Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 12, 2018

St. Charles Parish  
90th Anniversary Celebration  
1928-2018

Saturday, September 1, 2018  
5:00pm Mass

6:00pm Social Hour with complimentary champagne, wine, beer, soft drinks and water  
7:00pm Dinner is complimentary with beer and wine available for purchase  
**Reservations Required: Seating is Limited!**

Please complete your registration form and be sure to include *all* names of those planning to attend and return by August 15, 2018

If you are interested in volunteering or have questions, please contact Dianne Bonino at ddbonino@aol.com, or Aleli Arevalo at alelicarevalo@gmail.com.

*See you on Saturday, September 1st!!*
ST. CHARLES CHURCH

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK
August 13~ August 19

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Please pray for the people in our parish community who are sick, awaiting surgery, recovering or are homebound, especially: Pat Cauterucci, Mary Margaret Flynn, Joyce McCarthy, Josie Heath, Armando Botello, Pat Boland, Eduardo Hernandez, Bob McCormick, Nicholas Jerrold, Rosie Maffei, Grace Wasmer, Nicholas Peters, Mary Johnson, Peggy Saunders, Carmen Esquivel, their caregivers, and the elderly and homebound of our parish.

Religious Education K-4 and The Edge

We are looking forward to seeing everyone in September!

2018-2019 registration forms and information are posted on the relevant webpages at www.stcharlesparish.org.

Please email any questions to aspong@stcharlesparish.org

(Alison Spong, Coordinator for K-4)

or tami@stcharlesparish.org

(Tami Palladino, Edge/Confirmation)

All families with preschoolers:

We invite you to a short demonstration of a new pilot program for the 8:30am Mass - Preschool Pray and Play! The first demo will be after the 8:30am Mass TODAY, in the room across from the bathrooms at the main entryway of the church.

For questions contact Alison at aspong@stcharlesparish.org.

Mission Collection This Weekend

This weekend, St. Charles is participating in the Mission Appeal Initiative organized by the Missionary Cooperative Plan of the Archdiocese of San Francisco. This year we are happy to welcome The Daughters of Divine Love Congregation. They are a Pontifical and International order of religious women founded in Nigeria in July 1969 by Bishop Godfrey Mary Paul Okoye, C.S.Sp., during the Nigerian Civil War (Biafra War). The congregation has over 900 sisters ministering in 15 countries around the world. The members pronounce the public vows of Chastity, Poverty, and Obedience, and dedicate themselves to contemplation and apostolic work.

Their apostolates include: working among the very poor of our society: the rejected, the homeless, challenged children and adults in homes and in the streets, homes for battered women and children, babies affected by drugs.

School work: as Principals, Teachers, Teacher-aidss, Counselors, and Caretakers.

Hospital work: as Doctors, Nurses, Administrators, Pharmacists, Chaplains and Caring services.

Parish Apostolate: Pastoral-assistants, Directors of Religious Education, Eucharistic Ministers, CCD and RCIA Teachers and Youth ministries in parishes and schools.

The Congregation, recognized by their blue veils, serve many who struggle throughout the world. Your support is very much appreciated.

For more Information please visit their Website: ddldev.org
or Facebook page: Daughters of Divine Love Development Ministry.
San Carlos Day of Service
September 23rd, 10AM - 4PM
https://www.sancarlosdayofservice.org/

Join us for a one-day celebration of our wonderful city through acts of community service. Our city is unique in its vibrant identity and pride. We want to celebrate and grow our community through a day dedicated to giving back throughout San Carlos.

St. Charles parish will be participating again this year by collecting new, BPA-free plastic or stainless steel water bottles. There are plastic bins in church for the water bottle donations. The San Carlos Day of Service "headquarters" will be set up at the Burton Park bandstand throughout the day on September 23. We will have several "drop in" volunteer projects at Burton throughout the day.

Join with your friends and neighbors and give back to San Carlos!

Help Wanted

Hospitality Sunday Coordinator
Are you looking for a fun way to connect with the parish community?

Hospitality/Donut Sunday is a great way to do just that! Right now we are off for the Summer, but we're looking for a leader to take over in the Fall. We will work with you to get you organized and ready to go!

For more information contact the parish office at 650-591-7349 ext. 404 or email parishoffice@stcharlesparish.org.

Parents engage your children and interact about how Mass nurtures our spirits and our lives!

Please have your child pick up a Step by Step (4-7 year olds) or Footprints in Faith (7-12 year olds) Gospel activity sheet (and a pencil) on the way into Mass. They can solve puzzles, complete searches, and connect to the Gospel message - all in the pew! Also remember to pickup a Partners in Faith Summer Handout and a July/August Family Activity Calendar! These resources are available at all Masses in the vestibule closest to the Rectory and in the grand entrance close to the Holy Water font.

The Women's Catholic Scripture Study of San Mateo County invites you to join us for our 2018-19 study: Thus Says the LORD: God Speaks through His Servants the Prophets. Women of all ages from parishes all around the Bay Area are invited. We meet at St. Mark Catholic Church, Belmont on Thursdays, 9/6/18-5/9/19 (with holiday breaks), 9:45am - 12noon. For more info: www.cssbelmont.com. To register, please contact either Diane Masetti at diane@cssbelmont.com or 650-593-3681 or Tami Palladino, at tami@stcharlesparish.org or 650-591-7349, ext. 405. Thank you.

STRENGTHENED BY THE BREAD OF LIFE

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
I am the living bread that came down from heaven.
— John 6:51

Today we resume the "Bread of Life" discourse from John's Gospel that began two weeks ago. He makes reference to the Jews' ancestors who ate manna in the desert. These days we would think primarily of Israel wandering in the desert, but faithful Jews would also have known the story of Elijah that we hear today. Strengthened by food and drink in the desert, the angel of the Lord sends him on his forty-day and forty-night journey (the biblical number for a preparation time). Like the food given to Elijah in the desert, Jesus tells his listeners that he is bread for the life of the world. It is very important that we not stop listening to Jesus after his promise of eternal life - a marvelous promise, but this "reward" is not the only reason we feast on the Bread of Life. We also come to the table to be made strong for the journey of mission, that the whole world might have life in the fullness of Christ. We are compelled, if we have eaten of the bread of life, to go forth in service to all.

Stewardship by the Book: Assumption (August 15) "After Jesus, it is the Blessed Virgin Mary who by her example most perfectly teaches the meaning of discipleship and stewardship. . . She was called and gifted by God; she responded generously, creatively and prudently; she understood her divinely assigned role as 'handmaid' in terms of service and fidelity.” (U.S. Bishops’ pastoral letter, Stewardship: A Disciple’s Response)

Outreach to our Sister Parish

Next weekend we will continue our outreach to St. Francis of Assisi, our sister parish. We'll be collecting donations of non-perishable food, paper products, diapers, and toiletries after the Sunday morning Masses.

Thank you for your continuing support of our East Palo Alto neighbors.
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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

**HOLIDAYS OF OBLIGATION**
- 6:30, 8:30am & 7:00pm

**SACRAMENT OF Penance**
- Saturday, 3:30–4:00pm
- Anytime by appointment

**Eucharistic 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.

**Parish Office 591-7349**
- Office Hours Mon - Fri. 9:00am - 4:30pm

**Sunday Parish Office**
- 8:00am - 1:00pm
- Rectory

**St. Charles School 593-1629**
- Extended Day Care 593-1629 ext. 312

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**
- Tuesday by 10:00am