

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Your brother was dead
and has come to life again;
he was lost and has been found.

Lk 15:32



ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2019

The mission of St. Charles is to spread the life-saving message
Of Jesus Christ through the Sacraments, Prayer and Service to others.

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ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO CATHOLIC CHURCH - FORT WAYNE, INDIANA

MASS

Saturday, March 30, Vigil, Fourth Sunday of Lent

5:00 p.m. † James C. Morton Jr.

Sunday, March 31, Fourth Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. St. Charles Parish

9:00 a.m. † Mary Ann Schneider

11:00 a.m. † Michael Yates

5:00 p.m. † Living & deceased of Jerry Bush Family

Monday, April 1, Lenten Weekday

6:15 a.m. † Stanley and Carol Mertes

8:15 a.m. † Wayne Krebs

6:30 p.m. Special Intention (J.M.G)

Tuesday, April 2, Lenten Weekday, St. Francis of Paola

6:15 a.m. Special Intention (Christy D.)

8:15 a.m. † Edward and Dorothy Miller

6:30 p.m. † Richard and Charlene Miller

Wednesday, April 3, Lenten Weekday

6:15 a.m. † Ron Rutzinski

8:15 a.m. † Mary Christle

6:30 p.m. † Deceased of Masbaum Family

Thursday, April 4, Lenten Weekday, St. Isidore

6:15 a.m. † James Linder

8:15 a.m. Special Intention (L.K.)

6:30 p.m. † Lambert Mickelini

Friday, April 5, Lenten Weekday, St. Vincent Ferrer

6:15 a.m. † George and Virginia McKenzie

8:15 a.m. † Rita Deutsch

6:30 p.m. † John Harkins

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross & Benediction

Saturday, April 6, Lenten Weekday

8:15 a.m. † Carl and Mary White

Saturday, April 6, Vigil, Fifth Sunday of Lent

5:00 p.m. † John, Hildegard and Msgr. John Suelzer

Sunday, April 7, Fifth Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. St. Charles Parish

9:00 a.m. † Living & deceased of Dora Jones family

11:00 a.m. † Dory and Jacinto Bandolon

5:00 p.m. † Robert and Michael Samuel

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 31

Sun, Mar 31: Jos 5:9a, 10-12/2 Cor 5:17-21/Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

Mon, Apr 1: Is 65:17-21/John 4:43-54

Tues, Apr 2: Ez 47:1-9, 12/John 5:1-16

Wed, Apr 3: Is 49:8-15/John 5:17-30

Thurs, Apr 4: Ex 32:7-14/John 5:31-47

Fri, Apr 5: Wis 2:1a, 12-22/John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Sat, Apr 6: Jer 11:18-20/John 7:40-53

Sun, Apr 7: Is 43:16-21/Phil 3:8-14/John 8:1-11

RECONCILIATION THIS WEEK

Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri & Sat: 7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.

Thurs evening: 7:00 p.m. until last heard

Sat: 2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

VOCATION CROSS PROGRAM

Next weekend, Mark, Cathy and Sophia Richardson will take home the Vocation Cross. They will pray daily throughout the week for an increase and strengthening in vocations to the priesthood and religious life.



ST. CHARLES FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

07/01/2018 - 06/30/2019

March 17, 2019

Budgeted Collection Needed	\$	36,900.00
March 24 Collection	\$	25,074.87
Electronic Withdrawals-Weekly (105)	\$	3,291.00
Total (41%)	\$	28,365.87
This Week	\$	- 8534.13
TOTAL	\$	9,880.08

THANK YOU for your continued support!

Saturday, April 6

5:00 p.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Adam Freiburger, Kathleen Haines, John Rorick, Lisa Schleinkofer, Chuck Smith, Chad Vogelwede, Mitchell Vogelwede, Lisa York, Kirk York (C Carolyn Tyndall)

Servers: Pete Steigmeyer, Devota Tippmann (MC Ronnie Russell)

Lectors: Loretta Russell, Ron Russell

Offertory: usher's choice

Sacristan: Melinda Firestone

Sunday, April 7

7:30 a.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Jerry Bush, Diane Hunter, Debra Nelson, C.J. Steigmeyer (C Margaret Digan)

Servers: John Paul Cheever, Efrén Fuentes (MC need volunteer)

Lectors: Justin Braselton, Susie Hague

Offertory: usher's choice

Sacristan: Linda Braselton

9:00 a.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Arlene Burgener, Patricia Henry, Jan Hoy, Olivia Koehler, John Magsam, Marijo Sliger, Theresa Thissen, Kathy Vande Zande (C Pat Slater)

Servers: Salomon Guzman, Maggie Pieper (MC Vincent Cavacini)

Lectors: Mary Huhn, Phillip Ottah

Offertory: usher's choice

Sacristan: Amanda Scherschel

11:00 a.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Doug Baisinger, Joseph Barile, Carmen Crabill, Betty Dobosz, Carole Fuller, Phil Kramer, Colleen Krohn, Tim Miller, Mary Elaine O'Brien, Cindy O'Shaughnessey, Laurie Whisler (C Norma Baisinger)

Servers: John Michael Fabini, Rogelio Rodriguez (MC Tyler Birely)

Lectors: David Lonsway, Leanne Mensing

Offertory: usher's choice

Sacristan: Thomas Auer

5:00 p.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sara Bentz, Jeff Schneider, Debbie Stevens, (+ need volunteer) (C Beth Schneider)

Servers: Avery Bailly, Mason Schneider (MC Drew Reiling)

Lectors: Steve Horine, Dave Stevens

Offertory: usher's choice

Sacristan: Beth Schneider

USHERS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 2019—TEAM A

**During Lent, Daily Adoration in the Chapel
Monday thru Friday, 6:45 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.**

**ON FRIDAYS DURING LENT
AFTER 6:30 P.M. MASS
STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION**



A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR . . .

We have more people signing up to bring up Offertory gifts at our Masses, and I am grateful. When we have volunteers ready to bring up the bread and wine, our ushers are free to start the collection. We can use two or more people at 7:30 Masses and Sunday evening Masses, and four or more at the other Masses. This is a service to the parish (and also a great way to involve children).

At many Masses in Lent we have been singing the Latin chant Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy). I was surprised to find that this isn't familiar in our parish. The common Latin chant has been used for centuries and is used in countries around the world. In a way, it is a connection with Catholics in time and around the globe. The diocese has strongly recommended that each parish learn this so that we will be able to sing in common at big events. While our school children are learning it, it will take some time to become familiar. For those who would like to follow, it is found in the blue Gather books at #308B. It is found in the red Worship books at #304B.

While many of our families are gone this week for Spring Break vacations, Fr. Dennis will be away on retreat, praying in a monastery. He will be back next weekend.

An early reminder: our parish Lenten penance service will be on Monday evening, April 8. We also have confessions on weekdays from 7:30 until 8:00 a.m., on Saturdays from 2:30 to 4:30 and on Thursday evenings at 7:00. Lent is above all a time to be cleansed of our sin.

Fr. Tom

MARCH 31
FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT
-A Generous Spirit-



- † Reading I
Joshua 5:9a, 10-12
 (rites at Gilgal)
- † Reading II
2 Corinthians 5:17-21
 (a new creation)
- † Gospel
Luke 15:1-3, 11-32
 (the prodigal son)

KEY PASSAGE: Then the father said to him, "Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. But we had to celebrate and rejoice, because this brother of yours was dead and has come to life; he was lost and has been found." (Luke 15:31-32)

Adult: When have you been generous enough to forgive someone who hurt you deeply?

Child: Is there someone you need to forgive or someone you need to ask forgiveness of?

AREA LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES
(7:00 p.m.)

Monday, April 8—St. Charles

Tuesday, April 9—St. John, New Haven

Wednesday, April 10—St. Vincent's

Thursday, April 11—St. Jude

**** Lost Rosary ****

Special rosary in a black rosary case with prayer cards inserted, was left in a center isle pew, 5th row on January 20. This rosary was made for me from the roses that laid on my mother's casket in 1991, Black beads encased in tarnished gold, the crucifix has a curve in it. Praying for the return of my rosary to the parish office.

Paschal Watch

On the night before he died, Jesus said to his apostles, "Could you not watch one hour with Me?" Now, Jesus is asking each of us the same question. What will your answer be?



We need 4 people per hour to commit to spend time with Jesus in the church. The church will remain open from 9:00pm on Holy Thursday to 8:00pm on Holy Saturday. Signup sheets will be located in the back of the church.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY NEWS

CHARITY ROOM

Thank you to St. Charles parishioners for your generous contributions to the food pantry! All good, clean clothing, household and miscellaneous items are donated to the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store at 1600 South Calhoun St. Anyone can purchase items from the store at very reasonable prices. The SVDP truck will pick up furniture and usable appliances you wish to donate right from your home. Call 456-3561. Once again we will sponsor "Fill a Truck" on a weekend in May. Watch for further details.

JOB OPENING

The SVDP Thrift Store has a paid-position opening for a part-time accountant. Call 456-3561 for more information.

ST. CHARLES
YOUTH MINISTRY

Please register by April 1 for our high school retreat at St. Felix on April 12-14. Pick up a form in the back of church or get details here: www.stcharlesfortwayne.org/high-school-retreat

St Charles Parish

Friday, April 12th
4:30 pm – 7:00 pm

Entrance – Doors 7 and 13

Fish, Potato Wedges
Dinner Roll, Apple Sauce, Cole Slaw
Dessert and Beverage

Adults, Age 13 and up -- \$10.00

Child, Age 5-12

- Fish \$5.00
- Grilled Cheese \$4.00

Child, Under 5 – Free

Family Maximum -- \$50.00

**CARRY
OUT**
\$10.00



COUNCIL 451



FORT WAYNE, IN

THE MUSEUM OF THE DIOCESE OF FORT WAYNE-SOUTH BEND



The new location of Diocesan Museum, the ground floor of the former chancery located at 1103 S. Calhoun St. on Cathedral Square in downtown Fort Wayne is now open 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays, and by appointment. Admission is free.

The new location has a large outdoor sign and stands less than a block from visitor destinations such as the Grand Wayne Convention Center, Foellinger-Freimann Botanical Conservatory and Embassy Theatre.

For many years, the museum — formerly known as Cathedral Museum — has operated in a basement location, at St. Mother Theodore Guérin Chapel next to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception and, most recently, in the Archbishop Noll Catholic Center.

The move to the new building revives use of the former chancery, which had been mostly vacant for several years. The larger space allows the museum to display more items from its collection, said Father Phillip Widmann, who founded the museum in 1980 and still serves as its director as well as pastor of nearby St. Mary, Mother of God Church.



Unplanned unfolds a fascinating transformation in the life of Abby Johnson, examining her journey from Planned Parenthood clinic director to becoming a leading advocate for life and women in crisis. *Unplanned* reveals the challenges confronting Abby as she walked away from her job at a key Texas Planned Parenthood clinic and walked into the Coalition for Life office down the street. The movie is rated R, so those under 17 must be accompanied by a parent.

Support the prolife cause by seeing it in theatres now!

EASTER FLOWERS

Donations are being accepted for flowers to decorate our Sanctuary for the Easter Season. If you would like to contribute, please place your offering in a plain envelope marked **EASTER FLOWERS** or use the envelope included in your monthly packet and **PRINT** the name of the deceased on the outside of the envelope. **Place your donations in the Sunday collection or mail them to the Parish Office. Donations will be accepted through Friday, April 19.**



TEA TIME OUT

Homeschool parent-teachers and their children may attend a **Tea Time Out, Thurs, Apr 4, from 10:00 a.m. to noon** in the Msgr. John Kuzmich Life Center, 1502 E Wallen Rd. Hostess will provide a variety of tea bag selections, paper products and some games to play. If you are able to attend, please bring some kind of tea and a treat or snack to share. Feel free to bring your favorite games. Call Lisa with questions. *Note on parking: Please park in the church lot and walk over to the Life Center. Join us RSVP to Lisa at: 637-1285, 206-2054 (cell/text)

ST. LOUIS BESANCON SPRING RUMMAGE SALE

The **St. Louis Besancon Spring Rummage Sale** will run from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on **Friday, April 5**, and from 9:00 a.m. to noon on **Saturday, April 6**. Saturday will also be fill-a-bag for \$3 all day. There will be something for everyone from furniture to electronics, clothing to household goods, and much more. A bake sale featuring home made goods will also be taking place. All proceeds will benefit the St. Louis Besancon Rosary Sodality. 15533 Lincoln Highway East, New Haven.

CPR/AED CERTIFICATION CLASS

CPR/AED Training Classes will be held at St. Charles on **Wed, Apr 10 & Thurs, Apr 25, at 6:00 p.m. in the Art Room.** Enter Hession Center through door #3. The cost of the class is \$20.00, compared to \$65 for training at other locations.

If you are interested in taking the class, **registrations will be accepted at the Parish Office (482-2186)** during regular business hours, **or email stcparishoffice@yahoo.com.** At the time of payment, you will receive your training book which should be reviewed **before** your class and returned the night of the class. Questions? Contact Kimberly at SARKI_THFOR@hotmail.com.



Alzheimer's Support Group

A support group for caregivers of those with **Alzheimer's or Dementia** meets in our Community Room (the choir room in the church Gathering Space) monthly. Join us on the second Monday of the month from 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. The next meeting is April 8.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
SPONSORED BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday, April 7—Cafeteria
8:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

**APPOINTMENTS CAN BE MADE
AT THE RED CROSS WEBSITE**



UNIVERSITY OF ST. FRANCIS LECTURE SERIES

The **University of Saint Francis** will present the final lecture of the 2018-2019 Philosophy and Theology spring lecture series on **Wednesday, April 10, 7:00 p.m. "Christian Friendship: Exploring the Tradition, Engaging the Culture"** will take place in the Brookside Ballroom on the main campus of the University of Saint Francis, 2701 Spring Street. For additional information, contact Angie Springer at 260-399-7700 x8100 or at aspringer@sf.edu. All are welcome and admission is free.

If anyone needs accommodations for parking or building access, please contact USF for assistance.

A MOTHER'S HOPE — Diamond Gala

A Mother's Hope is hosting its **2nd Annual Diamond Gala** on Thursday, May 2. Tickets and sponsorships are available at www.amothershopefw.org or contact 260-602-4822.

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SCRIP NEWS



It's Here! – Many of our local schools, including St. Charles, Bishop Dwenger and FWCS are on Spring break this week. That means there are no **SCRIP** sales this weekend nor on Friday, April 5. The SCRIP Office will be open most mornings during the week, so feel free to call with an order. You can leave your order on the answering machine; it will be filled the next time we are in the office. * **Sales will resume next weekend, April 6 & 7.**



SCRIP Sales – 2019 is off to a very slow start for SCRIP sales. Last week we filled a total of 70 orders from Monday noon – Friday morning sales. Some have suggested that the weather has been a factor with people choosing to stay home. While this may be true, the fact is - everyone still needs groceries and gas. We certainly understand that budgets are tight, but that is all the more reason to use **SCRIP** gift cards for those purchases – it's a guaranteed cash back, for you as well as the parish, on all your purchases.

If you are a **Meijer** shopper, take **4%** what you spent on groceries last year – that is the total rebate generated by paying for your groceries with **SCRIP** gift cards. Split that figure 50/50 – 50% is parish profit but the other 50% comes back to you!

We are ready and available to help you start making money on all your purchases. Stop by the **SCRIP** sales table or call the office at **969-4027**.



Easter's on Its Way – Easter is just a few weeks away. Whether you are looking for the perfect Easter outfit, filling Easter baskets or hosting an Easter celebration, **SCRIP** gift cards help you get a little something back from all your Easter purchases.

If you are looking for a special gift for someone who will be joining the church this year or celebrating a special sacrament, remember, we have gift cards to **All Saints Bookstore and **Good Shepherd Books and Gifts**.

VOLUNTEERS:

April 6 - Natalie Jackson, Bernadette Smith, Cindy Stults

April 7 - Mary Jo Amorini, Mary Rose Lorenc, Carolyn Tyndall

April 8 – CLASSROOM DELIVERY - Suzanne Stratton

**CONTACT THE COORDINATORS,
PEGGY OR MADONNA, WITH ANY ?'s
REGARDING **SCRIP** PROGRAM,
(260) 969-4027.**

Kingdom Builders

Ladies,

Please come join us for a once-a-month prayer group just for women! There is goal-setting, a short teaching, and fellowship followed by praise and worship during Eucharistic Adoration. All women are welcome! We are His Kingdom Builders. Come build with us.

**Wed, April 17
7:00-8:30 PM
Church**



We have created and printed a beautiful spiral bound Kingdom Builders Spiritual Planner to assist us with organization and goals. These will be available for a \$10 donation.

Contact maryjo@buildingthroughhim.com if you have any questions.

Check our website www.buildingthroughhim.com for more information.

BDHS Musical

Bishop Dwenger High School's production of Disney's newest musical, **Freaky Friday**, will run May 3 and 4, at 7:00 p.m. and May 5, at 2:00 p.m. on the BD stage! Check us out on Facebook at Bishop Dwenger Choir and Drama for online scavenger hunts with a chance to win tickets and nightly performance specials. Hope to see you all there!

St. Anne's Home - Silent auction

Wed, April 17

12noon—6:00pm

Please come support us!

Visit our Facebook Page for details

—St. Anne Communities

Silent Auction

HASA 300 CLUB 2018-2019

\$150.00 - April 1

Leanne Mensing

Sponsor of the Week

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