St. Charles Parish

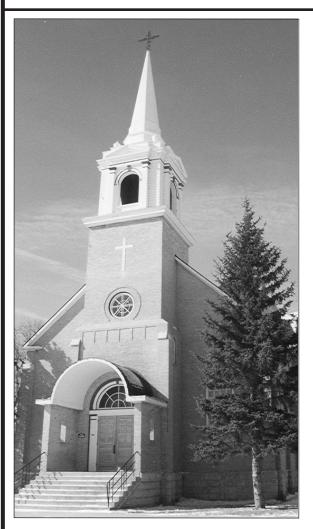
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Location: 320 St. Charles St.



Pastor: Fr. Rainerio Sarce

pastor.stcharles@mymts.net

Deacon: Claude Lambert 204-999-1361

Administrative Assistant: Gloria Anderson

Sunday Masses:

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

Weekday Masses:

Please see schedule inside bulletin

Parish Office Hours:

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm An answering machine is available for messages and emergencies 204-889-3248

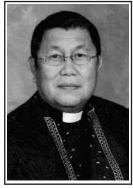
St. Charles Catholic School

331 St. Charles St., Winnipeg, MB R3K 1T6 Telephone: 204-837-1520 Fax: 204-837-2326

St. Charles Cemetery

for info. contact Assumption Cemetery: 204-888-7557

St. Charles Holy Spirit Columbarium for info. contact St Charles Parish: 204-889-3248



Pastor Fr. Rainerio Sarce

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-345 pm and by appointment.

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

Parish Catechesis:

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (ages 3 -6 yrs) 10:45 - 11:45 am Sundays Religious Education (K - Gr. 8) 10:45 - 11:45 am Sundays RCIA

Please contact the Parish Office for more information 204-889-3248

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

9			2 nd Sunday of Lent
Sat	24	4 pm	St. Charles Parishioners
Sun	25	9:30 am	+Antonio M Costa & Maria
			Fernandes & Sons
Sun	25	11:30 am	+Augusto T., Lidia T., Iilda T.,
			Cesar T. Duarte & Eulalia Teixeira

Weekday Masses				
Tues	27	2 pm	CWL Mass	
Wed	28	9 am	+Ana Eichstaedt-Samuel	
		Retreat Centre	d"Auteuil	
Thurs	29	9 am	Health & Recover of Jazerille,	
			Sasha, Austin, Althea & Aubrielle	
			Baladad - family	
Fri	1	9 am	+Annette Madden-Liliane & Con	
3 rd Sunday of Lent				
Sat	2	4 pm	+Jeanne, Charles & Jim Mulvenna-	
			Robert & Julie Sue Wood	
Sun	3	9:30 am	St. Charles Parishioners	
Sun	3	11:30 am	+Deceased members of Fr Sarce	
			family – K of C	

Please remember your Parish in your will.

Format for reporting Finances is being revised. Stay Tuned!!

<u>Please keep in your Prayers those in need of healing and comfort:</u>

Peter Friesen, Gloria Browne and all those affected by COVID 19. Please call the office 204-889-3248 to give us the name(s) of those in need of healing and comfort and to help us to create an up-to-date list. As you know, to have names added to the list, bulletin and/or posted online, we require consent (due to privacy) from the person(s) concerned. Thank you for your help and prayers of intercession.



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Will be held March 1, 8, 15, and 22 during Lent at 7 pm in the Church. Everyone is encouraged to attend this important Lenten devotion. Check out our website at: www.saintcharleswpg.com

2023 Charitable Tax Receipts are available at the back of the church for pick up. Please pick them up to save mailing costs. Receipt will not be mailed until February 27, 2024. Please check that your receipt matches your donations and report any problems to the parish office so that it can be fixed. With apologies, we did encounter a problem on February 12, 2023, where 30 envelopes are missing (8 at \$5.00, 3 at \$10.00, 8 at \$20.00, 1 at \$25.00, 1 at \$40.00, 5 at \$50.00, 1 at \$70.00 and 2 at \$100.00). Contact the parish office if you may be one of these individuals.

Office Hours Tues. & Thurs. 9 am - 3 pm

MEETINGS

CWL: Tues. Feb. 27 at 2:30 pm

2024 Envelope Boxes

If you would like an offering envelope box, please contact the parish office at 204-889-3248 to make arrangements to get them. Remember to include your name and address on the first few envelopes you use. There are no envelope boxes for parishioners on Pre-Authorized Debt (PAD) or use e-transfers. Thank you for your understanding. This is a cost saving measure. Special envelopes for various occasions will be available at the back of the church at the designated times ie. Development and Peace, Collection for the Holy Land etc. We will announce these occasions in advance in the bulletin. Please us the green envelopes in the pews for Archdiocesan Support/Sharing God's Gifts (PAD is available for this purpose as well).

40 Cans for Lent:

This is the 8th year that we will assist a local food bank/soup kitchen. *This year we are collecting for N'dinawemak - Our Relatives'*



Place. Sharing with those in need is a Lenten activity for the whole family. Collect 1 or more food items each day and bring them in each week. Place them on the display table at the back of the church and watch as our mountain of food grow. Let your children become involved. Encourage their excitement as you teach them the gift of charity. You can make your donations starting now and all through Lent. Any parishioner who would be willing to assist in the collection, boxing and weighing of donations please call Victor (431-688-3327). Bring your donations today!



Offering is (min.) \$10. Please email or call the office to check availability of date request.

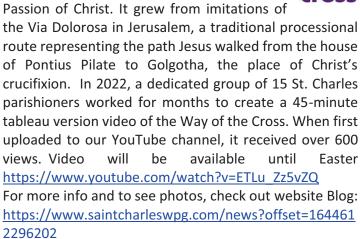
Faith Sharing Wednesdays (Retreat Centre) 9:30am

Lenten Cleaning of the Church

Mondays: Feb. 19 – Mar. 25 9am – 12pm

Volunteers needed to clean our church, upstairs and down. This opportunity is open to all parishioners (men and women) who are available to come and wash, dust, and tidy up as we prepare our Church for Easter. No heavy lifting, but lots of good energy, conversation, and satisfaction for a" job well done". See you there.

The Way of the Cross, also known as The Stations of the Cross, is a spiritual pilgrimage through contemplation of the Passion of Christ. It grew from imitations of the Via Dolorosa in Jerusalem, a traditional presented representing the path locus walked from



"Meeting God in the Small Things of Everyday Life."

St. Charles Parish (320 St. Charles St.)

invites you to join our

Winter Retreat on Saturday, March 23, 2024,

centred around the theme "Meeting God in the Small Things of Everyday Life." The Winter Retreat welcomes both men and women. Guiding the retreat is Deacon Philip Durant, who brings a wealth of experience, having served as a chaplain at Headingley Correctional Centre for 10 fulfilling years—the highlight of his career. Additionally, he offers over 50 years of expertise in Bible Study and Faith Formation. The day's schedule runs from 9 AM - 3PM, and the registration fee is \$20, covering lunch. Ensure your participation by preregistering before March 20. To register, please call Anna at 204-895-2420 or annadesilets6@gmail.com, or Kathy at 204-230-6279 or kdecle55@gmail.com. Don't miss this opportunity to explore spirituality in the simplicity of daily life.

Development and Peace — Caritas Canada: a movement of solidaritu

Last chance to sign the Stand for the Land petition.
Today is the deadline for signing a

letter to Honduran ambassador to



Canada asking her government to protect those who are fighting to defend forests and rivers in a Honduran national park against pollution from a mine. The letter is part of Development and Peace — Caritas Canada's last fall campaign. Over 20,000 Canadians have signed it in solidarity with these struggling communities of Guapinol and the San Pedro sector. Join the effort and add weight to our demands. Sign now at devp.org/act. Thank you for your solidarity!

Cradle of Love is at the back of the Church for donations of items for new babies and their moms. Items needed include: baby clothes 0-24 mos., diapers: sizes 4,5,6, baby shampoo and body wash, wipes. Baby formula is greatly in demand. For moms; new bath towels, small or medium underwear, nursing pads, travel mug or water bottle, toiletries. Gifts donated will be distributed to Villa Rosa and to the Family Support Center. Questions? Call Anna 204 895 2420 or Kim 204 803 3177

St. Charles School Spring Fundraiser

This year's spring fundraising campaign will be a sale of excellent quality and competitively priced bedding plants, perennials, hanging baskets, vegetables, herbs, succulents, and container gardens. Fall Garden Mums can be easily ordered now in the spring for delivery shortly after Labor Day in the early Fall. Gift Cards are also available. Place orders **until April 15**th. Check out the poster on the bulletin board for more information on how to order.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!



St. Charles Parish is hosting this Family Friendly event on **Sat.**, **March 16**, doors

open at 6pm and the trivia game begins at 7pm. There are a wide variety of topics including TV, sports, music, history and geography. (Hint - It is an advantage to have a variety of ages on your team.) Gather your team of 8 in advance or form one when you arrive. There will be a light canteen with drinks & chips or feel free to bring your own snacks.

Cost: 12+ over \$10, 5-11 yrs \$5, Under 5 FREE.

Trivia Night Tickets start Sat. Feb. 24

In the church foyer after weekend Masses or available thru the church office by calling 204-889-3248.



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