

At St. Charles, all are invited to meet Christ, know Christ, love Christ and serve Christ.

November 10, 2024 THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sacrament of Baptism



Blake Ann L., daughter of Jarrett and Monica L.



Esmeralda Jeanne L., daughter of Matthew and Melissa L.





Lucille Katherine K., daughter of Alexander and Katherine K.



Hendrix Ryan T. and Zander Allen T., sons of Zachary and Helena T.



Isaac Mateo C. and Alexander James C., sons of Isidro C. and Amber Z.



Gianna Rose G., daughter of Andrew and Danielle G.



Jack Alexander S., son of Craig and Sara S.

Congratulations to all our newest St. Charles Parish members and their families!

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WELCOME TO ST. CHARLES - WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

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PARISH SCHOOL: 262-367-2040 school@stcharleshartland.org



WEBSITE & LIVESTREAM: www.stcharleshartland.com or scan QR code with phone camera SATURDAY MASS OF ANTICIPATION: 5:00pm

SUNDAY MASS TIMES: 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am & 6:00pm WEEKDAY MASS: Monday - Friday: 8:30am & Saturday: 8:30am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

We offer Adoration from Mondays at 5:00 a.m. through Friday evenings at midnight.



For current openings, scan QR code.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 9:30am - 10:30am & Thursdays: 5:00pm - 6:00pm Please arrive within 30 minutes of the start time. We have one Priest on Saturdays and two Priests on Thursdays.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK/ ANOINTING MASSES

Sacrament of the Sick Masses are the 2nd and 4th FRIDAYS of every month or by appointment with Fr. Ken or Fr. Ariel (call the Parish Office).

OUTREACH SERVICES TEAM: Terri Blazek: 262-367-7608, jtblazek@wi.rr.com

TO ASK FOR PRAYERS or to be added to the email list, please email: prayernetwork@stcharleshartland.org

FOR EMERGENCY PRAYERS, please email: emergencyprayers@stcharleshartland.org Printed weekly prayer sheets are available on the information wall.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: if you need food, shelter or assistance call 262-367-0800 (Parish Office)

NEED HOME COMMUNION: For information call 262-367-0800 (Parish Office)

Mass Intentions for the Week of November 10th

Sunday, November 10

7:00 am	† Judith Couri
9:00 am	† Martin Melotik
11:00 am	† Paul Piotrowski
6:00 pm	Special Intention

Monday, November 11

8:30 am † Delores Kurt

Tuesday, November 12

8:30 am Living and Deceased Members of St. Charles Young at Heart

Wednesday, November 13

8:30 am † Mary O'Hara

Thursday, November 14

9:00 am † Carol Seidl

Friday, November 15 8:30 am † Esther Benske

Saturday, November 16		
8:30 am	† Arlene Condon	
5:00 pm	† Nick Hirsch	

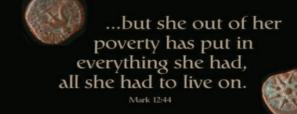
Sunday, November 17

7:00 am	Living and Deceased Members of St. Charles
9:00 am	† Drew Wallace
11:00 am	† Pete Schneider
6:00 pm	† Terry Mathison

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

Thomas Savage

May his soul and the souls of all the faithfully departed REST IN CHRIST'S PEACE.



One of the easiest ways to support St. Charles Parish and School is through the secured online e-giving system.



PARISH SUPPORT THRU OCTOBER 13TH

> FISCAL YEAR JULY 1 THRU JUNE 30

2024 - 2025		
Envelopes	\$22,687.50	
Offertory	\$3,292.20	
Weekend Total	\$25,979.70	
E-Giving	\$15,036.00	
YTD	\$756,481.11	

2023 - 2024		
Envelopes	\$19,116.00	
Offertory	\$2,814.10	
Weekend Total	\$21,930.10	
E-Giving	\$16,251.52	
YTD	\$655,975.04	



PRAYER & REFLECTIONS



THIS WEEKEND'S GOSPEL MEDITATION

32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Once at an evening Mass as a poor college student, the collection basket was fast approaching, and I only had a ten-dollar bill. I was planning on using that to buy my favorite Chipotle burrito that night for dinner. Should I keep the money? Who would know if I did? If I gave it away, what would I eat? Would I be okay? I kissed my future burrito goodbye, dropped the money in the basket, and winced. But strangely, the rest of the Mass I felt more engaged than usual. I had skin in the game. I left the Mass excited to see how God would take care of me. And he did, in amazing ways.

When the poor widow places two copper coins in the temple treasury, Jesus doesn't pity her. He praises her. He blesses her. He brags about her. He celebrates her as the temple's largest benefactor. Her giving is an act of radical, concrete trust in God. It is as if she is entering a new level of giving that excites Jesus because she contributes not out of her abundance but gives "everything she had."

What a challenge this is to each one of us! How easy it is to ignore this! But imagine the eruption of the energy of faith, hope, and love that would be unlocked if our financial sacrifices to the Church actually tapped into daily bread and not only our disposable income. I challenge us to try this in some way this coming week and see what happens in our hearts. Even if it costs us a burrito.

— Father John Muir

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PRAY WITH SCRIPTURE Lectio Divina

15 minutes each day spent in God's presence – reading, reflecting, responding and resting with his Word – adds up to 90 hours in one year. That is time well spent and a testimony to how a little at a time turns into something remarkable!

Sunday, November 17th Readings

Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/Heb 10:11-14, 18/ Mk 13:24-32

To find readings for the weekdays and/or Feast Days, please visit https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings.

Reflection questions for Sunday, November 17th

• The prophet Daniel foresaw a time of great distress and ultimate judgment for the living and the dead. Who supports you when you are feeling anxious or are deeply worried?

• The author of Hebrews emphasizes Jesus's death as the final offering for the forgiveness of sins, making us "perfect forever" in eternal life. What do you find most curious about the idea of being perfect in eternal life?

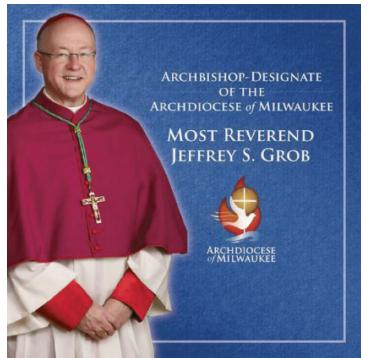
• Jesus speaks to his disciples about the signs that will accompany his Second Coming, even though only God the Father knows the exact time. How should one best prepare for this unknown future?

READ. REFLECT. RESPOND. REST.

Cut out and keep in your Bible for reference!

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PARISH NEWS & EVENTS



WELCOME, MOST REVEREND JEFFREY S. GROB

The Archdiocese of Milwaukee recently announced that Pope Francis has chosen the Most Reverend Jeffrey S. Grob to be the Archbishop-Designate of our Archdiocese. Archbishop-Designate Grob was born in Madison and has served as an auxiliary bishop for the Archdiocese of Chicago for the last four years. He will be installed as Archbishop of Milwaukee on January 14, 2025. Archbishop Jerome Listecki will serve as Apostolic Administrator of the Archdiocese until that time. Please join us in welcoming and praying for Archbishop-Designate Jeffrey S. Grob!



COME JOIN THE ST. CHARLES CAROLERS!

Be a St. Charles Caroler and sing by the tree in the Hartland Town Square for Hartland's Official Tree Lighting, "Hartland Lights" on Friday, December 6 from 6pm - 6:30pm. Carolers are invited to rehearse on Monday, December 2, 6pm - 7pm in the St. Charles choir loft. Refreshments and Holiday Activities are planned throughout the evening of December 6th.



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH AT 6:00 PM

All are welcome to attend St. Charles Family Thanksgiving Mass!



We also have a Thanksgiving Day Mass at 9 am on Thursday, November 28th. All are welcome to come and worship with us.



ADORERS NEEDED

We would love to have you join us in our Adoration Chapel! We are currently in need of a handful of Adorers to spend

time with the Lord. Our UPDATED open time slots are as follows:

Mondays from noon-1pm

Tuesdays from 1-2am, 11 am-12 pm, and 4-5 pm Wednesdays from 2-3 am and 4-5 am Thursdays from 1-2 am, 5-6 am, 4-5pm and 8-9 pm Fridays from 6-7 pm

If you are interested in praying with us during these times, please visit the News story on our website.

PARISH SCHOOL NEWS/EVENTS



SCHOOL JINGLE SHOP

We are excited to announce that the Jingle Shop will be returning to our school this year on Wednesday, December 4! The Jingle Shop is a favorite fundraiser of the students that allows them to purchase gifts for their family at Christmas. We are collecting small, new items for the kids to choose from. We are also in need of gift wrapping materials (wrapping paper, gift bags, tissue paper, ribbons, and tape) as well as plastic bags (Sendik's, Piggly Wiggly, etc.). Cash donations are being accepted for the purchase of items for the Jingle Shop. Proceeds from this year's shop will go toward improving our Tot Lot area near the preschool classrooms. We are accepting donations through **Tuesday, November 26** in our Parish and School Offices. Thank you for supporting our school!



TEACHING SUBS NEEDED

St. Charles Parish School is in need of substitute teachers! Candidates must complete Safe Environment training through the Archdiocese of Milwaukee,

and they must also have a bachelor's degree and a valid teaching license and/or a substitute teaching license. The process of acquiring a substitute teaching license is easy. Please contact the School Office at 262-367-2040 if you are interested!



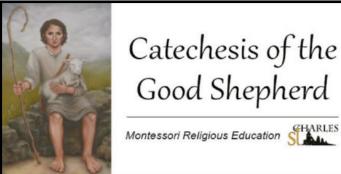
EVENTS & NEWS AT ST. CHARLES PARISH SCHOOL

Spirit Group Activity: Students participated in a fun spirit group activity leading up to the Book Fair! Teams were comprised of scholars in 1st-8th Grade, and they worked together to create "egg landers" that could travel safely without breaking their "eggstronauts." Students also wrote stories about their "eggstronauts" to coincide with the project. Scholars loved this exciting collaborative opportunity — and watching which projects were successful!



Halloween Activities: Students of all ages loved celebrating Halloween and were excited to show off their costumes! Our 3K and 4K scholars traveled throughout the building to wish older students and staff members happy Halloween, and students in 5K-8th Grade participated in a parade around the neighborhood before returning to school for parties in their homerooms.





CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

WATER

(CGS) CORNER

The "sign" of saving water appears throughout the Bible.

"In the beginning" God hovered over the waters, separating the land and sea; the cleansing waters of the flood and the covenant with Noah; the parting of the Red Sea and the salvation of the Hebrews; the flowing of blood and water from Jesus' side on the cross; the commission to the apostles - go and baptize all.

God designed our Sacraments to use elements of everyday life because they are accessible and because He knows we need things we can see and smell and touch to think about the more important things that we can't see. Watch with your child for the uses of water in our church and wonder with them about the meaning of water in Mass.

For children ages 1-3: Model using the holy water font to bless yourself. Give your child plenty of time to try this themselves.

For children ages 3-8: Watch closely with them for the drop of water placed in the wine as the chalice is prepared. Ponder, "Can people and animals live without water?"

For children 6+: Wonder aloud why the priest washes his hands before the consecration. Stop by the baptismal font and ponder why water is poured over the baptized. "What kind of life does this baptismal water give us?"

Holy water is a "sacramental" which can help us encounter God. Consider having a holy water font in your home to bring this encounter to your family every day. What a great gift!

Lisa Dedinsky, CGS Catechist





TUESDAY MORNING BREAKFAST GROUP

All parishioners are welcome to attend a Tuesday Morning Breakfast after the 8:30am morning Mass on the 4th Tuesday of every month. The first breakfast will be held on **Tuesday**, **November 26th.** Breakfast is served, free of charge, so that all can gather to socialize and grow in friendship and faith. Email Dianne Merkel with any questions: diannemerkel@ gmail.com. We hope to see you there!

BULLETIN DUE DATES! '

If you have an event(s) you would like to publicize in a November, December and/or January bulletin, please submit your information by the due dates listed below. This earlier deadline is due to the printer's holiday schedule. **Please submit all articles by 8:00 am on the due date.** Thank you!

- Nov. 24th Bulletin information is due Wednesday, Nov. 13th
- Dec. 1st Bulletin information is due Monday, Nov. 18th
- Dec. 8th Bulletin information is due Monday, Nov. 25th
- Dec. 15th Bulletin information is due Monday, Dec. 2nd
- Dec. 22nd Bulletin information is due Monday, Dec. 9th
- Dec. 29th Bulletin information is due Monday, Dec. 16th
- Jan. 5th Bulletin information is due Wednesday, Dec. 18th
- Jan. 26th Bulletin information is due Wednesday, Jan. 15th



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CIRCLE OF LOVE

Last weekend many of you picked up a tag from the Circle of Love's "Miracle Tree" and are now busy shopping for your secret friend. If you have not had a chance to take a tag, please check our tree located in the Narthex. We do not want anyone disappointed.



Remember, your wrapped gift(s) are due back on Sunday, December 1st at noon in the Borromeo Hall or before under the tree. Sponsors can pick their gifts up between 12:30 and 2:00 p.m. on December 1st in the Borromeo Hall.

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please contact Debbie Lancour at 262-367-3869 or d2lancour@ yahoo.com.



LAKE COUNTRY BREAD OF LIFE COMMUNITY MEAL AT ST. CHARLES

St. Charles Parish is the home for the Lake Country Bread of Life Community Meal. What began as a meal for the needy in our area has turned into a host program that includes seniors and others in need of a good meal and friendship. If you or someone you know could use some fellowship and a good healthy meal, please invite them to join us Thursday, November 21st at 5:30 pm in the Borromeo Hall. The meal will be hosted by the St. Charles Garden Club, and they prepare a traditional Thanksgiving meal. We also offer blood pressure readings before the meal.

St. Charles Outreach Services Team oversees the event. If you would like to volunteer or have questions, please contact the Parish Office or humanconcerns@stcharleshartland.org.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY



FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: Corned Beef Hash, Boxes of Single Serving Instant Oatmeal, Kleenex, Deodorant, Campbell's Cream of Mushroom and Cream of Chicken Soup

In today's Gospel on the Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, Jesus tells us: "I want you to observe that this poor widow contributed more than all the others who donated to the treasury. They gave from their surplus wealth, but she gave from her want, all that she had to live on." Ask yourself, "Am I only giving from my surplus wealth?"

In the month of October, 103 families came to the Food Pantry for assistance. Is there a neighbor or friend of yours who is in temporary need because of a loss of job or an illness? Please contact the St. Charles SVDP at 262-367-0800. The St. Charles SVDP Food Pantry is located at 229 Lawn Street, Hartland and it is open Tuesday mornings between 10am and noon. It is also open on the second and fourth Tuesday evenings of the month between 5:30pm and 7pm.



SWEET DREAMS DINING OUT

We are excited to announce that our Home & School Association is partnering with Sweet Dreams in Hartland for monthly dining out opportunities! Please stop by

anytime between 11 a.m.-8 p.m. on <u>Monday, November 18th</u> and let staff know you are there for St. Charles' Dining Out. We will receive at least 10% of sales that day. 11+ guests we will get 12% (from St. Charles sales).



ST. CHARLES DINING OUT!

Endter's Sports Grill in Hartland Wednesday, Nov. 27th - 4 pm to 8 pm

Endter's will donate \$5 for every large pizza and \$3 for every small pizza to St. Charles Parish School. Dine in or carry out. Don't forget to buy SCRIP for Endter's! They generously give us a 20% rebate on gift cards.



PARISH NEWS & EVENTS



Are you feeling called to serve in a ministerial setting? St. Charles Parish is responding to our incredible growth by seeking faith-filled, missionary disciples to join our AMAZING parish staff!

• Full-time Maintenance role to ensure the building and grounds are properly prepared to support our parishioners during the busiest times of the week - evenings and weekends.

· Director of Finance to lead and manage our parish finance and accounting ministry. This is an exceptional opportunity for an accomplished finance professional to work in a faith-filled environment. Perhaps you are looking to shift your career from the demands of the corporate sector? Have you or someone you know recently retired but are searching to make a fulfilling and purposeful contribution? Maybe you are looking to re-enter your career and are searching for a meaningful opportunity? We are seeking a seasoned, professional team member to lead our finance department, collaborating with our growing parish ministries and engaged community. Our Director of Finance is a full-time position offering a flexible work schedule to support family or personal needs. This position can be configured into a part-time commitment for the right candidate.

• Full-time and part-time opportunities supporting formation and sacramental preparation from baptism through confirmation and beyond. Is your heart on fire with the Lord to participate in the sacramental life of the church? Are you in a small group and feeling called to ministry? We have several beautiful opportunities awaiting the right person to leverage their transferable skills and walk with families in sacramental preparation, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, youth formation, middle school EDGE, high school LifeTeen, retreats, small groups, and much much more!

Benefits are heavenly! Staff retreats, Adoration, generous PTO, available healthcare insurance and pension plan. If you or someone you know is interested in learning more, please check our website or email Michelle Wick, Interim Human Resources, directly at mwick@stcharleshartland.org.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #3562 EXEMPLIFICATION CEREMONY

Knights of Columbus Council #3562 is proud to announce five new members who have joined the largest Catholic Men's organization in the world on October 28th. In 1882, our founder Father Michael McGivney saw in his church, St. Mary's in New Haven Connecticut, the number of families who were struggling with poverty, poor working conditions, premature deaths of heads of households, and anti-Catholic sentiment. Father McGivney saw how he could unite men of his parish in a common bond and by a common purpose to protect these families and serve their community. Today the Knights have over two million members worldwide, carrying on Father McGivney's vision. Council #3562 is composed of members from St. Charles, Queen of Apostles, St. Anthony on the Lake, St. Teresa of Calcutta, and St. Catherine. Consider carrying on Fr. McGivney's mission by contacting our membership director Dale Sitek at 262-649-6853 or camperdale@gmail.com



Pictured L to R, Front Row: Brad Hoffman, Leroy Zabinski, Matt Ellis, Matthew Fernholz, Jay Payne; Back Row: Tony Prater, Jim Heinen, Dale Sitek, Tyler Feldcamp, Tom McGilvra



BE A LIFE TEEN CORE TEAM MEMBER

Are you looking for a way to be involved at St. Charles? Consider joining the Lake Country Life Teen Core Team. This relational ministry provides an opportunity to walk with middle and high school teens on their faith journey. To learn more about the Core Team, please contact Bri Alexander at balexander@stcharleshartland.org.

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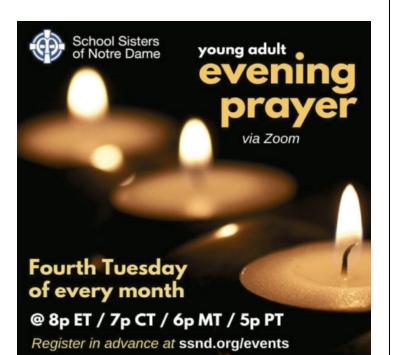
REDEMPTORIST RETREAT CENTER

2024-2025 DAYS OF PRAYER (Fee: \$ 30 per person)

Advent: Wednesday, December 11, 2024 Ash Wednesday: Wednesday, March 5, 2025 Spring: Wednesday, May 7, 2025

The day programs of prayer and reflection center on the importance of being transformed into the likeness of Christ. It is therefore, as believers, that we walk the pathway of faith. This is not a silent retreat.

To register for a retreat, visit www.redemptoristretreat.org





The Archdiocese of Milwaukee, in partnership with the Order of Malta, is pleased to announce the launching of a new program to provide an opportunity to be involved in prison ministry right from the comfort of your own homes.

Friends Through Pens is a pen pal mentoring program sponsored by the Order of Malta. As a volunteer, you would commit to anonymous monthly written correspondence to an inmate who has already been screened by the program. These inmates often feel alone and forgotten, and your inspiring words of comfort fill them with hope.

For more information, please contact Dcn. Jim Matthias (Matthiasj@archmil.org, 414-769-3454) or visit the following link: www.archmil.org/pen-pal-mentoring

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