

PADRE'S PONDERINGS

On the color page of today's bulletin, you'll find what is hopefully only the first batch of photos of fond memories of Saint Charles Parish. We hope over the coming weeks and months to showcase any memories or photos you may wish to share in the parish bulletin. Email them directly to Deb at allsaintsrectory2@hotmail.com. As the Legacy **Committee** firms up its plans for a series of events celebrating the history and life of the parish, I will be sure to keep you informed.

I cannot thank our Bazaar Committee enough for the incredible amount of work of they have been doing behind the scenes in preparation for what I am sure will be a wonderful event for our parish and local communities. There is still time to volunteer. Feel free to call the parish rectory if you are available and interested in helping. And thank you in advance for your generosity.

Next Sunday the 10:15am Mass in All Saints will be our first "Family Liturgy" of the new school year. Lakesha will be working with the lower grades to prepare them to dress as their favorite saint and perhaps be "interviewed" during the homily! Our upper grades will assist with greeting, reading, and serving at the altar. Since our education program is now fully religious integrated, we will also welcome families from our Spanish-speaking community. Some of the readings and prayers of this Mass will be in Spanish.

As October winds down, I hope you'll commit to joining us for our remaining two evenings of Marian prayer and song. Many thanks to all who have helped organize and participate in those events, from the servers, to Becky and Wayne, to Fr. Kiley for his generous availability.

Anyone who attended Mass in All Saints last weekend knows that the heating system was not working. It seems as though the issue requires a simple adjustment of the timer. Hopefully, if you're reading this in All Saints, you're toasty!

Until next week, Fr. Joe



SAINT CHARLES **BORROMEO** LEGACY COMMITTEE

The first meeting of the Legacy Committee for Saint Charles will be held TODAY Sunday, October 20, at 10am in the church hall. Frs. Finnegan and Kiley, along with Sr. Jackie Dickey, have all agreed to serve on the committee. We looking for other interested parishioners to join the team and help honor the legacy of Saint Charles parish

through a series of events. Preliminary discussion has already yielded some ideas: a church tour, a parish banquet, a meet-and-greet with area clergy, among other events. But more input is desired! In the meantime. the committee is interested electronically obtaining any photos or perhaps a succinct memory of the parish to be shared in the parish bulletin between now and January. Please send any photos or memories or anecdotes to Deb at allsaintsrectory2@hotmail.com.



OCTOBER DEVOTIONS

The parish communities of All Saints and Saint Charles invite you to come together in prayer on the Mondays of October as we commemorate the Month of the Holy Rosary. Each evening will be held in Saint Charles Church and will consist of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, the recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction. Please join us and bring a friend or two along!

> Monday, October 21, 6pm—Fr. Upton Monday, October 28, 6pm—Fr. Kiley



FAMILY LITURGY: PARADE OF LITTLE SAINTS

Please join us next Sunday, October 27, at the 10:15AM Mass in All Saints for our monthly Family Liturgy. We will observe two important celebrations in the liturgical year: the Solemnity of All

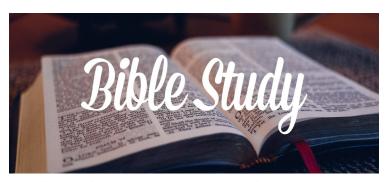
Saints and All Souls' Day The children of our religious education program will dress as their favorite saint and some will be "interviewed" during the homily! All are welcome as we look to the saints, our big brothers and sisters in Jesus, as models of holiness. We will also remember in a special way our friends and family members who have died. Special saint-themed games and activities will follow in the church hall. Please join us!



CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulation to the following children who received the Sacrament of Baptism last weekend after the 12nn Mass:

Edwin A. Lopez III Kelton E. Dasilva Anabel M. Dasilva Jayvien B. Lopez Enrique M. Lopez Jr. Meadow R. White



WORD ON WEDNESDAYS UPDATE!

Please note that due to scheduling conflicts, the Wednesday Bible Study will not meet on Wednesday, October 30 or on Wednesday, November 6. We will resume our regular schedule on Wednesday, November 13.



CHRISTMAS BAZAAR UPDATE

The Christmas Bazaar is only 3 weeks away and we need to meet and assign table captains so we can hit the floor running on the day of the bazaar! So this is what we hope is possible to get that in order. Save the following dates:

Oct 25th Set-up the table layout in the church hall. Some tables may need to be brought in from the school.

Oct 26th 9-10am Lay out the tablecloths.

10-2 Bring over the gifts, baskets, prizes, novelties, and treasures form the school and Rectory.

Oct 27th Sunday 3 pm. Meet in Hall to discuss expectations and assign table captains. Linus and Baked Goods all ready in place.

Oct 29 10 am- and 6 pm will have a short meeting for those who could not come on Sunday

Our plan is to find something for all those who want to be part of the working force. We will be working in the hall all week leading up to the bazaar to finish decorations, complete baskets, layout items, and anything else that needs to be done! Many hands make light work! Thank you in advance for your generosity.

WEEKEND FINANCIAL UPDATE

September 29th, 2019

All Saints

1st Collection: \$4,213.00 2nd Collection: \$1,571

St. Charles

1st Collection: \$1,185 2nd Collection: \$309



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 19th

4:00: (SC) Parishioners of St. Charles Parish

4:00: (AS) Roland Bastien, by wife

(AS) Donald L. Vadeboncoeur, 8th anniversary, by Uncle Bob

Sunday, October 20th

7:30: Pierre Aucoin, by M/M Peter Godon
9:00: Parishioners of St. Charles Parish
10:15: Florida Dubois, by Bob & Patty Dubois

Joseph Cam Parenteau, birthday remembrance, by wife Lucille and

daughters

12:00: Melissa Carias, Sweet 16, by All Saints Chorus

Monday, October 21st - All Saints

8:00: Louise & Gertrude Martinelle, by family

Tuesday, October 22nd - St. Charles 9:00: Parishioners of St. Charles Wednesday, October 23rd - St. Charles 9:00: Parishioners of St. Charles

Thursday October 24th - All Saints

8:00: Deceased members of the Armand Peloquin family, by family

Friday, October 25th - All Saints

8:00: Florence Lavallee, 28th anniversary, by family

Saturday, October 26th

4:00: (SC) Parishioners of St. Charles

4:00: (AS) Lorraine Tardif Vadeboncoeur, 1st anniversary, by family

Sunday, October 27th

7:30: Levi Brooks

9:00: St. Charles Memorial Mass Society10:15: George Suntheimer, by family

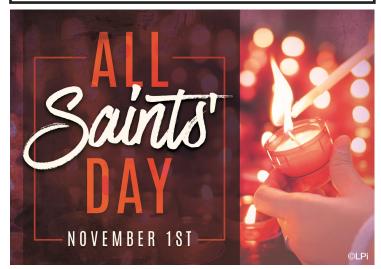


All Saints Church Hall Saturday, November 2, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Gift card wreath raffle worth a minimum of \$1000,12 Days of Christmas raffle cards, theme baskets, penny social, pick-a-straw, 50/50, baked goods, kitchen, pick- a- card, lovingly made knit products, religious goods, and more, plus SANTA CLAUS all day!

Treasure Island has returned!

Stay tuned for more information and plan on joining us!



ALL SAINTS' DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Thursday, October 31 at 6pm in Saint Charles Church Friday, November 1 at 8am in All Saints Church All Saints' Day is not only our parish patronal feast day, but also a Holy Day of Obligation. Please join us for either of our parish liturgies. Con amor te presento, Señor, lo mejor de mi vida Con amor te presento, oh Señor, lo mejor de mi vida

Como sacerdote, uno de los momentos más poderosos para mí durante la celebración de la misa es el ofertorio. Los fieles presentan sus ofrendas: los frutos de sus labores junto con el pan y el vino, símbolos de sus propias vidas. Tengo el gran honor de recibir esos regalos y ponerlos en el altar, presentándolos a Dios mismo. Este momento fue aún más conmovedor para mí el domingo pasado cuando nos reunimos en la misa de la 12 en Todos los Santos. Nuestro talentoso coro cantó las palabras bellas y conmovedoras: "Con amor te presento, Señor, lo mejor de mi vida... te presento, Señor, mi esperanza... Con mi ofrenda también yo te doy lo mejor de mis lágrimas. Te presento, Señor, mi dolor... "" Con amor te presento, Oh Señor, lo mejor de mi vida ... Te presento mis esperanzas ... Con mi ofrenda te doy la mayor de mis lágrimas. Te presento, oh Señor, mi dolor". ¡Qué hermosa oración de ofrenda!

Cuando nos reunimos el domingo pasado para recomendar a Dios el hijo de uno de nuestros feligreses que había muerto repentina y trágicamente varias semanas atrás, estas palabras adquirieron un significado aún mayor. Solo hay algunas heridas, pérdidas y penas tan profundas que no podemos evitar simplemente dárselas a Dios, entregárselas con fe y esperar que en sus manos podamos liberarnos de su carga y que se pueda obtener algo de gracia. Trabajó en y a través de ellos. Pensé en eso mientras veía la procesión del ofertorio del domingo: el pueblo de Dios presentando sus ofrendas, el pan y el vino, junto con ellos mismos, heridos, afligidos, cansados pero llenos de fe, esperanza y amor. Qué honor y privilegio poder como sacerdote recibir esos dones, descargar las cargas del pueblo de Dios en el altar y colocarlos en las manos heridas de Aquel que prometió hacer nuevas todas las cosas.

Hablando de los esfuerzos de la Iglesia para ministrar a los corazones afligidos y heridos, me complace anunciar que la Hna. Jackie Dickey, SSCh., Se ha unido gentilmente para servir en el Ministerio de Duelo en nuestra parroquia. Hna. Jackie tiene muchos años de experiencia en el servicio diocesano, alcance comunitario y ministerio parroquial. Ella acompañará a las familias de los feligreses fallecidos a través del proceso de planificación de los ritos funerarios. Sé que ella será una presencia de apoyo, consuelo y paz. ¡Gracias, Hna. Jackie, por su disposición a servir en esta capacidad!

Algunas invitaciones para la próxima semana: Devociones de Octubre el Lunes, Palabras el Miércoles, Día de la Oración en Woonsocket el Sábado y Comité de Legados de San Carlos el Domingo. Hay información sobre todos estos eventos en otras partes del boletín. Y como siempre, igracias por su presencia y su apoyo a nuestras comunidades parroquiales!

Hasta la próxima semana,

Fr. Joe



Grados 1-6

Grados 7-8

Oct. 20 @11am

Oct. 22 @5:30pm Movie Night

Oct. 27@10:15am Family Liturgy

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Oct. 27 @11am

WELCOME!

No matter what your present status is in the Catholic Church,

No matter your current family or marital status, No matter your personal history, age, income, background, gender, race, ethnicity or spirituality,

No matter your self-image of holiness or virtue, You belong to Jesus Christ and you belong to us!

You are invited, accepted and respected at All Saints and Saint Charles Borromeo.

We want to share our Roman Catholic way of faith and life in Christ with you!

PARISH DIRECTORY

ALL SAINTS PARISH

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Daily Masses:

Monday, Thursday & Friday at 8am Weekend Masses:

Saturday at 4pm

Sunday at 7:30am, 10:15am and 12n (en Español)

Saturday at 3pm

SAINT CHARLES BORROMEO PARISH

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<u>Weekend Masses</u>:
Saturday at 4pm & Sunday at 9am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday at 3pm

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SAINT CHARLES PARISH: A MORE THAN 170-YEAR LEGACY OF FAITH, SERVICE AND FELLOWSHIP

In this space, we hope to include pictures and memories shared by Saint Charles Parishioners. Thanks to Wayne and Becky Kilcline for sending these along! Email any pictures or memories to Deb at allsaintrectory2@hotmail.com.



A parish group gathering in 1917



1999 Christmas Caroling at Saint Francis House



Saint Charles School Class of 1952 Reunion