



# St. Charles Borromeo

December 10, 2017 - First Sunday of Advent

190 North Main Street

Woonsocket, RI 02895

Parish office located at

All Saints, 323 Rathbun Street

Woonsocket, RI 02895

## Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

*Brazilian Mass 12:30 PM  
with Rev. Messias*

## Weekday Masses (lower church)

Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 a.m.

## Confessions

Saturday: 3:00 - 3:30 p.m.  
or by appointment

## Holy Days

9:00 a.m.

## Baptism

Please call the rectory after  
your baby's birth.

## Anointing of the Sick (and Communion Calls)

Please notify us when in need.

Mondays & Tuesdays, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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## New to the St. Charles Borromeo?

WELCOME! Please do introduce yourself.

We want to know you and to serve you.

## THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday, December 9

4PM - Helen & Stanley Spont by the family

Sunday, December 10

9AM - Bette Farragher Yeo by the family

Tuesday, December 12

9AM - Violet Decelles by Pauline Beliveau

Wednesday, December 13

9AM - Roger Giguere by Louise & Pete LeBlanc

Thursday, December 14

9AM - Lucille Blake

Friday, December 15

9AM - Aldo Rossi & deceased family members by the family

Saturday, December 16

4PM - Vincent, Warren, Annette & Kenneth Bogan by Kelly

Sunday, December 17

9AM - Annabelle Farragher by the family

## LAST WEEKEND'S OFFERTORY:

Offertory Envelopes:	\$ 1,467.00
Loose Money:	\$ 308.00
Christmas Flowers	\$ 755.00
Total	\$ 2,530.00



Thank You!

## Announcements



**2018 CATHOLIC REFLECTIONS CALENDARS** - are still available at the church entrances.

**CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE:** With Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve falling on a weekend this year, the Mass Schedule will be as follows: Saturday Vigil Mass (12/23) Fourth Sunday of Advent will be at 4PM **No 9AM Mass** on Sun. 12/24). Christmas Eve (12/24) Mass will be at 4PM. Christmas Day (Mon. 12/25) Mass will be at 9AM - New Year's Weekend: Vigil (Sat. 12/30) Mass will be at 4PM. (Sun. 12/31) Mass will be at 9AM. New Year's Day Mass (Mon. 1/1/18) will be at 9AM.

**ALL SAINTS MASS SCHEDULE:** Sun. (12.24) 4th Sun. of Advent 7:30AM only. No 10:15AM Mass. Christmas Eve (Sun. 12/24) 1st Mass of Christmas Eve - 4PM. 2nd Mass of Christmas Eve 10PM. Christmas Day Mass (Mon. 12/25) at 10:15 AM and Noon (Spanish). New Year's Eve Mass: (Sun. 12/31) at 7:30AM and 10:15AM. New Year's Day Mass: (Mon.) 1/1/2018 at 10:15AM

**BISHOP TOBIN'S 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF EPISCOPAL CONSECRATION** - In thanksgiving to God, the Bishop will celebrate Holy Mass on Sunday, December 17th at 1PM in the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul. All are cordially invited to attend this celebration and the reception to follow in the Cathedral Hall.

**SAVE THE DATE:** Sunday, December 17th 3:00 PM. Saint Charles will present **A CHRISTMAS CONCERT** featuring the adult choir, with special guests - the Providence Youth Guitar Ensemble. Free and open to the public!

**MOUNT SAINT CHARLES ACADEMY** - presents *LESSONS AND CAROLS* this Sunday, December 10th, from 4 - 7PM at the Chapel Hall, featuring students of Mount Saint Charles Band, Chorus, Hand bells, Dance & Drama. Tickets are free but necessary for admission. For tickets, please call or visit the main office at Mount St. Charles. Tel. 401-769-0310.

**MINI-RETREAT** - Wednesday, December 13 - Coffee at 9:30AM, followed by program at 10AM to 12:30 PM. Sacred Hearts Retreat Center, 226 Great Neck Road, Wareham, MA "An Incredible Love Story" Christmas is an incredible love story - a story of God's extravagant love for each of us. Acceptance of God's love can actually transform our lives. Advent is a good time to step back and allow the power of this story to penetrate our hearts. Fee: \$25. To register, please contact Peggy at 508-548-9149, at least two days in advance.

**THE COLUMBIETTES** are forming a Woonsocket Council. We are open to all Catholic women 18 years and up. We will be meeting Monday, December 4th at 7PM at All Saints Church. At which time we will determine the best day to meet going forward. All are welcome.

### SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 10, 2017

Sunday:	Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 [8]/2 Pt 3:8-14/Mk 1:1-8
Monday:	Is 35:1-10/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [Is 35:4f]/Lk 5:17-26
Tuesday:	Zec 2:14-17 or Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Jdt 13:18bcde, 19 [15:9d]/Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47
Wednesday:	Is 40:25-31/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8 and 10 [1]/Mt 11:28-30
Thursday:	Is 41:13-20/Ps 145:1 and 9, 10-11, 12-13ab [8]/Mt 11:11-15
Friday:	Is 48:17-19/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [cf. Jn 8:12]/Mt 11:16-19
Saturday:	Sir 48:1-4, 9-11/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16, 18-19 [4]/Mt 17:9a, 10-13
Next Sunday:	Is 61:1-2a, 10-11/Lk 1:46-48, 49-50, 53-54 [Is 61:10b]/1 Thes 5:16-24/Jn 1:6-8, 19-28

*"There are some who pass through life as through a tunnel, without ever understanding the splendor and the security and the warmth of the sun of faith."*

~Venerable José Escriva