

ST. CHARLES PARISH COMMUNITY

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**Third Sunday of Lent
March 3, 2024**



THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

*We are people of Faith, Community, & Service,
centered in Jesus, we celebrate and worship
through Roman Catholic traditions.*

*As a community we welcome all cultures of God's
people. We serve God's people through outreach
and social justice.*

**St. Charles Church
SUNDAY MASSES**
Saturday evening Vigil, 5:00 pm
Sunday, 8:30 am & 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday-Friday 5:00 pm

St Matthias Church
1685 Cordilleras Road, Redwood City
SUNDAY MASS
Saturday evening Vigil, 5:00 pm
Sunday, 9:45 am

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Office Hours: Mon - Fri. 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Sacrament of Penance
Saturday, 3:30 - 4:00 pm or anytime by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration
First Friday of the month: 9:00 am - 10:00 am
Parish Center Chapel



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS March 4th ~ March 10th

Monday	5:00 pm	Pat Cauterucci †
Tuesday	5:00 pm	Manfred Umhofer †
Wednesday	5:00 pm	Frances Dos Remedios †
Thursday	5:00 pm	Joseph Schmuker †
Friday	5:00 pm	John Meany †
Saturday	5:00 pm	Edward Feeney †
Sunday	8:30 am	Anna Maria Kusber †
	11:00 am	Parishioners of St. Charles

Rest in Peace

John Casterman



Remember in your prayers the people of our parish community who are sick, awaiting surgery, recovering or homebound:

Joy K, Ben Macuga, Connie Romeo, Nancy Reynoso, Ida Figone, Aggie Perry, Marcia Baumgarten, Luke Castricone and Charles Attard.



*St. Charles Parish welcomes:
Brynnley, Isla & Reese Bassett
& Nora Zmuda
through the waters of Baptism.*

This week's 2nd collection will benefit Education Programs.
Thank you for your continued support!

Pray for VOCATIONS

"But whoever drinks the water I shall give, will never thirst."

Are you thirsting for an understanding of your vocation? If you think Jesus may be inviting you to the priesthood or consecrated life, contact the Vocation Office at (415) 614-5684 or email: vocations@sfarch.org.

Next weekend's 2nd collection will benefit Catholic Relief Services (CRS) Thank you for your continued support!



When Irish eyes are smiling...

Senior Luncheon

March 13th at Noon

Wear your **green** and join us for a corned beef sandwich prepared especially for you by the leprechauns of
"St. O'Charlie's."

To reserve a spot, please **RSVP** to Kathy Fagliano at 650-591-7349 Ext. 402 or email her at KFagliano@stcharlesparish.org

Caregivers are welcome. (Doors open at 11:45 am)

All reservations must be received by noon on Monday, March 11th!

Prayer Shawl Ministry:

This ministry is open to all who love to knit or crochet "Gifts of Love." We supply the yarn and you choose the gifts that you would like to create. This can be done in your home. The next Prayer Shawl Ministry social is scheduled for Wednesday, March 13th from 10:00-11:30am. in the St. Charles Room. If you know of someone who is going through a difficult time and could be comforted by one of our prayer shawls, please call Kathy Fagliano, Parish Minister to the Sick and Elderly, 591-7349 Ext. 402.

St. Charles Women's Club

Invites all women to share in an evening together on April 10th, at 7pm at Borromeo Hall for a movie about the inspirational true story of Father Stu.

This heartwarming movie, starring Mark Wahlberg, tells the story of Father Stu's journey from a down-and-out boxer who has a vision of the Virgin Mary while in the hospital and becomes a Catholic Priest because "God Wanted a Fighter . . . And He Found One"

Come and enjoy an evening together with popcorn, refreshments and this uplifting movie.

Sacraments and A Spotlight on Baptism!

Let's discuss our "outward signs of grace", the Sacraments and focus on Baptism 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. in the Parish Center Chapel on Sunday March 3rd!

Protecting God's Gifts— Part of our series - **The Catholic Way: Believe-Pray-Live** - no advanced preparation, attend any session and light refreshments.

Any questions – aspong@stcharlesparish.org

Participate in the Synod on Synodality!

Pope Francis invites the whole Church to participate in the next phase of the Synod on Synodality through engagement sessions that will inform the upcoming Synod of Bishops on Synodality in October 2024.

- **San Mateo**: Friday, March 8th, 7:00 – 9:00 pm at St. Matthew Catholic Church
- **Marin**: Saturday, March 9th, 10:00am – Noon at St. Raphael Church
- **San Francisco**: Saturday, March 9th, 2:00 – 4:00pm at St. Mary of the Assumption Cathedral

More details available through the Archdiocesan website at:

www.sfarch.org/synod

Around the Lenten Circle

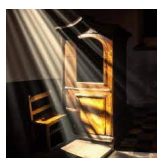
Let's journey through Lent together! As we prepare to celebrate Jesus' resurrection, we will reflect on God's messages to us, connect our faith to our daily lives and be inspired to share God's love with others. Please join us for conversation on Thursdays during Lent (March 7th, 14th and 21st) from 7 – 8 p.m. in the Parish Center Chapel. **For all parishioners – no matter where you are in life and in your faith.** No advanced preparation required. Attend any or all of the sessions. **Contact Alison** (aspong@stcharlesparish.org) with any questions.

Interested in visiting incarcerated young people 12 to 18 years old at San Francisco Juvenile Justice Center?

Attend a 2-day training Saturday, March 23 and Saturday, March 31, 2024. Training location: 1 Peter Yorke Way, San Francisco, CA 94109, Time: 8:00AM – 4:00PM

To schedule a screening interview, contact Julio

Escobar at escobarj@sfach.org or call 415 614-5572.



"The lights are on for you."

Reconciliation during Lent:

Wednesday evenings

6:00pm to 7:00 pm

And Saturday afternoons,

3:30pm to 4:00pm

Did you know?
The Parish Center Chapel is open daily from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm for prayer and quiet visits. When visiting, please enter and exit through the Grotto doors.

A "Must Listen" Lenten Event**Father Samuel and St. Jude Community School**

Please come to hear Father Samuel speak about the school he started in Uganda, St. Jude Community School, on Sunday, March 10th from 9:45 to 10:15 in the Church. The school is dedicated to promoting children's, and especially girls' education and helps them with self-sufficiency and health. The school has grown from 8 children to 320! We look forward to seeing you. Any questions: aspong@stcharlesparish.org.

Lenten Soup Supper Followed by the Stations

Please come "break bread" and enjoy soup and conversation with others in our parish community each Friday during Lent at 6:15 p.m. Feel free to stay for the Stations of the Cross in our lovely Grotto at 7:00 p.m.! We will meet in the Small Hall (next to the Borromeo Kitchen) and move out to the Grotto after supper. Feel free to bring your own soup bowl (bowls will be provided). Come share good food and fellowship March 8th, 15th and 22nd).

No RSVP is necessary. Questions:

aspong@stcharlesparish.org.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS—During Lent
FRIDAYS IN THE GROTTO

7:00 pm



I did this for you—

Praying the stations with the understanding of my belonging to the God who loves me so much, He gave his life for me.

This special interpretation will be presented by **Sister Toni Lynn Gallagher RSM** on Friday, March 15th at 7:00pm in the Grotto, located behind the Parish Center. For questions, please contact **Kathy Fagliano** at 650-591-7349 or

KFagliano@stcharlesparish.org.



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