



ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH SUNDAY, APRIL 4, 2021 **EASTER SUNDAY**

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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MASSES

Saturday, April 3, Vigil, Easter Sunday

9:00 p.m. † Richard Shoemaker

Sunday, April 4, Easter Sunday

7:30 a.m. † Patricia Herber

9:00 a.m. † David & Nancy Zinder † Robert L. & Dolores Hope 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. For the Parish Community

Monday, April 5, Monday Within the Octave of Easter

6:15 a.m. † Clarita Miller 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions 8:15 a.m. † Rita Deutsch

6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 6, Tuesday Within the Octave of Easter

† Fr. Patrick McNulty 6:15 a.m. Confessions 7:30-8:00 a.m.

8:15 a.m. † John, Hildegard & Msgr. John Suelzer

† Paul & Jeanette Madden 6:30 p.m.

† John Stoody

Wednesday, April 7, Wednesday Within the Octave of Easter

† Living & Deceased of the Missler & 6:15 a.m. Gonda Families

7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

† Christine Andorfer Ward 8:15 a.m.

6:30 p.m. † Robert Vodde

Thursday, April 8, Thursday Within the Octave of Easter

† Jack Ecker 6:15 a.m. 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions † William Ramp 8:15 a.m. † Tim Cooney III 6:30 p.m.

Friday, April 9, Friday Within the Octave of Easter

† James Zurbach 6:15 a.m. 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions

† Deceased of the Barrand Family 8:15 a.m.

† David Lothamer 6:30 p.m.

7:00 p.m. Adoration and Benediction

Saturday, April 10, Saturday Within the Octave of Easter

8:15 a.m. Special Intention (M.A.B.)

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

Saturday, April 10, Vigil, Second Sunday of Easter

5:00 p.m. † Fr. Phillip Widmann

Sunday, April 11, Second Sunday of Easter, Divine

Mercy Sunday

7:30 a.m. † Raymond & Catherine Heck

9:00 a.m. † Bert Buchan

† Al & Helen Vodde Family 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. For Our Parish Community

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 4

Sun., April 4:Acts 10.34a,37-43/Col 3.1-4/Jn 20.1-9 Mon., April 5:Acts 2.14,22-33/Mt 28.8-15 Tues., April 6:Acts 2.36-41/Jn 20.11-18 Wed., April 7:Acts 3.1-10/Lk 24.13-35 Thurs., April 8:Acts 3.11-26/Lk 24.35-48 Fri., April 9:Acts 4.1-12/Jn 21.1-14 Sat., April 10:Acts 4.13-21/Mk 15.9-15

Thru the end of April, Rice Bowls can be turned in to the tables with the collection baskets in the back of Church. We pray for people in our own community and throughout the world who struggle with poverty and hunger.





APRIL 4 EASTER SUNDAY Hope of Salvation

Reading I Acts 10.34.37-43 (Peter's discourse

Reading II

Colossians 3.1-4

(Mystical death and resurrection)

Gospel

John 20.1-9

(Peter and the disciple at the tomb)

Key Passage: When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with him in glory.

Adult: Why do you believe that you will live with Christ for all eternity?

Child: Who has helped you believe that you will live with Jesus forever?

Saturday, April 10

5:00 p.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Gerry Brubaker, Edward Koors, Bob & Nancy

Leszczynski, Linda Schneider

(C Carolyn Tyndall) Lectors: Donna Kaiser, Robert Vandell

Sacristan: Lisa York

Sunday, April 11

7:30 a.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

David Pierre, Sue Rohling, Marijo Sliger, C.J.

Steigmeyer (C Jane Relue)

Lectors: Carol Merkel, Cece Dunderman

Sacristan: Judy Sherron

9:00 a.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Arianne Davis, Kate Jones, Becky McEntee,

Kelly Tippmann

(C Kathy Suever)

Lector: David Oberstar, Bob Grabowski

Sacristan: Jill Redding

11:00 a.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Betty Dobosz, Tim Miller, Elaine Moser, Cindy

O'Shaughnessey (C Thomas Auer)

Lectors: David Lonsway, Leanne Mensing

Sacristan: Betty Dobosz

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Jill O'Sullivan, Dave & Debbie Stevens, Phillip 5:00 p.m.

Tyndall

(Ć Teresa Burke)

Lectors: Debra Rorick, Nicole Scott

Sacristan: Jill O'Sullivan

HASA 300 CLUB 2020-2021

March 29 Robert & Mary Short \$150.00



EASTER WINNER TERESA KABLE \$500.00



A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

We wish everyone a blessed Easter. This is our season of Alleluias, and we have particular reason to celebrate this year. We can all remember the painful Easter last year when public Masses were not allowed. We also remember that for nearly a year we were warned not to sing in church. Now, we are gathering in

joy to sing our Alleluias. Even with masks on, let us sing with gusto this year.

We welcome guests and relatives who join us today, and we welcome those parishioners who are slowly returning to Mass after a long dark time. We are also excited about the new Catholics who joined us on Laetare Sunday and those joining this weekend at the Easter Vigil. In a world which seems to have less use for religion, we need to be reminded of the treasure of this faith. It is in our Church that we find God.

We are grateful for the musicians, the church decorators, the parish office staff, and the many parishioners who gave their time and work to provide beautiful liturgies this week. As can be seen in the architectural renderings in our Gathering Space, we are working on ideas and plans to make our church building and our liturgy ever more beautiful. Bringing the tabernacle into the church, replacing worn carpet and upholstery, and making the sanctuary more beautiful, we intend to give glory to God and to lift our hearts to Him in our place of prayer.

We received this week a very generous gift from the estate of Edward and Jeanette Wene, charter members of our parish. Jeanette died in 2015 and Ed died in November. Please remember them in your prayers.

We received a thank you note from the Christ Child Society for the generous return on their baby bottle fundraiser. Our parish donated over \$3,600. This is a very generous parish.

Finally, we offer birthday blessings to Fr. James, whose birthday happens to fall on Easter Sunday this year. Fr. James will be leaving this week for vacation time in California, returning on May 7. Fr. James has a brother who is also a priest. His brother serves in a parish in California where he celebrates Mass in their Indian language. Fr. James will be covering the Masses at the parish in California while his brother makes a trip home to India.





"It is a good and holy thought to pray for the dead." (2 Maccabees 12)

We extend our sympathy and prayers to the families and friends of William White, Cynthia Grotehouse, Arlin Filler, James Renner and Diane Hostetler.

Sponsor of the Week

(Jacobson Photography)

SCRIP NEWS

Alleluia! Blessings to you!

May you feel the love of the Risen Christ.

SCRIP is enjoying this weekend off, but we will be back in the office Monday through Friday, April 5-9, 8:30 a.m. until noon. You can still place an order via phone (260-969-4027) or email (scrip@scbfw.org). Our order form is always

available at www.stcharlesfortwayne.org/scrip.

VOLUNTEERS:

Apr. 10 – Amy Lin, Audrey Stauffer, Diane Keefer

Apr. 11 – Arianne Davis, Nancy Hartig, Lisa York Apr. 12 – CLASSROOM DELIVERY: Sue Forte

Apr. 16 - Cheryl Morello, Kristina O'Neal, Kara Straessle

Apr. 16 - CLASSROOM DELIVER: Jen Eisaman

ST. CHARLES VOCATION COMMITTEE

The Lord has risen; it is true! Proclaim it to the world! Pray for an increase in vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. (Matthew 28:1-10)

Volunteers Are Welcomed for the Vocation Crucifix.

It's simple and rewarding. A family or individual will take the Vocation crucifix home for a week and pray daily for vocations! Prayer book is included. Return the vocation crucifix to church the next weekend. A reminder letter will be sent. Call or text Arlene Burgener (260) 602-0791.

Little Flower Holy Hour for Vocations is sponsored by the Vocations Office. This monthly event is held from 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. on April 6, at the St. Mother Theodore Guerin Chapel next to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. Each month is led by a different diocesan priest or deacon, with the April Holy Hour being led by Fr. Patrick Hake. Please join us in praying for vocations!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLOOD DRIVE

SATURDAY, APRIL 24 7:30 A.M.—2:30 P.M.
In the Gym—Door #3
Go to RedCross.org to schedule an appointment.

BAPTISM CLASS FOR PARENTS

A Baptism class will be held at St. Charles **Wednesday**, **May 5**, **7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.** in the **Parish Office Basement**. To register, please call the Parish Office, 482-2186. Next class is Mon., June 23, 2021.

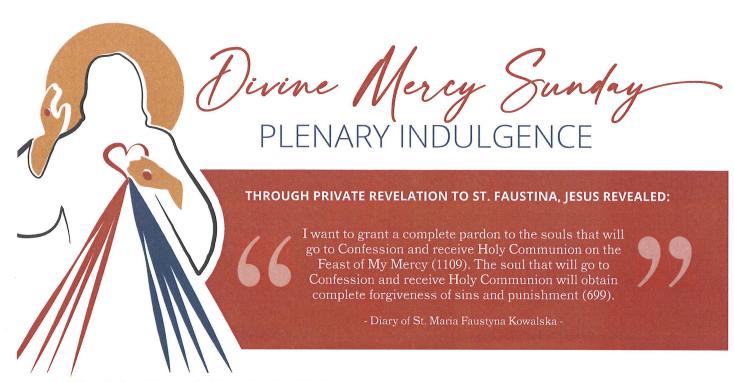


POSITION IN ST. CHARLES MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT

(2 Positions) Part-Time and a Full-Time Position. For more information, call Steve in the Maintenance Department, 260-969-4029.

ST. CHARLES FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP 07/01/2020 - 06/30/2021 MARCH 28, 2021

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Budgeted Collection Needed	\$ 36,600.00
March 28 Collection	\$ 33,474.82
Deficit This Week	\$ (3,125.18)
Year to Date	\$ 37,492.98



DIVINE MERCY IS FOR YOU

Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated annually on the first Sunday after Easter. A Plenary Indulgence removes all temporal punishment due to forgiven sin ("Temporal punishment" is the "making up" for sin to which we are obliged after we are forgiven). A Plenary Indulgence can be applied to one's self or to anyone who is deceased. A Plenary Indulgence can be gained once per day.

THREE NORMAL CONDITIONS FOR GAINING ANY PLENARY INDULGENCE



ONE SPECIFIC WORK REQUIRED ON DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



Sacramental Confession within 20 days of Divine Mercy Sunday, April 11, 2021



Eucharistic Communion



Prayers for the Pope's Intentions

In any church or chapel, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, take part in the prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy.

OR

In the presence of the Blessed Sacrament exposed or reserved in the tabernacle, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, recite the Our Father and the Creed, adding a devout prayer to the merciful Lord Jesus (e.g. "Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!").



COMING TO ST. CHARLES BORROMEO SUNDAY, APRIL 11 7:00 P.M. CHURCH

Keynote: Come Holy Spirit...Whoever You Are

Pope Benedict said that "The Holy Spirit has been in some ways the neglected person of the Blessed Trinity", yet, it was the Holy Spirit that breathed life into the Church! A relationship with the Holy Spirit can be transformative in our spiritual lives and can empower us to use our giftedness to share the faith. Come and spend some time getting to know more the Holy Spirit of Jesus and learn how to let Him breathe life into you

Presenter: Jessica Smith

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THE MARRIAGE COURSE ONLINE

Strengthen your marriage from the comfort of your own home with The Marriage Course Online! Based on a film series featuring "regular" couples and relationship experts from around the world, this free eight-week program will take place online over Zoom on Tuesday evenings from 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. from April 13 through June 1. There is no group discussion, but rather, time built right into each session for you and your spouse to discuss the topic in the privacy of your own home using prompts from The Marriage Course journal. For more information and to register, visit diocesefwsb.org/marriage-course.

PILGRIMAGE OPPORTUNITY

Join Fr. Daniel Whelan, Fr. Tony Steinacker, and Fr. Solanus Guild-Huntington Extension members to visit and pray at the Tomb of Venerable Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen in Peoria, IL. Pray with God's "Hero of Adoration," on *Thursday, June 10*. Cost is \$85.00. For more details, and registration form, contact Jan Scher at 260-450-3045 or email her at janscher8@gmail.com. Reserve by May 1, 2021 deadline.



CHRIST CHILD SOCIETY

Every member of the Christ Child Society of Fort Wayne wishes to express our gratitude to the parishes and parishioners who so generously participated in our 2021 Baby Bottle Fundraising Project. Your spare change placed in the bottles added up to over \$47,000. You have blessed us with your support and allow us to continue to serve more moms and babies through our programs. To learn more about Christ Child Society visit www.christchildfw.org.

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For more info or to volunteer to help contact:
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250-750-6871

PLAN TO ATTEND THE ORGAN CONCERT ON APRIL 16!

Vincent Carr, Associate Professor of Music at Indiana University, Bloomington will present a concert on our pipe organ here at St. Charles on Friday, April 16, at 7:30 p.m. His concert will include a variety of interesting music that will show off the various sounds of the instrument, from the grandest of the trumpets to the softest of the flutes, and everything in between.

The program will last approximately 75 minutes, and an ice cream "meet and greet" will follow. There is no admission charge. However, a free-will collection will be received. Masks are still advised to be worn and every other pew will be restricted.

Plan to attend this fun and interesting program and invite a friend or two!



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