

**St. Catherine Altar & Rosary Society**  
**9:45 am Tuesday July 11, 2017**



**Knights of Columbus:**

Meeting –July 09 at St. Louis at 6:00 PM and July 23, 2017 at St. Louis at 6:00 PM.

**Latin Mass:**

No Latin Mass for the months of June, July, and August 2017.

**FIRST SATURDAY MASS**

Will be held next Saturday, July 01, 2017, at Mary Immaculate Church in Frankford at 11:00 am. It will also be held there every first Saturday of the month through October at the same time. There will be a covered dish dinner immediately following Mass.

**Celebrating 90!**

**Save the date - Sunday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>!**



Please join us immediately after the 11:00 a.m. mass at St. Catherine's for a 90<sup>th</sup> birthday luncheon in honor of **Frank Ford**. Frank is currently the longest, living, lifetime member of St. Catherine's and his family is remembered throughout the church on several stain glass windows.

Guy Ford – Born September 20, 1886 died April 11, 1934. Married Frances Kelley August 26, 1926. First son, Frank Edward Ford, born June 30, 1927. Not much was known about Frank's father, Guy. Come and enjoy fellowship and an informational tidbits of Guy's history in WWI and the family's journey in discovering his history.

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.



**"WELCOME FATHER JOHN"**

Hosted by The Altar-Rosary Society

There will be a luncheon for the parishes of St. Charles Borromeo, St Louis and St. Catherine's to welcome Father John after the 11:00 am Mass THIS SUNDAY at St. Catherine's. The meat and beverages will be provided. Please bring your favorite recipe (vegetable or dessert) to share with everyone. **EVERYONE WELCOME!!**



**You are invited to a "Going Away" party for the Hanna Family.....**

**July 01<sup>st</sup> after the 5:30 pm Mass at St. Charles Borromeo.**

*The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*June 25, 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.

163 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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**Father John McDonough**  
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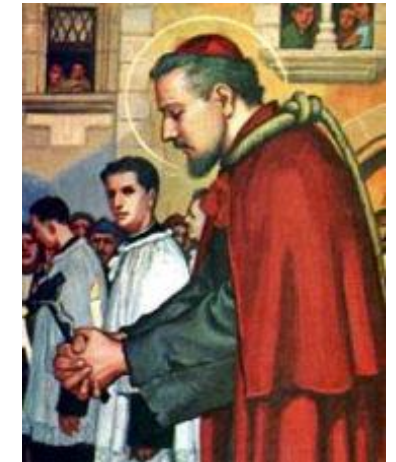
**Office Hours:**

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.

40798 Midland Trail (U. S. 60)  
 White Sulphur Springs, WV 24986

MASS: Saturday, 5:30 PM  
 Sunday, 8:30 AM

Confession  
 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](http://www.parishesonline.com/find/st-charles-borromeo-catholic-church-24986)**

**St. Catherine [www.parishesonline.com/find/st-catherine-of-siena-24970](http://www.parishesonline.com/find/st-catherine-of-siena-24970)**

**WEEKLY LITURGICAL AND MEETING SCHEDULE**

Date	St. Catherine	St. Charles	Other
<b>Saturday, June 24th Vigil for The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>		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 ✦ Carl & Emma Larson (D) Reader: Judy Long
<b>Sunday, June 25th The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	10:30 AM Rosary 11:00 AM Mass ✦ Pat Clark (D) Reader Elaine Soper, Kenneth Miller Altar Server Roshau Family EM Robert Doherty	8:30 am Confession 9:00 AM Mass ✦ Michael & Maureen Klein (L) Reader John Nemcik, Altar Server Perk Berry EM Gertrude Worsham, Jack O'Connell	
Monday, June 26th			@ St. Louis 7:15AM Adoration 8:30 AM Mass ✦ D.L. Moody (D) Breakfast at Shoney's
Tuesday, June 27th	8:00 AM Reconciliation 8:30 AM Mass ✦ 9:00 am Breakfast at Rudy's, 6:00- 7:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration		
Wednesday, June 28th		8:30 AM Mass	
Thursday, June 29th	5:15-6:15 PM Eucharistic Adoration 6:00 PM Reconciliation 6:30 PM Mass ✦ E.H. Moody (D)		
Friday, June 30th		8:30 AM Mass ✦	
<b>Saturday, July 01st Vigil for The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>		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 ✦ E.H. Moody (D) Reader: Katherine Peregoy
<b>Sunday, July 02nd The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	10:30 AM Rosary 11:00 AM Mass ✦ Link Beam (D) Reader Ken Plumley, Jackie Plumley Altar Server Samantha McManus EM Laurel Doherty, Mary Murray	8:30 am Confession 9:00 AM Mass ✦ Reginald Mutter (D) Reader Mario Scarpa, Altar Server Perk Berry EM Gertrude Worsham, Raeann Carrier	

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

**Question:**

I want to address a subject based on a homily I heard while in South Carolina last weekend.

**My Answer:**

So the homily was delivered on the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, the Body and Blood of Jesus. Here's how it went.

The priest used these statistics, from where I can't remember, regarding the belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. See what you think.

Three groups of those professing to be Catholic were surveyed with the following results.

The first group were those that are typically called C&E's, Christmas and Easter attendees. When asked if they believed in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament at Holy Communion the response was that about 42% of those surveyed said they did believe in the Real Presence.

The second group were those who attend more than Christmas and Easter, but not regularly throughout the year. When asked if they believed in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament at Holy Communion the response was about 65% of those surveyed said that they did believe in the Real Presence.

The third group were those who attend Mass regularly throughout the year. When asked if they believed in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament at Holy Communion the response was about 95% of those surveyed said that they did believe in the Real Presence.

Now I am adding my own little survey result to this mix. When asked of those who attend Mass regularly and who also spend time before the Blessed Sacrament in Adoration outside of Mass the response was 100% of those surveyed said that they believed in the Real Presence.

Now statistics are great. You can draw a lot of different conclusions from them. The priest listed several comments regarding the responses, such as of those who don't attend regularly said that they just don't get anything out of Mass. This is a typical response. I JUST DON'T GET ANYTHING OUT OF MASS! Yikes!

Now here's my two cents thrown into the mix. The Catholic Church clearly states that the Holy Eucharist is the Real Presence of Jesus Christ. The Church further states that this is a Dogma of the Church. A Dogma is a statement of belief that must be believed to be Catholic. So look at the statistics of those who profess to be Catholic. You just have to wonder.

No wonder that if someone says they just don't get anything out of Mass they can't hardly say they believe in the Real Presence of the God of the Universe. And if the God of the Universe is present at Mass, how can someone say they don't get anything out of the Mass? Someone please help me here! I know these people. They are right here in this community. I have even heard it said, "I believe in the Eucharist, but the Mass doesn't move me". Wow! How can I relate the beauty of this Most Precious Gift given to us from Jesus Himself? What more can be said?

*Peace*

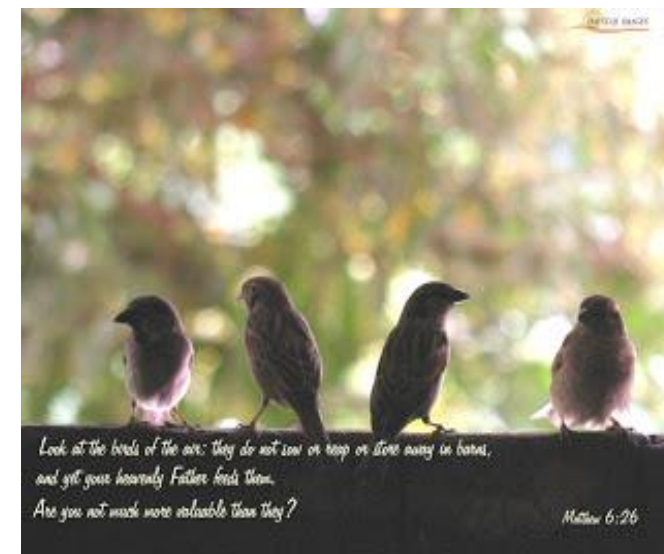
*Deacon Tom*

*Have a question? Let me know at [thomassoper@shentel.net](mailto: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:** Jeff McCormick, Tony Ray, Jason Presley, Peggy Miller, Jean Foley Margaret Neville, Perk Berry, Leo O'Neil, Quinton Williams, Lee Doggett, Kenneth Holliday, Mike Williamson, Lisa Covelli, Mike Stentz, Todd Yoder, Ruth Beverley, Jack Lucas, Pete Zaiser, Georgia Campbell, John O'Connell, Mary Nemcik, Larry Burns, The Altar/Rosary Prayer List *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: At Home:** Ed Echols, **Greenbrier Manor:** Mary Hamsheiw, Ann Ford **the Seasons Nursing Home:** Dory McCabe, **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.



	<b>Stewardship Report</b> 06-17/18-17	
	St. Catherine	St. Charles
<b>Attendance</b>	92	113
<b>Envelopes</b>	600.00	930.00
<b>Loose</b>	449.00	842.00
<b>Total Collection</b>	1049.00	1772.00
<b>St. Louis Attendance – Total</b>	<b>Envelopes</b> <b>Loose</b>	223.00 178.00 401.00