



VOCATION AWARENESS

Here is my servant whom I uphold, my chosen one with whom I am pleased, Upon him I have put my spirit; he shall bring forth justice to the nations. -Isaiah 42:1

ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO CATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2022

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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Lord God, Almighty Father, creator of mankind and author of peace, as we are ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess, we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces. Give them courage, hope and strength. May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing. Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light. To you be all glory, honor and praise, now and forever. Amen.

MASSSES

Saturday, November 5, Vigil, Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. † Michael Patterson

Sunday, November 6, Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. For Our Parish Family

9:00 a.m. † Msgr. Edward Hession

11:00 a.m. † John Onest

5:00 p.m. † Patricia Rose Fox

Monday, November 7, Weekday

6:15 a.m. † Mariano DeoCampo

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

8:15 a.m. † Gene Tippmann

6:30 p.m. † Fr. Dan Leeuw

Tuesday, November 8, Weekday

6:15 a.m. † Dennis Loney

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

8:15 a.m. † Bud Marburger

6:30 p.m. † William & LeeAnn Gladieux

Wednesday, November 9, The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

6:15 a.m. † Dale Castleman

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

8:15 a.m. † Joe McGraw

6:30 p.m. † Deceased of the Redding Family

Thursday, November 10, St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

6:15 a.m. † Larry Laughlin

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

8:15 a.m. † Nicholas, Alberta & Andy Lulos

6:30 p.m. Special Intention

7:00 p.m. Confessions

Friday, November 11, St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

6:15 a.m. † Anthony Rottinger

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

8:15 a.m. † Sam Townsened

6:30 p.m. † Living & Deceased of the Knights of Columbus

7:00 p.m. Adoration & Benediction

Saturday, November 12, St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

8:15 a.m. † Larry Kuntz

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

2:30 p.m. Wedding—Dennie - Kosiarek

Saturday, November 12, Vigil, Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. † Herman & Lucille Koors

Sunday, November 13, Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. † Stephen Neuhaus

9:00 a.m. For Our Parish Community

11:00 a.m. † Patricia Madden

5:00 p.m. † Hugh & Nancy Gerard

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 6

Sun., Nov. 6:2 Mc 7.1-2,9-14/2 Thes 2.16—3.5/Lk 20.27-38

Mon., Nov. 7:Ti 1.1-9/Lk 17.1-6

Tues., Nov.8:Ti 2.1-8,11-14/Lk 17.7-10

Wed., Nov. 9:Ez 47.1-2,8-9,12/1 Cor 3.9c-11,16-17/Jn 2.13-22

Thurs., Nov 10:Phlm 7.20/Lk 17.20-25

Fri., Nov 11:2 Jn 4-9/Lk 17.26-37

Sat., Nov. 12:3 Jn 5-8/Lk 18.1-8



"They can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise."

Thirty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

The Dead Will Rise

Reading I

2 Maccabees

7.1-2,9-14

(Martyrdom of a mother and her sons)

Reading II

2 Thessalonians 2.16-3.5

(The gospel versus empty fables)

Gospel

Luke 20.27-38

(The Resurrection of the dead)

Key Passage: That the dead will rise even Moses made known in the passage from the bush, when he called out "Lord" the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, and he is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive

Adult: How does your belief in the resurrection of the dead affect the way you live?

Child: Has someone in your family or among your friends died? Do you think about that person in heaven? What do you hope to talk about with this person?

Saturday, November 12

5:00 p.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Cheryl Morello, Linda Schneider, Chuck Smith, Andy Stauffer, Edward Koors (C Carolyn Tyndall)

Altar Servers: Jozlynn Bird, Samantha Samons, Gavin Stauffer

Lectors: Dr. Tom Ryan, Chris Stock

Sacristan: Melinda Firestine

Sunday, November 13

7:30 a.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Stephanie Eifrid, Marijo Sliger, C.J. Steigmeyer, Margie Stier (C Maggie Kleber)

Altar Servers: Danny Jacob, Andrew Jacob, Danny Ley

Lectors: Nik Kleber, Lillian Lothamer

Sacristan: Josue Castillo Romero

9:00 a.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Tom Ade, Sr. Imelda Effiong, John Magsam, Kate Sweigert (C Kathy Suever)

Altar Servers: Marilyn Finley, Jillian Scherschel, Charlotte Sweigert

Lectors: Patricia Henry, Emily Parker

Sacristan: Amanda Scherschel

11:00 a.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Joseph Barile, Teresa Michel, Gail Stoner, Mitchell Voglewede (C Tes Sanderlin)

Altar Servers: Leah Ellinger, Mason Vogelwede (1 Volunteer Needed)

Lectors: Jerry Nuerge, Dave Nuerge

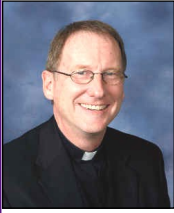
Sacristan: Maria Ellinger

5:00 p.m. **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Sara Bentz, Betty Williams, Jill O'Sullivan (1 Volunteer Needed) (C Debbie Stevens)

Altar Servers: Marco Cavacini, Amy Hernandez, Dominic Hernandez

Lectors: Steve Horine, Dave Stevens

Sacristan: Betty Williams

A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR!

During the month of November, we especially remember the souls in Purgatory, and we pray for loved ones who have died. We don't know just what the judgment will be when a person dies, and we continue to pray for our loved ones who may be in Purgatory. Near the altar we have a book with names of loved ones who have died. We remember them in each of our Masses. You are very welcome to add new names. [It is the same book we have used for many years. There is no need to add the same names already included.]

A reminder: a plenary indulgence is offered for those who visit a cemetery from Nov. 1-8 to pray for the dead. With a sacramental Confession, receiving Holy Communion and prayers for the pope, you can offer an indulgence for a person in Purgatory.

This week is a National Vocation Awareness Week. With years of praying our parish prayer for vocations, our parish has been very blessed. In the past ten years, we have had three young men from our parish ordained priests and one woman who took final vows with the Poor Clares. We currently have three seminarians studying for our diocese, one for the Holy Cross Brothers and one for the Carthusians. We are in need of more young men to answer a call to the Priesthood and both men and women to answer a call to Religious Life. We continue our prayer. I also encourage everyone to look around. If you have a friend or family member who might be a good candidate, simply ask: "Have you ever thought about the Priesthood or Religious Life?"

An interesting upcoming event: at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 22, there will be an interfaith Thanksgiving service held at the Jewish Temple on Old Mill Road. Jewish, Buddhist, Bahai, Catholic and Protestant leaders will offer readings on the theme of Thanksgiving. Everyone is welcome.

Finally: for those who are planning in advance: Christmas will fall on a Sunday this year. We will maintain our normal Christmas Mass schedule, 4:00 p.m., 6:30 p.m. and midnight on Christmas Eve and 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. on Christmas morning. Even though it is a Sunday, we are not scheduling a Mass on December 25 in the evening.

Fr. Tom

Pause & Praise

Where: Hession Center Rooms C & D

When: Sunday, November 6

Time: 10:15 a.m.-10:45 a.m.

What: It is a time of praise & worship to either prepare your heart to enter into worship during the 11:00 a.m. Mass or to give an offering of thanksgiving as a result of receiving the Eucharist during the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

CATHOLIC FAITH TOPICS is a program focused on explaining our Catholic faith to those who don't know her teachings. This will equip you with the Scriptural evidence that supports Catholic teaching.



"Catholic Faith Topics" is Tuesday, November 8, at 7:00 p.m. in Rooms C & D in the Hession Center.

The topic this month is

"Church Authority The Pillar and Foundation of Truth"

"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 **Judy Wittkamper and Mark Buchler.**

**THE ANNUAL BISHOP'S APPEAL**

Have You Made Your Bishop's Appeal Pledge?

Thank You! To all those who have already pledged to the 2022 Annual Bishop's Appeal. Your gifts have helped our diocesan Church to continue teaching, preaching and serving those more in need of food, counsel, and security.

The Church needs everyone's help. Please be as generous as you can to the Annual Bishop's Appeal. Please give online www.diocesefwsb.org/aba as this is a more secure method and saves processing time for parish staff.

This Week in RCIA

November 8

This week in RCIA, we will take a look at the Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation. These two sacraments, along with the Holy Eucharist, constitute the Sacraments of Initiation. Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life. It cleanses the person from Original Sin and incorporates them into the Mystical Body of Christ. Confirmation seals the individual with the gift of the Holy Spirit which allows them to live more bravely the Christian life. We see, in the Acts of the Apostles, the Apostles hid in fear for they thought they were going to be killed like Christ. The Holy Spirit then rushed upon them and they were then able to act boldly and proclaimed Christ to others. Let us pray to act so boldly for Christ. Please pray for our catechumens and candidates, Bill, Joseph, Chris, Amy, Josh, Madison, Stephanie, Seth, Donna and Joshua as they continue their journey in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

The **6th Annual Knights of Columbus Veterans Mass** will be held, Friday, November 11, 6:30 p.m. at St. Charles. We will honor Knights of Columbus members who have passed away this past year with a final Roll Call. Preceding Mass, a Flag folding ceremony will be held by the Boy Scouts. The Mass is open to all Veterans!



ST. CHARLES EUCHRE CARD GROUP will meet on **Saturday, November 12.** We will meet in the Hession Center with doors opening at 6:30 p.m. We will play from 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. If you have any questions or are interested in joining the group, call Darlene at 260-403-3294, or Maureen at 260-413-2800. Bring your own drinks and a snack to share, if desired.

Samer Awwad representing the **Bethlehem Christian Families; a nonprofit organization through Land of Peace** will be with us, **next weekend, November 12 & 13**, speaking about the Christian situation in the Holy Land and selling Crucifixes, Religious Artwork, and Rosaries- all made of olive wood which is native to Israel and Bethlehem. Since tourism has greatly depleted, Christian families in the Holy Land, who depend on tourists, have been greatly affected. The goal of this mission is to help many organizations and Churches in the Middle East. Sale of these goods will help them very much and also give you the opportunity to have "something" authentic from the Holy Land. Please browse and buy some articles. It is for a good cause and also a help to your personal devotion. For more information, please see Website: www.landofpeace.org

Unity

WORSHIP NIGHT

*That they may
also be one*

HOSTED BY
ST. CHARLES
SHEMA CULTURE • KINGDOM COLLECTIVE

WEDNESDAY • NOV 16 • 7PM
ST. CHARLES • 4916 TRIER RD • DOOR 3
FALL FOOD & BEVERAGES BEGIN AT 6:30



SCRIP NEWS

Do you shop at stores or restaurants that aren't part of the **SCRIP** program? Although we have an extensive inventory of gift cards, there are a few businesses that do not participate in **SCRIP**. For these retailers, you can use Visa gift cards. Visa cards purchased from **SCRIP** do NOT have any activation fees. And just in time for Christmas, we now have **\$25 Visa cards on hand, as well as \$50, \$100, and \$250 cards**. Also, we can place a **special order for \$500 Visa cards**. We encourage you to use gift cards specifically designed for each retailer because they offer a higher profit percentage, but when you can't, Visa is a great second choice.

The winner of our Halloween Giveaway is **TOM & BARB RICHTER**. They won our special, spooky prize of \$100 worth of gift cards. Thank you to everyone who participated!

To place your order, call 260-969-4027 or email scrip@scbfw.org. You can also send in your order with your school student. We are in the office **EVERY** weekday morning until noon to serve you, and you can pick up your order at the Parish Office until 4:30 p.m. Check out our order form online at www.StCharlesFortWayne.org/scrip

Volunteers:

Mon, Nov. 7 – Classroom Delivery: Amanda Woods
 Fri, Nov. 11 – Classroom Delivery: Jennifer Dawkins
 Fri, Nov. 11 – Sarah Ealing, Amanda Osenga, Kara Straessle
 Sat, Nov. 12 – Cathy Jacob, Sue Kaufman, Cindie Rosswurm

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Loving God, you have made us in your image and likeness, and for this we will praise you forever.

As we pray this Prayer for Vocations, we call to mind the priests and consecrated religious whose lives have been instruments of holiness.

Thank you Lord for the gift and inspiration each of them has been, proving that your steadfast love endures forever.

Through the intercession of the Blessed Mother and St. Charles Borromeo, we pray to you Lord Jesus, that more men and women will open their hearts to your loving plan. We pray especially for those whom you are calling to serve the church as Priests, Deacons, Sisters and Brothers. Help them to hear and answer your call to discipleship.

Bless our families Lord, so that they may become instruments of holiness and peace.

Let us give thanks to the Lord for He is good and His steadfast love endures forever. Amen

PINK ENVELOPES FOR VOTIVE CANDLES

Due to the increase in the price of the votive candles used at the four statues in Church, the cost of the candles has increased to \$ **2.00** per candle. The increased cost is listed on the front of the pink envelopes.

When paying for a votive candle, please drop the pink envelope in the collection basket or slide them under the Sacristy door. Please don't leave the filled envelopes on the shrines!



Please pray for the following members of our parish community who will soon marry.

III **Alexandra Dennie—Benjamin Kosiarek**
 II **Sierra Tippmann—Alex Grotemat**

The **St. Vincent de Paul Bereavement Support Group** will meet on Tuesday evenings beginning November 8 thru December 13, 6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. in the Life Center—Red Conference Room.

It is there hope to provide a comforting, Christian atmosphere in which to offer emotional support. Your loss need not be recent for the sessions to be helpful. Please register in advance by contacting Jill Houlihan at (260) 437-6752, or houliao2b@gmail.com

JUST NEED TO SUPPLEMENT YOUR INCOME ???

St. Charles is accepting applications for part-time evening janitorial people. Come join our team and have some fun!.. Any questions, call Steve, 260-969-4029.

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. Sign up book is in the Gathering Space. Volunteers are needed for **November & December**.



National Vocation Awareness Week, celebrated November 6-12, is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations. NVAW began in 1976 when the U. S. bishops designated the 28th Sunday of the year for NVAW. In 1997, this celebration was moved to coincide with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, which falls on January 13, in 2013. Beginning in 2014, NVAW was moved to the first full week of November.



Rev. Mr. Jacob Schneider
 Mt. St. Mary's – Maryland
 4th Year Theology



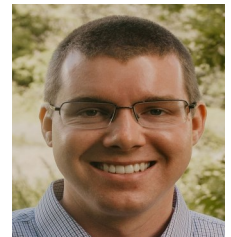
Noel Isch
 Mt. St. Mary's – Maryland
 1st Year Theology



Samuel Martinez
 Mt. St. Mary's – Maryland
 1st Year Theology



Brother Jacob Eifrid,
 CSC



Dom Marius Roy
 2nd Year Noviciate
 "Carthusian"

ST. CHARLES FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP
07/01/2021 - 06/30/2022 **October 30, 2022**

Budgeted Collection Needed	\$	39,750.00
October 30 Collection	\$	37,254.31
Deficit This Week	\$	(2,495.69)
Fiscal Year to Date	\$	(21,871.71)

The St. Charles Home And School Association
Turkey Bingo Family Fun Night

Sunday, November 13, at 6:15 p.m. in the School Cafeteria
 20 games of Bingo! Free Will Donations Only

Suggested \$5.00 for the same card all night.

Family discount – 6 or more in a family – costs capped at \$25.

Prizes include: Gift certificates for Turkeys. Regal Cinema, Casa, Cookie Cottage, Buffalo Wings, and more!

HASA will be selling Pizza, Pop and Water
Girl Scouts will be selling Desserts

Come join the fun!

TIME TO UPDATE THE MILITARY SERVICE BOARD IN THE
BACK OF CHURCH



Please send any updated information to (email address) stcparishoffice@yahoo.com. **Updated**

pictures are to be dropped off at the St. Charles Parish Office. (Hard Copies only) If your son, daughter, niece, nephew, etc is on the board, please send updated information. If we don't hear from you, they will not be included on the board. If the

information on the board along with the picture does not need to be changed, please send an email stating that fact. Be sure to include the name of the person. Also, if the person listed on the board is no longer in the military, please advise us of this information.

HASA 300 CLUB **2022-2023**
\$ 150.00 **October 31**
KIKIDEE BIANCARDI

CAMS (Cathedral Artists Music Series) will present their annual Fall program, **Tuesday, November 8**, at 7:30 pm. Held in the sanctuary of the **Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception** on Calhoun Street, the program will feature The Song of the Severn, by contemporary English composer, Ian Venables. Also on the program, will be a performance by the Fort Wayne Children's Choir Chamber Choir under the direction of Jonathan Busarow. Additional artists include Cathedral organist, Michael Dulac, and pianist, Elizabeth Stachofsky. As always, admission is free and there is free parking in the Cathedral lots. For more information, contact Michael Dulac, mdulac@cathedraalfw.org

Saint Louis Church, New Haven, would like to invite you to a night of praise led by Winona Avenue on **Thursday, November 10**, at 6:30 p.m. Winona Avenue is a small Christian band based out of Indianapolis. This concert is for all ages and all denominations! It is a free concert, but donations will be accepted at the door in support of these Hoosier musicians and their music ministry.

St. John Bosco Parish, 220 N. Main St., Churubusco, will host its Annual Craft Bazaar on **Friday, Nov. 11**, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and **Saturday, Nov. 12**, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. We will again offer some of the best freshly baked cinnamon rolls & a cup of coffee in the morning. Stay & enjoy a lunch of delicious homemade soup, sandwich & chips served all afternoon. Handmade crafts, homemade baked goods and our famous Hand Rolled Noodles will be offered for sale. We also have a Gently Used Shop with many bargains! And if you're still not excited, we have a raffle with a chance to win one of several fine prizes! Please come & join us, we will be so happy to meet you!

Special Thank You from St. Vincent de Paul Society

Participation in the Diocese sponsored Walk for the Poor is a major fund raiser for the St. Vincent de Paul Society here at St. Charles. It makes a major difference in the amount of help we can provide to the needy of our community. Further, the Walk helps to make the whole community aware of the plight of the poor. This year's Walk raised a total of \$ 50,716 for the St. Vincent de Paul societies in the Fort Wayne/South Bend Diocese. Our diocese ranked #2 Nationally out of over 200 FOP Walks. The generous support shown by the St. Charles Parish contributed to make this year's Walk very successful raising \$22,640.

To help promote the Walk, the parish priest are challenged to see who can raise the most donations. For the second year in a row Fr. Tom had the most donations, raising \$2,735. A special thanks to Fr. Tom for his support.

With worsening economic conditions our request for help continue to grow. In August we had 60 requests for help and we assisted 45 committing a total of \$7,508. In September, we received 72 request for assistance and were able to help 52 committing a total of \$8,221.

St. Vincent de Paul wants to extend a VERY BIG THANK YOU to the St. Charles Parish for its continued generous support.

Sponsor of the Week

(Ciocca Cleaning & Restoration)

THANK YOU: This bulletin is furnished to the Parish without charge. The advertisements that appear completely defray all publishing costs with which the Church would otherwise be burdened. Please patronize our sponsors as a thank you for their kind generosity.

St. Charles 'Walking with Moms in Need' will be presenting: Abigail Lorenzen from Right to Life of Northeast Indiana (RTLNI) **Tuesday, November 15**, 6:30 p.m. Hession Center—Door #3—Rooms C & D

Share the mission of RTLNI and answering the question of what it means now that Roe vs Wade is overturned.

Trent Horn's booklet, "Why I'm ProLife" and refreshments will be provided. For questions, please call or text Marge Halley, 317-850-7688.

BAPTISM CLASS FOR PARENTS

A Baptism class will be held at St. Charles **Wednesday, November 30, 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 Wednesday, January 25, 2023.