

Saint Charles Borromeo



November 10, 2013
Thirty-Second
Sunday in Ordinary
Time

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Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Brazilian Mass 12:00 noon

Rev. Almir Urbano, M. S.

Weekday Masses

(in the lower-level Chapel)

Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 a.m.

Bible Study

Wednesday: 9:30 - 10:15 a.m.

Holy Days

7:00 p.m. (Vigil) and 9:00 a.m.

Pastor: Rev. Gerald F. Finnegan, S. J.

Parish Secretary: Lucille Hannon

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If you are new to the parish, WELCOME!

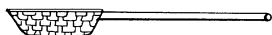
Please introduce yourself. We want to know you and to serve you. We hope you will favor your parish with your prayers, your presence, your talents and your financial assistance - according to your means.

This Week's Mass Intentions

Saturday - Nov. 9	4PM - Normand Champagne
Sunday - Nov. 10	9AM - Richard Fanning
Monday - Nov. 11	9AM - NO MASS
Tuesday - Nov. 12	9AM - Saint Charles Parishioners
Wednesday - Nov. 13	9AM - Tom Kirby
Thursday - Nov. 14	9AM - Aline (Marot) LeClair
Friday - Nov. 15	9AM - Jeanne Fontaine
Saturday - Nov. 16	4PM - Conrad "Sonny" Cote
Sunday - Nov. 17	9AM - Margaret "Peg" Shiel

Last Weekend's Offertory

Offertory Envelopes	\$ 3,088.00
Loose Money	\$ 400.00
Total	\$ 3,488.00



Thank you



FROM THE
PASTOR'S DESK

A hearty thanks to all those who were part of our St. Charles Borromeo pre-Bazaar dinner this past Saturday evening. Paulette and Richard Angelini and Debbie and Richard Monteiro were the chefs who produced such a wonderful meal. Since it was an Italian dinner, we were fortunate that the chief chef's last name ends in a vowel. The meat balls were spicy! Thanks also to those who set up the tables. They were "the usual suspects," and we thank them once again.

Someone could ask what such dinners have to do with the living and preaching of the Gospel. The same question could also be posed with respect to the having of a bazaar. The answer in both cases is the same: they create community, and community has a great deal to do with the living and preaching of the Gospel. In days gone by a Catholic might well see his or her relationship with God and the Lord Jesus as a purely personal matter, but for the past half century or more, that is, from the days of Vatican II, we have been told that our personal relationship with God and the Lord Jesus cannot be purely personal but must also include a communal character. No one is a Christian alone. To be a Christian is to belong to a community of believers. That is what the sacraments themselves tell us. Baptism and Confirmation make us members of the community. The Eucharist is our communal celebration of our belonging to the mystery of the Lord's death and resurrection. Indeed, even in the past when priests sometimes celebrated Mass alone, they were told to have at least a server with them. So the communal element of the Eucharist was never forgotten, even when not emphasized. And this month we celebrate our communion with those who have gone before us in faith and are now with God. It is the month of All Saints and All Souls, themselves communities. So, yes, bazaars and dinners have much to do with the living and preaching of the Gospel.

Scripture for the week of November 10, 2013

10 SUN	2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/2 Thes 2:16-3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38
11 Mon	Wis 1:1-7/Lk 17:1-6
12 Tue	Wis 2:23-3:9/Lk 17:7-10
13 Wed	Wis 6:1-11/Lk 17:11-19
14 Thu	Wis 7:22b-8:1/Lk 17:20-25
15 Fri	Wis 13:1-9/Lk 17:26-37
16 Sat	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Lk 18:1-8
17 SUN	Mal 3:19-20a/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

"Love alone makes us happy, because we live in relation, and we live to love and to be loved."

~Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

Fr. Finnegan, S.J.



Announcements



SAINT CHARLES ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

is this Saturday, November 9th - 9AM - 3PM

HELP NEEDED Your help is requested and very much appreciated after the 9AM Mass today, Sunday, November 10th to restore the hall after yesterday's Bazaar activities.

MOUNT SAINT CHARLES ACADEMY OPEN HOUSE: Sunday, November 3, 2013 from 2-4pm. Co-ed grades 7-12. 800 Logee Street Woonsocket (401) 769-0310 More information at www.mountsaintcharles.org. Entrance exams will be held Saturday, December 7 and Saturday, December 13. Registration begins at 8am. Fee \$25. For more info see flyer on bulletin board.

CLOSING EVENT FOR THE YEAR OF FAITH: A EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

On Friday, November 15 through 16th. The Diocese of Providence will close the Year of Faith with a Eucharistic Congress entitled: ***THE EUCHARIST: A MYSTERY TO BE BELIEVED, LIVED AND PROCLAIMED.***

The Congress starts Friday at 7PM at St. Pius V parish in Providence with a special evening for youth, young adults groups and families featuring praise and worship music, a keynote presentation, Taize and a Eucharistic procession. Individuals, parishes and groups are encouraged to sign up to "keep watch" with us before the Blessed Sacrament during the night. Saturday's program begins at 7:30AM with a short Eucharistic procession from St. Pius V Parish to the St. Dominic Chapel at Providence College. A keynote address will be given by Rev. James, Cuddy, Chaplain of Campus ministry at PC and workshops will be offered for English and Spanish audiences. Bishop Thomas J. Tobin will be the main celebrant and homilist for the noon Mass concluding the Congress. To learn more about the presenters, workshop titles and more, please visit discovercatholicfaith.org and click on events.

THE APOSTOLATE OF MARY, MOTHER OF PRIESTS AND THE PROVIDENCE SERRA CLUB invite parishioners to ***ADOPT A PRIEST*** spiritually for a year. Spiritual adoption involves praying for the adopted priest every day. We ask the adopter to contact the priest to let him know that the adopter will be praying for him every day. We also supply the priest's ordination date, so that the adopter may send a card or note of congratulations. If you are interested in more information, or would like to be assigned randomly a Providence Diocesan priest to pray for on a daily basis, please contact RI Adopt-a-Priest at RIadoptapriest@aol.com or call (401) 783-1092. (please leave a name and phone number). Or you may go through the Serra Providence website at <http://serraprovidence.org/>

SALVATION ARMY RED KETTLE DRIVE SEEKING VOLUNTEERS

Family Resources Community Action is seeking Bell Ringers for the Salvation Army Kettle Drive. The campaign runs from Saturday, November 30th, through December 24th. Volunteers are asked to cover a 2 hour shift. Although we joyfully accept the help of young people, we ask that youth under the age of 18 be accompanied by an adult. Kettles are located at Walmart, Stop & Shop, and Brigido's Market in North Smithfield. For more info on how you can volunteer, contact Wendy Pires at (401) 235-6096 or wpires@famresri.org or visit FRCA's website at famresri.org

PRAYING TOWARDS SUNDAY'S GOSPEL

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.

Luke 20: 27-38

A place where no squalls rage and
where flowers grow wild. What can we bring along to that place?

Crutches, pain pills, tranquilizers? How about our hearts? Our spirit parts?

Lord, is there some piece of us that never dies?

A sacred space in us where love resides?

Oh widen that inner space while enough time remains.

Let our human hearts outflow now and always with boundless, infinite love.

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call the rectory after your baby's birth to prepare for this initial Sacrament of spiritual life.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Confessions are available on Saturdays 3:00 to 3:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please call the rectory at least six months prior to the date of your wedding.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick (and Communion Calls)

Please notify us if anyone is ill, in the hospital or at home and unable to get to church, especially those who are homebound and may wish to receive Holy Communion at home.



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