St. Charles Parish

Founded 1868 - Rededicated 1988

Location: 320 St. Charles St.

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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.

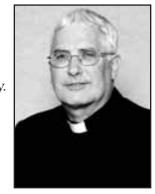
Sacrament of the Sick: Upon request - Church, hospital or home.

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

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

MASS SCHEDULE							
Sunday	Mass	<u>es</u>	3 rd Sunday of Lent				
Sat	2	4:00 pm	St Charles Parishioners				
Sun	3	9:30 am	† Peter O'Kane, - 9:30 Choir				
		11:30 am	† Marie Lanouaz, - Florence & George Weber				
Weekday Masses							
Tues	5		(Note : no Mass today).				
Wed	6	9:00 am	St Charles Retreat Centre, (Chemin Neuf)				
			† Violet Sherb, (aunt) - Frances Blanchard				
Thurs	7	9:00 am	Health of John Quinn, - Jeanne Mulvenna				
Fri	8	9:00 am	† Kelly Hoffart, - Family				
Sunday	<u>Mass</u>	<u>es</u>	4 th Sunday of Lent				
Sat	9	4:00 pm	† Sean Kenny, - Family				
Sun	10	9:30 am	† Maurice, † Julia, † Ken, and † Emily, - Jess & Marlene Bowyer				
		11:30 am	St Charles Parishioners				

Papal Intentions for March 2013

General: Respect for Nature — That respect for nature may grow with the awareness that all creation is God's work entrusted to human responsibility.

Mission: Clergy That bishops, priests, and deacons may be tireless messengers of the Gospel to the ends of the earth.

"The Lord is merciful and gracious." (Responsorial Psalm)

"Repent, says the Lord; the kingdom of heaven is at hand." (Gospel Acclamation)

***Let us pray for the intentions of the Church during this transition, as we await the election of the new Pope of the Church. ***

The Parish of St Charles rejoices and welcomes Melissa Barnes to our Parish family who was Baptized last Sunday!

Please Pray For:

J'Anne Delaplante, Victor Morello, Iileen Kilborn, Alan Montague, Freda Broughton, Bev DeBeer, Michele Timmerman, Cornelia Reimer, Rene Arnal, Gerry Gavin, Joan Lardner, Valerie Walker, Dale Gathercole, Paul and Jennifer Williams, Julian Meush, Yvette Mayner, Gay Viecelli, Linda Isham, Tom Antonick, Anna Swanson, Joan Chase, Isabel and Aurelio Munoz, Julio Hernandez and Jody Gale.

MEETINGS/EVENTS SCHEDULE					
Mon	4	6:30 pm	Choir		
Tues	5	1:00 pm	Crafts and Conversation		
Wed	6	9:30 am	Faith Sharing		
Wed	6	1:00 pm	Cards		
Wed	6	7:00 am	RCIA		
Thurs	7	6:30 pm	PPC		
Fri	8	7:00 pm	Stations of the Cross		
Sun	10	10:30 am	Pancake Breakfast		

"At that time some people who were present there told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with the blood of their sacrifices." (Lk 13:1)

..."Life is short. I'm living on borrowed time. I'm always going to do something-something good. Always going to start a diet-next week. Always thinking that I've got to get around to patching up some bad blood in my family-one of these days. Perhaps I need a nudge to do that something now, because it always seems to be "tomorrow" that I'm going to do what I ought to do with my life. There's never a good time to do things that are hard to do. But the Gospel reminds me that life is short. There are tremendous opportunities today to do some of those things that I need to do. To start. Lord, help me not to put them off until tomorrow. Today may be all the time I have."

Spend some quiet time With the Lord

(THE LITTLE BLACK BOOK- Six-minute meditations on the Sunday Gospels of Lent)

<u>Family Mass:</u> Last Family Mass of this Catechism year is at 9:30 am Mass on Mar. 10th. Classes to follow.

Offering February 24th 2013

Sunday Offering Envelopes	 \$1,779.51
Pre Authorized Debit	\$1,679.00
Total Offering	\$3,458.51

Thank you for your support.

<u>Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord is Saturday</u> March 23rd and Sunday March 24th

Holy Week Schedule

<u>Holy Thursday Mass</u> March 28th at 7:30 pm, followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 12:00 am-midnight

Good Friday Service March 29th, at 3:00 pm

<u>Holy Saturday Easter Vigil Mass</u> March 30th at 9:00 pm, reception to follow

Easter Sunday Masses March 31st at 9:30 am and 11:30 am

St Patrick's Day Social

St. Patrick's Day Social will be on Saturday March 16 at 6 pm in the Church hall, doors open at 5:30 pm. Irish stew is served at 6:30 pm. There will be

dancing, silent auction, cake draw and a 50/50 draw. (Tickets are available at the entrance of the Church, for \$15.) Proceeds will go to Fr. Gerry's mission in Peru.

Parish Meeting /Gathering March 17, 2013: When the announcement was made that our mortgage was paid off, it was mentioned that the needs of the parish would be reviewed, prioritized and a plan of action developed. As part of this process the Finance Committee is holding a parish meeting/gathering, in the Church basement, on March 17, 2013 at 10:45 AM (between the two masses) to give parishioners an opportunity to provide input. The meeting/gathering will be structured so that ideas, needs, and suggested direction can be presented. Please see the insert in today bulletin which has a list of some identified needs, suggestions and ideas. It also provides an opportunity to make a submission in writing for those who cannot attend the meeting/gathering. (St. Charles Parish - Finance Committee).

STATIONS OF THE CROSS-DURING LENT

Join us for the Stations of the Cross during Lent on Fridays at 7:00 pm in the Church. (The Catholic Women's League will be leading this Friday March 8th). An alternating Group will lead us in the remainder of the Stations of the Cross.

Prayer List- If you or someone in your family is ill and requests prayers and would like to be put on our prayer list then please contact the parish office at 204-889-3248 as we require permission to do so.

<u>Home Visit-</u> If you are home bound and would like to receive the Eucharist, or require a visit please contact the parish office at 204-889-3248.

<u>Birthday Gals</u> will meet at 11:30 am on Tuesday March 19th at "Nook & Granny," 3106 Portage Ave. "Go Green."

Spring Cleaning From February 18, till March 25. We will start at 9:00 am till noon every Monday of Lent. "Many hands make for light work"!



Lenten Confessions

St Charles Parish Thursday, March 21st @ 7:00 pm St Patrick's Church Friday, March

<u>St Favick's Charch</u> Francy 8th @ 7:00 pm

St Mary's Cathedral Parish Saturday, March 9th @ 10:00 am

St Edward's Church Wednesday, March 13th @ 6:30 pm

<u>St Paul the Apostle Church</u> Wednesday, March 20th @ 7:00 pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church Wednesday, March 20th @ 9:30 am

<u>Blessed John XXIII Parish</u> Thursday, March 21st @10:00 am

<u>Development and Peace-Share Lent 2013 Human Dignity-</u> More than Ever

Human dignity is the right for women to participate in society. Ms. Gulandam, 50, lives with her husband and 12 children in the province of Kapisa in Afghanistan, a region that has been the site of violent fighting between coalition military forces and Taliban fighters in the ongoing war in the country. Struggling to provide for her family she began to search for work, but it was not an easy endeavor. In a society where women have few rights and there is cultural resistance to their participation in the workforce, hardly any opportunities existed. Fortunately, she came across a food processing company being supported by D & P partner THE AFGHAN WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTRE (AWRC). She began to receive technical training and two years later was chosen to become a group leader in heading up a local women's business that produces pickles, vegetable sauce and peppers. The AWRC also provided her with a microcredit loan so she could purchase equipment for her business. Her business success did not end there. With the continued support of the AWRC, she received training in marketing to help improve the sale of her products, and joined a women's cooperative. "I am proud to be working and running a small business in my village", she said. "I'm proud that I can help my family and other women in the community." The opportunity afforded to her by the AWRC, our partner, did make a difference! You helped to make that difference by your donation last year. We ask that you keep saving up and give generously on Solidarity Sunday, March 17. There is an envelope for you to use in your St. Charles box of envelopes. Also, we invite you to join us next <u>Sunday</u>, <u>March 10th</u> for our <u>Lenten/meager meal at</u> 5:30 in the church hall. Our guest speaker, Brenda Chaput-Saltel will speak to us about Human Dignity and use D & P profiles to share her message.

Check out our website at www.saintcharles.ca

For current info in the Archdiocese go to www.archwinnipeg.ca



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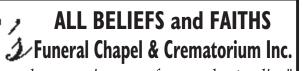
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