

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

April 7, 2024 SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER



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WELCOME TO ST. CHARLES - WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

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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

TUESDAY TRADITIONAL MASS Monthly on the fourth Tuesday at 5:30 pm

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Our Perpetual Adoration Chapel will open Sunday, April 7th at 7 p.m. Sign up for an hour with our Lord! He is waiting for you!



RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 3:00pm - 4:00pm & Thursdays: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK/ ANOINTING MASSES

Due to the change in the School Mass schedule, celebration of the Sacrament of the Sick will now take place on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of every month during the 8:30 a.m. Mass. 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 April 7th



Sunday, April 7 ~ Dedication Weekend

7:00 am	† Albert Oskey
9:00 am	† Bill Cusma
11:00 am	† Amy Lamerand Zott
6:00 pm	Living and Deceased Members of St. Charles

Monday, April 8

8:30 am † Dick Seidl

Tuesday, April 9

8:30 am † Jim McLoone

Wednesday, April 10 8:30 am † Dolores Lompa

Thursday, April 11

8:30 am † Joseph Schaefer

Friday, April 12

8:30 am † Claude Fantozzi

Saturday, April 13

8:30 am	† James Flock
5:00 pm	Living and Deceased Members of St. Charles

Sunday, April 14

7:00 am	Living and Deceased Members of Crisci and
	Wernberg Families
9:00 am	† John Vrabel
11:00 am	† Herb Kipp
6:00 pm	Special Intention



WEDDING BANNS

2nd Bann ~ Amanda Bruening & Christopher Culp 3rd Bann ~ Makayla Alexander & Aaron Splan

Please pray for the repose of the souls of

Rose Leibundgut, Mary Anne Doyle & Rita Schroeder

May their souls 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 MARCH 10TH

FISCAL YEAR JULY 1 THRU JUNE 30

2023 - 2024			
Envelopes	\$24,439.37		
Offertory	\$3,042.38		
Weekend Total	\$27,481.75		
E-Giving	\$15,197.50		
YTD	\$1,865,160.14		

2022 - 2023

Envelopes	\$15,773.70
Offertory	\$2,105.08
Weekend Total	\$17,878.78
E-Giving	\$13,422.52
YTD	\$1,654,350.92



2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER (SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY) GOSPEL MEDITATION

A Protestant pastor friend of mine was invited to meet Pope Francis with a group of other pastors. He noticed the Pope's chair was especially ornate and set at the head of the group. He somewhat playfully said, "Holy Father, why do you get that special chair?" The group chuckled nervously at my friend's audacious chide.

The following year, the group was invited to return. They entered the room to find only simple chairs placed in a circle. Pope Francis entered, sat down in one of the humble chairs and, looking directly at my friend with a twinkle in his eye, asked, "What do you think of my chair now?" My friend was stunned that the Pope remembered his concerns — and took the time to answer them.

Thomas the apostle was certainly stunned by the Risen Jesus displaying his wounds in person. But he also must have been equally shocked that Jesus knew and answered his particular questions, worries, and even demands related to his faith. How humbled — and perhaps a bit terrified he must have been to realize God remembers his concerns and cares enough to answer them.

What questions or demands about Jesus do you find in your heart? Like Thomas, will you be bold enough to voice them this week? How wonderful to know that if we do so, God will remember and respond even to our most audacious desires.

~ Father John Muir ©LPi

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, April 14th Readings

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 (7a)/ 1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48

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

Reflection questions for Sunday, April 14th

• Peter challenges the religious leaders of Jerusalem who put Jesus to death to repent of their sins and be converted. Have you ever seen someone have a conversion to the faith?

• John tells us that we should turn to Jesus, our Advocate, when we sin and fail to keep his commandments. Can you think of a time when you sought Jesus in a time of need?

• The resurrected Jesus taught the disciples how they were witnesses to the Scriptures being fulfilled in his suffering, death, and resurrection and that forgiveness of sins was to be preached in his name. How might you share your faith this week at home or at work?

READ. REFLECT. RESPOND. REST.

Cut out and keep in your Bible for reference!



DEDICATION WEEKEND THANK YOUS





DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY CELEBRATING ON APRIL 14TH

What is Divine Mercy Sunday?

Since the year 2000, the Second Sunday of Easter is also known as Divine Mercy Sunday. This celebration finds its roots in the private revelations of a Polish nun, Faustina Kowalska, who lived in the early part of the twentieth century.

Sr. Faustina, though poorly educated, kept a diary during her short lifetime in which she documented her experiences of visions and conversations with Jesus. In her diary, Sr. Faustina wrote that she experienced an image of the Risen Lord, from whose heart two rays shone, one red (representing blood) and the other white or translucent (symbolizing water) with the words "Jesus, I trust in you" at the bottom. Sr. Faustina claimed that Jesus told her, "I promise that the soul that will venerate this image will not perish."

The Image of Divine Mercy is very familiar to Catholics. It symbolizes God's abundant mercy. Sr. Faustina's diary stresses the importance of God's mercy and our need to be open and accepting of that mercy. According to Sr. Faustina, it was Jesus' own wish that a Feast of Mercy be established on the Second Sunday of Easter, to "be a refuge and shelter for all souls ..."

Sr. Faustina died in 1938 and was canonized by Pope John Paul II in 2000. It was John Paul II who proclaimed during her canonization ceremony that the Second Sunday of Easter would also be known as Divine Mercy Sunday.

Devotion to the Divine Mercy has grown rapidly over the past twenty years, and there are many devotional practices including a novena, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, the Hour of Great Mercy (traditionally celebrated at 3 p.m.), and a plenary indulgence granted to those who receive the Eucharist and celebrate reconciliation on Divine Mercy Sunday.

Here at St. Charles, there will be a Divine Mercy Service from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. This service will include Eucharistic Adoration, veneration of the Image of Divine Mercy, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, and the opportunity for individual confession. All are welcome to come and pray with us.

Divine Mercy Sunday written by Elizabeth Thompson, St. Charles Liturgist



whose very nature it is to have compassion on us and to forgive us. do not look upon our sins but upon our trust which we place in Your infinite goodness. Receive us all into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart and never let us escape from It. We beg this of You by Your love which unites You to the Father and the Holy Spirit. Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon all mankind and especially upon poor sinners, all enfolded in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, show us Your mercy. that we may praise the omnipotence of Your mercy forever and ever. Amen.





PARISH NEWS & BEING A GOOD STEWARD



Outreach Services Team at the Brat Shack April 20th!

St. Charles' Outreach Services Team will be serving up brats, hamburgers and hot dogs on April 20 at the Piggly Wiggly Brat Shack! Come in for your first grilled brat of the season!



The 23rd Annual St. Charles Parish Golf Outing will be held on Monday, June 3 at Ironwood! More details and sponsorship opportunities to follow. Proceeds benefit the St. Charles Athletic Association. This is a great volunteer opportunity! For information or to volunteer, please email Ashley Leonhard at lillesandlaw@gmail.com.



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 **Monday, April 15th** and let staff know you are there for St. Charles' Dining Out. We will receive at least 10% of sales that day!



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ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY



FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: Laundry Detergent, Dishwashing Soap, Pancake Mix, Pasta Sides, Kleenex, Toilet Paper

In the Gospel on the Second Sunday of Easter, Jesus stands in the midst of us and says, "Peace be with you." As you place your gifts into the St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) Poor Box or donate food to the St. Charles SVDP Food Pantry, you say, "Peace be with you" to those who are in need. You are giving hope to your neighbors who seek the assistance of SVDP in order to feed, clothe and shelter their families. Thank you for generously supporting our ministry.

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. If you are in need of assistance or are interested in becoming a member of the SVDP ministry of service to the poor and needy, please contact us at 262-367-0800.



LAKE COUNTRY BREAD OF LIFE COMMUNITY MEAL AT ST. CHARLES

Thursday, April 25th Doors open at 4:30 pm Dinner is served at 5:30 pm

This month the meal is served by Church of the Resurrection. The meal will be lasagna.

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



ST. CHARLES DINING OUT!

Endter's Sports Grill in Hartland Wednesday, April 24th - 4 pm to 10 pm

Mention St. Charles and Endter's will donate \$5 for each large pizza or \$3 for each small pizza to St. Charles School. Offer good for dine in or carry out. For carry out call 262-369-0079. Remember to buy SCRIP for Endter's in the Parish Office and then spend it on April 24th.

Grieving with Great HOPE

FIVE-WEEK GRIEF SUPPORT WORKSHOP AT ST. CHARLES

April 13, 20, 27 and May 4 & 11

Saturdays, 9:30 - 11:30 am in the Life Teen Cafe

Grieving with Great HOPE is a five-week grief support workshop using a video on-demand format offered by St. Charles Bereavement Ministry. It offers a prayerful, practical and personal approach for anyone who is mourning the loss of a loved one. If you have lost a spouse, a child (including pregnancy loss), a grandchild, a parent, another family member or a friend, you are encouraged to attend. Presenters will include two priests as well as John and Sandy O'Shaughnessy from Good Mourning Ministry, a Catholic bereavement organization.

If you would like to register for the workshop, visit the parish website and click on the NEWS story to find the online registration form.

For more information or questions, please contact Maria Notch at mnotch@stcharleshartland.org.



WINE TASTING AT TABI'S FOR YOUNG COUPLES

The Discipleship Team invites all of the young couples of the parish to come sample four different wines and enjoy some charcuterie while hearing from a panel of three married couples. Each couple has a variety of experiences and range from a few years to forty years of marriage! Come ask questions and get advice on the secrets to a happy marriage!

Who: All dating and engaged couples and newlyweds

Where: Tabi's Lake Country (lower level)

When: Wednesday, April 24th at 6:30pm

Attendance is limited, and couples must register to attend. To register, search for "Private Event-Hannah Osborne" on tabislakecountry.com and purchase a ticket for \$30/person (\$60/couple)



SUPPORT OUR GALA

Register to bid on our Gala's silent auction items!

This is a free, easy way to support St. Charles from home. You do not need to be present at the Gala to bid, and you can pick up any items you win at our Parish Office the week of April 15.

You will also be able to purchase a spot in a buy-in party and vote for the class with the best "movie," which each grade level is directing and producing. The class with the most votes will win a movie party in the Gym! Register to bid by going to https://stcharlesgala.com.

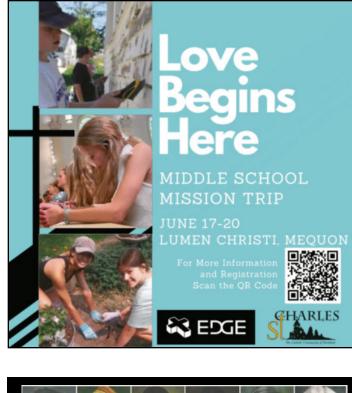
Grand Raffle tickets are still available!

Stop by our Parish Office on weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. to purchase tickets. They are \$20 each or five for \$100. Don't miss your chance to win \$4,000 cash or tuition credit!

Please contact Johanna Roslawski, our Gala Chair, at johanna@roslawski.us with any questions.



Michelle Johnson & Margrit Meier, Charlie & Matt Scherer, Wipert & O'Brien Families, Dena Brahm & Justin Radichel, Lisa & Stephen Andekian, Meghan & Anthony Berndt, Inda Family, Randa Family, Woelfle Family, Kristin & Francis Joyce, Stacey & Jim Mack, and Amanda & Mike Kleber





SIX BLACK CATHOLICS ON THE ROAD TO

Concert and Presentation Featuring ValLimar Jansen

Friday, May 3, 2024 7 p.m. St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church 3114 N. Second Street, Milwaukee



Celebrate the lives and achievements of the six Black Catholics currently on the road to sainthood. Come for an evening of culture, song, stories and soul!

This event is free and open to the public. For more information, please contact: Shanedra Johnson (414) 758-2215, johnsons@archmil.org Susan McNeil (414) 758-2214, mcneils@archmil.org





ARCHDIOCESE of Milwaukee Join the Vocation Office on this World Day of Prayer for Vocations Sunday, April 21, 2024 in praying for an increase of Vocations in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Heavenly Father, bless your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, religious brothers and sisters. Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of your Son, so that in Him, with Him and through Him, we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere. With Mary we ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.







AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

WITH THANKSGIVING TO GOD. we celebrate **MOST REVEREND** JEROME E. LISTECKI

In honor of his 75th Birthday and in anticipation of his retirement as shepherd of our archdiocese. Join us for regional Masses as we thank him for his spiritual leadership.

Thursday, May 23, 2024, 6:30 p.m. St. Anthony on the Lake, Pewaukee

Learn more about Archbishop Listecki's retirement and details about the regional Masses at www.archmil.org/Listecki



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Scan the QR code to purchase tickets and for more information. Or visit https://www.ballparkdayoffaith.org/



Holy Cross Parish at Bay Settlement

A 22-mile walking pilgrimage (shorter routes available) starting from the National Shrine of

St. Joseph at Old St. Joseph Church on the St. Norbert College campus in De Pere, WI to the

National Shrine of Our Lady of Champion. Saturday, May 4, 2024

Saint Peter and Paul Parish

Nicolet The Hospital Sisters

Get More Information and Sign Up to Walk at www.WalkToMary.com

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DAY OF HEALING BEYOND DIVORCE

Saturday, April 20, 2024 | 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Schoenstatt Sisters Retreat House W284 N698 Cherry Ln, Waukesha, WI 53188

Whether you are still in the process of divorcing or you have been divorced for years, this day of healing is offered to all. Explore divorce in a deeper, gentler way, including presentations that guide you in a relationship with yourself, with God, and with others.

Presenter: Marianne Skrobiak, MS, MA, LPC. Marianne is a licensed psychotherapist with many years' experience in separated and divorced ministry and author of the "Return to Life" series.

Cost: \$50 (includes lunch). Financial assistance is available. Note: Adults only please. People of all faiths are welcome! Pre-registration required: archmil.regfox.com/dayofhealing reaister

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Monday, April 15, 2024



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