

St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

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Location: 320 St. Charles St.



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

Weekday Masses:
Please see schedule inside bulletin

Parish Office Hours:
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday
9:30 am-12:00 noon, 1:00 pm-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
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



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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.

Passion (Palm) Sunday

		<p><i>Passion (Palm) Sunday</i></p>	
Sat	24	4:00 pm	† Rene Perras, - Wife & Family
Sun	25	9:30 am	† Giuseppe DiBernardo, - Isolina DiBernardo
	25	11:30 am	St. Charles Parishioners
<i>Holy Week</i>			
Tues	27	7:00 pm	No Mass
Wed	28	9:00 am	(in the Church) † Lyndon Michalchuk, - Stella Croning
Holy Thur	29	7:00 pm	<i>Mass of the Lord's Supper</i> † Walter Konyk, - Overton Family
Good Fri	30	3:00 pm	<i>Celebration of the Lord's Passion</i> (Liturgy of the Word, with Holy Communion)
<i>Resurrection of the Lord</i>			
Holy Sat	31	8:30 pm	St. Charles Parishioners
Easter Sun	1	9:30 am	St. Charles Parishioners
	1	11:30 am	St. Charles Parishioners



Please keep in your Prayers those in need of healing and comfort: J'Anne Delaplante, Alan Montague, Freda Broughton, Michele Timmerman, Cornelia Reimer, Dale Gathercole, Paul and Jennifer Williams, Gay Vicelli, Anna Swanson, Jody Gale, Stella Ryan, Kathy Hollaman, Jennifer Chase, Ben Remillard, Marcel Flamand, Krista Schaan, Jacob Trudel, Mathew Ballecer, Adele Dasset, Pat LaRue, Gerry Desjardins, Ken Grindle, Lorraine Grindle, Winston Morier, Todd La Rue, Dean King, Barclay Williams, Patricia Paluck, Robert Kushner, Hazel Dyrland, Melissa Leslie, Kay McLaren, Eric Schaan, Nick Whitelaw, Larry Lagace, Sandra Ammeter and Janette Hargreaves.

Stella Ryan, Kathy Hollaman, Jennifer Chase, Ben Remillard, Marcel Flamand, Krista Schaan, Jacob Trudel, Mathew Ballecer, Adele Dasset, Pat LaRue, Gerry Desjardins, Ken Grindle, Lorraine Grindle, Winston Morier, Todd La Rue, Dean King, Barclay Williams, Patricia Paluck, Robert Kushner, Hazel Dyrland, Melissa Leslie, Kay McLaren, Eric Schaan, Nick Whitelaw, Larry Lagace, Sandra Ammeter and Janette Hargreaves.

Parish Finances			
Offerings	March 18/18	\$3,176.80	
Archdiocese Assessment (2018)	Target: \$32,740.00	Received to Date: \$2,195.00	Shortfall of -\$30,545.
Sharing God's Gifts (2018)	Target: \$20,780	Received to Date: \$520.00	Shortfall of -\$20,260.00
(Revenue and Expenses) February 2018			
	Revenue	Expenses	
	\$29,735	\$25,088	+\$4,647
Year to Date	\$45,388	\$52,707	-\$7,319
Thank you for your Financial Support			

2018 Parish Expenditures - In an effort to be careful with parish expenditures, budget allocations have been allotted for 2018 to the various groups and for functions within the parish. Parishioners are asked to seek pre authorization from Father Michael or the Finance Council in order to be reimbursed for purchases not budgeted. Thank you for your attention is this matter.

2017 Parish Financial Statement and 2018 Budget - copies are available in the Foyer Office at the back of the church if you did not get one.



Altar Servers' Practice for Good Friday and Easter Vigil

When: **Friday March 30**

Time: 10 am

Practice at **St Charles Church**

The Chrism Mass

On **Monday, March 26, 2018**, the Archdiocese of Winnipeg will gather to celebrate the Mass of Chrism in St. Mary's Cathedral. All parishioners are encouraged to attend the celebration at **7:30 pm**. A reception will follow in the Cathedral parish hall.

Good Friday Pontifical Collection on March 30, 2018 for the benefit of the Holy Land

My God, my God why have you forsaken me? (Responsorial Psalm)

Christ became obedient for us to death, even death on a Cross. Therefore God exalted him and gave him the name above every name. (Gospel Acclamation)

The Pope's Prayer Intention (April)

For those Who Have Responsibility in Economic Matters:
That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

No Catechism classes this Sunday March 25 or Sunday, Apr. 1, due to Spring Break and Good Friday/Easter weekends. We'll see you on Sunday, Apr. 8. Easter Blessings!

Check out our website at: www.saintcharles.ca
For current info in our Archdiocese: www.archwinnipeg.ca

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



HOLY THURSDAY (MASS)	March 29	7:00 PM
GOOD FRIDAY (SERVICE)	March 30	3:00 PM
HOLY SATURDAY (EASTER VIGIL MASS)	March 31	8:30 PM
EASTER SUNDAY (MASSES)	APRIL 1	9:30 AM 11:30 AM



The St. James Assiniboia CWL Council will hold its monthly general meeting on **Monday March 26 at 7 p.m.** at St. John XXIII Parish in Room 12.

Guest speaker is Shelley Keast from Grace Health Campus. Her topic is "Navigating the Health System."

40 CANS FOR LENT

Our contributions for this Lenten project has now grown to **807.8 pounds**. The two charities that will be recipients of your gifts are the **Missionaries of Charity** (Mother Theresa's sisters) and **Chez Nous** (street works project). Last year we were able to provide 750 pounds of food to each charity. We are half way there. Contributions will be accepted up to and including Easter Sunday. Give what you can to those in need. Your gifts will be gratefully accepted.

"If every man took only what was sufficient for his needs, leaving the rest to those in want, there would be no rich and no poor!" St. Basil of Caesarea

Join us at Eastar, an energetic rock opera written by Shawn Coughlin, which brings to life the story of Jesus of Nazareth. It will be performed by young Manitobans ages 12-30 at St Mary's Academy alumnae Hall at 7:00 pm **Good Friday March 30**, and 2:00 pm **Saturday March 31** 2018. This is the main youth-focused event of Catholica 200. Tickets are on sale online as of February 1 at www.eastar2018.com

Captain Miles MacDonell Assembly #0370 Knights of Columbus, 42nd Annual Dinner & Draw for Catholic Education, 2018 Recipient St Charles School, Wednesday April 25, 2018. Dinner & Draw tickets, \$60. Tickets available in the Parish office, 204-889-3248

ATTENTION - LADIES OF ST. CHARLES PARISH

The Ladies Association will be hosting a free presentation --

a **SPRING GARDENING EVENT** on **Wed., April 11th at 7:00 pm** in the Church Hall.



Container gardening with flowers, herbs and veggies will be the theme, along with soil amendements and composting. Our presenter will be Master Gardener, Dodie Labbe! Chad from Shelmerdine's Garden Centre will also be present to answer questions specific to your garden. We invite you to attend this informative and fun evening – there will be coffee, snacks and conversation to tempt you! See you there!

MEETINGS/EVENTS SCHEDULE

Sun	25	3-5 pm	Dinner Theatre Practice
Mon	26	6:30 pm	Choir
Mon	26	7:30 pm	Dinner Theatre Practice
Tues	27	1:00 pm	Crafts
Fri	30	10:00 am	Altar Servers' Practice

Offered by the Chemin Neuf Community

Cana: Take a low-cost, all-inclusive, spirit-filled "vacation" in Winnipeg. Experience a week with your family living in Christian community. CANA is a six-day retreat for couples to strengthen their marriage and deepen their spiritual life while their children follow their own program of activities. The week-long, live-in session includes talks, prayer, time together as a couple and family, relaxation and celebration. It will be held at the St. Charles Retreat Centre. For more details see the chemin-neuf.ca website ("Couples & Families"). **A "Come and See" meeting will be held Sunday, April 8, 3:00-5:00 (childcare provided) at the St. Charles Retreat Centre, 323 St. Charles Street. Come and see what to expect from a Cana session. Please RSVP. Song of Songs: Celebration of Merciful Love, Saturday April 7, 2018, 9:00-3:30** The Song of Songs is a beautiful song celebrating human love. Although it never mentions the name of God, we can discover God revealing His love to each of us. He comes to meet us in our deepest reality and to guide us on the way to our fulfillment. It will be led by Sr. Valerie Goubier from the Chemin Neuf Community in France. **To register: Ted & Nancy Wood, 204-885-2260, stcharlesretreat@hotmail.com**

Art & Craft Fair

St. Charles Catholic School is excited to announce our inaugural Art & Craft Fair! Join us on **Sunday, April 22, 2018** from 10am-2pm at 331 St. Charles St. Get your Mother's Day shopping done early! Shop with over 25 vendors and purchase art by talented St. Charles students. Everyone is welcome



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