

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.

July 13, 2025

15th 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*

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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.



- July 12th SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.:**
- The Living and Deceased of Our Parish Family
 - A Special Intention
- July 13th SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.:**
- Irene & Stanley Mlodynia
- July 16th WEDNESDAY 9:30 A.M.:**
- Buck Hoeffner
- July 17th THURSDAY 9:30 A.M.:**
- Chet & Jane Morneau
- July 18th FRIDAY 9:30 A.M.:**
- Geri Winston
- July 19th SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.:**
- The Living and Deceased of Our Parish Family
- July 20th SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.:**
- Ann Conrad

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MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK:

Saturday, July 19th 5:00 PM Mass:
Greeters: Diane Partin
Ushers: Bob Leffel, David Partin
Lector: Dick Surran
Altar Server: Robert Toner
Eucharistic Ministers: Walter Roll, Marge Surran,
 Pat Tinkelman
Sunday, July 20th 9:00 AM Mass:
Greeters: Kathy Apy, Maureen Donovan
Ushers: John McCormick
Lector: Susan Kovacs
Altar Server: Bob Wells
Eucharistic Ministers: Maureen Bochman,
 Bob Crowley, Peggy Phillips
Domingo, 20 de julio a las 4:00 de la tarde:
Lectores: Maria Elena Herrera, Guadalupe Panuco
Monaguillos: To be announced
Ministro de eucaristia: To be announced

July 5 -6: = \$ 5,747.00

Total Offertory for July: = \$ 5,747.00

July Preservation Fund: = \$ 2,239.00

Saint Charles Church depends on your weekly support for operating expenses. The average weekly collection needed for 2025-26 budget is \$4,115.00.

All checks (unless otherwise noted) should be made out to "Saint Charles Church".
 or text "Give" to 757-432-2040

2025 UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:

July 19 & 20 Pregnancy Center
 August 2 & 3 Preservation Fund
 August 16 & 17 Religious Education

Mass attendance July 5 & 6: 99, 229 & 135

This Week's Altar Flowers



In Memory of Clemenda Ramon Jose Ramirez
 Arranged by Karen Webb

My Gift to You Candles Sanctuary Light Month of July



In Honor of Adele Curcio and Family
 Given by Andrea Price

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.**

1st Lieutenant Thomas Allison, stationed at Fort Stewart, Georgia. Grandson of Charlie Dumouchelle.

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 Hood, 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

Faith Formation Opportunity:

Please join us in the Parish Hall on Thursday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. for this summer's movie night series, **The Chosen - Season 4**. The series will run through August 21st. Sign up by either calling the office 757-331-2040 or email Kevin and Karey Fallon at kandk9680@gmail.com

Los invitamos a unirse a nosotros en el Salón Parroquial los jueves por la noche, de 18:30 a 20:15, para la serie de cine de este verano, "El Elegido - Temporada 4". La serie se extenderá hasta el 21 de agosto. Inscribase llamando a la oficina al 757-331-2040 o enviando un correo electrónico a Kevin y Karey Fallon a kandk9680@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, Billy Powell, Sherry Lawson, Michael Gazzolo, Eve Mlodynia, Marge Surran, Rita Loomis, Karen Webb, 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, Joe Paschall



Sunday of Hope

Cheriton Methodist Church

September 7, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

Luminaria forms are on the back counter of the church. Each luminary represents one person, and they are \$10.00 per luminary. **Please make checks out to the American Cancer Society.** Luminary forms are due the weekend of August 16-17th. Please drop them in a collection basket.

Oktoberfest 50/50 raffle tickets are on sale. THERE ARE ONLY 21 TICKETS LEFT!!! 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**. Tickets are \$35 each or 3 for \$100.

Los boletos de la rifa **50/50 del Oktoberfest** ya están a la venta. 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**. Los boletos cuestan \$35 cada uno o 3 por \$100.



Donation Form
2025 (1).pdf



Oktoberfest needs
your help.pdf

JULY 2025

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
		<u>Birthday:</u> Karen Davis John Lockwood	<u>Birthday:</u> Bradley Binard Beatriz Castaneda- Juarez		<u>Birthday:</u> Robert James Milagros Sanchez	<u>Birthday:</u> Father Michael Breslin William Eastmond
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	<u>Birthday:</u> Mary Brogan Cynthia Caison	<u>Birthday:</u> Doris LaJoie Michael Purcell	<u>Birthday:</u> Valerie Lee		<u>Birthday:</u> Kevin Fallon	<u>Anniversary:</u> Ethan & Amy Watkins <u>Birthday:</u> Michael Conte Charles Orsinger David Partin
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
<u>Birthday:</u> Theresa Conte			<u>Birthday:</u> Michael Caison		<u>Birthday:</u> Avanelle Graney Robyn Lee Karen Leffel John Pagan Abel Panuco Gonzalez	<u>Birthday:</u> Layla Stevens Kai Watkins Kyle Webb Justin Webb
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	<u>Birthday:</u> Donald Donovan Susan Panek	<u>Birthday:</u> Karen Hamann	<u>Birthday:</u> Sally Dickinson	<u>Anniversary:</u> Herbert Thom & Mary Brogan <u>Birthday:</u> Irene Rodriguez Joanna Torres	<u>Birthday:</u> Daniel Dickinson	
27	28	29	30	31		
<u>Birthday:</u> Santiago Panuco Paula Wells						



[Jesus said,] “Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers’ victim?” He answered, “The one who treated him with mercy.” Jesus said to him, “Go and do likewise.”

LUKE 10:36–37



The Passion of Compassion

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

We tend to hear the parable of the Good Samaritan and place ourselves in the role of the Samaritan, thereby expected to be compassionate, as was the Samaritan. Those who heard Jesus tell the parable, however, would never have identified with the Samaritan. To them, the Samaritans were religious heretics who worshipped not in Jerusalem but at their own temple. Thus, the people of Jesus’ day would have seen themselves as the victim, the one on the side of the road. Who, then, would be the Samaritan, the surprising caregiver, the compassionate one? Because parables are about God and how God works, it would be God who is and has always been the one who heals and feeds and nurtures us back to life. The parable then surprises the hearer of Jesus’ day—God as a compassionate Samaritan!

It is God’s compassion that we bring to those seeking forgiveness as well as to those who, for whatever reason, have not yet reached the point of asking for forgiveness. It is God’s compassion that we bring to the unborn, the immigrant, the homeless, the sick in need of healing, the jobless who have lost hope. It is God’s compassion that a nation brings to anyone who has lost his or her way, as it has been noted that the greatness of a nation is in how that nation deals with and cares for the weakest among them. ●

Reflect

***When have I needed a compassionate response?
When could I have been more compassionate?***

Dear Padre,

I have a question about the prayer the priest says after the Our Father. Someone told me it's called an "embolism." Why don't we just end with "Amen" like when we say it at home?

You have correctly identified the "embolism" or "interpretation" that has been added to the Lord's Prayer during the sacred liturgy. It reads, "Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ." This addition, ancient in its use during the eucharistic liturgy, is a further explanation of the content and the intercessory nature of the prayer. It develops the last petition of the Lord's Prayer and asks for deliverance from the power of evil for the whole community of the faithful. It is an appropriate insertion, reflecting the purpose of the eucharistic gathering as spiritual but also as a celebration of the Lord's words and directions to us. In private prayer, the embolism would be out of place.

The sacred liturgy is filled with intercessory prayers, acclamations, and bits and pieces of ancient eucharistic prayers and blessings. Everything has been carefully chosen and placed within the celebration of the sacred liturgy to assist the faithful who gather to lift their minds and hearts to the Heavenly Father, through his Son Jesus, by the power of the Holy Spirit. ●

Fr. Thomas M. Santa, CSsR / DearPadre.org

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
July 14	July 15	July 16	July 17	July 18	July 19	July 20
St. Kateri	St. Bonaventure,	Weekday	Weekday	Weekday	Weekday	Sixteenth Sunday
Tekakwitha,	Bishop and	Ex 3:1-6, 9-12	Ex 3:13-20	Ex 11:10-12:14	Ex 12:37-42	in Ordinary Time
Virgin	Doctor of the	Mt 11:25-27	Mt 11:28-30	Mt 12:1-8	Mt 12:14-21	Gn 18:1-10a
Ex 1:8-14, 22	Church					Col 1:24-28
Mt 10:34-11:1	Ex 2:1-15a					Lk 10:38-42
	Mt 11:20-24					



A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

This is the prayer that I suggest to you today.
"Lord, that I might see and have compassion just like you see me and have compassion on me"—
that we might have compassion on those whom we encounter along the way, above all on those who suffer and are in need....

ANGELUS, ROME, JULY 10, 2022