

St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

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Sunday Masses:
Saturday: 4:00 pm
Sunday: 9:30, 11:30 am

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 (204) 889-3248

St. Charles Catholic School
331 St. Charles St., Winnipeg, MB R3K 1T6
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St. Charles Parish Cemetery and Columbarium
For information contact Assumption Cemetery - (204) 888-7557

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:
September - May
Religious Education - K-8 - Between Sunday Masses
Children's Liturgy - 3 & 4 yrs old - During 9:30 am Mass
RCIA - Wednesday evenings - 7:00 - 9:00 pm



Pastor
Fr Michael Wollbaum



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Fr Peter Nemcek

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

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 24 4:00 pm † Annette David (Sister), -
Fernand & Jeanette Labossiere

Sun 25 9:30 am † Marina Aguilera, - husband &
Family

11:30 am St Charles Parishioners

Weekday Masses

Tues 27 7:00 pm Asha Jomy (Birthday), - Jomy
Varghese

Wed 28 9:00 am **(at Chemin Neuf Retreat
Centre)**

† Annie Baranowski, - Elsie
Bialkowski

28 7:00 pm † Dorothy Pelletiere, - Hughes
Family

Thurs 29 9:00 am **St Michael, St Gabriel, St Raphael,
Archangels**

† Therese Lambert, - Catherine
Reznik

Fri 30 9:00 am **St Jerome, Priest, Doctor**

† Garry Schroeder, - Nina
Seidel

Sat 1 9:00 am **St. Therese of the Child Jesus,
Virgin, Doctor**

Mike Gfroerer (Birthday), -
Family

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 1 4:00 pm † Tapia/ † Eufemio,

† De Castro/† Nacorda
Families, - Mr & Mrs Joseph
Nacorda

Sun 2 9:30 am St Charles Parishioners

11:30 am † Ruth Martinelli, - Martinelli
Family



Remember in Your Prayers

J'Anne Delaplante, Victor Morello, Alan Montague, Freda Broughton, Michele Timmerman, Cornelia Reimer, Dale Gathercole, Paul and Jennifer Williams, Gay Viacelli, Anna Swanson, Jody Gale, Stella Ryan, Kathy Hollaman, Jennifer Chase, Ben Remillard, Marcel Flamand, Lawrence Paluck, Krista Schaan, Jacob Trudel, Elizabeth Kobialka, Mathew Ballecer, Doreen Pitzel, Adele Dasset, Pat LaRue, Marie Wang, Gerry Desjardins, Natalie Savignac, Ken Grindle, Lorraine Grindle, Jennifer Piche, Winston Morier, Todd La Rue, Dean King, Sandra Ammeter, Barclay Williams, Frank Miller, Abe Froese, Marissa Baccari, Juliette Kozun, and Patricia Paluck.

We pray for the repose of the soul of Therese Lambert, her funeral Mass was held on September 21. May she rest in the peace of Jesus Christ.

St. Charles Faith Sharing Group

On September 14, St. Charles Faith Sharing Group begun meeting on Wednesdays at 9:30 am at St. Charles Retreat Centre following the 9:00 am Mass. Small faith sharing groups are powerful vehicles for adult faith formation, providing opportunities for learning, prayer and mutual support. The first program is called "In Quest of the Jewish Mary" and will consider what might have been Mary's experiences as a first-century Jewish woman and how this may serve as an inspiration for Christians today. Everyone is welcome.

A Stewardship Moment



In today's gospel Jesus offers a warning about living selfishly in his parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus. The Rich Man holds sumptuous feasts and dresses in fine clothes. But despite his affluence he does nothing to relieve the painful hunger and debilitating condition of his neighbor Lazarus. He neglects to love his neighbor as he loves himself and is sent to hell for his lifestyle and desire for self-gratification. The Rich Man represents those who spend their money on their own personal pleasures with no regard for sharing their material possessions with the poor and needy in their own neighborhood. Good stewards realize the practical implications of not only loving God, but loving their neighbor as they would love themselves. Who are the less fortunate in our neighborhood? Do we share a portion of our own blessings with them? *(from the September issue of the International Catholic Stewardship Council, Stewardship e-bulletin)*

Holy Hour & Confessions

**this Thursday September 29 from
6:00 -7:00 pm, All are welcome**



**2016 MID YEAR FINANCIAL REPORT AVAILABLE
AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH**

Praise the Lord, O my soul! (Responsorial Psalm)
**Though Christ Jesus was rich, yet he became poor, so that
by his poverty you might become rich.** (Gospel
Acclamation)

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www.archwinnipeg.ca

Check out our website at www.saintcharles.ca

Baptism

September Baptism

Michaelangelo Araneta-
September 4 "See what love the
Father has given us, that we
should be called children of God" (1 John 3:1)

Annual Immaculate Conception Soup Kitchen Volunteers are needed to prepare soup with the leftover food from Harvest Supper and to also serve the soup at the Immaculate Conception Church on **Sunday October 2**. Donations for purchasing cookies, milk, bananas and buns would be appreciated. If interested please call the parish office at: 204-889-3248

Religious Education & Good Shepherd program

Began last Sunday at 10:45, to register your child please see the religious coordinator-Laurette Noakes.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, for children 3-5 years old We be offering catechism in the newly prepared "atrium" upstairs in the church next to the cry room. We will be following the **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd**, a special way of introducing children to Scripture and liturgy. There is more information about this program at the back of the church.

TEC - An Unforgettable Encounter – October 8th-10th, 2016 (Thanksgiving long weekend)

TEC (To Encounter Christ) is a unique experience in Christian living for people from the age of 16 and up. The central theme of TEC is the Paschal Mystery, Christ's invitation to die to ourselves and rise to a new and fuller life. The retreat takes place at the Catholic School of Evangelization in St. Malo, Manitoba, over a three day weekend, beginning at **9:30 am on Saturday** and ending at about **6:00 pm on Monday**. For more information, please visit www.gbtec.ca or phone Gillian Moore at **204-422-7675**. Don't miss out on this amazing experience! Spaces are very limited!

50 years of Solidarity! Patchwork Quilt Pilgrimage In 2017, Development and Peace will be celebrating its 50th anniversary. The Winnipeg Diocesan Council cordially invites you to celebrate Vespers with Archbishop Gagnon as we launch the 50th anniversary celebrations in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg and reveal their piece of the patchwork quilt. **DATE: Sunday, October 2nd, 2016, TIME: 7pm**, followed by a reception, **LOCATION: St. Mary's Cathedral (353 St. Mary Ave, Winnipeg)**

40 Days for Life From September 28 through November 6, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil for 1 hour or more from **8am – 8pm**, in the public right-of-way outside (Health Science Centre, Women's Hospital) 735 Notre Dame Ave, and also to help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you'd like more information please contact: (Maria Slykerman at 204-452-2459. The 40 Days for Life website is: www.40daysforlife.com/winnipeg).

RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

This process will be starting up again for the 2016-2017 church year, beginning in October. Please pray for this process as we have someone already interested in taking part. This is open to young adults (Grade 10 and up) and adults who have not been baptized or confirmed, for those baptized in other Christian communities and those who are Catholic who have not been confirmed. You are welcome to come and discern if God is calling you to join our Church and be a member of our faith community. Classes will most likely take place on Wednesday evenings from October to May. Initiation to those called to become members of the parish takes place at Easter. All candidates will have an initial meeting with team members. If you are interested or know of someone who may be interested, please contact **James Bowman, the coordinator for RCIA at 204-802-4100 or by email at jamesbowman2010@hotmail.com** ; or you can contact the Parish Office at St. Charles at 204-889-3248.



St. James-Assiniboia CWL will meet on **Monday, September 26 at 7:00 pm** at St. John XXIII for our first meeting of the season. We welcome guests Con Marks, Diocesan Chairperson, Faith Anderson, Provincial Chairperson and Susan Bernier, Chairperson of the Nation Convention to be held in Winnipeg 2018. Join your sisters in the League and find out about the exciting upcoming activities.

St. Charles Catholic School is looking for referees for this year's grade 6-8 Volleyball and Basketball games. Games take place during weekdays after school from **4-5:30 pm**. If you are of high school age or older and are confident with the rules of the game, please contact **Sandy Marsh Hamm** at smarshhamm@stccs.ca for more information.

MEETINGS/EVENTS SCHEDULE

Mon	26	6:30 pm	Choir
Tues	27	1:00 pm	Crafts
Wed	28	9:30 pm	Faith Sharing (Retreat Centre)
Wed	28	1:00 pm	Cards
Wed	28	7:00 pm	Parish Visitation
Thurs	29	6:00 pm	Holy Hour & Confessions

\$ 15,443 Revenue, \$ 17,689 Expenses
\$ (2,246) Shortfall for the month of August 2016

Offerings: September 18, 2016

Loose: \$ 211.66 Envelopes: \$ 1247.00 Pre-Auth. Debit: \$ 1,769.00
Total \$ 3,227.66 Thank you for your support!

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