



Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, September 1st
8:30 A.M In Honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary
4:30 P.M Req. by Renna Meyer + Edward Esposito
SUNDAY, September 2nd
8:00 A.M + Kevin Roberts
10:30 A.M People of the Parish and + Hans Muhlfield
MONDAY, September 3rd
8:00 A.M. + Ralph Dellegatti
TUESDAY, September 4th
NO MASS
WEDNESDAY, September 5th
7:00 P.M. + John E. Ruoff
THURSDAY, September 6th
8:00 A.M. + Joseph Valenti
FRIDAY, September 7th
8:00 A.M + Diane Pozar
SATURDAY, September 8th
8:30 A.M + Mildred Lewis
4:30 P.M + Jean Pollard & Catherine Nugent
SUNDAY, September 9th
8:00 A.M People of the Parish and St. Charles
10:30 A.M + John Formisano

IF YOU HAVE ARRANGED FOR A MASS TO BE SAID, WE REMIND YOU THAT IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BRING UP THE GIFTS- PLEASE SEE THE USHERS BEFORE MASS BEGINS. THANK YOU.



PRAYER REQUESTS

Richard Continanzi. William McCue, Bobbie Valk, Lynn Lauro, Joe Sabo, Amarah and Emma Alexander, Beth Harget, Georgia Tauber and her Family, Isabelle Ferranti, Archie Reid, Vincent Martinelli, Sean Taylor, Judy and Jim Callahan, Kenneth Collins, Cathy Tobin Collins., Fortunato Caracciolo

If you know of someone in need of prayer - please let us know by calling the rectory.



PLEASE PRAY FOR AN INCREASE IN VOCATIONS.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR
Our next Taize Prayer Service will be held on Thursday, September 13th in our Church at 7 pm. All are welcome

Called to Serve

If you are attending a Mass in which you are not scheduled, please see if you are needed. Your participation in the Liturgy is a gift to God. Thank you for your continued dedication to God and our Church.

LECTORS

09/01 4:30 p.m Peter LeRose
09/02 8:00 a.m. Kathleen Fowler
09/02 10:30 a.m. Marguerite Violante
09/08 4:30 p.m Ann Gulbrandsen
09/09 8:00 a.m Lori & Darius Youssefbak
09/09 10:30 a.m. Mario Alonzo

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF EUCHARIST

09/01 4:30 p.m R. Meyer, P. LeRose, A, Gulbrandsen
09/02 8:00 a.m. M.Alonzo, E. & G. Collins
09/02 10:30 a.m. A. Heidecler, Need Volunteers
09/08 4:30 p.m R. Meyer, Peter LeRose, M. Violante
09/09 8:00 a.m G. Gravatt, C. Naclerio, J. Betanzos
09/09 10:30 a.m Marie Regino, Alice Heidecker, Need Volunteer

ALTAR SERVERS

09/01 4:30 p.m Need Volunteers
09/02 8:00 a.m. F. Seelman, O. Lowery, T.Titmas
09/02 10:30 a.m J. Timm
09/08 4:30 p.m Devin Egan, D & J. Reynolds
09/09 8:00 a.m. J. Cook, T. Titmas, Need Volunteers
09/09 10:30 a.m. R. Perillo, D. Rubino, J. Timm

MEMORIALS: Bread & Wine, Sanctuary Candle, Sanctuary Flowers and Missal Donations

This week's Bread and Wine was given in memory of Peter C. LeRose Sr. by Zena Taylor. Arrangements for Memorials can be made in the rectory office. You may call or stop in.

ATTENDANCE & COLLECTION -

August 25 & 26
Attendance 236 (216 Adults and 20 Children)
Collection: \$2685.00 Fuel: \$10.00
Helping Hands: \$1485.00

SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE TAKEN THIS WEEKEND FOR PARISH SUPPORT.



WEDNESDAYS AT 6 PM IN THE CHURCH. NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8

Moses tells the people to always observe the statutes God has given them, without adding or subtracting from these laws. He reminds them that the law is just, and that any nation who heard their statutes would consider them a wise nation.

Second Reading: James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27

James discusses the gifts that God has given to all people and implores them to respond by welcoming the words of truth that can save them. He emphasizes that through good deeds and pure conduct, our faith in God is proven to him.

Gospel: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

The Pharisees observed some of Jesus' disciples eating without first purifying their hands and ask the disciples why they are going against their ancestor's traditions. Jesus responds that nothing from the outside can make a person impure. The only true evil, acts such as fornication, murder, and greed among others, come from within and make a person impure.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS
HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

"All good giving and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights... Humbly welcome the word that has been planted in you and is able to save your souls. Be doers of the word and not hearers only, deluding yourselves. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God and the Father is this: to care for the orphans and widows in their affliction and to keep yourself unstained by the world."

As we reflect on the word each week, we are encouraged to not just hear or read, but to decide how it directs me to live it and put it into practice. From the first page of the bible, care for the oppressed, widows and orphans was a key measure for being a faithful person. The history of the church celebrates the heroes who reached out to the needy, beginning in the Acts of the Apostles. Saints like Vincent de Paul, Mother Katherine Drexler, saw needs and acted upon them.

In his exhortation 'Rejoice and Be Glad' Pope Francis indicates that the Beatitudes are our identity card. So if anyone asks 'What must I do to be a good Christian?', the answer is clear. We have to do each in our own way what Jesus told us in the Sermon on the Mount. Saint James and Pope Francis tell us 'we are a people of the beatitudes'.



**LOOKING FOR PARISHIONERS
TO HELP WITH PARISH FUNDRAISING**

Since we no longer have the Four Seasons Club, we are looking for other ways to fundraise for the parish. We have received some ideas and are looking for your help in implementing those ideas. **We welcome your ideas.** If you have an idea or would like to help, please let us know.



We wish you a very Happy Labor Day!

The rectory office will be closed in observance of the holiday.



**FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION
AFTER THE 8 AM MASS - THIS FRIDAY**

This Friday, September 7th and every first Friday of the month, all are welcome to join in the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Adoration begins after the 8:00 am Mass and ends at 4:00 pm with Benediction. We ask that all who plan to come to adore the Blessed Sacrament should sign the attendance sheet on the table in the vestibule. **This list is used to ensure that the Blessed Sacrament will never be unattended.** Signing the sheet **does not** commit you every first Friday.



IMPORTANT! PARISH LIST UPDATE

We are currently updating our parishioner list for the printing of our weekly contribution envelopes. **We need your help!** If you know of an **address/name correction** that needs to be made to our current list and have not already notified the rectory office, please contact us this week. **If you are not currently on our list and would like to be,** please contact the rectory office. Your contributions to the Parish can only be recorded by using the Church envelope system. Thank you for your assistance.



Our parish family warmly welcomes new members. You may register by coming to the rectory office or completing the form on the front cover of the bulletin. **Registration is necessary for Sacramental participation and Religious Education. For letters of eligibility, you must be registered in the parish and actively participating in our parish.**

He leads me in right paths for his name's sake. (Ps 23:3) May you find the path to Jesus with help from



some Catholic literature. Visit our library today. READ, RETURN OR PASS IT ON.



DEFENSIVE DRIVING

CLASS

Next class will be held on September 25th in our parish hall 9 am – 4 pm Call Jean LeRose at 564-1153 to register.



Religious Education classes begin next Sunday, September 9th at 9AM!!!

I hope you've enjoyed the summer break with your family and friends! The Holy Spirit is alive and well within our program, and I'm looking forward to working with our Religious Education families this year! We have several new Catechists and Assistants who are eager to share their faith and the teachings of Jesus to your families. Please give them a warm welcome when you see them!

Our Catechists continue to grow in their own faith as well as in their abilities to echo the Good News and teach the students about our Catholic Faith by taking ongoing Catechist Formation Classes in addition to volunteering their time, preparing lessons and teaching in the classrooms!

Parents are invited to a Welcome Back Parent Meeting & Breakfast from 9-10AM next Sunday, September 9th in the hall while the children are in class. Thanks to the Knights of Columbus who are assisting with the breakfast! God bless our families and our program as we begin a new school year!

Yours in Christ,
Christina Wynn

Coordinator of Religious Education

"I can do all things in Christ who strengthens me."
~ Phillipians 4:13

Pancake Breakfast



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

9 AM – 12 NOON IN OUR PARISH HALL

Adults \$6.00

Children \$3.00

Children under 5 free

Tickets are available after Mass.

COME & JOIN US



St. Charles Borromeo Fall Sale Saturday October 13, 2018

9:00 am - 3:00 pm Vendors, Parish Treasures, Delicious Food, Antiques, Collectibles, Craft items
Vendor Table available - \$20. Call the rectory to reserve your table. More information to follow.



KNIGHTS CORNER:

SANDS CASINO TRIP - TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH

ONLY 2 TICKETS LEFT..... The cost is only \$35.00 with a \$30 slot play, \$5 food voucher and a discount book. There are only a few tickets left. Ticket must be paid for in advance at the rectory, 255-1374 or Pete, 564-1154. Checks should be made payable to Knights of Columbus Council # 16415.

If you would like to join and be a brother Knight, please contact Bill at 883-0138



St. Charles Annual Chicken BBQ
Sunday September 30
2:00 pm
in our parish hall

Dinner tickets will be available during the week at the rectory and after the weekend Masses in the vestibule.

Cost: Adults \$12

Seniors (over 65 years old) \$10

Children under 10 years old \$5



Volunteer to help with this year's BBQ. Sign up on sheets are in the vestibule.

Gift Raffle - any parishioner who would like to donate a gift or gift certificate to our Gift Raffle Table are asked to call Marie at the rectory.



St. Charles Traditional Bake & Produce Sale
will be held at our parish BBQ – We are asking each family to contribute a baked item to our Bake Sale. When delivering your baked goods, please let us know the kind of baked item, the suggested price and what ingredients are in the baked goods. (Ingredient info. – for those who might have food allergies)



Produce/Vegetable/Fruit Table

This table is always a big hit at our BBQ.

**PLEASE SUPPORT THIS FUNDRAISER BY TAKING
RAFFLE TICKETS ON THE NEXT PAGE.**