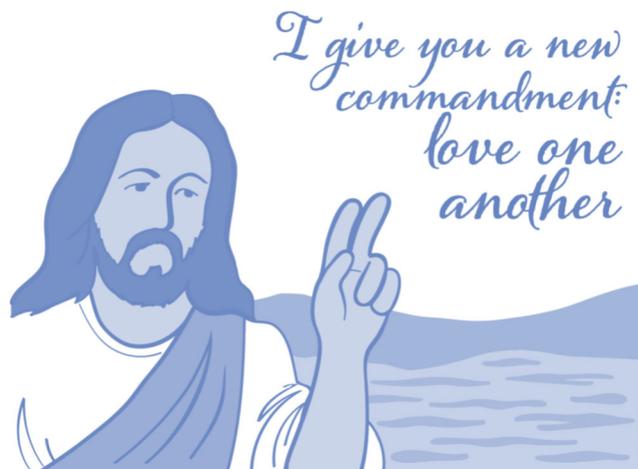


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May 19, 2019
Fifth Sunday of Easter



Years ago the Lysol® brand of cleaning products was promoting a new toilet brush, one that has the liquid cleanser and disinfectant stored inside the handle. Television became its midwife, promoting it as the new generation of toilet bowl cleaners. The ad concluded with a series of housewife testimonials, the final one of which attested, *“It has changed my life!”* It was but another appeal to our hidden longing that our lives be made new. Or consider the abundance of television makeover programs, even a surgical makeover—the “extreme” makeover. Each of us in some way longs to be made new, sometimes vicariously and sometimes personally.

One of the paradoxes of life is that the more we seek ourselves, the more we lose ourselves; and the more we are willing to lose ourselves, the more we find ourselves. It is, of course, only another way of speaking about love. It seems to be a simple rule of thumb. If your life is in chaos or disarray, if you find yourself unsettled and discombobulated, then forget about your own life and begin to focus on the lives of others. It is how love works, if indeed love does any work at all. It is love that makes us new. It is the ultimate makeover, simply because God is love.

Weapons and war will never create peace; only compassion will, and justice, and heartfelt care for all of humanity. Punishment and the inhumane conditions of prison life will never remake the soul of one who is incarcerated, only hope for a future and a nurturing of the human spirit will. More liturgical regulations and prescriptions will never bring deepening faith life to our eucharistic assemblies; only love for one another will, and the healing we so desperately need.

—Rev. Joseph J. Juknialis
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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

May 20 ~ May 26

Mon.	8:30am	Dorthey Kavaliunas †
Tues.	8:30am	Charlene Xu May (L)
Wed.	8:30am	Andrew de los Reyes & Geronimo de los Reyes III †
Thurs.	8:30am	Edward & Terry Roman †
Fri.	6:30am	Marion Hughes †
	8:30am	LaVern Cove †
Sat.	8:30am	Marichu Lim (L)
	5:00m	Staff of St. Charles School (L)
Sunday	5:00pm	Benefactors of the Rosselli Family (L)

Please pray for the faithful departed
of our parish community. †



The **Rosary** is prayed **daily at 8:00am**
before the morning Mass
at the statue of our Blessed Mother.
You are welcome to join us.

Please pray for the people in our parish community who
are sick, awaiting surgery, recovering or homebound,
especially: Monique Donecho, Sherrie Bayer, Pat Cau-
terucci, Frank D. Thompson, Helen L. Thompson, Lillian
Dacquist, Patricia Snowden, Alma Brennan, Laurette
Hollywood, Josie Heath, Armando Botello, Pat Boland,
Bob McCormick, Nicholas Jerrold, Rosie Maffei, Grace
Wasmer, Nicholas Peters, Peggy Saunders, Carmen
Esquivel, and their caregivers.

Mexico Mission 2019

Mexico Mission Trip Collection this Weekend

This weekend you will have the opportunity to
participate in the Mexico Mission Trip by donating
through our second collection. This year marks 27
years of "Building Hope" for those who are less fortu-
nate. What an amazing journey it has been for our
youth as well as the adults who have and continue to
participate. It takes time, talent and treasure to com-
plete the journey each year.

Thank you for your support!



St. CHARLES SCRIPTURE CAMP 2019

June 24th - June 28th

**Are you ready for an African adventure
that engages the whole herd?**

You can still register for camp on the Scripture Camp
webpage on our parish website. The Junior Leader
selection process is also there. We welcome parent
volunteers too! With any questions, please contact
Alison at scripturecamp@stcharlesparish.org!

Volunteer Opportunity. Please consider
joining the St. Charles **Children's Liturgy
of the Word** team. You will be amazed at
the joy that comes from spending those
twenty minutes during the 8:30am Sunday
morning Mass with the children of the par-
ish to talk about the Word of God.

Please contact Allison Stastny 650-465-
1368 for details.

MOVING FROM THE PARISH? NEW TO ST. CHARLES?

During the summer months people move in and out of
the parish. In order to maintain our parish records as
accurately as possible, it is important that the Parish
Office be notified of any changes. For those who are
moving to another area, we wish you many blessings
in your new home and ask that you please let us know
the date you are leaving. For those of you who are
new to the parish, we extend a warm welcome and
ask that you please stop by the parish office to fill out
a registration form. It only takes a few minutes and is
very painless. Our office hours are 9:00am to 4:30pm
Monday through Friday, and 8:00am to 1:00pm on
Sundays.

You may also register online at our website:
www.stcharlesparish.org under the headline
"new to St. Charles."

Stewardship by the Book: In today's Gospel, Jesus
gives His disciples — and us — a new commandment:
"Love one another." Good stewards who spend their
time and talents in service to others are well on their
way to fulfilling this commandment.

For parish updates visit www.stcharlesparish.org.

Italian Catholic Federation

ICF will have Laurice Levine as guest speaker at our next meeting on **Tuesday, May 21st**. Laurice will be speaking on Cooley's Anemia, which is a disease that affects children of Mediterranean ancestry. Most children affected do not live to adulthood. Cooley's Anemia is ICF's National Charity. Laurice is a survivor of this disease, due to research that was made possible by ICF's support. I have heard her speak at conventions about her experience with the disease, and the improvements in treatments through the research that is being done at Children's Hospital in Los Angeles.

Laurice is a dynamic speaker with a compelling story. If you would like to join us for a pork tenderloin dinner, please call Barbara Borra at 593-4118 **ASAP** to make a reservation. The cost of dinner is \$15 and will be served at 6:00pm. If you would like to attend the meeting and hear Laurice speak, please join us at 7:00pm. Hope to see you at our May meeting!

ICF Branch #327

D-Day Special

Join us on Wednesday, June 5 in the St. Charles Room at 6:00pm in special recognition of the heroism of tens of thousands of young men who stormed the beaches of Normandy 75 years ago in their mission to eradicate the great evil of their time. Many made the ultimate sacrifice in the quest, but not in vain, for their goal was realized on May 8, 1945 when Nazi Germany surrendered.

After this brief review of D-Day, the film "Gosnell" will be shown which is a part of an attempt to eradicate a great evil of our time. This movie depicts what the consequences can be if there is disdain for the sanctity of human life. It also illumines special need for God's mercy whenever this evil exists, which Mother Teresa stated was the primary obstacle to world peace. It also illuminates the necessity of respect for Gospel values, especially the Gospel of Life.

Memorial Day Services

Memorial Day, May 27, is a day set aside to honor those who have given their lives in service to our nation and to pray for all our beloved dead. All are welcome to attend Mass at one of our local Catholic Cemeteries.

Mass locations and times are:

9:30am • Our Lady of the Pillar Cemetery
980 Miramontes St., Half Moon Bay

11:00am • Holy Cross Cemetery
1500 Mission Rd., Colma

11:00am • Holy Cross Cemetery
Santa Cruz Ave. at Avy, Menlo Park

11:00am • Mt. Olivet Cemetery
270 Los Ranchitos, Rd. San Rafael

SAVE THE DATE
SATURDAY
September 21, 2019
6:00-10:00pm

Saint Charles Men's Club Presents...

LOBSTER BOIL

In the Grotto

\$60 per person • Seating Limited
Send reservations to
genes@shimshock.com

- No Host Bar
- Featuring Mr. Philpott's Famous "Lobsterhattans"
- Bring your own Wine to Share
- Live Music



We invite the
St. Charles Parish Community
to join us in praying the
Divine Mercy Chaplet
Fridays from 2:45-3 pm
(Inside St. Charles Church—
entrance from parking lot)
New to Divine Mercy?

Easy to follow instructions will be provided. Divine Mercy is Jesus' direct call to us through St. Faustina (1935) and confirmed by St. (Pope) John Paul II (2000) "Hour of Great Mercy"— three o'clock each afternoon (recalling the time of Christ's death on the cross). In His revelations to St. Faustina, Our Lord asked for a special remembrance of His Passion at that hour. (www.thedivine Mercy.org)

Do you know that more than 1,500,000 couples in over 92 countries have experienced a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend**? They found something worth passing on the **next Marriage Encounter Weekends** include: **Aug 9-11, 2019 in San Francisco, CA** and **Nov 8-10, 2019 in Menlo Park, CA**. For more information and/or to register for a Weekend, visit our website at: sanjosewme.org or contact **Ken & Claranne** at applications@sanjosewme.org or **408-782-1413**.

Volunteers Needed

Last year the Society of St. Vincent de Paul served over 78,000 meals to the hungry and homeless in San Mateo County. Volunteers are needed to help serve at our Homeless Help Centers in South San Francisco and San Mateo. Sign up to volunteer with us by visiting <http://svdpsm.org/volunteer/> and filling out the volunteer application, or call Ginny at 343-1272 to get more information. Help us feed the hungry!

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WORSHIP

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday evening vigil
5:00pm
Sunday
8:30 & 11:00am, 5:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Friday 6:30am Mass
Mon.- Fri. 8:30am Mass
Saturday
8:30am

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

6:30, 8:30am & 7:00pm

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday, 3:30-4:00pm
Anytime by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday
9:00am-10:00pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism is available for all children of St. Charles Parish. Prior to setting a date for the Baptism, parents are required to attend a Baptismal preparation session and may do so prior to the baby's birth.

R.C.I.A.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

is a process by which adults prepare to enter fully into our faith community through Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

It is required that a couple contact one of the parish clergy at least 6 months before the tentative wedding date to begin the preparation process.

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Office Hours Mon - Fri.
9:00am - 4:30pm

Sunday Parish Office

8:00am - 1:00pm
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593-1629
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BULLETIN DEADLINE
Tuesday by 10:00am