ST. CHARLES PARISH COMMUNITY Fifth Sunday of Lent March 17, 2024



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I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts;
I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

Jeremiah 31:33

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

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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

ST. CHARLES CHURCH MARCH 17, 2024



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS March 18th ~ March 24th

Monday	5:00 pm	Janet Jurian †
Tuesday	5:00 pm	Glenn Berrea †
Wednesday	5:00 pm	Tony & Frances Dos
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Thursday	5:00 pm	Grace Wasmer †
Friday	5:00 pm	Margaret Pitt †
Saturday	5:00 pm	George Kramer †
Sunday	8:30 am	Marlene Muscat †
	11:00 am	Parishioners of St. Charles



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.





Pray for VOCATIONS

"Did I not assure you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?" Do you believe Christ may be calling you to see the glory of the Blessed Trinity through vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life?

Contact the Vocations Office:

(415) 614-5684 or email: vocations@sfarch.org.



St. Charles Parish welcomes:

Lane Patrice Van Alstyne

through the waters of Baptism.

Coming Soon
Training for New Altar Servers

Parents of 4th graders and higher, if your child is interested in becoming an altar server, please contact Caren at fiorcaren@gmail.com.

The Catholic Way: Believe-Pray-Live
On a break for St. Patrick's Day
See you on the 24th for the
Triduum and Easter!
Any questions—
aspong@stcharlesparish.org



ST. PATRICK'S DAY FREE

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Please join our community,

all are welcome!

Sunday, March 17th, 8am to 10am at St. Charles Parish—Borromeo Hall.

"The lights are on for you."

Reconciliation during Lent:
Wednesday evenings 6:00pm to 7:00pm &
Saturday afternoons, 3:30pm to 4:00pm



What a tremendous turnout for Father Samuel's Presentation about the St. Jude Community School, Uganda!

We enjoyed the video, were inspired by Father Samuel's explanations and were delighted by all the children's questions

("Does the school have a playground?").
The school and Father Samuel thank you for all the donations made at the presentation! If you would like to donate, you can send it to the Parish Center (dropping it in the slot in the front door or by mail) (care of Father Samuel) and the name is the

St. Jude Community School Uganda.

Any questions: smusiimenta168@gmail.com

Mexico Mission 2024

Our mission dates are June 17-23. So far we have 14 teens who have signed up – space is limited. We are looking for a few more adults to join us. Interested teens and adults should contact Carlos DeMarchena cell/text 650-520-3725 or cfdemarchena@gmail.com. Come and "Build Hope" for those in need.

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St. Francis Center Outreach Clothing Drive:
We will be at St. Charles Church today
Sunday, March 17th from 8:30 to 11:00am.
Please donate your gently used items.
Thank you!

St. Vincent de Paul

This weekend we will continue our outreach to **St. Francis of Assisi**, our sister parish. We will be collecting donations of non-perishable food, paper products, disposable diapers, and toiletries after the Sunday morning mass. **Thank you** for your continued support of our East Palo Alto neighbors!

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

Attend a 2-day training on Saturdays, March 23 and
March 30, 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.

St. Augustine Parish, Special Needs Retreat for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities

Saturday , April 20, 11:00am to 2:30pm

3700 Callan Blvd, South San Francisco (Parish Center)

We invite our Special Needs Community to join us for a retreat filled with prayer time, stories of our faith, and caring friends. For ages 6 to young adult.

Free registration, plus a free t-shirt and lunch provided. Please contact Lorna Feria at the Office of Faith Formation at 415-614-5654 or 415-370-7340 or



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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 22nd.

No RSVP is necessary. Questions: aspong@stcharlesparish.org.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS—During Lent FRIDAYS IN THE GROTTO at 7:00 pm Praying the stations with the understanding of my belonging to the God who loves me so much, He gave his life for me.

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 Thursday, March 21st from 7 – 8 pm 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.

St. Charles Women's Club

Invites all women to share in an evening together on April 10th for a movie about the inspirational true story of <u>Father Stu</u>.

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".

Borromeo Hall 6:15 pm popcorn/social time Movie will start at 6:30pm

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