

CHURCH CALENDARS FOR THE NEW YEAR are available for pickup at all churches.

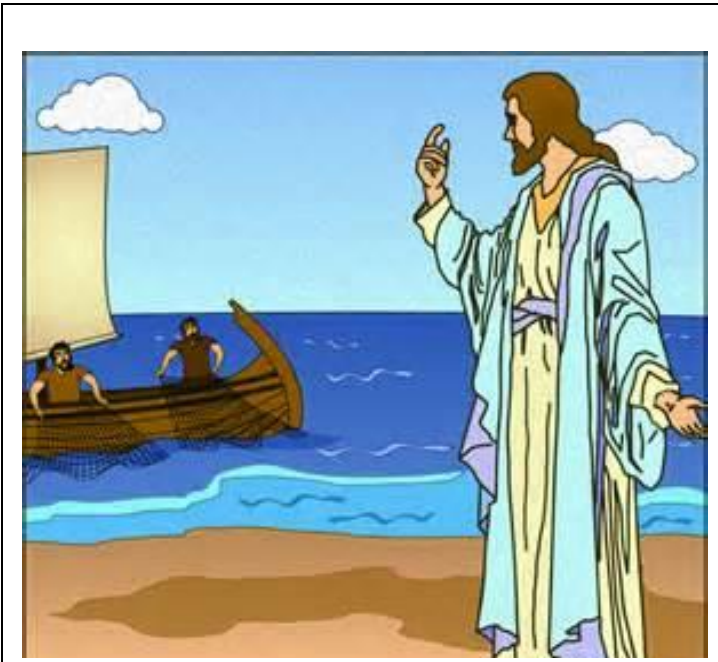
PLEASE NOTE: Anyone interested in becoming a “reader” or “Eucharist minister” please call the office – 304-536-1813 and leave your name and phone number. A special training session will be held in late January for all those involved – old and new.

A SIGN-UP SHEET FOR CHURCH ENVELOPES is located at the entrance of all churches. Numbers available are from 1 to 50. After choosing your number please sign the sheet next to the number you chose so that you will receive the proper credit for your gift. If your old number was greater than 50 you will need to choose a new number. The new envelopes will go into effect TODAY, January 01, 2017.

Check us out on Facebook...PLEASE like and share our page to help spread the word!



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 to the Diocese, please contact the diocese at 888.434.6237 or 203.233.0880.



St. Catherine Altar & Rosary Society
10:15 am Tuesday February 07, 2017



Knights of Columbus:
Meeting – January 22 2017 at St. Louis at 3:00 PM and February 12, 2017 at St. Louis at 3:00 PM.

Latin Mass: First Sunday of the Month
at St. Charles – 2:00 PM – February 05, 2017

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.



A NOTE OF THANKS!



Thanks to the Altar & Rosary Society for their “all hands on deck” cleaning party at St. Catherine’s! The pews shine, the cobwebs are gone, and there’s a fresh smell in the air. Many hands make light work --- thank you for all you do.

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 22, 2017
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

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Office Hours:

Monday –Wednesday
– Friday

10:00 am to 3:00 PM

Deadline for bulletin items – NOON on Thursday

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

Check out our bulletins online:

St. Charles www.parishesonline.com/find/st-charles-borromeo-catholic-church-24986
St. Catherine www.parishesonline.com/find/st-catherine-of-siena-24970

WEEKLY LITURGICAL AND MEETING SCHEDULE

| Date | St. Catherine | St. Charles | Other |
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| Saturday, January 21st Vigil of The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time | | 5:30 PM Mass ✦ Reader Patti Waid Altar Server Hanna Family EM Mikki Dixon, Deacon Bill | @ St. Louis 3:30 PM Confession 4:00 PM Mass ✦ D.L. Moody (d) Reader Paula Hoover |
| Sunday, January 22nd The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time | 10:30 AM Rosary 11:00 AM Mass ✦ Valentine & Mimsie De'Olloqui (deceased) Reader Laurel Doherty, Robert Doherty Altar Server Samantha McManus, EM Tammy McManus | 9:00 AM Mass ✦ Margaret Huff (deceased) Reader John Nemcik, Altar Server Perk Berry EM Gertrude Worsham, Jack O'Connell | |
| Monday, January 23 rd | | | @ St. Louis 7:15AM Adoration 8:30 AM Mass ✦ Breakfast at Shoney's |
| Tuesday, January 24 th | 8:00 AM Reconciliation 8:30 AM Mass ✦ Irene Bode (d) 9:00 am Breakfast at Rudy's 6:00-7:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration | | |
| Wednesday, January 25 th | | | |
| Thursday, January 26 th | 5:15-6:15 PM Eucharistic Adoration 6:00 PM Reconciliation 6:30 PM Mass ✦ J.J. O'Brien | | |
| Friday, January 27 th | | 8:30 AM Mass ✦ | |
| Saturday, January 28th Vigil of The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time | | 5:30 PM Mass ✦ Reader Mikki Dixon Altar Server Hanna Family EM Patti Waid, Deacon Bill | @ St. Louis 3:30 PM Confession 4:00 PM Mass ✦ Regina Quesenberry (l) Reader Judy Long |
| Sunday, January 29th The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time | 10:30 AM Rosary 11:00 AM Mass ✦ Jenny Wandell (living) Reader Jackie Plumley, Mary Murray Altar Server Blake Ledlow, EM Connie Brown | 9:00 AM Mass ✦ Tommy Given (deceased) Reader Mario Scarpa, Altar Server Perk Berry EM Gertrude Worsham, Sue Berry | |

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

Question:

Deacon, really, could you just get on with it? What are the parts of the Mass?

My Answer:

We will start as we do at Mass with the Entrance Rite. As the Rite indicates, it is the entrance into the Mass, actually the church, and thus begins the total Liturgy of the Mass.

The entrance would typically include the Priest, Deacon, Servers and other Ministers of the Mass as required. The Mass will typically start with an Entrance Song or Hymn. The reason for this is to alert the faithful that we are starting and is to set the tone or mood of the Mass. What do I mean by that? The tone or mood is dependent on the season of the Church. You will notice more solemn hymns during the Advent and Lenten Liturgies and much more upbeat during the Christmas and Easter seasons. So we should know by the hymns alone what season we are in. Also a good telltale sign would be the vestment colors, Green for Ordinary Time, Purple for the solemn times of Advent and Lent, White for the Christmas and Easter Seasons. Then mix in a few Red Days like Pentecost and Martyrs in for good measure.

Once into the Sanctuary the Penitential Rite begins. This is an opportunity to relieve yourself from Venial Sin if properly disposed. As a note, Confession is the ordinary way to forgiveness of sin. At this point the priest would say, *Let us call to mind our sins.* Then, *May Almighty God forgive us our sins.* And, *Lord Have Mercy, Christ Have Mercy, Lord Have Mercy.*

Now, depending on the season, the Gloria would be sung. During the preparation seasons of Advent and Lent the Gloria is not sung.

Now come those wonderful words, *Let Us Pray.* That means we, through the priest, are offering the *Collect* prayer. This is when the server brings that BIG BOOK to the priest. That BIG BOOK is called the *Roman Missal* and is used throughout the Mass.

Just a quick note here, The Roman Missal contains all of the prayers necessary for a Mass to take place. Although there are certain choices of prayer at certain times during the Mass, that the celebrant can use, the prayers must be said in the manner as specified within the Roman Missal. In other words, NO ADLIBING ALLOWED.

At this stage of the Mass the Entrance Rite is concluded and we move on to the Liturgy of the Word. And yes my dear sister, we have to wait until next week as we continue through the Mass.

Peace.
Deacon Tom

Have a question? Let me know at thomassoper@shentel.net. There is never a dumb question. The answer may not be what you think, but do not let that keep you from asking.

Requiescat In Pace:


Prayer Requests:

This Week's Requests: Betsy Myers, Perk Berry, Leo Lewis, Quincy Williams, Lee Doggett, Kenneth Holliday, Mike Williamson, Lisa Covelli, Mike Stentz, Todd Yoder, Lonnie & Carmen Withrow, Ruth Beverley, Jack Lucas, Pete Zaiser, Georgia Campbell, Larry Musselman, John O'Connell, Mary Nemcik, Shirley Hicks, Larry Burns, The Altar/Rosary Prayer List, Ann Ford *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, Ann Ford **the Seasons Nursing Home:** Dory McCabe, **Homebound in White Sulphur Springs:** Lester Toney **Brian Center:** Ed Echols **Our Military:** Jacob Wrzosek, John Driscoll, 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.

A CARD OR THANKS

The family of the late Tommy Given wishes to thank all members of St. Charles and St. Catherine's parishes and Father Chapin and Father Conyers for all acts of kindness shown to them during their recent bereavement. May God bless each of you.

The Given Family

|  | Stewardship Report 01-14/15-17 | |
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| | St. Catherine | St. Charles |
| Attendance | 85 | 78 |
| Envelopes | 763.00 | 270.00 |
| Loose | 536.00 | 1128.00 |
| Total Collection | 1299.00 | 1398.00 |
| St. Louis | Attendance 44 | Collection 331.00 |