

**Christ the King Mission
Bellevue, La.
September 5, 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

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

Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

9 am - 5 pm St. Charles Church, South Transept (cry room).

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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Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 5, 2021

Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs to the kingdom?

James 2:5

We are a Sacrificial Giving Parish, Giving of our Time, Talent and Treasure.
Offertory contributions for August 29th for St. Charles Church were \$3,980.00.
Offertory contributions for August 29th for Christ the King Mission were \$805.00.

**Bulletin Sponsor: In Loving Memory of Larry Janise
By: The Janise Family**

**Altar Flowers: In Memory of Jack & Joyce Fox
By: Bobby & Janice Fox**



**Christ the King Mission
Fundraiser Continues on Sunday till
4:00 PM (Drive Through ONLY)**
Dinners: Chicken, Fried Turkey or Pork with all the trimmings \$10 each. Also, sweet dough pies and boudin will be sold. Please help support our Mission Church!



Coming Soon! - The Search Adult Formation Classes -

Come and join us beginning **September 8th–October 13** for 6 Adult Sessions to explore the fundamental questions of human life. **Who am I? What's my purpose in life? What am I searching for?** Anyone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith is encouraged to attend. Invite friends and relatives who may have been away from the church to join us. Location & Time: St. Charles Chapel from **6:30-8:30 PM** on Wednesdays.

Notice to Parents/Guardians: CCD Classes for grades 1-5 will begin on Saturday, September 11th. Class Sessions are from 9AM-11AM at both St. Charles Chapel and Christ the King Gym. Please arrive 15 minutes prior to class time. COVID-19 Policies will be adhered to. Thank you.

CCD ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR GRADES 1-5 OPENED August 2, 2021— ENDS September 10, 2021.
Visit st-charles-borromeo.org.
Click on Religious Education Tab

RCIA

Registration is now open for RCIA! (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. Register online at www.st-charles-borromeo.org. Select the Religious Education Tab, choose Adult Formation Registration. The first class is **September 8th** at **6:30** in St. Charles Chapel. Classes will be held every Wednesday at 6:30 PM.

High School Religious Ed—Registration is now open for HIGH SCHOOL. Forms can be printed from the parish website or picked up at the front office. Please note the registration meetings and deadlines below.

Confirmation Parent Meeting—Due to the expected difficulties caused by the hurricane, the meeting on August 29 was cancelled. Please make every effort to attend the meeting on Wednesday, September 8th at 6:00pm Registration Deadline: September 8th

LifeTeen Parent Meeting—Sunday, September 26, 4-5pm or Wednesday, October 6th, 6-7 pm.

Volunteers needed for all ages!

Email sims@st-charles-borromeo.org or Richard@st-charles-borromeo.org if interested in serving in religious ed ministry for any age group!



Minister Schedule for September 11-12

Vigil-Lector Cathy Taylor
EMHC 1 Deacon David Menard
EMHC 2 Jim Burleigh

7:30-Lector Stephanie Richard
EMHC 1 Amy Lowery
EMHC 2 Darrell Burleigh

10:30-Lector Denis Simon
EMHC 1 Pam Norfleet
EMHC 2 Rodi Aucoin



Christ the King Mission Lector Schedule

Sept 5 Margie Guilbeaux
Sept 4-5 Bellevue Fundraiser 10AM-4PM
 Sept 12 Linda Senegal & Kalyn West
 Sept 19 Donald Dugas & Frances Richard
 Sept 26 Angell Jordan & Paula Jordan



Vocation Prayer Cross

This week we are grateful to the **Pat & Karen Olivier 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!

ALERT! Beware of **TEXT Scam** using **Fr. Mark's name**. A scammer is sending texts using names from the Church Clergy. Please be advised that such texts are scams. Please do not respond!



September 9th is the Feast of

St. Peter Claver, S.J. a Jesuit Priest who was the Patron Saint of Slaves, African Missions and interracial justice. St Peter Claver spent his life serving African slaves brought to Columbia in the 17th Century. St. Claver threw himself into his ministry bringing aid to the slaves despite his own health problems and language barrier. He was beatified on July 16th, 1850.

Altar Server Training!

Altar servers are needed! Any youth in 4th grade and above who may be interested in learning about the duties of an Altar Server is asked to attend an altar server training on **Sunday, September 12th**, immediately following the 10:30 Mass. We will schedule an altar server training every second Sunday of the month.

THE MESSIAH FORETOLD

Today's story of the cure of a deaf man with a speech impediment is a good example of how much is contained in a simple miracle story. The Greek word *mogilalos* appears only here in all of the New Testament. It is a technical term referring to someone with a stammer. It is also used only once in the entire Jewish scriptures, in the passage that we read today as our first reading from Isaiah. Clearly, by his choice of this precise word Mark wants us to recognize that what Jesus is doing is the fulfillment of what Isaiah had predicted centuries earlier. In fact, Mark wants us to recognize that Jesus is the Messiah foretold by Isaiah and the other Jewish prophets of old.

The word *epiphatha*, "be opened," used to describe the restoration of the man's speech, is another example of a subtle allusion to an earlier prophecy. This time the prophecy in question is from Ezekiel, when he foretells that in the messianic age, "your mouth shall be opened to speak" (24:26). The sophistication of Mark's narrative is further revealed when we realize that there are multiple levels within a single reference. Mark not only draws our attention back to Israel's prophetic past, he also points to the initiatory practice of his contemporaries by his mention of such things as spittle, touching of ears, and the use of the word *epiphatha*, all of which were practices incorporated into the early Church's baptismal ritual.

St. Charles Church is seeking a part-time Maintenance Assistant

to undertake general repairs, maintenance, and supervision of facilities as directed by the Pastor or his designate. Must be able to perform routine maintenance of buildings and grounds, including semi-skilled carpentry, plumbing, electrical and other repair work that does not specifically require a licensed professional. Please see parish website for full Job Description and how to apply.

Choir Rehearsals for the Saturday Vigil and the Sunday 10:30 Masses will take place in the rectory on Wednesdays at 6:00 PM. Anyone interested in joining the choir is encouraged to attend. Get involved! We need singers! I look forward to meeting you!
Julee Lemon

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 September Schedule:

Baptism Application Due: Tuesday, Sept 7, 2021
 Baptism Instructions: Saturday, Sept 11, 2021
 Baptism Date: Sunday, Oct 3, 2021

WELCOME VISITORS