

St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

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Pastor: Fr Michael Wollbaum
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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

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



Pastor
Fr Michael Wollbaum

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

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

		<i>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	
Sat	31	4 pm	St. Charles Parishioners
Sun	1	9:30 am	†Maria Lourdes Eufemio – Joseph & Ross Marivie Nacorda
	1	11:30 am	†Robert Smith – Marion & family
<i>Weekday Masses</i>			
Wed	4	9 am	†Annie Baronowski – Elsie Bialkowski - Retreat Centre
Thurs	5	9 am	†Jim, Jeanne, Charles Mulvenna – Robert & Julie Sue Wood
Fri	6	9 am	†Garry Schroeder-Nina Seidel
<i>32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>			
Sat	7	4 pm	†Aurèle Brémault – Annette Kohut
Sun	8	9:30 am	St. Charles Parishioners
	8	11:30 am	For those who were Confirmed in 2020 – St. James Assiniboia CWL

A NOTE ABOUT COMMUNION AT MASS

We appreciate everyone's great desire to still receive communion at Mass. However, we have a couple of favors to ask: one, that when receiving, we would take off our Mass and consume Jesus immediately upon receiving Him in Holy Communion out of respect for Him; two, that when you are preparing to receive, please open your hands fully and as flat as you can--do not rush to take Jesus until the minister's hands are away from yours, as we are to not touch your hand. If you touch our hand, then the minister could pass it on to the very next person behind you. So please be mindful of that during these COVID-19 times and we thank you for your help in this area.

“Become Doers of the Word”:

a retreat at home offered by the Chemin Neuf Community. Saturday, November 7, 1:00 to 4:00. Participation by Zoom. Using one chapter from the Gospels, we will look at how Jesus challenges his disciples to be doers of the Word, not just hearers. For more information, [click on poster](#) or email stcharlesretreat@hotmail.com, 204-885-2260.

Parish Finances		
Offerings	Oct 25/20	\$2,375.50
(Revenue and Expenses)		
2020	September	Year to Date
Revenue	\$13,242	\$128,183
Expenses	\$17,614	\$141,562
+ or -	-\$4,372	-\$13,379
+Gov't Assist.		\$24,775
Archdiocesan Support (Sharing God's Gifts/Assessment)		
2020 Target	Received to Date	Shortfall
\$49,590	\$ 16,965.75	-\$32,624.25
Thank You for Your Financial Support		

Please remember your Parish in your will.



Please keep in your Prayers those in need of healing and comfort: Peter Friesen, Amalia Morello and all those affected by COVID 19.

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 the person(s) concerned.

Thank you for your help and prayers of intercession.

2020/2021 SUNDAY MISSALS are now available.

Offering \$5.00 ***Please bring exact change*

Bulletin Deadline MONDAYS by 11 am

FUNDRAISING



Parish Fundraising Committee

We are looking for people interested in becoming involved in creating a Parish Fundraising

Committee. Those interested in wanting to be involved please call the parish office 204-889-3248 or email at stcharls@mymts.net

By getting involved in the fundraising committee, you are helping St. Charles reach our objectives of raising funds, community building, and promotion of the Church in the community.



With no CFL football this year the Knights of Columbus have decided to sell **Super Bowl tickets** this year. Exact same format and price as last year! Tickets are \$2.50 each and will periodically be available at the parish but we can provide no-contact purchase if you wish. Simply E-Transfer money to Norbert Thibert @ nthibert@mymts.net with your contact information and he will send you a picture of your tickets with the scores.



REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

Wed. Nov. 11 at 9 am

*Please register with the office 204-889-3248
by **Mon. Nov. 9 noon.***



COVID-19 UPDATE

As we can currently see, the situation in our city is still not improving. However, it may take longer to see results in terms of new cases and test positivity rates to go down. I encourage everyone to continue to be patient, faithful to carrying out the essentials in our church such as wearing a mask, sanitizing and social distancing, and handwashing where needed. In any case, the PPC and I are monitoring the situation and will be in conversation during this time. If necessary, we will lower the limits for those allowed to come to the weekend Masses in order to ensure a lower exposure rate. However, at the same time, there are no known transmissions of the COVID-19 virus in the Winnipeg metro churches that we are aware of and so we will hold the current course of a maximum 30% capacity. We ask that everyone register for the weekend Masses from this point on because if we have to change limits, we may no longer be able to allow walk-ins.

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY We are looking to make a video of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy to put on our YouTube channel as a resource during the pandemic. We are looking for 4-5 people who would be willing to be on camera and pray the Chaplet aloud. This Chaplet is a great devotion to seek mercy and healing for ourselves, our faith community, our families, friends and the world. Anyone interested should contact the parish office.

SECURITY CAMERAS We are happy to announce that we now have our security cameras up inside and outside the church, to provide better protection for our property. Please note, the interior camera in the church will not be running during the weekday or weekend Masses. Also, privacy will be respected unless an incident takes place that requires the use of footage from the cameras. We are looking for individuals to help with the monitoring of this system. It is easy to use--if interested, please contact Jamie McDonald or Norbert Thibert or you can also leave a message at the parish office. Thanks to Jamie and Norbert for all their hard work in getting this up and running. Thanks to Bob Spencler and Rene Pelletier for installing all the new lighting which also helps tremendously with making our parish more secure.

OFFICE HOURS

Tues. Wed. & Thurs. 9 am – 3:30 pm (closed 12– 1)

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

Please check out our website at www.saintcharleswpg.com

All Saints' & All Souls' Day Live Stream Service

Sun. November 1 at 4 pm

www.livememorialservices.com/Home/ServiceDetail/6982

Google Chrome recommended

LIVESTREAM CHANGES

We will be switching over from Facebook to YouTube as of Nov. 9.

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



We must meditate before, during and after everything we do. The prophet says: "I will pray, and then I will understand." This is the way we can easily overcome the countless difficulties we have to face day after day, which, after all, are part of our work. In meditation we find the strength to bring Christ to birth in ourselves and in others.

- St. Charles, patron saint of catechists and bishops.



CATECHISM UPDATE

Dear parents, Due to the current COVID-19 situation, we are putting catechism on hold again--I will be meeting with the catechists and coordinator to come up with another potential start date. In the meantime, though we encourage parents to register their children for catechism online. We will offer a take-home program for now until we get to meet in person. More details about this will be released after the weekend. So just a reminder that there will be no catechism at church this weekend as originally planned.

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