

## FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*July 4, 2021*

*Many who heard  
Jesus were astonished.  
They said,  
"Where did this man get all this?  
Is he not the carpenter,  
the son of Mary?"*

Mark 6:2,3



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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

Holy Hour of Reparation - Thursdays at 7 PM St. Charles

Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

9 am - 5 pm St. Charles Church

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.

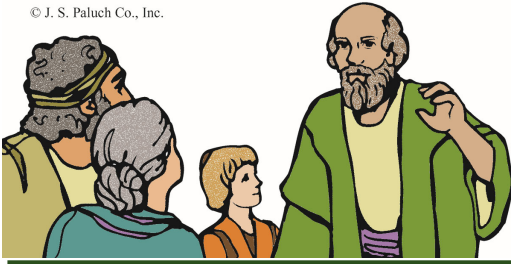
Sacrament of Baptism: Parents or guardians of  
infants or children to be baptized should call the  
church and schedule a meeting with a priest or deacon  
at least one month prior to baptism date.  
Instruction class is on the second Saturday of the  
month. Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday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

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# Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## July 4, 2021

*My grace is sufficient for you,  
For power is made perfect in weakness.*

—2 Corinthians 12:9

We are a Sacrificial Giving Parish, Giving of our Time, Talent and Treasure.  
Offertory contributions for June 27th for St. Charles Church were \$4,896.00.  
Offertory contributions for June 27th for Christ the King Mission were \$1,043.00.

**Bulletin Sponsor: In Loving Memory of Dale & Dusty Boss**  
**By: Kandy Boss**

**Altar Flowers: In Memory of John & Ray Tate, along with Fr. Dutch Jenniskens**  
**By: Perry & Brenda Kennerson**



### Happy 4th of July!!

In observance of Independence Day, the church offices will be closed on Monday, July 5th.

### Vocation Prayer Cross

This week we are grateful to **Val Eakin**, who will be receiving the Vocation Prayer Cross at the **Vigil Mass** and praying each day for **vocations**. May their prayers bear much fruit!

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm in the South Transept (cry room). Contact Deacon David Menard to sign-up for a weekly commitment: [menard@st-charles-borromeo.org](mailto:menard@st-charles-borromeo.org).

Holy Hour of Reparation at 7:00 pm. each Thursday to 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.

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.

**New Minister Schedules** for July, August and September have been prepared and an email sent to each minister with their individual schedule and access to the complete schedule. A few copies of the schedule have been placed in the minister's closet. Also, in the minister's closed are copies of a list of current ministers. Please contact me if you have any questions. Thanks You, Corliss White [corlissbw@yahoo.com](mailto:corlissbw@yahoo.com)

*This is my commandment; love one another as I love you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends".*



This weekend, we are very excited to welcome **Fr. Maganizo Kapita**, aka, **Fr. Maga** to our parish. He is a newly ordained Jesuit priest for Malawi (a country in South Africa) who was assigned in January to earn a master's degree in mathematics from St. Louis University. He will be staying with us for one month to experience priestly ministry in a parish. Please join me in welcoming him and in thanking God for his priesthood and his presence with us. *Fr. Mark*

### CURRENT HOME-GROWN VOCATIONS:

We would like to put together a list of current diocesan and religious vocations (priests, deacons, religious brothers and sisters) who are from St. Charles Church or Christ the King Mission Parish. If you have a family member or know of any other vocations from our parish, please contact Cathy Taylor at 337-280-9062 or email her at [tandemtaylor@yahoo.com](mailto:tandemtaylor@yahoo.com)

**Our Lady of the Oaks Retreat House** is hosting a **Men's Retreat** for the Grand Coteau/Sunset area. Retreat is scheduled for **July 15-18, 2021**. Anyone interested in attending can call Darrell at 337-308-2670 or any other recruiter.

**Introducing Couch Room**—No Couch Room this weekend for 4th of July! Couch Room will resume Sunday, July 11th. Have a safe holiday weekend!

**High School Religious Ed**—Registration for both Confirmation and Life Teen will open and forms will be available on the parish website on July 5th. See packet for fees and deadlines.

- \* **Confirmation** (11th) will begin in **September** on Sunday mornings, 11:45 AM – 1:30 PM
- \* **Lifeteen** (9th & 10th) will begin in **October** on Sunday afternoons, 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Volunteers needed for all ages!**  
Email [sims@st-charles-borromeo.org](mailto:sims@st-charles-borromeo.org) if interested!  
We will hold a volunteer interest meeting later this summer!



## NO BAD NEWS

There are many times when we say, “Tell me what I want to hear, and don’t confuse me with facts.” And we don’t take kindly to someone who might be bold enough to snuff out our expectations.

The biggest problem with such an attitude is not that we miss out on the truth or the facts, but that we miss out on the new and surprising gifts others can give us. Like the townspeople in today’s Gospel story, we too often refuse to allow others to display the talents that can be good news for us.

Today’s readings call for hospitality and faith and discernment. Hospitality opens the doors of our hearts and minds to the “stranger” among us, no matter how familiar he or she may seem to be. Faith enables us to accept the gifts of others, no matter how alarming or “strange” they may seem to be. Discernment helps us discover the prophets in our midst, no matter how amazing they may seem to be. Hospitality, faith, and discernment—cultivate these. Then, nobody can bring bad news.

## Thensted Center & Louisiana Department of Education Summer Feeding Program: Grab & Go Meals for Breakfast & Lunch June 14—July 30, 2021 8:30 am-12:30 pm

Drive up distribution; upon arrival request number of bags needed, they will be brought to your car. Meals will be provided to all children without charge.

**St. Charles Borromeo Parish** has a page on **Facebook** which has been created as a means of communicating with our church parish members as well as a way to share information with others. Please “Like” our page!

## 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

## Minister Schedule for July 10-11

<b>Vigil-Lector</b>	Corliss White
<b>EMHC 1</b>	Deacon David Menard
<b>EMHC 2</b>	Theresa Cormier
<b>7:30-Lector</b>	Pauline Edmond
<b>EMHC 1</b>	Brenda Kennerson
<b>EMHC 2</b>	Patrick Guilbeau
<b>10:30-Lector</b>	Stephanie Richard
<b>EMHC 1</b>	Robert Fox
<b>EMHC 2</b>	Janice Fox

## DIRECTOR OF SACRED MUSIC POSITION AVAILABLE—PART-TIME

St. Charles Church is accepting application for the position of Director of Sacred Music (DSM). The ideal candidate will be proficient in vocal, piano, and organ performance and in conducting a church choir for Catholic liturgical services.

Responsibilities include planning music for liturgies, rehearsing choirs and directing two Masses weekly to include the 4 pm Saturday Vigil and the Sunday 10:30 am Mass.

Preparation and rehearsal time will be compensated at a professional hourly rate. Masses will also be compensated at a professional rate. please visit our website at [www.st-charles-borromeo.org](http://www.st-charles-borromeo.org). Interested applicants are asked to send their resumes to Fr. Mark Kramer, SJ at [matte@st-charles-borromeo.org](mailto:matte@st-charles-borromeo.org).

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!

## Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming Catholic? Explore more about the Catholic Faith in order to make a decision about entering the Church more fully through the sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation. Consider joining our RCIA Program for a weekly study of the faith and journey into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church. We will schedule a registration/orientation date in mid August. The program will begin early September.

**WELCOME VISITORS**