

St. Charles Parish

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Feast of the Holy Family

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

*The Holy Family
of Jesus,
Mary
and Joseph*



Sunday Masses

| | | | |
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| Sat | 26 | 4:00 pm | St Charles Parishioners |
| Sun | 27 | 9:30 am | † Kathleen Clancy, - Mc Donagh Family & Mitchell, Teresa, Oliver, Olivia |
| | | 11:30 am | † Marina Aguilera (5 th Anniversary), - Jose Aguilera & Family |

Weekday Masses

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| Tues | 29 | 7:00 pm | Health & wellbeing of Victor Morello & Rene Monchalín, - K of C |
| Wed | 30 | 9:00 am | † Aurita Dauglsh, - Elizabeth Novak |
| Thur | 31 | 4:00 pm | <u><i>Mary, The Holy Mother of God</i></u> |



(New Year's Eve)

Health & wellbeing of Rene Monchalín & Victor Morello, K of C

Fri 1 10:00 am *(New Year's Day)*

Intention of a Donor

Sat 2 9:00 am Intention of a Donor

Epiphany of the Lord *Sunday Masses*

Sat 2 4:00 pm St Charles Parishioners

Sun 3 9:30 am Intention of a Donor

11:30 am Intention of a Donor

Remember In Your Prayers



J'Anne Delaplante, Victor Morello, Alan Montague, Freda Broughton, Michele Timmerman, Cornelia Reimer, Joan Lardner, Dale Gathercole, Paul and Jennifer Williams, Gay Viecelli, Anna Swanson, Jody

Gale, Stella Ryan, Kathy Hollaman, Deborah Williams, Jennifer Chase, Ben Remillard, Marcel Flamand, Lawrence Paluck, Frances Chumola, Kim Gfroerer, Krista Schaan, Jacob Trudel, Elizabeth Kobialka, Mathew Ballecer, Doreen Pitzel, Adele Dasset, Marissa Baccari, Pat LaRue, Marie Wang, Gerry Desjardins, Natalie Savignac, Brian Williams, Mauro Cutrone, Ken Grindle, Lorraine Grindle, Linda Sample, Jennifer Piche, Winston Morier, Todd La Rue, Dean King.

We pray for the repose of the soul of † Rosemary Loshiavo, her funeral Mass was held on December 18. May she rest in the peace of Jesus Christ.

Retreat for the Unemployed and their Spouses. Our annual retreat, funded totally by St. Benedict's Foundation, is a time of hope not a job-finding retreat. January 22-24, 2016. No cost, pre-registration is required- 204-339-1705 or www.stbens.ca

Ladies Association-Future Events

Feb. 7, 2016 - Chilli Sunday: Bring a small container of chilli to be added to the pot going to the Immaculate Conception Church soup kitchen. Volunteer to go if you wish!

Feb. 13, 2016 - Retreat at the Church: Book the day off and give yourself a treat and come out for a retreat. More information to follow in the bulletin.

February 2016 - Ladies Outreach: Put something in the collection for Pregnancy & Family Support Center which will be found at the back of the church. Happiness can be a sense of belonging, some sharing, and a good dollop of just getting out of the house. See you there!

Papal Prayer Intentions

That sincere dialogue among men and women of different faiths may produce the fruits of peace and justice.

That by means of dialogue and fraternal charity and with the grace of the Holy Spirit, Christians may overcome divisions.

Blessed are those who live in your house, O Lord.
(Responsorial Psalm)
Open our hearts, O Lord, to listen to the words of your Son.
(Gospel Acclamation)



**Merry Christmas
& blessings of
peace and love
to you and
your
loved ones
in 2016!**



The Knights of Columbus, Fr. Allan Hall Council are hosting a **New Years Eve Dinner Dance Celebration at the Assiniboine Memorial Curling Club.** Baron of Beef buffet supper, dinner wine and Dance music provided by **Aime's Music**

Service. Need a ride home? No worries we've arranged for free rides if required. There will be two New Years Eve Door Prize Draws. Draw 1, A complimentary ONE NIGHT STAY at Lakeview Hecla Resort and draw 2, a \$500 dollar gift card at Lakeview Resorts. Door prize draw Tickets will be sold for 3 for \$5.00 and will be available to those in attendance. Tickets for the dinner/dance celebration are \$50.00 and can be obtained from Ron 889-4133, Chris 837-3112 and Eugene 837-6704.

**New Year's
Mass Schedule**



New Year's Eve 4:00 pm
December 31
New Year's Day 10:00 am (morning Mass)
January 1

2016 boxes of CHURCH OFFERING ENVELOPES

Regular and Pre-Authorized debit boxes are ready for pickup at the entrance of the Church. Please bring home your envelopes today; do not use your old 2015 envelopes in 2016 as you now have a new number! Should you have any concerns contact the Church office at: 204-889-3248.

Sharing God's Gifts Target for 2015 is: \$ 37,590. We are presently at: **\$ 27,448.80 - 73 %** there, (as of Dec 17). You will find special envelopes in the foyer office- Payments can be made by credit card, pre-authorized debit, cash, or cheque. There are also SGG envelopes in your envelope boxes too. Please note that the cut off date is **December 31, 2015**. Thank you.

Let us open our hearts to Jesus, so that he will accompany us now and throughout the year that is about to begin. – St John Paul II

Check out our website at www.saintcharles.ca
For Current info in the Archdiocese go to www.archwinnipeg.ca

**St. Charles Catholic School
K-9 Open House**

Wednesday, January 27th at 6:30 p.m.

331 St. Charles Street

St. Charles Catholic School invites you to its **K-9 Open House** on Wednesday, January 27th at 6:30 p.m. St. Charles is a K-9 school, offering full day, every day kindergarten, before and after school care programs, violin enrichment, K-9 French, arts and drama, as well as a hockey skills development program. For more information, please visit our website at www.stccs.ca. Please call 204-837-1520 or email sec@stccs.ca to R.S.V.P.

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7-Day Silent Retreat based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius, May 6-13, 2016:

Offered by the Chemin Neuf Community. The focus of the retreat is to come to know Christ more intimately through his word and to recognize God's call in our life. Four periods per day of personal prayer are supplemented by teaching and daily meetings with a spiritual director. Suggested donation, \$375. At the St. Charles Retreat Centre, 323 St. Charles St, on the banks of the Assiniboine River. Stcharlesretreat@hotmail.com, 204-885-2260.

MEETINGS/EVENTS SCHEDULE

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|------|----|---------|----------------------------------|
| Mon | 28 | 6:30 pm | Choir |
| Tues | 29 | 1:00 pm | Crafts & Conversation |
| Wed | 30 | 1:00 pm | Cards |

WINNIPEG HARVEST

Hamper located at the entrance of the Church on the north side. Please refer to the 10 most wanted food items. Thank you for your kind donations.



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