

# St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

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Location: 320 St. Charles St.



**Pastor:** Fr Michael Wollbaum  
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**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  
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**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.

## 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Sat	23	4 pm	St. Charles Parishioners
Sun	24	9:30 am	+Willie Butler-St James Assiniboia CWL
Sun	24	11:30 am	+Rosemary Laguardia - Ballecer family
<i>Weekday Masses</i>			
Tues	26	2 pm	Fr. Andre Sylvestre - St. James Assiniboia CWL
Wed	27	9 am	+Brian Officer - Serge Laval
Thurs	28	9 am	+Betty Patteson & Pearl Provida - Dena
Fri	29	9 am	+Jim, Jeanne, Charles Mulvenna - Robert & Julie Sue Wood
<i>31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>			
Sat	30	4 pm	St. Charles Parishioners
Sun	31	9:30 am	In honour of Fr Michael's 25th Anniversary of Ordination - St. Charles Ladies Association
Sun	31	11:30 am	+Robert Smith - Marion & family

Please remember your Parish in your will.

<b>Parish Finances 2021</b>		
<b>Weekly Offerings for Oct. 17</b>		<b>\$3,177.00</b>
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<b>August Revenue</b>		<b>Year to Date</b>
<b>Offerings/Other</b>	\$13,699.11	\$ 119,852.34
<b>Archdiocese</b>	\$ 597.00	\$ 12,100.00
<b>Total Revenue</b>		<b>\$131,952.34</b>
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<b>August Expenses</b>		<b>Year to Date</b>
<b>Operating</b>	\$ 13,085.51	\$ 136,728.57
<b>Archdiocese</b>	\$ 3,970.00	\$31,760.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>		<b>\$168,488.57</b>
<b>Balance</b>		<b>(\$36,536.23)</b>
<b>YTD Government Assistance</b>		<b>\$ 53,620.68</b>
<b>Balance Year to Date</b>		<b>\$ 17,084.45</b>
<b>Thank You for Your Financial Support</b>		
<p>Notes: Archdiocesan Support is being reported as a monthly expenditure (\$3,970.00). As you can see the expenditure to end of August is <b>\$31,760.00</b> verses income at \$3,970.00. We are way behind in contribution. Each family is asked to donate a minimum of \$20.00 per month to Archdiocesan Support in order for the parish to meet the target. Please do what you can.</p>		

For current info in our Archdiocese: [www.archwinnipeg.ca](http://www.archwinnipeg.ca)

**RECONCILIATION**  
Saturdays 3:15 – 3:45 pm or by appointment

**Baptisms, Weddings, and Funerals**  
limit of **25** people (indoors) to attend.

**MASSES**  
**SATURDAY 4 PM SUNDAY 9:30 & 11:30 AM**  
**MAX CAPACITY 100 PEOPLE**  
**Registration is at the door so please arrive 15 – 20 minutes prior to Mass**  
*Always check Government website for updated health orders that may have occurred after bulletin publication.*

**NO ADORATION October 29**

In light of the current state of the pandemic, the Dispensation from Sunday obligation to attend Mass is granted to the faithful through **November 21/21.**

**We can sing during Mass!**  
Congregational singing is allowed and also following all other protocols (social distancing, masks...)



**NEED GREY CUP TICKETS**  
The Knights of Columbus are selling tickets for \$2.50. All proceeds to charities.  
See one of the Knights for your tickets today.



**Mass will now be livestreamed twice a month Sunday 9:30 am**  
<https://www.youtube.com/user/stcharleswpg>  
**DATES: Oct. 31; Nov. 14, 28**

**FAITH SHARING** at Retreat Centre –  
Wednesdays after mass

The Parish of St. Charles would like to welcome **Rose Tanner** who will now be cleaning the church on a regular basis. If you see her about, please say hello.



**MEETINGS**  
CWL: Tues. Oct. 26 at 2:30 pm

Oct 24, 2021

## St. Charles Dinner

Saturday, November 6, 2021

Cocktails: 6:30 pm Dinner: 7:00 pm

Karaoke to follow 50/50 Draw

Cake Auction Cash Bar

Adults (13 +): \$20.00 Children (5 – 12) : \$10.00

Under 5: Free Takeout: \$15.00

*(Proof of vaccination & ID is required for 12 + over)*

Advance tickets only Capacity: 120 people

### **Come & have fun!!**

Tickets available after each Mass, contact

Colleen 204-837-6477 or the office 204-889-3248.

## MEMO FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE

Effective October 5th 2021, faith based gatherings including Mass are permitted up to 33% of the church's capacity or 25 people whichever is greater. Effective October 12th, 2021, Weddings, Funerals and Baptisms held indoors are allowed a maximum of 25 people or 25% capacity of the building whichever is lower. The presider, one cantor, one accompanist, one lector and the live stream team do not count towards the restriction numbers. In cases of weddings, one photographer or videographer do not count towards numbers and in the case of Funerals, Funeral Home staff do not count in the restriction numbers either.

**Parishes in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg will NOT require parishioners to present proof of double vaccination to be able to attend mass.**

**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.



## CONFIRMATION NOTE

Dear parents,

We will be having a confirmation class this year in our parish. It will be open to those in Grade 8 or up who have not been confirmed. It will be in-person as we are able to do so given the current COVID-19 situation. We will be having sessions every **Thursday** night starting **Thursday** Oct. 14th, from 630-8PM throughout the year until roughly May of 2022. Of course there will be breaks for Christmas and Spring Break 2022. This is a specialized program for teens, beginning with the spiritual component of the Alpha Teen Course, followed by the catechesis program. Both parts of the course are essential in order to be accepted for confirmation. There will be one weekend retreat held on **Sat. Nov. 20** (tentatively) and it is also mandatory. Not only are the teens required to attend in person, but also one of their parents. This is essential due to the fact that our teens will be experiencing spiritual growth and it is essential the parents are fully aware of what they will be learning in order to grow with them. This is mandatory with no exceptions. We understand that for some of you this program may not work and if not, you are welcome to seek out another parish for confirmation this year. Confirmation deserves to be treated with the same respect as sports, dance, music and other activities, and so we expect a full commitment from those who wish to take part, since what your teens are learning will help them for the rest of their lives in terms of their faith. It is also essential that the teens attend a weekend Mass somewhere--we understand if you have to be away for sporting events and other things, but Mass attendance is also essential for this program to be most effective for the teens, since the Sacrament of Confirmation will only be fully effective as those who participate in the life of the church--it builds on the Eucharist. If you have questions, please feel free to email Fr. Michael at [pastor.stcharles@mymts.net](mailto:pastor.stcharles@mymts.net).



**St Charles  
Dinner meeting  
Thurs October 28 at 1 pm in Hall**



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