

Saint Charles Borromeo

Catholic Church

Catholic Diocese of Richmond

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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.

June 15, 2025

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Saint Charles Parish Staff

Marta Rose, *Office Manager*

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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*

OPEN, *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, *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 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

Saint Charles Church is open for prayer Wednesday through Sunday during the hours of 9:00am and 5:00pm

“Hispanic Ministry Holy Hour”

Every Monday from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

“Men’s Holy Hour”

The 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month at 6:00 a.m.



June 14th SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.:

- Anthony Tanner

June 15th SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.:

- The Living and Deceased of Our Parish Family
- Eric Ericson, Jr.

June 18th WEDNESDAY 9:30 A.M.:

- Gerry Guyon
- Louise Hall

June 19th THURSDAY 9:30 A.M.:

- George Pittman
- William H. Richards
- The Assad Family

June 20th FRIDAY 9:30 A.M.:

- The Thomas Family

June 21st SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.:

- The Living and Deceased of Our Parish Family

June 22nd SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.:

- Ann Conrad
- Jeff Riley
- Robert Munguia

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MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK:

Saturday, June 21st 5:00 PM Mass:

Greeters: Karen Leffel, Diane Partin

Ushers: Bob Leffel

Lector: Donna Campbell

Altar Server: Jeffrey Rathz

Eucharistic Ministers: Judy Chuisano, Thom Hoover,
Joe Murphy

Sunday, June 22nd 9:00 AM Mass:

Greeters: Maureen Bochman, Andrea Scott

Ushers: Robert James, Lori McDonald

Lector: OPEN

Altar Server: OPEN

Eucharistic Ministers: Bob Crowley, David Scott,
Maureen Donovan

Domingo, 22 de junio a las 4:00 de la tarde:

Lectores: Perla Velazquez, Adriana Roblero

Monaguillos: Cristal Rodriguez, Anabel Clark,
Jasmin, Angel Alvarado Martinez

Ministro de eucaristía: To be announced

June 7 & 8: \$ 4,114.00

Total Offertory for June: = \$ 7,442.00

June Preservation Fund: = \$ 3,429.00

Saint Charles Church depends on your weekly support for operating expenses. The 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".

2025 UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:

June 28 & 29 Peter's Pence Collection

Mass attendance June 7 & 8: 83, 145 & 103

This Week's Altar Flowers



In Honor of Adele Curcio & Family

Given by Andrea Price

GRADUATION MASSES



Next weekend all 2025 graduates from kindergarten through secondary school will be recognized at Mass. Please feel free to wear your "graduation attire" for recognition and celebration of your achievement.

El próximo fin de semana se reconocerá en la misa a todos los graduados del año 2025, desde el jardín de infantes hasta la escuela secundaria. Siéntase libre de usar su "atuendo de graduación" para reconocer y celebrar su logro.

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.

1st Lieutenant Thomas Leffel – stationed at Fort Carson, Colorado. Son of Bob and Karen Leffel.

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

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 Bliss, El Paso, Texas. Daughter-in-law of Dick and Marge Surran.

SPC Marisol Surran – now stationed at Guantanamo Bay Detention Camp, Cuba (GITMO). 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

The **Parish Council** will hold their monthly meeting this **Tuesday, June 17th at 6:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. All parishioners are encouraged to attend.

El **Consejo Parroquial** celebrará su reunión mensual este martes **17 de junio a las 18:30 h** en el Salón Parroquial. Se anima a todos los feligreses a asistir.

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, Billy Powell, Sherry Lawson, Michael Gazzolo, Eve Mlodynia, Marge Surran, Rita Loomis, Karen Webb, George Coates, 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, Karen Foley, Evelyn Pinili, Jackie Smith, Walter Roll

Oktoberfest 50/50 raffle tickets are on sale. Only 300 tickets will be sold. If all tickets are sold, the winner will win \$5,000 and the Parish will receive \$5,000. The drawing will be held at the **Oktoberfest on Sunday, October 12 (YES, SAVE THE DATE!!!)**. Tickets are \$35 each or 3 for \$100. (Rain Date for the Oktoberfest is: Saturday, October 18)

Los boletos de la rifa **50/50 del Oktoberfest** ya están a la venta. Solo se venderán 300 boletos. Si se venden todos, el ganador ganará \$5,000 y la Parroquia recibirá \$5,000. El sorteo se realizará en el **Oktoberfest el domingo 12 de octubre (¡SÍ, RESERVA LA FECHA!)**. Los boletos cuestan \$35 cada uno o 3 por \$100. (Si llueve, el Oktoberfest tiene una fecha límite: sábado 18 de octubre).



2025 Oktoberfest
vendor registration.



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JUNE 2025

Birthdays and Anniversaries

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Anniversary: Anthony & Joanne Regalbuto Birthdays: Richard Riley Daniela Siegrist | Birthdays: Brian Heath | | Birthdays: Jasmin Jaramillo Laura Rodriguez | Birthdays: Michael Kolakowski Kurt Lewin Jayden Talbot | Anniversary: Daniel & Macy Coffey Birthdays: Charles Dumouchelle | Birthdays: Anabel Clarke |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| Birthdays: Mark Clarke Margaret Surran | Birthdays: Michael Flanagan | Birthdays: John Monaco | Anniversary: Robert & Sue Panek Birthdays: Umberto Bettolo Jeffrey Rathz Brooke Schimek | Birthdays: Amaeli Clarke | Birthdays: Thomas Nelson | Birthdays: Andy Morales |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| Birthdays: Jose Eduardo Gomez Andrea Price Noah Rudmin | Birthdays: Susan Mumford | Birthdays: Freddie Meditz | Birthdays: Jaxx Orsinger | Birthdays: Anne Ashworth William Ashworth | Birthdays: Roland Mumford | |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| Birthdays: Kathy Apy Sally Lewin | | Anniversary: Jose & Herlinda Palacio Servin Birthdays: Andrew Morris Jonathan Stringfellow | Anniversary: Ian & Lori McDonald | Anniversary: Walter & Jeanne Roll Birthdays: Ron Wrucke | Birthdays: Andrea Scott | Birthdays: Geri Crumb Sue Kellam |
| 29 | 30 | | | | | |
| Birthdays: Thomas Leffel Louise Weber | | | | | | |
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Wisdom à la Water Balloons

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

A *Calvin and Hobbes* comic strip finds Calvin filling water balloons. Immediately, we know there's trouble ahead. Calvin's plan is to drench Susie Derkins unless, as he says, the universe can give him some sign that there is a moral law against it. Calvin gives the universe thirty seconds. When there is no sign, Calvin concludes he is allowed to soak Susie. He finds her and pummels her with water balloons. Susie takes off after Calvin as he runs, screaming, "Help! Help!" The final frame shows Calvin, dazed and beaten, wondering why the universe always gives the sign *after* you do something.

It does seem that we learn more about the ways of life from our mistakes and upheavals than we do from the times when life unfolds smoothly. It is how we come to wisdom—the wisdom that is the very aura of God present in our lives. In fact, John's Gospel

points out that God is always the one who brings us to that wisdom; a God woven into the very ups and downs of what we are about. "When he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth" (John 16:13). It is St. Paul who notices how the troubles of life are always the source of new wisdom. He writes of how our afflictions lead us to endurance, and how endurance brings about character, and how it is our character (our inner values) that brings us to hope and trust in God's wisdom rather than in our own. In so many ways, it is the power and presence of the Holy Trinity making us new. ●

Reflect

**Think of a time when life was difficult.
What blessings or important lessons
did you receive as a result?**

[Jesus said to his disciples,]
"Everything that the Father
has is mine; for this reason I
told you that [the Holy Spirit]
will take from what is mine
and declare it to you."

JOHN 16:15



Dear Padre,

What does the Church teach about respect for the body after death? Is burial the most respectful? It's certainly the most expensive. What about donating your body to science? Or cremation? If someone is cremated, can the ashes be kept respectfully by a family member, or do they have to be buried?

Your question serves as a summation of current practice and exposes the real-life dilemma and choices facing loved ones: "How can I be respectful and at the same time practical?"

Catholics believe that the body of the deceased must be respected and not simply disposed of without care or concern. Current practice allows for burial, cremation, and the donation of the body to science, and choices depend in large part on tradition, culture, and economic circumstances. If someone chooses to donate to medical science, it is with the understanding that the body will be cremated or properly buried. If cremation is the chosen option, proper burial of the cremains in a sacred place is required.

All of this assumes an uneventful passing of the deceased person. It does not account for war, disease, or disaster. When faced with ordinary, rather than extraordinary, circumstances, loved ones have a real opportunity to be grateful and thankful for the chance to mourn, grieve, and show respect for the person. Unfortunately, that is not always the case in today's world. ●



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A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

Celebrating the Most Holy Trinity is not so much a theological exercise, but a revolution in our way of life. God, in whom each Person lives for the other in a continual relationship...provokes us to live with others and for others. Open. Today, we can ask ourselves if our life reflects the God we believe in.

ANGELUS, ROME, JUNE 12, 2022

Monday

June 16
Weekday
2 Cor 6:1-10
Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday

June 17
Weekday
2 Cor 8:1-9
Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday

June 18
Weekday
2 Cor 9:6-11
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday

June 19
Weekday
2 Cor 11:1-11
Mt 6:7-15

Friday

June 20
Weekday
2 Cor 11:18, 21-30
Mt 6:19-23

Saturday

June 21
St. Aloysius Gonzaga,
Religious
2 Cor 12:1-10
Mt 6:24-34

Sunday

June 22
The Most Holy Body
and Blood of Christ
(Corpus Christi)
Gn 14:18-20
1 Cor 11:23-26
Lk 9:11b-17