

# St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

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Location: 320 St. Charles St.



**Pastor:** Fr Michael Wollbaum  
pastor.stcharles@mymts.net

**Deacon:** Claude Lambert 204-832-1338

**Administrative Assistant:** Gloria Anderson

**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 9:00 am - 3:30 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

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for info. contact St Charles Parish: 204-889-3248



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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:**

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (ages 3 -6 yrs) 10:45 - 11:45 am Sundays  
Religious Education (K - Gr. 8) 10:45 - 11:45 am Sundays  
RCIA  
Please contact the Parish Office for more information 204-889-3248

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

## 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent

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Sat	5	4 pm	St Charles Parishioners
Sun	6	9:30 am	+Val Fleming - Tony & family
Sun	6	11:30 am	+Donn Wilson-John Prendergast
<i>Weekday Masses</i>			
Tues	8	7 pm	+Henri Dorge, Ralph Moreau, Ron Van Acte - Kof C
Wed	9	7 pm	+Annie Baronowski - Elsie Bialkowski
Thurs	10	9 am	+Derek Hedley, for souls in purgatory & Intentions of Hedley family - donor
Fri	11	9 am	+Julia, Jessie, Maria, & Tony & for peace in the family - Jose & Maria Reis
<i>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent</i>			
Sat	12	4 pm	For the health of Eileen Young – Carol Wells
Sun	13	9:30 am	For the health of Celina Lippens & for her 100 <sup>th</sup> birthday
Sun	13	11:30 am	St Charles Parishioners

Please remember your Parish in your will.

<b>Parish Finances 2021</b>		
<b>Weekly Offerings for Feb. 27</b>		<b>\$3,381.00</b>
<b>January Revenue</b>		<b>Year to Date</b>
Offerings/Other	\$ 11,894.02	\$ 11,894.02
Archdiocese	\$ 977.00	\$ 977.00
<b>Total Revenue</b>		<b>\$12,871.02</b>
<b>January Expenses</b>		<b>Year to Date</b>
Operating	\$ 16,620.79	\$ 16,620.79
Archdiocese	\$ 3,970.00	\$ 3,970.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>		<b>\$20,590.79</b>
<b>Balance</b>		<b>(\$7,719.77)</b>
<b>YTD Government Assistance</b>		<b>\$ 2,265.80</b>
<b>Balance Year to Date</b>		<b>(\$ 5,453.97)</b>
<b>Thank You for Your Financial Support</b>		
<p>Notes: Archdiocesan Support is being reported as a monthly expenditure (\$3,970.00). Each family is asked to donate a minimum of \$20.00/month to Archdiocesan Support in order for the parish to meet the target. Please do what you can.</p>		

## Adoration & Reconciliation

Fridays after 9 am Mass until 11 am for Lent



### 40 Cans for Lent:

This is the 6<sup>th</sup> year that we will assist a local food bank/soup kitchen. *This year we are collecting for North Point Douglas Women's Centre.* 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 grow. Let your children become involved. Encourage their excitement as you teach them the gift of charity. You can make your donations starting now and all through Lent. Watch for weekly updates. Any parishioner who would be willing to assist in the collection, boxing and weighing of donations please call Jim Turnbull (204-803-2995 or [jnrt123@gmail.com](mailto:jnrt123@gmail.com))



The Way of the Cross is a spiritual pilgrimage through contemplation of the Passion of Christ. After a 25-year hiatus, a group of St. Charles parishioners has revived this powerful and prayerful devotion. The launch of this 45-minute video production will be **Ash Wed., March 2** on the St. Charles YouTube channel. To read more about this 'labour of love' check out the Blog on our website <https://www.saintcharleswpg.com/news>

### Illuminate

An Evening of Adoration, Praise, Worship and Fellowship  
**Fri., March 11 at 7:30 pm**  
**Mary, Mother of the Church** 85 Kirkbridge Dr.

Come and worship Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament as part of a vibrant Catholic community. All are welcome! More info is available on our [website](http://www.illuminatemb.com) <http://www.illuminatemb.com> or [Facebook page](#).  
**IMPORTANT NOTE:** Due to COVID space restrictions, you must sign up in advance in order to attend. As per the joint Archdiocesan COVID guidelines for worship services, we will not be requiring proof of vaccination to attend Illuminate. As a result, we will be limiting attendance for events based on parish capacity.

We are hoping to have a **Spring Fling** in late April

**PLANNING MEETING**

**Monday, March 7 at 1 pm**

**in the Hall** (Please enter thru South Door)

Hope to see you there.





On behalf of your Parish Pastoral Council

### You Are Invited!

As a follow-up to the Archdiocese of Winnipeg's first Synod which ended Pentecost 2018, and in association

with the Synod on Synodality recently called by Pope Francis, we are pleased to be holding an **in-person Listening Session on Sunday March 20, 2022, at 1 pm** to which all are invited. During the session, a facilitator will present a series of questions that ask us to consider how God is calling us to better support and accompany one another in the faith journey. Information gathered during the Listening Session will not only guide our local parish in creating a Pastoral Plan but will form part of a larger document to be discussed in Rome at the Assembly of Bishops in October 2023. This is an historic event. Every baptized Christian is being asked to help discern how the Holy Spirit is calling the Church to live out its mission in this third millennium. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend this very important session and if you cannot make this one, another session date will be announced shortly. *To sign up please contact the parish office and provide Gloria with your contact information should we need to get in touch with you.*



### NEW WAY TO DONATE:

Donations will now be accepted by credit card thru the Archdiocese Mobile App. Download the app if you do not already have it and then: Simply open the app, click on donations, choose parish "St. Charles", key in amount of the donation, select frequency (once, weekly or monthly), any message (ie direct donation instructions) and then complete the donor & tax information. Once the information has been processed and confirmed, a system generated tax receipt will be issued right away. Please be sure to keep the receipt in a safe place as the parish will not be able to re-issue it at this time.

### LIVESTREAM SUNDAYS 9:30 AM

<https://www.youtube.com/user/stcharleswpg>

Check out our website at [www.saintcharleswpg.com](http://www.saintcharleswpg.com)

### Bulletin Deadline MONDAYS by NOON

### MEETINGS

**K of C:** Tues. Mar. 8 at 7:30 pm

**PPC:** Tues. Mar. 22 at 7 pm

QR CODE will take you to where you can download the app



### CRAFTS & GIGGLES

(Prayer Shawl Ministry)

**Tuesdays from 1 - 3 pm in the hall**  
**March 8, 15, & 22**

We are taking requests for Mass Intentions. Suggested offering \$10.00 and can be made by cash/cheque. Also offering can be done by e-transfer to [stcharls@mymts.net](mailto:stcharls@mymts.net) with the note Mass intention (Name). Please email or call the office to find an available date.



We are hoping to have the **Stations of the Cross Fridays at 7 pm** during Lent. More information to come.

### MASSES

MAX CAPACITY **125 PEOPLE**

**SATURDAY 4 PM SUNDAY 9:30 & 11:30 AM**

*Always check Government website for updated health orders that may have occurred after bulletin publication.*

### Lent 2022

The "little black books" will again be available this year for personal journeying through Lent. If you want to journey with others, perhaps consider joining an informal, faith sharing group based on those books via Zoom on Mondays in Lent, from 7-8 pm. Anyone wishing to join us, please send your name and email to [lthibert@mymts.net](mailto:lthibert@mymts.net) You don't have to be available every Monday, join in when you are free. All are welcome.





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