

St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

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Location: 320 St. Charles St.



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



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:
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.

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe



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| Sat | 23 | 4:00 pm | † John Murphy – Jeannette Labossiere |
| Sun | 24 | 9:30 am | † Bertha Kowal – Polly Moore |
| | 24 | 11:30 am | St. Charles Parishioners |
| <i>Weekday Masses</i> | | | |
| Tues | 26 | 10:30 am | School Mass |
| Wed | 27 | 9:00 am | Intention of Father Michael |
| Thurs | 28 | 9:00 am | For all deceased in the Book of Remembrance |
| Fri | 29 | 9:00 am | † George, Annette, Adrienne Ladouceur – Robert Ladouceur |
| <i>1st Sunday of Advent</i> | | | |
| Sat | 30 | 4:00 pm | St. Charles Parishioners |
| Sun | 1 | 9:30 am | † Adam West – Ms Loredana |
| | 1 | 11:30 am | † Deceased members of Soucé family – Chris & Colleen Soucé |

Holy Hour:

Thurs. November 28 From 6:00 pm-7:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Fri. November 29 From 9:30 am-12:00 pm.

Everyone is invited to spend some time with the Lord!



| Parish Finances | | | |
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| Offerings | Nov 17/19 | \$3,391.00 | |
| (Revenue and Expenses) | | | |
| 2019 | Revenue | Expenses | + or - |
| October | \$16,994 | \$20,674 | -\$3,680 |
| Year to Date | \$167,946 | \$186,907 | -\$18,961 |
| Archdiocesan Support (Sharing God's Gifts/Assessment) | | | |
| 2019 Target | Received to Date | Shortfall | |
| \$49,930 | \$27,665.55 | -\$22,264.45 | |
| Thank You for Your Financial Support | | | |

Please remember your Parish in your will.

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

**Mass Intentions
are now booking into January 2020.**



Please keep in your Prayers those in need of healing and comfort: Peter Friesen, Kerry Bittner

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.

MEETINGS

PPC: Tues. Nov. 26 at 7 pm

Your **CHALICE** Christmas Gift Catalogue is here!

You may order on-line at: www.chalice.ca or

phone 1-800-776-6855 and talk to one of our

friendly head office volunteers or mail your

cheque (issued to **CHALICE** not St. Charles). The address is in the catalogue. Thank you for your generosity!

Merry Christmas from Walter, Maddy & Luke Kotowich



Christmas Cakes for Sale

St. Charles Pro-Life Group will be selling Christmas cakes to support Campaign Life Coalition. These fruitcakes are moist, rich with fruits & nuts and are very delicious. There are small cakes for \$15 and large cakes for \$22. If you would like to purchase a cake, contact Angela Bowman at (204) 804-8155 or by e-mail, ang81_22@hotmail.com. Cakes will be ready for pick-up at St. Charles Parish the weekend of Dec. 7 & 8. We also offer delivery, please specify when you place your order. Thank you and God Bless.



Thank you for your support, God bless.

St. Charles Ladies' Association

Christmas Bake and Craft Sale

after Masses on Dec. 7 & 8.

Please consider donating baking, canning and craft items. All proceeds to charity. Baking can be dropped off (**AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH**) any time after 12 Noon on Sat. Dec. 7 as well as before each of the weekend Masses. The bake sale will be held after Mass at the back of the church.



Return of 'Living Stations of the Cross': Lent 2020

The first meeting to prepare for the Living Stations of the Cross Lent 2020 will be on Thursday November 28th at 7:15pm in the church. All are welcome.



**2019/2020 SUNDAY MISSALS
ARE NOW AVAILABLE. Offering \$5.00**

**Christmas Evergreen
Centerpiece Workshop**

Wed., Dec. 11 from 1 to 3 pm
St. Charles Church Hall



The smell of evergreen boughs is the scent of Christmas. Join us for a hands-on workshop on making your own beautiful Christmas centerpiece. Dodie Labbe will facilitate the workshop and provide instruction as well as all the components of the arrangement - bring your own 6" container. Please register in advance - signup sheet in the church foyer. **Cost is \$15** For more info call 204-885-2817. *Come and bring a friend.*

**St James Assiniboia CWL meeting is Mon.
Nov. 25, 2019, 7 pm, St Paul the Apostle
Parish.**



Join us as for an informative presentation from CWL member Louise Dansereau on how we can make a positive impact, in support of resolutions passed at our Conventions. Another member, Mary Starodub will also be speaking to us on getting our affairs in order, as she shares her personal experience. Refreshments after the meeting.

**St Charles Parish
Christmas Potluck
Celebration.**

Sun. Dec 1 after 11:30 mass
in Parish Hall

Bring your favourite dish to share at the communal meal. Bring your family, friends and neighbours
Cost: Free!!!

Afgan Raffle

(made and donated by Mary Lewco)

Tickets are \$2.00 each and will be on sale after Mass.

Draw date: Sat. March 14, 2020 (Trivia Night)

All proceeds to the St Charles Elevator Fund

Family Advent Retreat

Saturday November 30, 9am - 4pm

Join us as we unpack the mysteries of the Advent season with all new activities designed for the whole family! All are welcome!



This retreat, held at the Catholic School of Evangelization in Saint-Malo (MB). Investment is \$65/family, plus \$5/child or grandparent. For more info and TO REGISTER: brianne@catholicway.net or call 204-347-5396. This is a ministry of the Catholic School of Evangelization, www.catholicway.net.

**DEVELOPMENT & PEACE
- CARITAS CANADA Education Campaign
"FOR OUR COMMON HOME"**

Over these past months we have been hearing a lot of information about the destruction of Climate Change. We have witnessed a little girl from Sweden challenge our leaders to make change. She led our youth in many sit ins asking world leaders to rise and do something constructive about this world crisis. It is a world crisis and we need to look beyond the need for local Canadian change. Pope Francis called a special synod of the Bishops for the Pan-Amazon Region, held from Oct. 6 to 27/19. It was an opportunity to better understand the Amazon biome, rich in life and biodiversity and vital to the balance of the Earth, our common home. Development and Peace – Caritas Canada has therefore chosen to call its campaign for the next two years, for our Common Home, inspired by the papal encyclical, "Laudato Si" – on care for our common home. The Amazon plays an essential role for all of humanity. By understanding its people and their way of life, we are securing a future for the Earth and its people. Please take the time to read the insert in today's bulletin and further educate yourself on the struggles of our D&P partners, our brothers and sisters, in Amazonia. We invite you to sign the SOLIDARITY LETTER FOR THE DEFENDERS OF THE AMAZON located at the back of the church ... or you may sign the letter of solidarity online @ devp.org/act ... or even just make one personal change that says "I care for our common home". Education starts the changes.



St. Charles Family, we did it!!

The Dinner & Dance raised \$10,407.69.

Volunteers thank you for your time and energy. Volunteers made this event possible.

A special thank you to the advertisement team,

led by Maddy Kotowich, for your work throughout the summer and into the fall. Well done everyone!!



Funeral Service for Reverend Gary Killen will be celebrated on Saturday, November 30 at Immaculate Conception at 10 am. Archbishop Gagnon presiding.

**St. Charles Catholic School
Christmas Market**

Sat. Nov. 30 9 am – 3 pm

St. Paul the Apostle Parish 2400 Portage Ave.

Free Admission





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