



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK February 1 - February 7

Mon.	8:30	Elizabeth Gallant †
Tues.	8:30	Anne McMahon †
Wed.	8:30	Faith Geier †
Thurs.	8:30	Daniel Ansaldi †
Fri.	6:30	Ernest Collato †
	8:30	Patrick Daly †
Sat.	8:30	Jo Kezer †
	5:00	Mary Ellen Brownlee & Frank Chaundrini †
Sun.	7:30	Erin Michelle Raiser †
	5:00	Rosalie Abrams †

Please pray for the faithful departed of St. Charles.

Sick Relatives and Friends

Please remember in your prayers: Bud Edwards, Alex Saunders, Carmen Campos, Zac Miller, Violet Bahre, Larry Panozzo, Eddie Beaudreault, Noreen Baker, Betty Cirigliano, Joe Vassallo, Barbara Peters, Carmella Chellemi, Carmen Esquivel and Jim Mason.

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

Weekly Offering - \$13, 549.50
Church in Latin America - \$2,220
Thank you!

Next weekend's second collection will benefit parish education

This Weekend...

St. Vincent de Paul Special Collection

According to the United Way of the Bay Area, it takes approximately \$63,000 in annual income to reach self-sufficiency for a family with one child. Twenty-two percent of our neighbors do not meet that salary requirement and job prospects are still challenging. This weekend, January 30th and 31st, is the first of only four St. Vincent de Paul 5th Sunday collections for 2010. Your donations assist families and single adults by providing food, clothing and furniture, rental assistance and utility payments. We help anyone in need regardless of race, creed, age, disability, or gender, and 92% of our county's St. Vincent de Paul tax-deductible donations go back into services for the poor. If you or someone you know is in need of assistance please contact us at 650-343-4405.

During this winter it is imperative to keep our neighbors sheltered, keep them fed, and help them retain hope. Please consider a donation this weekend if you are able to.
Thank you

Stewardship by the Book: *Jeremiah declares that the Lord knew him before he was born and dedicated and appointed him to his role as prophet even before he drew breath. We, too, are known and sent by the Lord. What deeds of love and service are mine to perform?*

Religious Ed. K-5th Grade: *Classes will resume today Sunday, January 31st and tomorrow, Monday Feb. 1st.*



Building Hope in Mexico

Sign Up for the Mexico Mission Trip

Calling all teens interested in joining the 2010 St. Charles Mexico Mission Trip. The **mandatory** sign-up meeting for high school teens **with parents** will be **Tuesday, February 9, 7:30pm in Borromeo Hall**. The trip dates are June 14-20. Forms will be available on-line on the parish website, or at the meeting.

Questions? Please contact Kevin Holden at 650-594-0361, or stcharlesangels@aol.com.

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY



Please join your fellow parishioners in Borromeo Hall after the morning Masses today for good conversation and hospitality.
The St. Charles Conference of St. Vincent de Paul is hosting.

"Prayer Shawl Ministry"

The next Prayer Shawl Ministry meeting will be held on February 3rd at 10:00 AM in the St. Charles' room. All women of the parish are invited to these fellowship meetings. If you want to learn to knit or crochet, then come and join us. Prayer shawls are made for those who are going through a difficult time in their life and are in need of comfort and prayer. The shawls are either knitted or crocheted and will be blessed by Father Dave or Father John before they are given to the recipient. If you would like more information about WINGS' special ministry, please call Lorie Boris 593-7339 or Linda Burns 595-2675. Donations are greatly appreciated and will be used only to purchase yarn. Please make checks payable to St. Charles Church, in the memo put WINGS/Shawls. Mail to Lorie Boris 1828 Carmelita Dr. San Carlos, CA.

Eucharist Adoration

First Friday, February 5th

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in the chapel at the parish center beginning at 9:00am and continuing until 10:00pm. All are welcome to spend some quiet time with Our Lord..."Can you not watch one hour with me?" (Mk 14:37)

WINGS of Support for Mothers in Need Series

During this season we will focus on the support of mothers who find themselves in difficult circumstances during their pregnancy.

**Join us at our next gathering to hear
adoption stories
Wednesday, Feb. 3 at 7:00pm
Borromeo Hall**

WINGS is hosting a Baby Shower for two expectant moms from First Resort. ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND this event on Wednesday, Feb 10th, 7:00pm in Borromeo Hall. Your unwrapped gifts can be dropped off at church after all Masses this weekend or next weekend. (Feb. 6 & 7; brought to the Parish Center office or to the February 3rd WINGS meeting. We hope you can join us for the shower on February 10. Refreshments will be served. Please RSVP to Marcie at 888-5528 or Esther 592-0567.

*** CENACLES OF LIFE PRAYER GROUP**

Every Wednesday after 8:30am Mass in the chapel join us for the Cenacles of Life Prayer Group. We pray two Rosaries and fast that day to protect life at all stages, especially the unborn.

** A 'cenacle' is a prayer group that prays the way the Blessed Mother and the Apostles prayed in the Upper Room, awaiting the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.*

Once again **San Mateo Pro life** will be holding a **40 Days for Life** campaign at Planned Parenthood, 2211 Palm Avenue, in Mateo during Lent. It begins Ash Wednesday Feb.17 and ends Palm Sunday, March 28. Prayers hours are 7 A.M. to 7 P.M. with at least two people present at all times. One can sign-up online at www.40daysforlife.com/sanmateo. On Saturday, February 20, members of St. Charles Respect Life will fill the hour prayer slots all day. To sign-up to give at least one hour call Barbara at 593-1785 or Joe at 207-6593.

GRIEF SUPPORT

A **grief group for Young Widows & Widowers** will begin at St. Gregory's in San Mateo on Wednesday, February 3rd from 7:00-8:30 pm. After 3 consecutive Wednesday meetings, the group will decide how often it will meet. If you are interested, contact the Group Facilitator, Melodie Lew, MFT at 650.532.0508, or Barbara Elordi, MFT, Grief Care Coordinator for the Archdiocese of San Francisco at 415.614.5506 or elordib@sfarchdiocese.org.

**First Friday Charismatic Healing Mass
St. Catherine's Church, Burlingame**

Friday, February 5, 2010.

6:45 p.m. Rosary, 7:00 p.m.

Benediction, 7:30 p.m. Mass.

Presider: Fr. John Sakowski

Music by The "BLD - *Bukas Loob sa Diyos Group*"

Light reception follows

Sponsored by the Charismatic Renewal Board of the Archdiocese of San Francisco.

Men's Club Dinner Meeting

Jeremy Shelly

Thursday, February 4th

Jeremy Shelley begins his 16th season with the San Francisco Giants baseball operations department, currently serving as the club's Senior Director of Baseball Operations/Pro Scouting. Please come join us and hear about the 2010 season, meet other men of the parish and get involved in one of our outreach ministries.

Borromeo doors open at 6:30pm. Admission is \$20 at the door and includes dinner and a chance to win one of our ever-popular door prizes!! Men's Club meetings are open to all men of the parish and their adult male guests, no reservations needed. For more information, email us at mensclub@stcharlesparish.org.

**BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!!
The Men's Club will be hosting:**

"Steve's Crab Dinner Extravaganza"

Circle your calendar for Saturday, March 27th as the Men's Club will be resurrecting the ever popular Crab Dinner Dance. This will be a fun filled evening for all as we feast family style on bread, salad, ravioli, mounds of fresh crab, complimentary wine and desert. Dinner will be followed by Live music and Dancing until the crabs go home. The cost will be \$40 per person and groups of 8 or more can reserve individual tables. The doors at Borromeo will open at 6:30 with dinner around 7:30. There will be a no host bar or bring a bottle of wine to share with friends.

For reservations please contact *Gene Shimshock* at mensclub@stcharlesparish.org or 650-631-7595.

There is limited seating at Borromeo Hall so reserve your spot early and drop off a check to *Gene* or the parish office.



St. Matthias Preschool in Redwood City is hosting registration meetings and tours starting **February 1st through February 12th.**

These meetings all start at 9:30am and are for parents only. Preschool is open to children who are 3 to 5 years of age and fully potty trained. The preschool offers a curriculum which enhances the social, emotional, physical and cognitive developmental growth of each child. If you are interested in attending one of the meetings, please contact the preschool office at (650) 367-1320.

LENT AT VALLOMBROSA

Lenten Prayer Service with the Vallombrosa Choir, Feb. 21, 2:00pm.

Busy Persons Retreat, Feb. 21 - Feb. 25

Private Silent Retreat, March 5 (4pm) through March 7 (1pm)

For more information and registration for these and other Vallombrosa retreats please visit our website at www.vallombrosa.org.

Jan. 31	Hospitality after the morning Masses, Borromeo Hall Religious Ed, 10:15am RCIA, 10:00am, St. Charles Room
Feb. 1	Religious Ed, 3:30pm EDGE Gathering, 6:30pm, Borromeo Hall
Feb. 3	Cenacles of Life Prayer Group, 9:00am, Chapel Prayer Shawl Ministry, 10:00am, St. Charles Room Children's Choir Rehearsal, 3:15pm, Church Youth Ensemble Rehearsal, 7:00pm, Church WINGS Gathering, 7:00pm, Borromeo Hall
Feb. 4	Men's Club, 6:30pm, Borromeo Hall Light Weigh Gathering, 7:00pm, St. Francis Room Adult Choir, 7:30pm, Church
Feb. 5	Eucharistic Adoration, 9:00am, Chapel
Feb 7	Religious Ed, 10:15am RCIA, 10:00am, St. Charles Room Charlie's Angels Council Mtg., 2:30pm St. Francis Room

What is Your Catholic IQ?

1. Which Sacraments are considered the Sacraments of Healing? (a) Baptism and Anointing (b) Reconciliation & Anointing (c) Reconciliation & Eucharist (d) Confirmation & Reconciliation
2. Catechism n. 1407 teaches us that "The Eucharist is the _____ and the _____ of the Church's life (a) heart & summit (b) alpha and omega (c) bread and butter (d) heart & soul
3. During Jesus' 40 days in the desert, he ate (a) locusts and wild honey (b) bread and wine (c) manna (d) nothing
4. The Lord's Prayer includes how many petitions? (a) seven (b) four (c) three (d) twelve

Check next weekend's bulletin for the answers!

Last week's answers to Catholic IQ

1. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi (a) Miserere nobis (b) et cum Spiritu tuo (c) Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus (d) Kyrie eleison. **Answer: (a) Agnus Dei is the Lamb of God in Latin. The first two verses of the Agnus Dei end with the words Miserere nobis, which means "have mercy on us".**
2. The book that contains the Scripture readings proclaimed at Mass is called the (a) Sacramentary, Lectionary (c) Ossuary (d) Roman Missal **Answer: (b) The Lectionary is arranged according to three cycles: A(Matthew), B(Mark), and C(Luke). John's Gospel is drawn from throughout each year and heavily in cycle B. We are currently in cycle C**
3. The correct term for a lay person who assists the priest with the distribution of Holy Communion is (a) Auxiliary Minister of Communion (b) Eucharistic Minister (c) Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (d) Acolyte **Answer: (c) Bishops, priests, and deacons are considered the Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. If a sufficient number of Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion is not available, the priest may call upon Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to assist.**
4. The Year of the Priest that we are currently celebrating marks the 150th anniversary of the passing into eternal life of this saintly priest. (a) John Bosco (b) John Vianney (c) John Gotti (d) John DeLaSalle **Answer: (b) Saint John Vianney (1786-1859), also known as the Cure of Ars, emphasized the benefits of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, often hearing confessions for hours on end.**