

Saint Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

Catholic Diocese of Richmond

Rev. J. Michael Breslin, Pastor

Rev. Mr. Donald T. Donovan, Deacon



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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Saint Charles Borromeo Parish is a Catholic Community of Faith which is dedicated to prayerful worship of our Lord and Savior, providing a welcoming place to others, Christian service to all our neighbors and grateful stewardship of our earthly home.

Mass Schedule (subject to change)

Saturday Evening Vigil Mass

5:00 PM

Sunday Masses

9:00 AM English

4:00 PM Spanish

Daily

9:30 AM (Wednesday – Friday)

Holy Days

Please call for schedule

Welcome to Our Parish

We are happy to welcome you with great joy to our Faith Community! New Parishioners are requested to register. Please fill out a Parish registration form so we have a record of you and your family. We also welcome you to become an active member of the Parish. Please obtain a registration form from the rear of the Church or the Parish Office. Also, if you are moving, please notify the Parish Office.

November 10, 2024

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saint Charles Parish Staff

Marta Rose, *Office Manager*

Michael Flanagan, *Music Director*

Alicia Brady, *Organist*

Marge Surran, *Archivist*

Gail McCormick, *Bulletin Editor*

E-mail: bulletinscc@stcharlesbcc.org

Saint Charles Parish Ministries

Kevin Fallon, *Parish Council Chairperson*

David Scott, *Parish Council Vice Chairperson*

Karen Leffel, *Parish Council Secretary*

Bob Panek, *Finance Council Chairperson*

Mike Strub, *Social Ministry*

OPEN, *Ecumenical Ministry*

Tara Ashworth, *Fundraising Ministry*

Judy Chuisano, *Homebound Ministry*

Karey Fallon, *Migrant Ministry*

Joan Natali, *Helping Hands Social Ministry*

Jeanette Orzo and David Scott, *Parish Life Ministry*

Kevin Fallon and Peggy Phillips, *Liturgical Ministry*

Jose Palacio, Adela Montalvo-Palacio & Leticia Palacio,
Hispanic Ministry

Karey and Kevin Fallon, *Religious Education Ministry*

Rob Harris, *Facilities Management*

Adoration – First Friday after the 9:30 a.m. Mass

Marriage – By Appointment:

At least 6 months prior to the marriage

Baptism – By Appointment

R.C.I.A. – Deacon Don Donovan,

Home: (757) 678-9019, Cell: (757) 999-1172

Reconciliation – By Request and

Before First Fridays on

Wednesday 5:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and

Thursday after 9:30 a.m. Mass

Religious Education – September through May

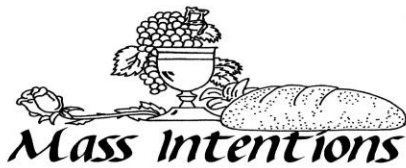
Parish Council – 3rd Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.

Parish Office Hours – Tuesday–Thursday 10:00 am-3:30 pm

**Hispanic Ministry “Holy Hour”
every Friday from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

“Men’s Holy Hour” is the second and fourth Saturday of the month. This hour of prayer, instruction, and fellowship begins at 6:00 A.M. in the Church.

**Saint Charles Church is open for prayer
Wednesday through Sunday during the hours
of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.**



- NOVEMBER 9th SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.:**
 • The Living and Deceased of Our Parish Family
- NOVEMBER 10th SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.:**
 • Lindy Seabrook
- NOVEMBER 13th WEDNESDAY 9:30 A.M.:**
 • Alvin Tamares
 • Marshall Romeo, Sr.
- NOVEMBER 14th THURSDAY 9:30 A.M.:**
 • A Special Intention
- NOVEMBER 15th FRIDAY 9:30 A.M.:**
 • Julia Barnes
- NOVEMBER 16th SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.:**
 • The Living and Deceased of Our Parish Family
- NOVEMBER 17th SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.:**
 • Kathy Bonadeo

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MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEKEND:

Saturday, November 16th 5:00 PM Mass:

Greeters: Diane Partin, Marge Surran

Ushers: Bob Leffel, David Partin

Lector: Dick Surran

Altar Server: Jeffrey Rathz

Eucharistic Ministers: Kevin Fallon, Thom Hoover,

Sunday, November 17th 9:00 AM Mass:

Greeters: Maureen Bochman, Lori McDonal

Ushers: Robert James, Joe Murphy

Lector: Luisa Gazzolo

Eucharistic Ministers: Maureen Donovan, Rip Phillips

Evelyn Pinili

Domingo, 17 de noviembre a las 4:00 de la tarde:

Lectores: Yuri Martinez, Leticia Rodriguez

Monaguillos: To be announced

Ministro de eucaristía: To be announced

Mass attendance November 2 & 3:

Saturday 74; Sunday 124, 84

2024 UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:

11/30-12/1 Monthly Preservation Fund

12/7-8 Retired Religious

12/24-25 Catholic Charities

Collection for November 2 & 3: = \$ 3,131.00

Total Offertory for November: = \$ 3,131.00

November Preservation Fund: = \$ 1,680.00

Saint Charles Church depends on your weekly support for operating expenses. Average weekly collection needed for 2024-25 budget is \$4,230.00.

All checks (unless otherwise noted) should be made out to "Saint Charles Church".

You can visit

giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stcharlescapecharles

and enroll securely online

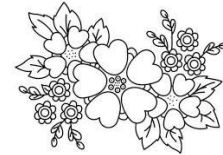
or text "Give" to 757-432-2040

**My Gift to You Candles
Sanctuary Light for the Month of November**



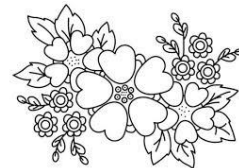
**In Memory of Tess Woolaver and
In Honor of Father J. Michael Breslin
Given by John Woolaver**

**This Week's Altar Flowers
In Honor of Helen & Robert Mulvey
By Helen Asaro**



Arranged by Andrea Scott

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In Memory of Tess Woolaver
By John Woolave**



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**Pray for Peace and Protection
of Members of Our Uniformed Services**

Lord, bless the men and women of our military as they answer the call to serve our nation and defend our freedom. Protect them, particularly those in harm's way. Most of all let them know your love: that you are with them, and that you will never forsake or abandon them. We ask this in the precious name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. **Amen.**

Petty Officer Garrett Hedspeth, USCG, Stationed in Destin, Florida. Nephew of Tammy Hedspeth.

2nd Lieutenant Thomas Leffel – stationed at Fort Moore, Georgia. Son of Bob and Karen Leffel.

Admiral Erik Eslich – Son-in-law of Sherry and Ron Wrucke.

SPC Patrick P. Podlaski – Nephew of John Woolaver is now stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

Master Sergeant E7 Samuel David Fallon – Son of Kevin and Karey Fallon.

1st Lieutenant PA Jason Hill – Son of Grover and Pat Hill.

Staff Sergeant Maribel Surran – now stationed at Fort Carson, Colorado. Daughter-in-law of Dick and Marge Surran.

SPC Marisol Surran – now stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas. Granddaughter of Dick and Marge Surran.

Captain Samuel Davis McQuitty – Grandson-in-law of Peggy and Rip Phillips. Stationed at Fort Cavazos, Texas.

Lieutenant Colonel Tracy Martin – Son-in-law of Bob and Sue Panek.

Captain Katherine Lee – Daughter of Patricia and Robert James.

Staff Sergeant Dustin Goard, SERE Specialist – Son-in-law of Mike and Deirdre Purcell.

Captain Kevin Rech – Son of Kevin and Judy Rech.

Major Clay Lewin – Son of Kurt and Sally Lewin and Grandson of Maureen and Don Donovan.

Captain Sean Mitcham – Son of Denise Mitcham.

Please let us know the name of your loved one serving in the Armed Forces. E-mail to: bulletinscc@gmail.com

Healing Prayer

LORD, You invite all who are burdened to come to You. Allow Your healing hand to heal me. Touch my soul with Your compassion for others. Touch my heart with Your courage and infinite love for all. Touch my mind with Your wisdom, that my mouth may always proclaim Your praise. Teach me to reach out to You in my need and help me to lead others to You by my example. Most loving Heart of Jesus, bring me health in body and spirit that I may serve You with all my strength. Touch gently this life which You have created, now and forever. **Amen.**

Megan Thurston, Grace Buczny, Judy Adams, Matthias Ronning, Eleanor Tross, Denise Kladis, Jon Antal, Val Evans, Jeanette Scott, Andrew Porche, Sara Colanthia Carignan, Angelo Collins, Jr., Liam Scott, Theresa Brady, Al Orlick, Kristin Huggins, Dorothea Rose and Elizabeth Grace Hubbard, Diane Cioffi, Sarah Stansberry, Marjorie Briden, Roberta Romeo, Jennifer Eder, Hunt Addison, Patricia Keane, Louise Weber, Roger Smith, Guy Doughty, Mike Strub, Bev Stetar, Chris Bannon, Billy Powell, Sherry Lawson, Michael Gazzolo, Eve Mlodynia, Marge Surran, Rita Loomis, Karen Webb, George Coates, Joan Natali, Kay Trower, Chica Golibart, Marta Rose, Charles Dumouchelle, Wilhelmina Holman, Mike & Kathleen Kurgan, Judy Rech, Mary Beth Briggs, Marion Simonsen, Bernard Barrett, Terry Strub, Dick Surran, Sue Panek, Yonah Rathz



Prayer for the Faithful Departed

All loving and merciful Father, I commend to you all our deceased family, friends, and those who have no one to pray for them. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May the angels lead them into heaven. May the splendid company of the saints surround them. May Mary their mother lovingly look on them. May they rejoice in your loving presence for all eternity. May they see Jesus face-to-face, and standing always in his presence, experience with happy hearts his great love for them. And may they rest in the eternal peace of the contemplation of you, their heavenly father, in the presence of the Holy Spirit forever. Amen

**Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes/
A Project of Samaritan's Purse**

Shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child are available in the back of the church. Shoeboxes are due back the weekend of November 23-24. Shirley Karmilovich will speak at Mass next weekend.

Information/Parish Events

OKTOBERFEST NEWS...

In case you were not home last weekend, Tara Ashworth our Fundraising Chairperson, gave a report for the Oktoberfest. The final amount raised is just over \$44,000, which includes monies from the "Bake Sale".

Thanks Tara and the "Oktoberfest Team" for an awesome event!

STROKE SCAN PLUS

If you have not received your results? DO NOT call the church office. Please call 346-362-1191, or email results@strokescan.com

Thank you!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Coats for Kids - We are requesting donations of NEW coats for kids Kindergarten through High School (sizes 7 to XL). Coats may be left in the box at the back of the church through December 10th. All coats will be given to children of our community who are in need.

Peanut Sales – Orders will be taken soon. Forms will be available in the back of the church.

Invitation to Join Our RCIA Group

If you are not Catholic and are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, with the possibility of becoming Catholic or if you are a Catholic adult who has not been Confirmed or not made First Eucharist, you are invited to join our **RCIA Group**. For more information, please contact **Don and Maureen Donovan at 678-9019 or 999-1172**.

Would you like to learn more about the love our Savior has for you?

The Adult Religious Education Ministry is pleased to announce the next study for St. Charles: **LUKE, THE STORY OF SALVATION FULFILLED**.

The Gospel of Luke takes you on a journey that begins with the foretelling of John the Baptist's birth and culminates in Jesus' ascension into heaven. In Luke: The Story of Salvation Fulfilled, you will witness key moments in salvation history including the Annunciation, the Nativity, his public ministry, and Jesus' suffering, death, and glorious Resurrection.

I hope you can join us for this 8-part course. We will meet on Fridays from 5-7 in the Parish Hall. The dates are: November 15, 22; December 6, 13, 20; January 10, 24, 31.

Please contact Karel Leffel at stcharlesstudy@gmail.com with any questions and to sign up.

Información/Eventos Parroquiales

NOTICIAS DEL OKTOBERFEST...

En caso de que no hayas estado en casa el fin de semana pasado, Tara Ashworth, nuestra presidenta de recaudación de fondos, presentó un informe sobre el Oktoberfest. La cantidad final recaudada es de poco más de \$44 000, que incluye el dinero de la "venta de pasteles".

¡Gracias Tara y al "equipo del Oktoberfest" por un evento increíble!

STROKE SCAN PLUS

¿No ha recibido sus resultados? NO llame a la oficina de la iglesia. Llame al 346-362-1191 o envíe un correo electrónico a results@strokescan.com

¡Gracias!

CABALLEROS DE COLÓN

Abrigos para niños: solicitamos donaciones de abrigos NUEVOS para niños desde el jardín de infantes hasta la escuela secundaria (tallas 7 a XL). Los abrigos se pueden dejar en la caja que se encuentra en la parte posterior de la iglesia hasta el 10 de diciembre. Todos los abrigos se entregarán a los niños de nuestra comunidad que los necesiten.

Venta de maní: pronto se aceptarán pedidos. Los formularios estarán disponibles en la parte posterior de la iglesia.

Invitación a unirse a nuestro grupo RCIA

Si no eres católico y estás interesado en aprender más sobre la fe católica, con la posibilidad de convertirte en católico o si eres un adulto católico que no ha sido confirmado o no ha hecho la Primera Eucaristía, estás invitado a unirse a nuestro **grupo RCIA**. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con Don y Maureen Donovan al 678-9019 o 999-1172.

¿Te gustaría aprender más sobre el amor que nuestro Salvador tiene por ti?

El Ministerio de Educación Religiosa para Adultos se complace en anunciar el próximo estudio para St. Charles: **LUCAS, LA HISTORIA DE LA SALVACIÓN CUMPLIDA**.

Espero que puedas unirse a nosotros en este curso de 8 partes. Nos reuniremos los viernes de 5 a 7 en el Salón Parroquial. Las fechas son: 15 y 22 de noviembre; 6, 13 y 20 de diciembre; 10, 24 y 31 de enero.

Comunícate con Karel Leffel en stcharlesstudy@gmail.com si tienes alguna pregunta o para inscribirte.



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

2024

Attention St. Charles Parishioners:

It's that time of year again! St. Charles Helping Hands committee is preparing to deliver bags of food or Food Lion Gift Certificates to about 60+ local family households in need this Thanksgiving. We estimate that it will cost us \$50.00 per household.

We plan to deliver bags of food (on the day before Thanksgiving) to households that have a hard time shopping themselves. We will mail those families who can shop for themselves a Food Lion Gift Certificate (for \$50.00) about a week before Thanksgiving Day, so they have plenty of time to shop.

If you want to donate to help with the purchases, please put "Thanksgiving Meals" in the memo of the check or write "Thanksgiving Meals" on an envelope with cash. That ensures it goes to our meals program.

If you attend Mass, you can put your donation in the collection basket. If that is not an option for you, please mail your donation to St. Charles Church, c/o Marta Rose, Office Manager, 545 Randolph Avenue, Cape Charles, VA 23310.

Donations should be made by Monday, November 24th. However, the earlier you send a donation, the better able we are to know if we can reach our goal. It also gives us enough time to purchase the Food Lion Gift Certificates and still get them to the families about a week before Thanksgiving so they can do their own shopping.

We will pack the food bags on Tuesday, November 26th at 4:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. If you can help us then, please let me or Mary Beth Briggs know.

And, we will deliver the food bags on Wednesday, November 27th, leaving from the Parish Hall around 1:00 p.m.

We will need help delivering the bags in a safe manner, so if you can donate some time, please contact Joan Natali at 757-331-4884 /joan.natali@outlook.com or Mary Beth Briggs at 757-678-5036 /marybethbriggs@verizon.net.

We will contact all who volunteer by phone/email to confirm their assignment(s), so make sure to give us your contact phone number/email address.

Thank you for any assistance you can provide for this project.

Joan Natali, Co-Chair of St. Charles Helping Hands
Mary Beth Briggs, Co-Chair of St. Charles Helping Hands

Joan L. Natali
110 Blue Heaven Rd
Cape Charles, VA 23310
(757) 331-4884 (H)

NOVEMBER 2024

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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					Birthday: Sofia Jaramillo	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Birthday: Paul Dominic		Birthday: Kathleen Bagot	Birthday: Ian McDonald	Birthday: Macy Coffey Elizabeth Morris		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Birthday: Leticia Gomez Sherry Lawson	Birthday: Robert Leffel	Birthday: John McCormick Yoseline Palacio Panuco Maria Rodriguez		Birthday: Dirk Gleysteen Robert Panek Madison Stringfellow Karen Webb	Anniversary: Ed & Kathy Apy
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Birthday: James Elliott	Birthday: Mary Beth Briggs	Birthday: Vivienne Ashworth	Birthday: MaryAnn Clarke	Birthday: Isabella Panuco Rachel Travis		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Anniversary: Robert & Patricia James			Birthday: Veronica Orlick	Birthday: Shirley Dominic Roy Knoth	Birthday: Theresa Strub Patricia Tinkelman	
Birthday: Ricardo Morales						



All Will Be Well

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Many years ago, I spent a summer in rural Mississippi living and sharing life with the folks of that area. Annie lived on a hillside in the “hollers” of that part of the country. In many ways, she reminded me of Granny from TV’s *The Beverly Hillbillies*. Annie was thin and wiry, wore bib overalls, climbed barbed wire fences, swore like a trooper, and raised a henhouse of chickens in her backyard.

I once asked her what she did with all the eggs she gathered, whether she sold them to make a little money for a rainy day. She said to me, “Lord, no. I give them away, and then when I need something, they give to me. That’s the way we live.” Her generosity embarrassed me, for she lived with trust like the widows in today’s two Scripture readings, giving from their want and their need and finding God taking care of them.

When our day is stretched beyond the time we need, and we choose to share what little time we have with someone who needs our help, somehow our day works itself out. When someone comes in need of love, and we sense we have not even enough to care for ourselves, but still we reach out, we find there is enough love for them and for us. Whenever we give from our want, it always seems God is present amid the trust that all will be well. ●

Reflect

**Have you ever shared with others,
only to find yourself enriched?**



[Jesus said,] “Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury.”

MARK 12:43

Dear Padre,

TV's "The Chosen" portrays St. Peter as married. What does the Catholic Church say about this?



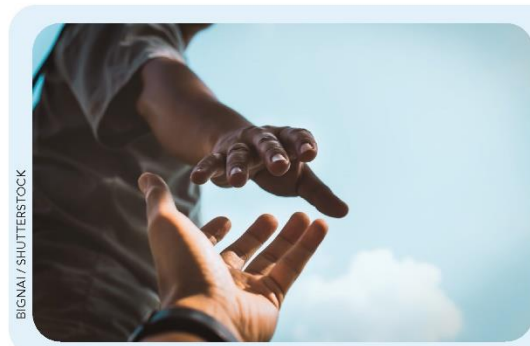
Scripture gives evidence about earliest Church practice when it says bishops, presbyters (priests), and deacons should be “married only once” (see 1 Timothy 3:2, 12). That means some of them must have been married! Still, the discipline of celibacy for the sake of the kingdom was encouraged from apostolic times as a way to follow the example of Christ. In the 300s, decrees concerning celibacy of the clergy indicate it was becoming the norm.

Peter is the most frequently mentioned disciple of Jesus in all four Gospels. This Galilean fisherman—introduced to Jesus by his brother, Andrew (see John 1:40–42)—became a spokesman and figure of central importance among the other Apostles.

Of the Twelve, some, like Peter, were married. His wife was from Capernaum and their family household may have included his in-laws. According to Scripture, “Jesus entered the house of Peter and saw his mother-in-law lying in bed with a fever. He touched her hand, the fever left her, and she rose and waited on him” (Matthew 8:14–15; see also Mark 1:30–31 and Luke 4:38–39). Moreover, Jesus—who may never have owned a home of his own—made the house of Peter his headquarters when he ministered in Capernaum (see Matthew 4:12–13). This house of Peter and his family was venerated by early Christians. Today, the Church of St. Peter’s House sits over the original dwelling. ●

Fr. Byron Miller, CSSR / DearPadre.org

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
November 11	November 12	November 13	November 14	November 15	November 16	November 17
<i>St. Martin of Tours, Bishop</i>	<i>St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr</i>	<i>St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin</i>	<i>Weekday</i>	<i>Weekday</i>	<i>Weekday</i>	<i>Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
Ti 1:1–9 Lk 17:1–6	Ti 2:1–8, 11–14 Lk 17:7–10	Ti 3:1–7 Lk 17:11–19	Phlm 7–20 Lk 17:20–25	2 Jn 4–9 Lk 17:26–37	3 Jn 5–8 Lk 18:1–8	Dn 12:1–3 Heb 10:11–14, 18 Mk 13:24–32



A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

Let us ask ourselves, it will help us: do we want to be appreciated and gratified by what we say and what we do, or rather to be of service to God and neighbor, especially the weakest? Let us watch out for falsehood of the heart, for hypocrisy which is a dangerous illness of the soul!

ANGELUS, ROME, NOVEMBER 7, 2021

