

St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

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Sunday Masses:
Saturday: 4:00 pm
Sunday: 9:30, 11:30 am

Weekday Masses:
Please see schedule inside bulletin

Parish Office Hours:
Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9:30 am - 4:30 pm.
An answering machine is available for messages and
emergencies (204) 889-3248

St. Charles Catholic School
331 St. Charles St., Winnipeg, MB R3K 1T6
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St. Charles Parish Cemetery and Columbarium
For information contact Assumption Cemetery - (204) 888-7557

Baptisms: Contact Parish office. Baptisms are celebrated during Mass and at other times. A Baptism Preparation is required.

Marriage: Contact Parish Office at least six months prior to marriage. Marriage Preparation required.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
(Confessions) Saturday 3:15 pm-3:45 pm and by appointment.

Sacrament of the Sick: Upon request - Church, hospital or home.

Parish Catechesis:
September - May
Religious Education - K-8 - Between Sunday Masses
Children's Liturgy - 3 & 4 yrs old - During 9:30 am Mass
RCIA - Wednesday evenings - 7:00 - 9:00 pm



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New Parishioners - welcome. Registration forms located at foyer office.

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

22th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat	27	4:00 pm	† Marina Aguilera, - Jose Aguilera & Family
Sun	28	9:30 am	† Tim Chumola, - Chumola Family
		11:30 am	St Charles Parishioners
<i>Weekday Masses</i>			
Tues	30	7:00 pm	† Jennifer Fondaumiere, - Laval Family
Wed	31	9:00 am	Intention of the Donor
Thurs	1	9:00 am	Intention of the Donor
Fri	2	9:00 am	Intention of Marc & Barbara Mager (50 th Anniversary), - Anna & Ron Desilets
Sat	3	9:00 am	<i>St Gregory the Great, Pope, Doctor</i> Special Intention, - Family

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat	3	4:00 pm	St Charles Parishioners
Sun	4	9:30 am	Unborn Babies, - St Charles Pro-Life Group
		11:30 am	† Andrelina Bautista, - Diana Aguilar



A Stewardship Moment

In today's Gospel, Jesus challenges the social structure of the Pharisees and teaches his hosts and their guests some profound lessons in humility. Pharisees maintained deep social divisions between who they considered "holy" and "unholy," rich and poor, honored and despised. They didn't invite someone to a banquet or dinner who couldn't reciprocate. And the lowly, the poor, the crippled, the lame and the blind had no capacity to reciprocate. Good stewards realize that if they embrace a humility that allows them to be generous to those who cannot repay them, they give evidence of having the kind of heart that will enjoy the Lord's intimate friendship. This week let's reflect on our attitude towards those who cannot repay our generosity. What is the extent of our hospitality toward others? Are we generous with those who cannot repay us? *(from the August issue of the International Catholic Stewardship Council, Stewardship e-bulletin)*

Holy Hour & Confessions

this Thursday September 1
from 6:00 -7:00 pm,
All are welcome



In your goodness, O God, you provided for the needy.
(Responsorial Psalm)

Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart. (Gospel Acclamation)



Remember in Your Prayers

J'Anne Delaplante, Victor Morello, Alan Montague, Freda Broughton, Michele Timmerman, Cornelia Reimer, Dale Gathercole, Paul and Jennifer Williams, Gay Vicelli, Anna Swanson, Jody Gale, Stella Ryan, Kathy Hollaman, Jennifer Chase, Ben Remillard, Marcel Flamand, Lawrence Paluck, Krista Schaan, Jacob Trudel, Elizabeth Kobialka, Mathew Ballecer, Doreen Pitzel, Adele Dasset, Pat LaRue, Marie Wang, Gerry Desjardins, Natalie Savignac, Ken Grindle, Lorraine Grindle, Jennifer Piche, Winston Morier, Todd La Rue, Dean King, Sandra Ammeter, Barclay Williams, Frank Miller, Abe Froese, Marissa Baccari, Juliette Kozun and Therese Lambert.

MEETINGS/EVENTS SCHEDULE

Wed	31	1:00 pm	Cards
Thurs	1	6:00 pm	Holy Hour & Confessions

Offerings: August 21, 2016

Loose: \$ 180.80 Envelopes: \$ 1502.00
Pre-Auth. Debit: \$ 1,769.00
Total \$ 3,451.80

Thank you for your support!

SHARING GOD'S GIFTS

2016 Target: \$ 35,450.00
Donations to Date: \$ 12,806.94

ST CHARLES CEMETERY The Parish has purchased a new columbarium, from dedicated funds, which is being installed in the cemetery this fall. There is an opportunity to purchase a niches at a reduce rate (\$1700.00) **from now till October 31, 2016**. There are 96 niches in the columbarium. After that date the price will be \$2500.00. There is an information sheet at the back of the church if you are interested in more details or you can contact Ron Labbé at 204-882-2817 or Maddy Kotowich at 204-895-2591.

Life Hike 2016 Come Out to Walk and Support LIFE

The St Charles Parish Pro-Life Group is hosting the annual **LIFE HIKE on Saturday, September 17, 2016**. Registration is at 9:00 am and the walk starts at 10:00 am, leaving and returning to the church. All proceeds go to Life's Vision, the provincial pro-life educational centre in Manitoba. Funds are used to focus on the injustices of abortion on innocent life, warn women of the physical/emotional harm of abortion, educate youth about pre-natal development and healthy sexuality, and resist euthanasia/assisted suicide.

Fun for the whole family. A barbecue lunch will follow the walk. There will be a bake sale, raffle/auction, face painting for the children. Donations of baked goods for the sale would be gratefully accepted and can be brought to the church basement on **Saturday the 17th from 8:30 to 9:30 am**. Also any items appropriate for the raffle/auction may be dropped off at the church by **Friday, Sept. 16th**. Please call Claude Lambert at 204-832-1338.

Pledge forms are inserted in your bulletin and can also be picked up at the back of the church. Please collect pledges to raise funds for Life's Vision to support LIFE.

You are all invited to the Pilgrimage at Polonia, St. Elizabeth of Hungary, on Sunday, Sept. 4, 2016. 3:00 pm Rosary and Confessions, 4:00 pm Mass Dinner to follow at Polonia Hall Everyone Welcome, If you have any questions, please call Fr. James Ahaneku at 204-207-0054

Synod Listening Sessions with Archbishop Richard Gagnon have been scheduled so that the voices of all of you, the people of the Archdiocese of Winnipeg, will be heard and added to the discussion about our local church today and your hope for our local church in the coming years. **Wednesday Oct 19, at 7 pm, for the Central Winnipeg Deanery, at St Paul the Apostle Parish, Winnipeg.** Four additional Sessions to Be Scheduled 1. With Clergy during Priests' Study Days (October) 2. With Youth and Young Adults 3. With First Nations Communities and Ministers 4. At Chez Nous/Our Place Drop-In Centre. The complete list of the Synod Listening Sessions scheduled to date and to view a slide show describing all the phases of the Synod including how the Listening Sessions will work is available at www.archwinnipeg.ca under the weekly bulletin



Religious Education Registrations-This Sunday August 28 and Sunday September 11, after both Masses. First Class begins At 10:45 on Sunday, Sept. 18



Mark your calendars Harvest Supper Sunday September 25, 2016
It is our largest fundraiser of the year and will need everyone's help to make it a huge success.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Last winter we prepared the St. Patrick's room (next to the cry room) for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, a special way of teaching children - we provide a specially prepared room called the atrium where handmade materials are set out for the children to work with, materials that teach them about Jesus and the liturgy. Many parish hands have gone into making our beautiful atrium. This fall we will be offering the Good Shepherd program as part of the regular catechism program, 9:45-10:45, for children 3-6. If you are interested in learning more about it, there are some leaflets at the back of the church, or call Nancy Wood, 204-885-2260, ehnancywood@hotmail.com. Please register with the regular catechism registration which will take place Sunday, Aug 28 or Sept. 11 after both Masses, or call Laurette Noakes, Catechism Coordinator, 204-837-6821.

WINNIPEG HARVEST

10 Most Wanted Food Items

Canned meat & Fish, Baby food & Formula, Rice, Dry Pasta, Cereal, Canned Soup, Canned Fruit & Vegetables, Canned Stew, Peanut Butter, & Spaghetti Sauce. The food hamper available on the south side at the entrance of the Church. Thank you for your generosity!

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