ST. CHARLES BORROMEO
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MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY
Saturday Evening: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:30 am

WEEKDAY
Monday, Thursday & Friday: 8:00 am
*No Mass on Tuesday
Wednesdays:
7:00 pm (April - November)
8:00 am (December - March)
First Friday: 8:00 am
Saturday: 8:30 am

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION
Eve of Holy Day:
5:30 pm
Holy Day:
8:00 am & 7:00 pm

CONFessions
Saturday:
3:30 - 4:00 pm (All year)

baptisms
Upon request after Baptismal Catechesis

MARRIAGES
By arrangement six months in advance

SICK CALLS
Any hour. Please notify the rectory if anyone is sick at home or in hospital.

SOCIETIES & DEVOTIONS

Adoration Society: First Friday of the month - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held after the 8:00 am Mass until 12:00 noon.
St. Charles Borromeo Knights of Columbus No. 16415:
Meetings held first Monday of the month at 7:00 pm in the church hall.
Contact:
Bill Freymann, Grand Knight
845-883-0138

Helping Hands Committee:
Meetings as scheduled

Miraculous Medal: Monday after the 8:00 am Mass
Parish School of Religion:
9:00 - 10:20 am on Sundays in the parish hall
Choir: Practice as scheduled

Society of Our Lady:
Meets on Thursday after the 8:00 am Mass
Rosary for Life:
8:00 am on Saturday followed by Mass at 8:30 am

PARISH REGISTRATION
We welcome all new members to our Parish Family. Help us to better know and serve you by dropping this form in the Offertory Basket.

Name

Address

Phone

Cell Phone

Email

Please check:
☐ New Registration  ☐ Change of Address
☐ Request Donation Receipt for the year
(Receipts will be mailed in February)
SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT  * FEBRUARY 28TH 2021

**Mass Intentions**

SATURDAY, February 27th  
8:30 A.M.  + Patrick & Catherine Nugent  
Req. by Kathy Puntar  
SUNDAY, February 28th  2nd Sunday of Lent  
8:00 A.M. People of the Parish and  
+ James & Patricia Fay  
Req. by the Montrose Family  
10:30 A.M. + Thomas Tortora  
Req. by his Parents  
MONDAY, March 1st  
8:00 A.M. + George Ruger Jr.  
Req. by Anne Byrne  
TUESDAY, March 2nd  
No Mass  
WEDNESDAY, March 3rd  
8:00 A.M.  
THURSDAY, March 4th  
8:00 A.M.  
FRIDAY, March 5th  First Friday  
8:00 A.M. + Gerd Heidecker  
Req. by his Wife  
7:00 P.M. Stations of the Cross  
SATURDAY, March 6th  
8:30 A.M. In Honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
Req. by Renna Meyer  
4:30 P.M. People of the Parish and  
+ Timsic Family  
Req. by John & Gert Lenio  
SUNDAY, March 7th  3rd Sunday of Lent  
8:00 A.M. + James and Patricia Fay  
Req. by Kathleen & Mike Fowler and Family  
+ James & Patricia Fay  
Req. by the Montrose Family  
10:30 A.M. + Emma Levine  

**PLEASE PRAY FOR AN INCREASE IN VOCATIONS.**  
**PLEASE PRAY FOR HEALTH CARE WORKERS AND FIRST RESPONDERS.**  
**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SAFETY OF ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL, MILITARY PERSONNEL, & FIREFIGHTERS.**

**Prayer Requests**

Connie, Maryanne Mazzola, Michael Palazzo, Special Intentions, Barbara, Dr. Timothy Hale, Robert Colson, Evan B, Tom Connor, Ava Caracciolo, John Quicksell, Matthew Lyons, Joe Sabo, Joseph Sobon, Scott Family, Freymann Family, Carol Aldrich, Mildred Joan Roddy, Jean Vanderlyn, Petrina LoPinto, Patty Brooks, Connie Regino, Ruth, Adam, Fran Burgess, Lisa Betanzos and Zoe Ann Taylor.  
If you know of someone in need of prayer, please let us know by calling the rectory.

**PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF GEORGE W. RUGER JR., JOSEPHINE DE VAULL AND PETER SCIMECA.**

**MEMORIALS** – You may schedule memorial Bread & Wine, Sanctuary Candle or Sanctuary Flowers by calling the rectory office.

**ATTENDANCE & COLLECTION –**

February 13 & 14  
Attendance 112  (105 Adults and 7 Children)  
Regular Collection: $2766.50  
Parish Support: $448.00  
Peter’s Pence: $409.00  

February 20 & 21  
Attendance 124  (114 Adults and 11 Children)  
Regular Collection: $2272.50  
Parish Support: $31.00  
Peter’s Pence: $76.00  
Ash Wednesday: $480.00

**SPECIAL REQUEST – IF POSSIBLE, PLEASE WRITE SEPARATE CHECKS FOR THE DIFFERENT COLLECTIONS. THANK YOU**

We would like to thank all our parishioners for their continued financial support of our parish. We also appreciate those parishioners who are not comfortable coming to Mass in person and have been mailing in their support. God bless all St. Charles’ parishioners.

If you are able to pledge to this appeal or would like to give a onetime donation, we ask that you put it in an envelope marked Cardinal’s Appeal and put in the collection basket. Checks should be made payable to the 2021 Cardinal’s Appeal. Thank you for your continued support.

**Knights of Columbus next meeting will be Monday, March 8th at 7 pm in the Church hall. New members are always welcome. Call Bill Freymann at 883-0138**

**CHURCH MISSALS** - Thank you to all who have contributed towards the cost of our missals.
SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

First Reading: Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18
God ordered Abraham to take his beloved only son to Moriah and offer him as a sacrifice. Abraham built an altar and took out a knife to sacrifice his son Isaac. But God called out to him and told him of blessings that would be bestowed on him and his descendants because he had been willing to do what God had asked.

Second Reading: Romans 8:31b-34
Paul reminds the people that God did not spare his only Son, but gave him up for the sake of all people. This proves God views us all as his children, and that no person can harm or condemn us because God will protect us.

Gospel: Mark 9:2-10
Jesus led Peter, James and John up a high mountain, where he conversed with Elijah and Moses. A voice proclaimed ‘This is my Son, my beloved. Listen to him.’ Then Jesus was alone and warned them not to tell anyone what they had seen until he had risen from the dead.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly
Most Holy Name Catholic Church, Garfield, NJ

“If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son, but handed him over for us all, how will he not also give us everything else along with him... Christ Jesus it is who died, or rather was raised, who also is at the right hand of God who indeed intercedes for us.”

A persistent danger for us during our Lenten observance and practices is to focus only on the events of Calvary and the paschal mystery which occurred. We may know details of the passion, death and resurrection, and recall and remember. Something else ought to happen.

The passion of Jesus continues today in the suffering of disciples throughout the world. Religious persecution continues, and because it occurs in distant places in the world it is real and affects the entire church, the entire body of Christ.

Thus Paul reminds us that it is the Risen Christ interceding for all of us today. May we join Peter, James and John with Christ on the mountain and hear echo, ‘This is my beloved Son. Listen to Him.’ May we pray to and for the suffering Christ today.

COME SPEND AN HOUR

Eucharistic Adoration begins after the 8 am Mass and continues until 12 noon. Please sign up in the vestibule or call the rectory if you are able to spend an hour in adoration THIS Friday, March 5th.

If you feel God is calling YOU and would like information on becoming an Usher, Lector, Eucharistic Minister, an Altar Server, Choir member or office volunteer, please see Fr. Matthew or call the rectory.

OUR FORTY-DAY JOURNEY WITH THE LORD

LENTEN RULES: ABSTINENCE, FASTING, PRAYER, ALMSGIVING

ABSTINENCE from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old and older on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all the Fridays of Lent. FASTING is observed by all Catholics on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday who are 18 years old but not required by those who have reached 59 years of age or have a medical condition. Those who are bound to fast take only one full meal a day, but may take two smaller ‘snacks’ if necessary.

GIVING ALMS Another rule of Lent requires Catholics to show generosity to needy people, whether they are poor, aged, sick or suffering in some other way. They are encouraged to give alms to charities as well.

PRAYING the fourth main rule involves prayer. We are encouraged to grow spiritually by devoting more time to individual and family prayer, reciting the rosary, reading the Scriptures, receiving the sacrament of Reconciliation and attending Mass during the week if possible.

Here at St. Charles in additions to Mass at 8 am; Stations of the Cross will be prayed every Friday evening at 7PM.

May this Lenten Season be a source of grace and holiness for you and your families.

Lent is a good time to spread the Word. Please spread the Word by taking a few books from the bookshelf (located in the front vestibule of our Church) and give to your family or friends.
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2021 Palm Fundraiser

This year will be selling cemetery palm crosses for $15.00.

You may pre-order by calling the office at 845-255-1374 or Donna at 845-883-5823.

If you are unable to come and place the Cross at the gravesite, let us know and we will arrange for it to be placed at the gravesite.

Crosses will be available starting Saturday, March 13th on a first come first served basis.

Thank you for your continued support.

The St. Charles’ Palm Fundraising Committee
JOIN CATHOLIC CHARITIES FOR A
DRIVE THRU POP-UP PANTRY
Made possible by support from St. Joseph’s Church, New Paltz

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10
11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

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First Come, First Served Food Give-Away

As part of the Feeding our Neighbors Campaign in collaboration with the Food Bank.

Financial Assistance with Utilities & Rent
Coats available

For more information:
Dominique.Mills@cccsos.org

To Volunteer:
www.tinyurl.com/CCPopUp3-10