

**The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 17th, 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)
White Sulphur Springs, WV 24986

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

St. Catherine is at

<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 get to it. "I hope your homilies won't be so long winded." Amen to that. So here are several ways to obtain and indulgence.

My Answer: Firstly let me give you a quick and frequent road to a partial indulgence. Receive Holy Communion in a state of grace with the intention of a partial indulgence and then recite the "Anima Christi" (Soul of Christ) prayer when you return to your seat. This can be found on page 229 in the missal found in the pew book rack. That's it. This is what I pray after each reception of the Holy Eucharist at each Mass.

For a Plenary Indulgence we have several great opportunities here in our parishes, most specifically on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. On each of these days we can receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Holy Communion, Pray for the intentions of the Holy Father and at each of these times spend thirty minutes in adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. On Monday mornings at St. Louis exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place for an hour from 7:15 to 8:15 before Mass which takes place at 8:30. Again on Tuesday morning there is Mass at 8:30 and exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place Tuesday evenings as has been for the past six years. Lastly on Thursday evenings there is exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 5:15 to 6:15 before Mass which takes place at 6:30. Reconciliation is available before each of these Masses.

To receive the Jubilee Year indulgence, you must fulfill the usual conditions, and perform the indulgenced act; passing through a designated Holy Door during the extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy (between Dec. 8, 2015, the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, and Nov. 20, 2016, the Solemnity of Christ the King) or performing one of the corporal or spiritual works of mercy.

As for the sick and the elderly, the Holy Father says, "For them it will be of great help to live their sickness and suffering as an experience of closeness to the Lord who in the mystery of his Passion, death and Resurrection indicates the royal road which gives meaning to pain and loneliness. Living with faith and joyful hope this moment of trial, receiving communion or attending Holy Mass and community prayer, even through the various means of communication, will be for them the means of obtaining the Jubilee Indulgence."

The Holy Door was opened by Bishop Bransfield at the Cathedral in Wheeling on December 8. So all you need to do is pass through the door. Can it be any easier than that? I don't think so.

You may receive the plenary indulgence yourself, or offer it for a person in purgatory.....Peace


Requiescat In Pace: Prayer Requests:

This Week's Requests:Rodney Morgan,Robert (Bob) Straub,Eugene Peters,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 Hamshew, **At the Brier Rehabilitation Center:** Walter Dinwiddie, **the Seasons Nursing Home:** Dory McCabe, Mike and Roz Nazar **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.

	Stewardship Report (01-09/10-2016)	
	St. Catherine	St. Charles
Attendance	102	126
Envelopes	987.	579.
Loose	335.	747.
Total Collection	1322.	1326.

WEEKLY LITURGICAL AND MEETING SCHEDULE

Date	St. Catherine	St. Charles	Other
Saturday, January 16th Vigil for The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	.	5:30 PM Mass ✦ Forest & Frank Heintzman (deceased) Readers Patti Waid, Altar Server Hanna Family EM Mikki Dixon, Deacon Bill	@ St. Louis 4:00 PM Mass 3:30 PM Confession ✦
Sunday, January 17th The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:30 AM Rosary 11:00 AM Mass ✦ Gary Lewis (deceased) «» <i>People of SCS</i> Readers Mary Murray, Sue Ella Miano Altar Server Ken Plumley EM Elaine Soper, Connie Brown	7:00 AM Mass ✦ Dr. Vincent Cipolla (deceased) 8:45 AM Rosary 9:00 AM Mass ✦ Margaret Huff (deceased) Readers Christi Lynch, Altar Server Perk Berry EM Sue Berry, Gertrude Worsham	
Monday, January 18th			@ St. Louis 7:15AM Adoration 8:30 AM Mass 9:00 AM Breakfast at Shoney's ✦
Tuesday, January 19th	8:00 AM Reconciliation 8:30 AM Mass 9:00 AM Breakfast at Rudy's ✦ 6:00 PM Adoration		
Wednesday, January 20th			
Thursday, January 21st	5:15 Adoration 6:00 PM Reconciliation 6:30 PM Mass ✦ J.J. O'Brien (deceased)		
Friday, January 22nd	✦	8:30 AM Mass ✦	
Saturday, January 23rd Vigil for The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time		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 ✦
Sunday, January 24th The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:30 AM Rosary 11:00 AM Mass ✦ «» <i>People of SCS</i> Readers Mary Murray, Sue Ella Miano Altar Server Ken Plumley EM Elaine Soper, Connie Brown	7:00 AM Mass ✦ Dr. Robert Meals (deceased) 8:45 AM Rosary 9:00 AM Mass ✦ John O'Donnell (deceased) Readers Christi Lynch, Altar Server Perk Berry EM Sue Berry, Gertrude Worsham	

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

New to the Parish:

Detach and place in Collection Basket:

Name: _____ Telephone Number: _____

Or Pick up registration forms found at the entrance of each Church and return them to the Church office (or the collection basket) so that we can get to know you better.

PARISH NEWS

MARK YOUR CALENDARS for Sunday, January 17th at 12:15 PM! We will be viewing the DVD of Pope Francis' visit to the U.S. Come to St. Catherine's after the 11:00 Mass (or for the 11:00 Mass). We will have a soup luncheon and watch Pope Francis as he toured D.C., New York, and Philadelphia, beginning at 12:15 PM. For those who watched the live broadcast of Pope Francis at St. Charles, you'll remember the air of holiness in the room. I can only imagine something similar on January 17th.... So COME! Bring a friend!!

CHURCH CALENDARS FOR 2016 are now available in the vestibule of St. Catherine's and the Parish Hall at St. Charles. There will also be calendars available at St. Louis.

OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2016 ARE READY FOR PICK UP at all church locations. Please look for your envelope name and number if you are currently using envelopes. If you would like to begin using envelopes please choose a blank box and then sign the sign-up sheet next to the boxes with your name, address, and box number so that the number can be added to your information. **PLEASE BE SURE TO GET YOUR ENVELOPES AND SPARE THE EXPENSE OF MAILING THEM TO YOU.**

EMPTY PRESCRIPTION BOTTLES NEEDED

Empty prescription bottles are needed to be sent to Africa for use by doctors there to distribute medication. Deborah Fabry is heading up this project. As you empty a bottle, remove the label (best to peel it off DRY rather than WETTING it) and give it to Deborah at St. Charles, Connie Brown at St. Catherine's or Father Jim at St. Louis. Thanks for your help with this worthy cause.

STEUBENVILLE DATES: The dates for the Steubenville High School Retreat are June 24-26, 2016. Anyone entering the 9th grade next year through seniors are eligible to go. It is an EXTRAORDINARY experience!

ST. CATHERINE'S JANUARY SOCIAL CONCERN:

The Social Concern collection for January will be Wellspring of Greenbrier Valley. This special collection will be taken next Sunday, January 24th. Please consider giving generously to this worthy cause.

"LIVING A MERCIFUL LIFE IN THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT"

is the title for the 2016 Catholic Holy Spirit Seminar which will be held at Pipestem State Park from Friday, March 11 thru Sunday, March 13. Registration is \$20.00. More information and registration forms are located at the entrance of St. Louis and St. Catherine's and the Parish Hall of St. Charles.

St. Catherine Altar & Rosary Society
10:15 am Tuesday February 02, 2016

Knights of Columbus:
Meeting January 24, 2016,
3:00 pm



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