WV following along the river. Actually when speaking of Steubenville and the Steubenville Youth Conference we are in particular speaking of Franciscan University, where the actual conference takes place. Franciscan University is a Catholic University run by the Franciscan Order of Friars. If you are a Scott Hahn fan, Scott is one of the many professors at Franciscan.

Now back to the Youth Conference. The Youth Conference is a conference for high school age boys and girls that provides a very Catholic venue for youth to gather together to worship and interface with other Catholic youth from around the country and even out of the country. The conference is a very high energy venue with lots and lots of Praise and Worship activities. The Liturgy of the Mass is full of modern Christian music as well as traditional music. This is all done in a very tasteful, but up to beat, fashion. There are some 2000 plus attendees so as you would expect it gets very loud.

The conference is, however, more than Mass Liturgies. There are workshops centering around positive life experiences and personal witnesses to Christ in their lives. Other workshops focus on how to live a Christian life in morality as a young woman or a young man while traversing the difficult decisions in a growing anti-Christian society. All workshops are upbeat and positive.

The thing that always gets me when I am at one of these conferences is the very Eucharistic nature of the conference. Friday evening and Saturday the Blessed Sacrament is exposed for adoration. Saturday evening the Blessed Sacrament is processed throughout the field house around the 2000 plus participants, all who are on their knees, praising the risen Lord. What a beautiful sight! What a humbling experience! There is no doubt that the Holy Spirit is working on this campus.

Now why do we ask, no beg, for money for Steubenville. As you would suspect, the conference has a cost. The cost, of course, increases each year. This year the cost is about \$200 per person. That gets one into the conference, lodging on campus (dorm rooms) and three meals a day (bag breakfast, lunch and dinner). The cost to get there and back is donated by the chaperones and drivers.

All in all this is one of the most Spirit driven events for a high school student and has the potential to be life changing and life directing.

Oh, by the way, one of the other moving experiences for me is when they call the boys and girls who may be experiencing a call to the religious life forward to the stage to be prayed over by the whole of the community. Wow! To see young people open to God’s call. Right there in front of me. I see God working right then and there.

If you are willing to support one or more of the youth heading to Steubenville, you can donate to Steubenville through one of the two parishes of St. Catherine or St. Charles.....Peace

**Requiescat In Pace: Myron & Roz Nazar**


**Prayer Requests:**

**This Week’s Requests:** Sebastian Radovic, Elizabeth Ramsay, Gloria Kohlhepp, Shane Keadle, Betsy Myers, Rodney Morgan, Robert (Bob) Straub, Larry Burns, Gladys Paulin, Theresa Schrettner, Jim McLaughlin, Mary Nemcik, Roger Sheppard, Ron Scobbo, Sallie Dalton, Charlene Newsome, Emma Nichole Blankenship, Patricia Kauffmann, Margaret J. Mann, John O’Connell, John Boyle, Amanda Flora, Dee Ann Keene, Jennifer Decker, Patrick Burns, Andy Beery, Ray Falls, Chyna Shiflett, Karen Bailey Metrick, Rene Dillard, Kasey Dillard, Kaydin Dillard, Roz Nazar, Johnny & Dianna Feury, Kevin McCarthy, Larry Mussleman, Frank DeHaut, Hugh O’Donnell, Mick Martin, Vivian Spencer, Jenny Francisco, Miki McConnell, George Bennett, John Hanna, Jack Beard, Trisha McManus McDonald, Paula Larson, Scott Larson, Armella Johnson, Frankie Appel, Bobbie Casey, Leo O’Neil, Guy Robert, Eric Wood, Joyce Johnson, Jacqueline Wood, Ken Staley, Shirley Hicks, Walter Dinwiddie, Ed Echols, Joe Pellant, Janson Sheppard (grandson of Roger Sheppard), Tommy Robertson, Anne Ford, Joe Ford (son of Anne Ford), (Here please prayerfully add your own request, and let us pray for one another’s ongoing needs and special intentions

*{Prayer Requests are taken each week for inclusion in the bulletin for two weeks. Please phone the Rectory (536-1813) with your requests or drop them in the Prayer Intention Box at the rear of the church.}*

**Our Sick and Homebound: Greenbrier Manor:** Mary Hamsheiw, **At the Brier Rehabilitation Center:** Walter Dinwiddie, **the Seasons Nursing Home:** Dory McCabe, **Homebound in White Sulphur Springs:** Lester Toney **White Sulphur Springs Nursing Home:** Monica Weaver

**Our Military:** Brian Collins, Richard Lampert, Paul Roshau, Jeremy Bennett, Jason Collins, Anthony De Rosa, Erin Fitzpatrick, Cecilia Gallagher, Ben Lucas, Kevin McClintic (Lewisburg), Sgt. Charles McClung, Jr., Mark McKendry, Mindy Miller, Patrick S. Reynolds (WSS), John Richter, Sr., Michael Smith, William Werner.

	<b>Stewardship Report</b> (03-26/27-16)	
	<b>St. Catherine</b>	<b>St. Charles</b>
<b>Attendance</b>	164	286
<b>Envelopes</b>	1677.00	1235.00
<b>Loose</b>	620.00	2181.00
<b>Total Collection</b>	2297.00	3416.00

**WEEKLY LITURGICAL AND MEETING SCHEDULE**

<b>Date</b>	<b>St. Catherine</b>	<b>St. Charles</b>	<b>Other</b>
<b>Saturday, April 02<sup>nd</sup> Vigil of the Second Sunday of Easter</b>	.	5:30 PM Mass ✠ Joe & Carmela Rodriquez (deceased) Readers Mikki Dixon, Altar Server Hanna Family EM Patti Waid, Deacon Bill	@ St. Louis 4:00 PM Mass 3:30 PM Confession ✠
<b>Sunday, April 03<sup>rd</sup> Second Sunday of Easter – Sunday of Divine Mercy</b>	10:30 AM Rosary 11:00 AM Mass ✠ Gary Lewis (deceased) Readers, Robert Doherty, Laurel Doherty Altar Server Samantha McManus EM Tammy McManus, Sue Richter	7:00 AM Mass ✠ Sister Mary Bonitus Boyle (deceased) 8:45 AM Rosary 9:00 AM Mass ✠ Reader Jeremy Bertrand, Altar Server Perk Berry EM Sue Berry, Jack O'Connell	
Monday, April 4th			@ St. Louis 7:15AM Adoration 8:30 AM Mass 9:00 AM Breakfast at Shoney's ✠
Tuesday, April 5th	8:00 AM Reconciliation 8:30 AM Mass 9:00 AM Breakfast at Rudy's 6:00-7:00 PM Benediction ✠		
Wednesday, April 6th			
Thursday, April 7th	5:15-6:15 PM Eucharistic Adoration 6:00 PM Reconciliation 6:30 PM Mass		
Friday, April 8th	✠	8:30 AM Mass ✠	
<b>Saturday, April 9th Vigil of the Third Sunday of Easter</b>		5:30 PM Mass ✠ Readers Patti Waid, Altar Server Hanna Family EM Mikki Dixon, Deacon Bill	@ St. Louis 4:00 PM Mass 3:30 PM Confession ✠
<b>Sunday, April 10th Third Sunday of Easter</b>	10:30 AM Rosary 11:00 AM Mass ✠ Readers, Sue Ella Miano, Mary Murray Altar Server Ken Plumley EM Connie Brown	7:00 AM Mass ✠ Sister Mary Leonard, O.P. (deceased) 8:45 AM Rosary 9:00 AM Mass ✠ Patricia O'Neil (deceased) Reader Ron Scobbo, Altar Server Perk Berry EM Gertrude Worsham, Jack O'Connell	

The Diocese of Wheeling Charleston has made the Sunday Mass available on the Internet: [http://www.dwc.org/index.php?option=com\\_content&task=view&id=156&Itemid=281](http://www.dwc.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=156&Itemid=281)

**New to the Parish:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Detach and place in**

Or Pick up registration forms found at the entrance of each Church and to know you better.



## **PARISH NEWS**

The **Easter Flowers** are beautiful this year and we thank our generous donors for making it possible as they honored their loved ones.

### **In Memory of:**

**George and Mary Ann Belling**

**Miriam and Patrick Bellinger**

**Mark and Mary Sue Gee**

**Bill Higgins**

**Bill Lindsey**

**Jenny Lee**

**Gary Lewis**

**Anthony Miano**

**J.J. O'Brien**

**Mrs. Vesper Ruth**

**Emil Shrader**

**Geraldine Williams**

### **In Honor of:**

**June Anderson**

**Robert Corwin**

**Laurie Kale**

**Elizabeth Modenbach**

### **THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!**

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank EVERYONE you helped in any way with the Friday Fish Dinners during Lent. No matter how you helped: setup, cleanup, serving, cooking, supporting by coming and eating – it was all appreciated so very much. The dinners were a huge success and it would not have been possible without all of you who participated.

**PLEASE NOTE** “The Little White Book” Six-minute reflections on the weekday Gospels of Easter are available at St. Charles, St. Louis, and St. Catherine’s. Please feel free to take a copy for your Easter meditation.

**TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS:** We are continuing to offer the Traditional Latin Mass on the first Sunday of each month at 2 pm at St. Charles. The next will be on April 3<sup>rd</sup>, Divine Mercy Sunday. It will be a sung Mass (Missa Cantata) with lots of truly great music. Also please note that the Latin Mass does fulfill your Sunday obligation.

**SUNDAY’S YOUTH GAME DAY** was great! More youths came, and some younger children. Parents and adults were playing games too! Lots of laughter! The Taco Bar went really well....Yummy! Thank you, thank you, thank you! It seems like EVERYONE pitched in to make it a success. Many folks provided taco bar fixings, helped set up the room, served food, provided games, and cleaned up. Some made sure parents felt welcome. And, of course, many of you just plain prayed for us. It was so easy because of what all of you did. **NEXT GAME DAY** is scheduled for the third Sunday in April, the 17<sup>th</sup>. Food theme will be “Sunday Brunch”. Thanks again, couldn’t do it without all of you!

**St. Catherine Altar & Rosary Society**  
**10:15 am Tuesday April 05, 2016**

**Knights of Columbus:**  
**Meeting – April 24, 2016 at 3:00 pm**



*As you enter the church for Mass and the Rosary is being prayed.....we ask that you please enter silently and respectfully whether or not you are participating in the prayer.*





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