

St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

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Pastor: Fr Michael Wollbaum
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Deacons: Robert Gate (204) 837-4322
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Administrative Assistant: Jackie Overton

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



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Fr Michael Wollbaum

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

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

Pentecost Sunday



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Sat	3	4:00 pm	St Charles Parishioners
Sun	4	9:30 am	Intention of the Declé Family- Kathryn Declé

4 11:30 am † Sharon Froese, - Abe Froese

Weekday Masses

Tues	6	7:00 pm	Persecuted Church, - James Bowman
Wed	7	9:00 am	(Mass back in Church until Sept 6/17) † George Weber, - Ron & Anna Desilets
Thurs	8	9:00 am	Intention of Polly Moore
Fri	9	9:00 am	Judy, Jessica, & Jonathan Hart (God's blessings) - Family

Most Holy Trinity

Sat	10	4:00 pm	Intention of the Donor
Sun	11	9:30 pm	St Charles Parishioners
	11	11:30 am	† George Weber, - Suzanne Lafleche



Remember in Your Prayers

J'Anne Delaplante, Victor Morello, Alan Montague, Freda Broughton, Michele Timmerman, Cornelia Reimer, Dale Gathercole, Paul and Jennifer Williams, Gay Viecelli, Anna Swanson, Jody Gale, Stella Ryan, Kathy Hollaman, Jennifer Chase, Ben Remillard, Marcel Flamand, Lawrence Paluck, Krista Schaan, Jacob Trudel, Mathew Ballecer, Doreen Pitzel, Adele Dasset, Pat LaRue, Marie Wang, Gerry Desjardins, Ken Grindle, Lorraine Grindle, Winston Morier, Todd La Rue, Dean King, Barclay Williams, Abe Froese, Marissa Baccari, Patricia Paluck, Robert Kushner, Hazel Dyrland, Melissa Leslie, Kay McLaren, and Eric Schaan.

Parish Finances

Total Offerings for May 28, 2017: \$ 3,714.25

Sharing God's Gifts 2017 Target: \$ 19,860.00

Donations to Date: \$ 4,280.50

April (revenue and expenses)

\$ 21,584.36 revenue

19,754.80 expenses

\$ 1,829.56 surplus for the month of April 2017

The revenue amount (above) includes \$1625.00 received for the General Assessment during April.

Thank you for your support!

Distribution of Draft White Papers for feedback-The work of nine focus commission White Papers are available on line at www.archwinnipeg.ca Printed copies are also available in the foyer office. All parishioners are invited to read them and offer their comments and suggestions to jcoyne@archwinnipeg.ca before June 15/17. The recommendations of the White papers will be discussed during our upcoming synod sessions.

Church Expenses during the summer months



Please remember the Church before you go away on your summer vacation, as our Church expenses do not stop in the summer! There is Pre-authorized debit for your convenience. To sign up, forms are available at the foyer office or you can postdate your cheques, simply enclose them in your weekly envelopes and deposit in the collection basket. If you are new to our Parish and would like an envelope box then please fill out a registration form, a hospitality person will gladly help you!

Thank you!

The Holy Father, Pope Francis, has convoked the XV Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops treating the topic: Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment. The Synod will take place in Oct 2018. There are preparatory documents that youth should read first, available in the parish office before providing an online response at: <https://goo.gl/forms/IETdWKUz2euPHys2>

Lord, send forth your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth. (Responsorial Psalm)

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. (Gospel Acclamation)



Holy Hour

this Thursday June 8,
from 6:00 pm-7:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday June 9,
from 9:30 am-12:00 pm

All are welcome to come and spend time with the Lord!

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



Parish Ministry Needs: At this time, we are in need of a safe environment coordinator or a team of two coordinators--this is an essential ministry in order to ensure a safe environment for minors and vulnerable persons in ministry and in our parish. The term would be for three years. People responsible would

oversee that all in ministry have the appropriate checks done (police and child abuse registry), to ensure that all who are involved in ministry to minors and vulnerable persons receive training with respect to safe environments and other reviews or jobs as required by the archdiocese and or insurance company. Anyone who is interested should contact Fr. Michael or the parish office.

Also, we are looking for new members for the Parish Pastoral Council and a new chair for the PPC, as Marianne Meush will be retiring from this role by the end of 2017. Anyone who is interested in being a member of the council may contact Fr. Michael or the pastoral office. Those who seek to be on the PPC are expected to attend a monthly meeting, held normally on the first Thursday of every month. Members advise Fr. Michael on spiritual and pastoral matters, helping to develop a pastoral plan to meet the needs of the community. This is a consultative board. Members would be asked to consider a term of three years(renewable) to give stability to the PPC. In this parish, the custom is that members would be appointed by the Pastor, along with the discernment/consultation of the PPC. People can recommend to Fr. Michael, the PPC chair or any member of PPC someone they feel would be good for the council though Fr. Michael and members of the PPC will be willing to make contact with those individuals. No previous experience is required for being a member of PPC, though preference is given to those who are involved in ministry and present to the community in a regular way (such as attending Mass). There are some spots on council that are taken up by reps from various groups in order to help us stay in touch with various ministries and groups. You may send recommendations to Fr. Michael or Marianne Meush.

As for the chair, the chair meets with Fr. Michael to prepare the agendas for the PPC meetings and is responsible to facilitate the meetings, ensuring flow and order. If there is someone who has that talent and has a love for the parish, please contact Fr. Michael or Marianne Meush. Mentoring/training can be provided.

Thank you for praying about these important needs and being willing to assist to help our parish to grow. In the future there will be more about opportunities for ministry.

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Michael

St. Charles Pro-Life Group
Thank you to all who helped to make the NaPro Technology presentation a success. We had a wonderful turnout and our presenter Alison Sanders provided us with a wealth of information. If you missed the presentation and want to know more about NaPro Technology you can visit the following website <https://www.naprotechnology.com/>. There will also be information on the church bulletin board.

Holy Hour for Vocations – recently we have celebrated the “Good Shepherd Sunday” – the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. We would like to unite our prayers to those of the Universal Church in asking the Lord to “send laborers into his harvest” (cf. Lk 10:2) - that He would raise up from our midst priests and religious who would serve God and His people with their whole hearts. Come join us in praying for this intention on **June 25th, 2017 at 7:00 PM at St. Mary’s Cathedral** (353 St. Mary’s Ave, Winnipeg). The Presider is going to be our Archbishop Richard Gagnon. For further information contact the vocations director - **Fr. Peter Nemcek – (204) 452-2227 or pnemcek@archwinnipeg.ca**

MEETINGS/EVENTS SCHEDULE				
Wed	7	1:00 pm	Cards	
Wed	7	12:30 pm	Finance	
Wed	7	7:00 pm	One Sound	
Thurs	8	6:00 pm	Holy Hour	
Fri	9	9:30-12:00 pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in August 2017 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at **1-800-268-2637**.

St. Benedict’s Monastery and Retreat Centre

Sabbath: Retreat for Young Adults. If you are 18-39 this is for you: Sabbath Retreat, **June 1-4** only \$80. With support from St Benedict’s Foundation. Quiet time, talks, prayer, spiritual practices, meals and good times. St. Benedict’s Monastery and Retreat Centre, 225 Masters Ave, Winnipeg, **204-338-4601**

St Malo and Catholic Children’s Camp 2017
Registration forms available on the bulletin board at the entrance of the Church.



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