

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



Pastor
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.

8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Sat	2	4:00 pm	†Harold Peters – Fern & Jeannette Labossiere
Sun	3	9:30 am	†Kazimerz Robak –Robak family
	3	11:30 am	St. Charles Parishioners
Weekday Masses			
Tues	5	7:00 pm	†Garry Schroeder - Nina Seidel
Wed	6	10:30 am	SCHOOL MASS
	6	7:00 pm	ASH WEDNESDAY MASS – Intention of the Donor
Thurs	7	9:00 am	†Deceased members of Bowman family–James Bowman
Fri	8	9:00 am	†Connie Langes –Heidi McInnis
9th Sunday in Ordinary Time			
Sat	9	4:00 pm	St. Charles Parishioners
Sun	10	9:30 am	†Antoni Robak – Robak family
Sun	10	11:30 am	Sandra Ammeter – St. James Assiniboia CWL



Please keep in your Prayers those in need of healing and comfort: Bill Black, Louise Dureault, Gemma LaFrenais, Pat Paluck

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.



Are you ready to put that seemingly useless knowledge to the test?

St. Charles Parish (320 St. Charles St.) is hosting this Family Friendly event on **Sat., March 16, doors open at 6pm** and the **trivia game** begins at **7pm**. Teams range in size from 6 to 10 members and 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 in advance or form one when you arrive. There will be a canteen with light snacks.

Cost: Adults \$10, 8-17 years \$5, children 7 & under Free.

This is a joint venture of the CWL, the Knights of Columbus and the Ladies Association. For more info or to buy tickets call the parish office 204-889-3248.

Tickets are also available on Eventbrite.

Game On! Tickets for Trivia Night will be on sale in the church foyer this weekend. Get your team together – this will be a great family-friendly event!

ST. CHARLES LADIES ASSOCIATION MEETING
Wed. March 13 at 1:30 pm
Louise Dansereau will speak regarding her recent trip to Haiti
Please plan to attend this afternoon meeting

Please remember to adjust your clocks on Saturday evening as Daylight Savings Time begins on **Sun., March 10th.**



Pro-Life Rosary Wed. Mar. 13 6:30 p.m.

All welcome to participate

2018 Charitable Tax Receipts - St. Charles are in the mail.

40 CANS FOR LENT



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 grows. Let your children become involved. Encourage their excitement as you teach them the gift of charity.

Holy Hour:

Thursday Mar. 7, From 6:00 pm-7:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Friday Mar. 8, From 9:30 am-12:00 pm.

Everyone is invited to spend some time with the Lord!



Parish Finances			
Offerings	February 24/19	\$3,219.80	
Archdiocesan Support (Sharing God's Gifts/Assessment)			
2019 Target	Received to Date	Shortfall	
\$49,930	\$2,553.40	-\$47,376.60	
(Revenue and Expenses)			
	Revenue	Expenses	+ or -
January 2019	\$15,882	\$17,905	-\$2,023
Year to Date	\$15,882	\$17,905	-\$2,023
Thank You for Your Financial Support			

Please remember your Parish in your will.

MEETINGS

Finance: Wed. Mar. 6 at 12:30 pm

Knights: Tues. Mar. 12 at 7:30 pm

Liturgy: Thurs. Mar. 14 at 7:00 pm

For current info in our Archdiocese: www.archwinnipeg.ca

We will be cleaning the Church the 6 Mondays of Lent from 9 am – 12 pm starting March 11 – April 15



We have a poor box located at the back of the church to receive monetary donations for the poor people that come to our church looking for help. The funds from

this box are used to purchase bus tickets and gift cards for food. The box is located to the left of the church as you come in. If you need assistance in locating the box just ask our Hospitality Ministers, they will be happy to help.

Kindergarten ~ *Limited spaces still available*

We are a K-8 school, offering full day, every day Kindergarten, Before and After School Care program – no waiting list to register for our BASC program, violin enrichment, K-8 French, arts and drama, as well as a Learn to Skate program. For more info, please visit www.stccs.ca or call 204-837-1520 or by email sec@stccs.ca.

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CHILI SUNDAY



Sun., March 24 after 9:30 Mass St Charles will provide a meal of Chili to be served at Immaculate Conception Soup Kitchen on Sunday March 24. We ask parishioners to bring a container of Chili to the church. All containers will be added together to make our Chili Pot of Love to serve the needy. Please also consider coming to Immaculate Conception.

MARDI GRAS March 5 11:30am

Potluck Lunch Everyone Welcome!
Dress colorfully and shake off those winter blues!



We are looking for parishioners to work within the Hospitality Ministry. If you would like to participate in a ministry that welcomes all who come through our

doors, please join us. It can be very rewarding and will put you in a great mood all day!!

'For I was hungry, and you gave Me something to eat; I was thirsty, and you gave Me something to drink; I was a stranger, and you invited Me in; Matthew 25:35

We also require parishioners to work the chair lift for funerals, weddings, and church events, or who could be called upon at mass if required. We will provide training.

Please call Janice Butler at 204-330-1521 or sign up at the back of the church if you are interested or have any questions.

Hospitality Testimonials:

After I retired I started to become more actively involved with the parish. Much to my surprise I realized that many of the parishioners I did not know mainly because I attended four o'clock mass and seldom attended other masses. It was through the ministry of hospitality that I was able to get to know many of the parishioners. Greeting fellow parishioners, helping them with any questions that they may have and sending them off each weekend with a positive farewell has allowed me to meet many of you. Come join us in this ministry. It is a fun place to be.

Colleen Bevan

Hospitality is like the cherry on top of a sundae. The cherry part of the sundae may seem like nothing on the surface but it is the first thing you notice. I have found the ministry to be more than greeting people and handing out the bulletins. The hospitality ministry works in close liaison with our Deacons and Fr. Michael. I really enjoy working in this ministry.

Andrew Relano



SHARE LENT
2019

On Ash Wednesday, Development and Peace – Caritas Canada will launch its annual Share Lent campaign, entitled SHARE THE JOURNEY. We are encouraged to reach out to forcibly displaced persons and to share their journey. How? Take a look at the enclosed Share Lent calendar for information. Or... 1) Donate online at devp.org/give OR give during the Solidarity Sunday collection on the 5th Sunday of Lent on April 7. The funds collected are used to support over 162 projects in 37 countries around the world! 2) Or you can take part in a solidarity walk in solidarity with forcibly displaced persons which will take place in Winnipeg in June. 3) Read the Development and Peace Share Lent materials as a way to encounter children, women and men who have been forcibly displaced and to learn how our D&P partners are making a difference. To find out more about Share Lent, please contact Annette @ 204-889-1391, Fran @ 204-889-7348 or Serge @ 204-889-9926... or go to devp.org/sharelent.

Sunday Morning Coffee & Fellowship

after 9:30 am Sunday Mass in the church hall. We are recruiting volunteers to make the coffee and serve 'dainties' for a one-month commitment. Signup sheet is by the kitchen window in the hall/call Annette for more info 204-889-1391



Check out our website at: www.saintcharles.ca



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