

St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

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Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 9:30 & 11:30 am (September - June)

10:00 am (July - August)

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 - monitored 24/7. Call 889-3248.

St. Charles Catholic School

331 St. Charles St., Winnipeg, MB R3K 1T6

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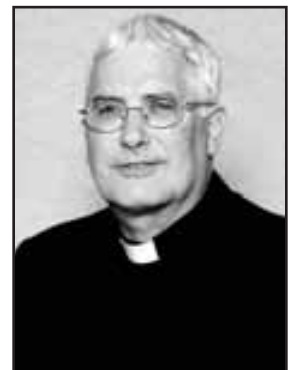
Baptisms: Contact Parish office. Baptisms celebrated at Sunday Masses.
Baptism Preparation third Saturday of each month.

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation: (Confessions) Before Mass, Saturday & Sunday.

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



Rev. Paul J. Tinguely
Pastor

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

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

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<u>Sunday Masses</u>		2nd Sunday Of Lent	
Sat	15	4:00 pm	St Charles Parishioners
Sun	16	9:30 am	Family Mass, † Rene Perras, Judy Perras and Family
		11:30 am	Thanksgiving, - Isidro Family
<u>Weekday Masses</u>			
Mon	17	8:30 am	School Mass, (Fr Paul Tinguely) (Followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 2:00 pm)
Tues	18	7:00 pm	Intention of a Parishioner (Eucharistic Adoration from 6-7 pm, for the sanctity of Life)
Wed	19	9:00 am	Retreat Centre, (Chemin Neuf) <i>Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Patron of the Universal Church, Principal Patron of Canada</i> † Guiseppe DiBernardo, - Isolina DiBernardo
Thurs	20	9:00 am	† Joseph Gfroerer, - Family
Fri	21	9:00 am	Frank Gfroerer (Birthday), - Family
<u>Sunday Masses</u>		3rd Sunday Of Lent	
Sat	22	4:00 pm	St Charles Parishioners
Sun	23	9:30 am	† Martial Lafleche, - wife and Family
		11:30 am	Thanksgiving, - Betty Ballecer



J'Anne Delaplante, Victor Morello, Alan Montague, Freda Broughton, Bev DeBeer, Michele Timmerman, Cornelia Reimer, Rene Arnal, Joan Lardner, Valerie Walker, Dale Gathercole, Paul and Jennifer Williams, Julian Meush, Gay Viecelli, Tom Antonick, Anna Swanson, Isabel Munoz, Jody Gale, Stella Ryan, Kathy Hollaman, Harold Schaan, Deborah Williams, Jennifer Chase, Ben Remillard, Marcel Flamand, Leona Painchaud, and Lawrence Paluck.



Stewardship Moment - Second Sunday of Lent

In today's second reading, Timothy is issued a strong directive: "Bear your share of hardship for the gospel with the strength that comes from God." For the early Christians this could mean torture and execution. For most Christians today enduring hardship for the gospel might include accepting ridicule or mockery, or that we lack sophistication. Nevertheless, in his letters, Saint Paul is adamant that we should not be ashamed of being followers of Christ. Good stewards are not ashamed of their allegiance to Christ. They do not hide their faith. Reflect on this question: Are you willing to speak about following Christ Jesus no matter who your listeners happen to be? (From the March issue of the International Catholic Stewardship Council, Catholic Stewardship)

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Catechism News
 Family Mass this Sunday, March 16th, 9:30 am Mass.

"Let your love be upon us, Lord, even as we hope in you." (Responsorial Psalm)

"From the bright cloud the Father's voice is heard: This is my son, the Beloved; listen to him." (Gospel Acclamation)

Way of the Cross on Fridays during Lent. This Friday March 21st, led by the Ladies Association. This will continue throughout Lent with various groups leading. **Starts at 7 pm in the Church.** Everyone is welcome to attend.

Elevator Update: The Parish Finance Committee is moving ahead with plans to make the church more accessible by installing an elevator. No formal plans/design have been developed yet, nor are there any cost estimates. We are in the process of creating a committee to oversee this project. In the meantime, we are pleased to advise that an official Elevator Fund has been created with an opening balance of \$2,500.00. All proceeds from the St. Patrick's Day Frolic held on March 15, 2014 will be deposited to this account. We are exploring ways to grow this fund over the coming months. Watch for more news as we proceed with this endeavor. (Fr. Paul Tinguely, Richard Nichol, Ron Labbé, Rene Pelletier, Alice Spencler and Verna Baccari)

**CENTRAL DEANERY RECONCILIATIONS
LENT 2014**

Wed	April 2	7:00 pm	St. Paul the Apostle Parish, 2400 Portage Ave,
Wed	9	9:30 am	Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 4588 Roblin Blvd,
Thurs	10	10:00 am	Blessed John XXIII Parish, 3390 Portage Ave,
Thurs	10	7:00 pm	St Charles Parish

The Catholic Women's League general meeting will be **7:00 pm, Monday, March 24** at **Blessed John XXIII**. After the meeting we will have a presentation on the very important topic of **euthanasia**. The speaker, Dr. Larry Rados, is a physician at Misericordia Urgent Care and a professor at the University of Manitoba. His presentation will begin at 8 pm and is titled, "How Did We Get to This Point?". **End of Life Care Issues** will be discussed in the context of Catholic teachings. All parishioners welcome.

The St Charles Home Rosary Prayer Group

The Rosary is an esteemed and time-honoured prayer amongst Catholics. Numerous Popes have recommended it, and the Holy Virgin Herself has asked us to pray it frequently. The St Charles home Rosary prayer group gets together every other week, generally on Thursday evenings. Any parishioner who wishes to host or participate in this community of prayer will be made most welcome. Whether you pray the Rosary every day, or if you've never prayed it before, this is an excellent opportunity for us to create fellowship and spiritual fulfillment. Interested? Contact James Bowman at 204-802-4100 or email jamesbowman2010@hotmail.com



**DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE -
SHARE LENT 2014**

A Canadian Grocery store (Sobeys) advertises that "Good food is not a luxury, it's a right". Will you read the article on 'Sierra Leone: Ensuring Food Security For the Marginalized' in the enclosed D & P magazine? Good food is a RIGHT for the whole human family – food for all, here in Canada and in the global south. Please read the magazine and/or check out the information @devpeace www.devpe.org.

Archbishop Richard Gagnon will be giving a **Lenten Reflection** at the **Vesper Prayers** of **7:00pm** at **St Mary's Cathedral**, on **Sunday, March 30th, 2014**, Everyone is welcomed.

Spring Cleaning Spring Cleaning during Lent, on Tuesday mornings at 9:00 am. Thank you and God Bless!

Birthday Gals will meet at "Nook and Cranny" on **Tuesday March 18 at 11:30 pm. "Be Seen in Green."**

St. Charles Pro-Life Group

"Please join St. Charles Pro-Life Group this **Tuesday, March, 18** for our next pro-life meeting. We will discuss ways that our parish can get more involved with pro-life. All parishioners are invited to participate in **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** to pray for the unborn, the abused, neglected, disabled and elderly **from 6pm to 7pm. Mass will be at 7pm and our meeting will follow immediately after.** For more information please contact Angela and James Bowman at (204) 804-8155 or by email ang81_22@hotmail.com."

KEEP THIS DATE, FINDING OUR EVERYDAY GOD,

A Lenten retreat will be offered for men and women on **Saturday, April 5**, at St. Charles parish, 320 St. Charles St., Time: **9:15 to 3:15pm, Presenter: Michael Radcliff**, spiritual guide. Michael has worked as a barrister and solicitor for thirty-seven years. He has also served as a Member of the Executive Council of the Government of Manitoba. Michael has been an active member of St. Ignatius Parish as well as a Spiritual Director for 12 years. His theme for the retreat will be 'Finding Our Everyday God'. Offering: \$10.00: Lunch and snacks included, **Registration: Anna: 204 895 2420, Verna: 204 837 8813**, Come and find God's love in our everyday lives!

Cana Week, July 6-12, 2014 Once again, the Chemin Neuf

Community and St. Charles Parish will be offering a six-day retreat for married couples and their children called CANA. It will be held next door at the St Charles Retreat Centre and in the St. Charles Parish. It is a vacation in Winnipeg! This is for couples (married one year or fifty) who would like to strengthen their relationship and deepen their spiritual life. Brochures are available on the bulletin board at the entrance of the church. Or find it at our website: chemin-neuf.ca. **A "Come and See" meeting** will be held Sunday, May 4, 3:00-5:00 at the St. Charles Retreat Centre, 323 St. Charles St. Come and see what to expect from a Cana session. Childcare will be provided, but you must RSVP, 204-885-2260, stcharlesretreat@hotmail.com **Volunteers needed:** We are also looking for volunteers to help put on this valuable mission – help in the kitchen, care for children, and more! Next Sunday there will be an insert in the bulletin detailing what kind of help we need.

Save the date for the House of Hesus Dinner Theatre. April 25, 26 & 27, 2014 - at St. Charles Parish Hall and May 2, 3 & 4, 2014 at St Martyrs Hall. More details to follow.

MEETINGS/EVENTS SCHEDULE

Mon	17	6:30 pm	Choir
Wed	19	9:30 am	Faith Sharing
Wed	19	1:00 am	Cards
Fri	21	7:00 pm	Way of the Cross


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