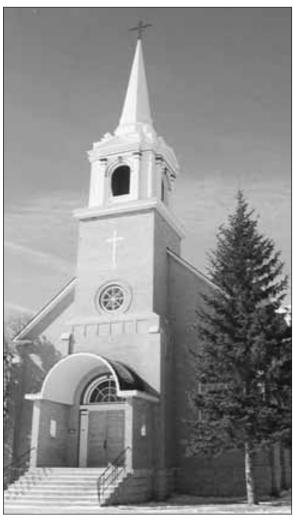
St. Charles Parish

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Pastor: Rev. Paul J. Tinguely 889-3248

Deacons: Robert Gate 837-4322 Claude Lambert 832-1338

Parish Secretary: Jackie Overton

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 Telephone: (204) 837-1520 Fax: (204) 837-2326

St. Charles Parish Cemetery and Columbarium

For information contact Assumption Cemetery - 888-7557

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.

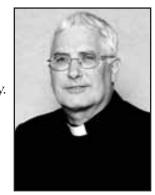
Sacrament of the Sick: Upon request - Church, hospital or home.

Parish Catechesis: September - May

Religious Education - K-7 - 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 book located at foyer office.



Rev. Paul J. Tinguely
Pastor

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

MASS SCHEDULE							
Sunday Masses			The Ascension of the Lord				
Sat	19	4:00 pm	St Charles Parishioners				
Sun	20	9:30 am	† Michael Kobialka, - Beth Kobialka				
		11:30 am	† Alida Phaneuf, - Verna Baccari				
Weekday Masses							
Tues	22	7:00 pm	† Jose Del Rosario, - Anicia Marquez				
Wed	23	9:00 am	Retreat Centre, (Chemin Neuf)				
			† Yves Savignac, - Annette Kohut				
Thur	24	9:00 am	School Mass, (celebrant, Father Gerald Langevin)				
Fri	25	9:00 am	† Nellie Burgess, - Louise VanBuckenhout				
Sunday Masses			Pentecost Sunday				
Sat	26	4:00 pm	St Charles Parishioners				
Sun	27	9:30 am	† Rosemary Van Ginkel, - Kotowich Family				
		11:30 am	† Margaret Lees, - Verna Baccari				

Papal Intentions for May 2012

General Intention: That initiatives which defend and uphold the family may be promoted within society.

Missionary Intention: That Mary, Queen of the World and Star of Evangelization, may accompany all missionaries in proclaiming her Son Jesus.

Please Pray For:

J'Anne Delaplante, Victor Morello, Iileen Kilborn, Alan Montague, Freda Broughton, Bev DeBeer, Michele Timmerman, Cornelia Reimer, Rene Arnal, Gerry Gavin, Albert Schamp, Joseph Gfroerer, Ryan Lardner, Valerie Walker, Dale Gathercole, and Paul Williams.



Rosary – The month of May each year is dedicated to Mary, our Blessed Mother. During the month of May, there will be Rosary at 6:30 pm on Wednesday evenings at the Church. All are welcome.

MEETING SCHEDULE					
Sun	20	10:30 am	Pancake Breakfast		
Mon	21	6:30 pm	Choir		
Tue	22	1:00 pm	Crafts/Cards and Conversation		
Wed	23	9:30 am	Faith Group		
		1:00 pm	Cards		
		6:30 pm	Rosary		

Stewardship – Faith on Fire, Hearts & Minds Transformed,

Before his ascension, Christ gave the Apostles their mission: "Go into the world and proclaim the good news^{*} to the whole creation". All of us are called to the same ¹⁶ mission. Sharing the gift of faith is central to the Christian life — it is a type of good stewardship called 'evangelization'. "Faith is strengthened when it is given to others", Pope John Paul II. We have been given new life in Christ. Is that not something you want to share with others?

Stewardship Office, The Archdiocese of Winnipeg, www.archwinnipeg.ca



Offering May 13th 2012

Sunday Offering Envelopes	\$1,933.04
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Total Offering	\$3,612.04

Thank you for your support.

"The Pope's Pastoral Works," this weekend, May 20th

Each year at this time, Canadian Catholics are asked to give generously to this papal collection, which is passed on to the Holy Father for his use among those struck by natural disasters. If you would like to contribute to this collection, please make your cheque out to "St Charles Parish," you will be receipted at the end of the year.



Confirmation will take place in our Parish, Friday, May 25th at 7:00 pm. Archbishop James Weisgerber will be presiding. Pease come out and support those who will

be confirmed, and their families.

Knights of Columbus are serving up their famous pancakes, this Sunday after the 9:30 am Mass in the Church Hall! (All are welcome.)

Parish Website

Check out the Blog on our website, www.saintcharles.ca
We've just added pictures from the House of Hesed dinner theatre along with an interview with the producer Ron Labbe. There are also items about the Catholicism Series and the Confirmation class car rally.

Foundation work - old part of the Church

Foundation work will be done on the north-side wall of the "old" part of the Church. Because of this there will be need to temporarily close the stairway (closest to the main entrance) from going to the basement. We are, therefore, asking parishioners to be attentive to this, and to use the other two side stairways during the repairs. Thank you

Parish mortgage – Because of the impending repairs on the church foundation wall which could cost up to \$10,000, and due to the fact that cash flows are always a concern for the parish with the added fact that there will be no "Garage Sale" this spring in the Parish, the time schedule for "paying off" the debt has been "extended" to the end of 2012 or until the beginning of the first months of 2013. The Parish has asked the Archdiocese to reduce the repayment amount for the mortgage to \$2,500 a month from last year's amount of \$4,000 a month. The Archdiocese has accepted and it has taken effect since January 1, 2012. This step has curtailed, for now, cash flow problems that the Parish experiences at various times of the year. With this in mind, the Parish is thankful and appreciative to you, the parishioners of St Charles Parish, who continue to support generously, through your Sunday offerings, the means for our parish to meet its financial obligations. The Parish is also very and appreciative to the various parish organizations, like the Ladies Association, and the Knights of Columbus, that have, also, helped financially, the Parish in the past. As an important side note, the Parish financial report of 2011 is in the final stages of being completed and will be mailed within weeks to parishioners.

Thank you, Fr Paul Tinguely

St. James Assiniboia CWL Pot Luck General Meeting will be held at 5:30 Wednesday May 23rd at Blessed John XX111. Please bring a wrapped gift valued at approximately \$5.00 to be auctioned off for charity.

Knights of Columbus Post Secondary Bursary

Two scholarships will be awarded to parishioners of St Charles parish. Parish and community involvement in addition to academic performance will be used to determine scholarship recipients. Submission deadline June 1, 2012. Bursary Applications are available in the office at the back of the church. For more information call Greg Chase @ 783-1706.

On May 2, 2012, a group of six University students and Dominique Gibson, son of Brian & Veronique Gibson of St Charles Parish, left for Nepal, to trek through the Himalayas and bring aid (in the form of medical relief) to children in the remote villages in the mountain range. This trip is planned by an organization called Mountain Child. This organization was established in Nepal because 1 in 5 children there will die before the age of 5. Most Nepali parents will not even bother naming their child before the age of 5, as chances are it will die, due to malnutrition and poor medical conditions. Mountain Child offers medical aid, food, supplies, support and love to the families and children of the villages in the Himalayas. Mountain Child website that can be visited has http://mountainchild.org/. Our thoughts and prayers are with Dominique Gibson at this time.



Spring has Sprung!
If you would like to donate
any plants and/or flowers
to our Church gardens this
planting season, please
contact Angela Bowman at
804-8155.



The CWL St James Assiniboia Council is hosting the 64th Annual Provincial Convention at St Charles Parish Saturday June 2 & Sunday June3rd

All members and their guests are invited to attend the Dinner, Saturday

Evening following the 4:00pm Mass. Members are requested to contact their Parish Reps, St Charles -Claire Lacroix, St. Annes- Joie Muirhead, Blessed John XXIII – Elsie Rosler, St. Paul the Apostle – Stephie Wasney for Registration of the Dinner and/or Convention meeting as soon as possible. Looking forward to seeing as many members as possible out to the convention events.

Canonization of Saints – Archdiocese of Winnipeg and Saint Boniface presents A Journey to Celebrate Canonization of Saints,

Rome, Italy, Winnipeg Group Oct 15-23, 2012. Join Archbishop James Weisgerber. Booking deadline July 16, 2012. See poster at the entrance of the Church. Please contact: Contessa Benson, Tel: 204-786-4889, Email cbenson@sarbittravel.com

SAINT - MALO Catholic Camps

What are you doing this summer? Why not try the Catholic Summer Camps at the Catholic School of Evangelization in St Malo, Manitoba. There are camps available for ages 5-17. Register before April 30th and save \$50! Check our website for registration forms: www.catholicway.ca



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