

# St. Charles Parish

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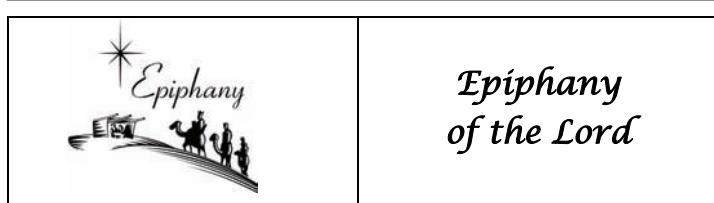
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*Father, You revealed Your Son to the nations  
by the guidance of a star. Lead us to  
Your Glory in Heaven by the Light of Faith.*

## Epiphany of the Lord



### Epiphany of the Lord

Sat	4	4:00 pm	† John Murphy – Suzanne LaFleche
Sun	5	9:30 am	† Mel Bohemier - the family
	5	11:30 am	St. Charles Parishioners
<i>Weekday Masses</i>			
Tues	7		<b>NO MASS</b>
Wed	8	9:00 am	† Terry Steen – Lynda Ann & Jim ( <b>Retreat Centre</b> )
Thurs	9	9:00 am	† Raymond Hildebrand – Paul Harris
Fri	10	9:00 am	† Intention of Fr. Phillip – Stan Ginnitecki
<i>Holy Family of Jesus, Mary &amp; Joseph</i>			
Sat	11	4:00 pm	St. Charles Parishioners
Sun	12	9:30 am	† Mauro Cutrone, Anna Cutrone – Pasqua Cutrone
	12	11:30 am	Intention of Father Michael

#### **Holy Hour:**

**Thurs. January 9** From 6:00 pm-7:00 pm

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:**

**Fri. January 10** From 9:30 am-12:00 pm.

Everyone is invited to spend some time with the Lord!



Parish Finances			
Offerings	Dec 15/19	<b>\$3,180.15</b>	
(Revenue and Expenses)			
2019	Revenue	Expenses	+ or -
November	\$18,208	\$27,828	-\$9,620
Year to Date	\$186,1554	\$214,688	-\$28,534
Archdiocesan Support (Sharing God's Gifts/Assessment)			
2019 Target \$49,930	Received to Date \$42,288.63	Shortfall -\$7,641.37	

Thank You for Your Financial Support

*Please remember your Parish in your will.*

**Check out our website at:**

[www.saintcharleswpg.com](http://www.saintcharleswpg.com)

**For current info in our Archdiocese:**

[www.archwinnipeg.ca](http://www.archwinnipeg.ca)



**Please keep in your Prayers those in need of healing and comfort:** Peter Friesen, Kerry Bittner

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.*

### **2020 CHURCH OFFERING ENVELOPES**



Regular & Pre-Authorized debit boxes are ready for pick up at the entrance of the church. Please bring home your envelopes today. Do **NOT** use your 2019 envelopes in 2020 since you may have a new number!

We request that you write your name and address in the New Year on your envelopes especially in January 2020 for tracking purposes. Should you have any concerns, please contact the parish office 204-889-3248

#### **FAMILY MASS:**

**Sun. Jan. 12, 2020 at 9:30AM and 11:30AM**

#### **Family Mass Music**

Do you have any percussion musical instruments, be they real or just toys that you aren't using anymore or want to get rid of that you could donate? We would like to use them at our monthly family mass where we will ask the kids to come up at the recessional hymn, grab an instrument and play along with the choir. So, we're not looking for anything fancy, just anything that makes some kind of noise/music. There will be a box at the back of the church where you can drop these off.

*Thank you so much.*



**2019/2020  
SUNDAY MISSALS  
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**SECOND COLLECTION  
next weekend**

**VOCATIONS PRAYER CALENDARS** – In an effort to create a culture of vocations in our Archdiocese we have developed a prayer tool to be used by the people of the Archdiocese called the “Vocations Prayer Calendar.” This prayer initiative has been launched with the **beginning of the Liturgical Year – December 1, 2019.**

Along this prayer initiative **Thursdays** have been designated by the Archbishop as an **Archdiocesan Day of Prayer for Vocations to Priesthood and Religious life.** Some prayer calendars can be picked up from the back of the church. For more information and to print a prayer calendar please

visit <https://www.archwinnipeg.ca/main.php?p=126>

*Can you hold onto the Christmas spirit a little longer?*

St. Charles Ladies’ Association

**Christmas Get Together and Potluck on January 8, 2020 6 pm.**

There will be no meeting only fun and games, a great

meal and fellowship. Please save the date and consider asking a friend to come along.



## MEETINGS

**Finance:** Wed. Jan. 8 at 12:30 pm

**PPC:** Thurs. Jan. 9 at 7 pm

**K of C:** Tues. Jan. 14 at 7:30 pm

**Liturgy:** Thurs. Jan. 16 at 7 pm

**Prolife:** Tues. Jan. 21 at 7:30 pm

Knights of Columbus Fr. Allan Hall Council

**Pancake Breakfast**

**Sun. Jan. 12<sup>th</sup> after 9:30 am Mass**



Our Council is looking for volunteers within our Parish Community to help out with these monthly Parish Events. We are looking for people who could help with setup, cooks, servers and clean up crew. Sign up sheets will be made available in the back of the church starting this Sunday or if interested feel free to contact Myron Majcher (204) 889-1054 or by email at [majcher@mymts.net](mailto:majcher@mymts.net). All ages are welcome, and the Knights will provide training!

*Parish Rosary* **Wed. Jan. 15 6:30pm**

*Prolife Rosary* **Wed. Jan. 29 6:30pm**

We will be saying Rosary.

All are welcome to come and participate



Thirty-four ladies attended the Evergreen Centrepiece Workshop on **December 11.** Thank you, Dodie Labbe, for leading the

workshop. Thank you, Chad Labbe, from Shelmerdine, for donating the fresh evergreen boughs we used to make our beautiful creations. The \$500 profit from the workshop will be donated to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Orphanage in Haiti. Father Andre will use the donation for the operation of the orphanage and the needs of the orphans.

### Personnel Announcement from Archdiocese

The Archbishop announces the following appointments: **Reverend Michael Raj Savarimuthu** is granted a sabbatical effective January 2, 2020. He will attend the “Ministry to Ministers Sabbatical Program” at the Oblate School of Theology in San Antonio, Texas.

Reverend Christopher Dubois is appointed Parochial Administrator pro tem of St. Lazare Parish in St. Lazare, St. Helen’s in Shoal Lake and St. Mary’s in Birtle effective Jan.2, 2020.

While continuing with his ministry at Holy Savior Ge’ez Rite community, **Reverend Kaleab Abdella** is appointed as Sacramental Minister at Blessed Sacrament Parish in Elie, St. Eustache in St. Eustache, and St. Francois Xavier in St. Francois Xavier. This is effective January 2, 2020. He will reside in the rectory at Blessed Sacrament Parish in Elie. **Deacon Claude Lambert** will continue as Pastoral Administrator.

With the agreement of Archbishop LeGatt, **Deacon Rick Laftson** of the Archdiocese of St. Boniface, is appointed to serve as Deacon at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish in Winnipeg. Effective immediately.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!**  
**CHILI SUNDAY FEB. 2**



**Catechism news** – No Catechism classes today. See you for Catechism classes on Sunday, Jan, 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Enjoy a wonderful Christmas and New Year’s break with family and friends!

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

There has been new weather-stripping added to the Front Door of the Church making the door tight to close. **Please make sure that ALL DOORS ARE LATCHED/CLOSED properly.**



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