



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

June 22 ~ June 28

Mon.	8:30	Daniel Foster †
Tues.	8:30	Susie Caturegli †
Wed.	8:30	Giuseppe Natucci †
Thurs.	8:30	Pietro Caturegli †
Fri.	6:30	Susie Caturegli †
	8:30	Anthony Escalle †
Sat.	8:30	Giuseppe Natucci
	5:00	Norma Figone †
Sun.	7:30	Souls in Purgatory †
	5:00	Bob Cook †

Please pray for the faithful departed of our St. Charles Community.

Sick Relatives and Friends

Please remember in your prayers: Ibrahim Abedrabbo, Esther Hilferty, Dawn Crecy, Christine Zika, Joe Vassallo, Barbara Peters, Yolanda Plut, Carmella Chellemi, Carmen Esquivel, Jim Mason, and Lois Clausen.

Are you are ill or homebound? Would you like members of the parish to pray for you? Do you know of someone who is, and would like to receive the Eucharist? Contact Kathy Fagliano at 591-7349 ext. 28.

Sacramental Giving

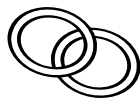
Weekend Offering ~ \$9,909

Thank you

CAST THE LIGHT OF CHRIST UPON THE WORLD

Next weekend, our parish will participate in the **Peter's Pence Collection for the Works of the Holy Father**. Please join in solidarity with the more than one billion Catholics worldwide in providing immediate emergency and disaster relief to our brothers and sisters through the Pope's special appeal. *Thank you!*

Stewardship by the Book: *Let us today give thanks to our Father in Heaven for the calmness that follows each of the storms in our lives. How can I use my gifts to calm the storms in other people's lives?*



St. Charles Recognizes the Gift of Marriage on June 28 at the 9:00 am Mass

Couples who have recently celebrated an anniversary in multiples of five (*i.e. 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, etc and 50 years & above*) are asked to contact Nancy Farrant at 591-7349 ext. 27 and say the number of years you are celebrating and if you will be able to attend the Mass and the reception to follow (in Borromeo Hall). The St. Charles parish community wants to celebrate you as you have been a witness to us in this holy sacrament of marriage.



FATHER'S DAY BLESSING

God our Father,
in your wisdom and love you made all things.
Bless these men,
that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers.
Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.
Grant that we, their sons and daughters,
may honor them always
with a spirit of profound respect.

—Book of Blessings, no. 1733

Today we remember and honor in a special way all of our fathers, living and deceased. We pray that God's abundant blessings may reward them for the gift of life that they have shared with us.

THANK YOU!!!

A big thank you to all who participated in Scripture Camp. Each year the kids have so much fun and again this year that was the case. The adults and junior leaders gave it their all and for that we are so grateful. This ministry is only possible because so many are willing to share their time and talents.

Thank you Thank you to all who work in Music Ministry here at St. Charles. The Children's Choir has ended for the year, and will resume in September. The Adult Choir goes on vacation until September and they have helped us make a joyful noise throughout the year. The Cantors will keep the music going throughout the summer and the Youth Ensemble at Sunday 5:00 will be going throughout the summer except for some short vacations. These are the people who help us sing: Children's Choir: Karim Abedrabbo, Nicholas Peters, Sophia Morey, Gracie Cardenas, Emily Hallamasek, Joshua and Christian Navarro, Danielle and Rachel Rataczak and Laura Goulet. Adult Choir and *Cantors: *Trisha Zylker, *Judi Moss, Meg Marnell, Arlie Aguirre, Margaret Saitta, Helen Albertsen, Reggie Korwek, Nabila Halaby, Karolyn McKenna, *Donna Pfeifer, Allene Sieling, Rosie Maffei, Amelia Palomera, Nenita Gonzalez, *Len Moss, *Sue Mara, David Hooper, Rob Maffit and Bill Mariani. Our leaders on piano and guitar: Chris Candelaria, Jim Stevens, Jack Nelligan, Norman DeVol, Keith Kube and our Youth group: Cathy Mariani, Janine Penafort, Mary Cunningham, Elizabeth Goulet, Gary Ahern and Ryan Saitta.

We are looking for more young people for the Youth ensemble, and at anytime, if you would like information about any of the music groups please contact Claire at 591-7349 or CGiovannetti@stcharlesparish.org.



The **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** is a process by which unbaptized adults become full members of the Roman Catholic Church. Although this process is for the unbaptized, we also include those who have been baptized in other traditions. It has been stated that the best kept secret in the Catholic Church is how to become a follower of Jesus. Many Catholics are not comfortable speaking about their faith, yet did you know that ALL Catholics are called to make known to the world the message of Jesus? The documents on the RCIA state that:

“the faithful should remember that...the supreme purpose of the apostolate is that the Church’s message is made known to the world by word and deed and that his grace is communicated.”

Therefore, consider inviting an unbaptized person to a function here at St. Charles, whether that be Wings, the Men’s Club, the parish picnic, and especially to Mass. Remember, it is your responsibility to welcome new members into the Church. It does not fall under one job description, rather it is in all of our job descriptions. To find out more about the RCIA process call Linda Burns, 576-3105 or Nancy Farrant, 591-7349 ext 27.

YOU ARE INVITED
TO THE
CONCLUDING EVENT
OF THE
YEAR OF ST. PAUL
AT
ST. PAUL CHURCH
(Church street between 29th and Valley Streets)
SAN FRANCISCO

ARCHBISHOP GEORGE H. NIEDERAUER
WILL CELEBRATE THE 12:15PM MASS
SUNDAY, JUNE 28TH, 2009

RECEPTION TO FOLLOW IN THE PARISH CENTER

ALL ARE INVITED
For further information contact 415-648-7538
www.stpaulsf.org

PLEASE SAVE YOUR DONATED ITEMS FOR US! San Mateo Pro Life is now accepting donated items for their upcoming Rummage Sale. For info call Vicki:365-5718 or Jessica:572-1468

17th San Francisco International Marian Conference
July 3-5, Crowne Plaza Hotel Conference Center
1221 Chess Drive, Foster City
“Mary Mother of Christ”

For information and registration call 800-456-4197
www.sraphael.com or www.straphaelministries.org

“PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY”

We will **not be meeting** on Wednesday, July 1st. Continue knitting, crocheting, and praying. We will see you at the next meeting on Wednesday, August 5th in the St. Charles Room.

Dat Nguyen, our former seminarian on pastoral year, just received orders that he will be in Charleston, South Carolina, for his training during July 2009. He will pray for all the parishioners while he performs his active duty training.

What is a Catechist

A catechist is...One who faithfully believes in Jesus and is a witness to His message. One who is Sacramentally alive and willing to share enthusiastically his/her faith with the youth in our community. Are you such a person? If you are considering becoming a catechist or are a catechist, there are several opportunities for growth over the summer. Here at the office we have a special program that you can bring home. The program is called *Echoes in Faith*, and it comes in a DVD format that you can learn at your own pace. The program is open to new and seasoned catechists. For more information, call Nancy Farrant, 591-7349, ex. 27.

Yahweh put out his hand and touched my mouth and said to me: "There I am putting my words into your mouth."

Jeremiah 1:9

BASIC CATECHIST FORMATION

The Parish Catechetical Leaders of Deanery 11 (Southern San Mateo County) are pleased to present four workshops for new and experienced catechists. These sessions offer credit for certification and recertification. The sessions will be held two different days and at different locations to accommodate busy schedules.

SCHEDULE		
Saturday 10 - 11:30am	Topic/Presenter	Tuesday 7 - 8:30pm
8/08/09	Finding God in all Things. <i>(Victor Baldez)</i>	8/11/09 St. Pius, RWC
8/15/09	Actively Engaging Children <i>(Sabrina Spence)</i>	8/18/09 St. Pius, RWC
8/22/09 St. Charles, SC	Feast Days and Prayers with Children of All Ages <i>(Nancy Farrant)</i>	8/19/08 St. Matthias, RWC
8/29/09 St. Charles, SC	What's the Big Deal about Mass? Liturgy and How we Worship <i>(Sr. Celeste Arbuckle, SSS)</i>	9/01/09 St. Matthias, RWC

Contact Your Director of Faith Formation or Religious Education to Register or Find out More.

**Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish
is looking for a
fulltime Youth Minister. Please
contact Fr. John Balleza at 650.366.3802
or email your resume to
parish@mountcarmel.org.**



Faithfulness of Christ, faithfulness of Priests

Pope Benedict XVI has declared a “**Year for Priests**” beginning with the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus on June 19, 2009. The year will conclude in Rome with an international gathering of priests with the Holy Father on June 19, 2010. With the announcement of this Year for Priests, the Pope has declared St. John Vianney the Universal Patron of Priests on the occasion of the 150th anniversary of the death of the Curé d’Ars.

Please pray for our priests that they might always be faithful to their sacred calling.

Almighty God, in your love
you bless your Church with priests,
a sign of your faithfulness to your people.

May our prayerful encouragement,
during this year and years to come,
help them remain faithful to the calling
they have received from you.

As they tend your flock,
grant them a caring heart.
In them may we know the voice of Christ,
our Good Shepherd, who lives and reigns
with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God forever and ever. *Amen.*



What is Your Catholic IQ?

1. The earliest parts of the New Testament to be written were the _____ (a) letters of St. Paul; (b) Gospels; (c) letters of St. Peter; (d) Book of Revelation
2. Slander is _____ (a) the same as coveting (b) unnecessarily saying something negative about a person even if it’s true (c) always sarcastic; (d) lying under oath
3. In the Church, “abstaining” means _____ (a) staying up all night to pray; (b) not eating meat; (c) not eating any food at all; (d) keeping strict silence for 24
4. While on the cross, Jesus said “Behold your mother” to (a) John the beloved disciple; (b) Peter; (c) Paul; (d) Nathaniel

Look for answers in next week’s bulletin