

# The kingdom of God

is like a mustard seed that is the smallest of all the seeds. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants.

Mark 4:31-32

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Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time • June 13, 2021

## St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church and Christ the King Mission

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### **Mass Schedule:**

#### **Saturday:** St. Charles Church:

Reconciliation 3:15-3:45 PM; Vigil Mass 4:00 PM

#### **Sunday:** St. Charles Church: 7:30 AM, 10:30 AM

Christ the King Mission in Bellevue: 9:00 AM

#### **Weekdays:** St. Charles Church: Mon thru Sat 8:00 AM

Tues/Thurs 5:00 PM

### **Morning Prayer** - M-F 7:30 AM St. Charles Church

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Parents or guardians of infants or children to be baptized should call the church and schedule a meeting with a priest or deacon at least one month prior to baptism date. Instruction class is on the second Saturday of the month. Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of the following month.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Call the church office at least six months prior to the anticipated date of the wedding.

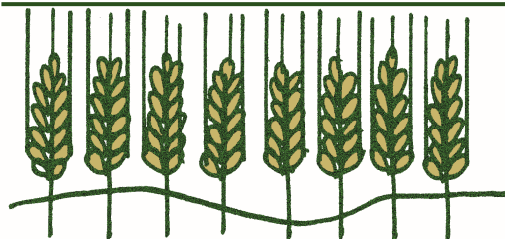
**Anointing of the Sick:** Anytime during office hours. Call for an appointment.

**Communion to the Sick:** Please call the church office when someone is unable to attend Mass and wishes to receive Communion.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday, 3:15-3:45 PM at St. Charles Borromeo Church and on Sundays, 8:30 AM at Christ the King Mission in Bellevue.

Also, any time during office hours. Please call the office for an appointment.

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*They that are planted in the house of the Lord shall flourish in the courts of our God.*

We are a Sacrificial Giving Parish, Giving of our Time, Talent and Treasure.

Offertory contributions for June 6th for St. Charles Church were \$4,850.00.

Contributions received for St. Charles Church Building Fund were \$ 930.00.

Offertory contributions for June 6th for Christ the King Mission were \$930.00.

**Bulletin Sponsor: In Loving Memory of Deacon Sam & Mary Henry  
By: Marilyn, Carolyn & Beth**

**Altar Flowers: In Memory of Evelyn Lalonde  
By: The Lalonde Family**



## **Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus: Friday Adoration and Thursday Holy Hour of Reparation**

Beginning on the Feast of the Sacred Heart, Friday, June 11, we will begin Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. in the South Transept (cry room).

We will need two adorers to sign up for each hour. Please, contact Deacon David Menard to sign-up for a regular weekly time commitment: [menard@st-charles-borromeo.org](mailto:menard@st-charles-borromeo.org).

We will also begin on Thursday, June 10, a Holy Hour of Reparation at 7:00 p.m. each week which will take the place of our Thursday Holy Hour before First Friday. We will hold the Holy Hour of Reparation on Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. to better accommodate working families and to more closely correspond to Our Lord's request to St. Margaret Mary that on Thursday night she keep company with Him at the hour of His agony in the garden and to mitigate in some way the bitterness He felt at that time on finding Himself abandoned by His apostles, which obliged Him to reproach them for not being able to watch one hour with Him.

Please, consider spending one hour in adoration of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament out of love and gratitude to Him and in reparation for all the sins of ingratitude, forgetfulness, and rejection that He endures in our world today.

## **Lift High the Sacred Heart**

As we celebrate the Feast of the Sacred Heart, on Friday, Jun 11, I thought it a fitting time to return our Sacred Heart to its original place atop the Crown above our High Altar. May its towering presence above the altar and tabernacle always remind us of the primacy of the Love of Jesus Christ, especially in His loving presence in the Blessed Sacrament, and of our call to place Him in the highest place in our own heart.

*Fr. Mark*

## **Vocation Prayer Cross**

This week we are grateful to the **Breaux** family who will be receiving the Vocation Prayer Cross at the **7:30 Mass** and praying each day for **vocations**. May their prayers bear much fruit!

## **Praying for Vocations**

*"Ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers for the harvest."* (Mt 9:38)

Please consider signing up to take the vocation cross home for a week and praying for vocations.

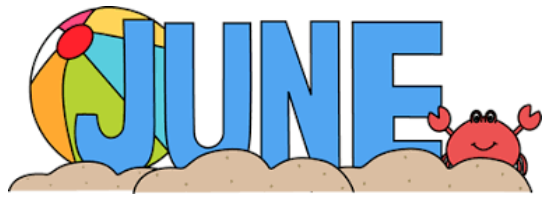
## **Welcome Committee**

As you have heard, we have begun a new ministry at St. Charles called the Welcome Committee. Its mission is to recognize and welcome guests and newcomers to the parish and to foster a culture of hospitality among us. Members of the welcome committee will be greeters at Mass, develop and staff our welcome booth, organize receptions for new parishioners, send out welcome packages and much more. Their public ministry will begin the weekend of **June 19**. If you would like to join the welcome committee, please contact the Chairperson, Mr. Kurt Richard or call the parish office.

**Introducing Couch Room**—All current and upcoming high school students are invited to join Amber in the Couch Room this summer every Sunday **after 10:30 AM Mass** for MOVIES, GAMES, FOOD, AND FUN **starting June 13th!** Hope to see you there!

**Confirmation** - Registration will open and forms will be available on the parish website on July 5th. Classes are expected to begin in September on Sundays, 11:45 AM– 1:30 PM. Adult volunteers needed!

**LifeNight (9th & 10th Grade)** - Registration will open and forms will be available on the parish website on July 5th. Classes are expected to begin in October on Sunday afternoons, 4:00 PM-5:30 PM. Adult volunteers needed!



## GOD'S TIME

We either pay attention to or ignore “clock time” as we play in the summer sun and note the earth’s tilt and the lengthening days. We live by time. We reckon time in seconds and minutes and hours, or we use broader chunks like supertime and summertime.

God keeps another sort of time. God speaks to us of “saving time,” that is, the time of salvation. This sense of time is called *kairos*, and this time is always now, always present and available, always revealing, often surprising.

This Sunday’s readings alert us to the reality and the import of God’s time. Ezekiel and the Gospel of Mark remind us that our labor and our plotting and our planning rest in God. For God takes our smallest efforts and makes of them great works. Paul points us to the “harvest” time, urges us to be watchful for its coming, and calls us to recognize that we must spend our time pleasing God.

### Minister Schedule for June 19-20

<b>Vigil-Lector</b>	Corliss White
<b>Communion</b>	Deacon David Menard
<b>EMHC –Transepts</b>	Melissa Stoute
<b>7:30-Lector</b>	Pauline Edmond
<b>Communion</b>	Stephanie Richard
<b>EMHC -Transepts</b>	Perry Kennerson
<b>10:30-Lector</b>	Cathy Taylor
<b>Communion</b>	Kurt Richard
<b>EMHC-Transepts</b>	Robert Fox

**ROSARY:** The **Knights & Ladies Auxiliary Court #34** will pray the Rosary on the 2nd Monday of each month at 5:30 PM in the KPC Hall. Everyone is invited.

The **Healing Mass** will be celebrated at **Christ the King Mission in Bellevue on Wednesday, June 16th**. A Rosary will be prayed at **6:00 PM** with the Healing Mass at **6:30 PM**

**ALERT! Beware of Email Scam using Fr. Mark’s name.** A scammer is writing emails using names from the Church Clergy and Staff to request the purchase of gift cards. Please be advised that such emails are scams and report them to the Better Business Bureau and to the Church Office. Thanks.

### Pro Life Rosary & Patriotic Rosary

Every Wednesday morning at 8:30 am, (after 8:00 AM Mass) a Rosary is prayed. On the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, we pray the **Patriotic Rosary**, for the needs of people of every state of the U.S. and for all who lead. On the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, we pray the **Pro Life Rosary** for an end to abortion and for healing of mothers and fathers of aborted babies.

On **Saturday, August 28, 2021** the **Man to Man Catholic Men’s Conference** will be held at **St. Pius X Catholic Church** in Lafayette. Our day will begin with an invocation by Bishop Douglas Deshotel and will include keynote speakers Jesse Romero and Fr. Bill Casey. Fr. James Brady will celebrate Mass at the conference. Fr. Brent Smith will serve as our master of ceremonies. Lunch will be included. Visit [www.m2m21.com](http://www.m2m21.com) to register and to learn more about this biennial event. A total of 800 men attended the last conference. You won’t want to miss this one!

### St. Charles Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

A short workshop has been scheduled for **June 19 at 9:00 am** in St. Charles Church. It is **MANDATORY for all ministers** because of the changes in how we serve at Mass. If you are not able to attend, you must schedule a meeting with Corliss White (337-322-5395) or Amy Lowery (337-284-5660) or you **WILL NOT** be included on the next schedule beginning on July 1.

### CHURCH ENVELOPE UPDATE!

Beginning July 1st, we will begin issuing church envelopes every two months. In the envelope packet there will be an envelope included in every other mailing, one for Bishop’s Services Appeal and one for St. Ignatius School to be used if you wish to make a contribution.

### Our Lady of the Oaks Retreat House Grand Coteau, La.

#### Young Adult Retreat (Ages 18-30)

(Young Men, Young Women, Couples)

Retreat is directed by Fr. Joe Laramie, S.J. on

**July 9-11, 2021**—Friday dinner to Sunday lunch  
Deposit is \$25.00; Total Cost is \$200

To register call 337-662-5410 ext #200 or visit our website at [ourladyoftheoaks.com](http://ourladyoftheoaks.com)

### New Guidelines for Baptisms in 2021

Baptism Instructions will be held on the second Saturday of each month. The Baptisms will be celebrated on the First Sunday of the **following** month. The application must be completed & submitted by the 1st of the month, prior to the month of Baptism

#### Sacrament of BAPTISM August Schedule:

Baptism Application Due: Tuesday, July 6, 2021

Baptism Instructions: Saturday, July 10, 2021

Baptism Date: Sunday, August 1, 2021