#### ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH

#### **Diocese of Tyler**

December 19, 2021: Fourth Sunday of Advent

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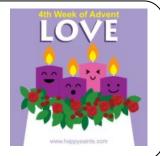


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#### WELCOME TO OUR **PARISHIONERS** AND VISITORS

We welcome you with great joy to our parish family. We are blessed by your visit.



#### **Mission Statement:**

Sharing God's love each day

#### **Vision Statement:**

Listening and responding each day to God's call to love

#### Reverend Father Mark Kusmirek, Pastor

Cell: 936-218-6710

Email: pastor.stcharlesfrankston@gmail.com

Office Manager/Sacristan

Therese Burgamy

Director of Religious Education/Youth

Weekend	Schedule:
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Holy Mass Saturday 4:00 PM 9:00 AM Sunday

Weekday Schedule:

Daily Mass: Tuesday-Friday 8:00 AM First Friday: Mass and Eucharistic Adoration 6:30 PM

**Church Office Hours:** 

Tuesday and Wednesday 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM Thursday 8:30 AM to 12:00pm Columbarium Business By appointment only

**Diocesan Ethics & Integrity Contact:** 

Very Rev. John Gomez, JCL 903-266-2159

promoter@dioceseoftyler.org

#### RCIA and/or Adults missing sacraments: Contact Fr. Mark

Faith Formation Classes Sept-May:

Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm Pre-K through High School students Contact Carolyn Seifert for schedule

Sunday 10:15-11:15am Sacraments Class Parish Hall

Baptisms—Contact Father Mark

Marriages—The priest must be contacted 6 months before the wedding. Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confessions

One hour before weekend Masses

Or by appointment

Carolyn Seifert **Ethics and Integrity** Mo Watkins 972-841-9739 **Pastoral Council Chair** Gary Chance 903-876-5876 **Finance Committee Chair** 903-508-3226 Bruce Harbert Parish Bookkeeper Mary Ann Cluley bookkeeper.stcharlesfrankston@gmail.com Helping Hands Food Bank Coordinator 940-257-8141 Mary Ann Cluley **Ministry Coordinator** 903-876-7319 Gail Eubank **Parish Nurse** Sue Owens, R.N. 903-530-4226 Columbarium Chair Jimmy Johnson 903-948-3861 St. Charles Men's Club President 903-571-5921 Anthony Vrba Ladies of St. Charles President Ramona Chance 903-876-5876 **Church Maintenance** Gary Chance, Lead 903-876-5876 Richard Connor 903-876-7332 **Choir Director** Ramona Chance

St. Charles Borromeo Parish Staff

903-876-3309

903-539-4143

**Church Art and Environment** 

903-876-4190 Suzanne House

Webmaster

Ed Last

#### Monthly Meetings

St. Charles Men's Club 6:00 PM 1st Monday Ladies of St. Charles 1st Tuesday 6:00 PM Parish Pastoral Council As needed, determined by pastor

#### **Important Diocesan Websites**

Diocese of Tyler: www.dioceseoftyler.org St. Philip Institute: www.stphilipinstitute.org Catholic East Texas News: catholiceasttexas.online/



# Ot. Charles Borromeo, pray for us! Have a very merry and blessed Christmas!



#### **PARISH AND DIOCESAN NEWS**

- We will be decorating the church for Christmas this weekend after the 9:00 AM Mass. We need lots of help. Please come!!
- There will be a choir program and Christmas carol sing along one half hour before the 4:00 Vigil Mass on Christmas Eve.
- Religious give thanks. A sister writes, "Our prayers belong most of all to the generous benefactors whose donations have made this financial assistance possible." *Thank you for supporting last week's Retirement Fund for Religious Collection*. Visit retiredreligious.org to learn how your gift supports elderly sisters, brothers, and religious order priests.

#### **CHRISTMAS SEASON DATES AND TIMES:**

Friday, Dec. 24th: 4pm & 6:30pm Vigil Mass for Christmas

Saturday, Dec. 25th: 9am Mass for the Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord

Saturday, Dec. 25th: 4pm Vigil Mass for the Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, & Joseph

Sunday, Dec. 26th: **9am** Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, & Joseph Friday, Dec. 31: **6:30pm** Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Saturday, Jan. 1: **4pm** Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord

Sunday, Jan. 2: 9am Mass for the Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord

Saturday, Jan. 8: 4pm Vigil Mass for the Baptism of the Lord

Sunday, Jan. 9: 9am Feast of the Baptism of the Lord



#### \*\*\* SPECIAL CONFESSION TIMES THIS WEEK\*\*\*

Wednesday, December 22: **2pm-4pm**Thursday, December 23: **4pm-6pm**Friday, December 24: **12pm-2pm** 



- Please contact Therese in the Parish Office if you have a loved one you lost in 2021 and would like them remembered on the back of the bulletin during 2022. Deadline is Wednesday, December 22.
- The special collection on Christmas will be for the Retired and Infirm Priests of the Diocese of Tyler. Please give generously to support our priests.

#### ST. CHARLES BORROMEO FINANCES YOUR GIFTS ARE VERY IMPORTANT TO US

#### **Donations for December 8-14, 2021**

General Fund Collection\$	2,559.00
Food Pantry\$	1,125.00
Immaculate Conception\$	160.00
Religious Retirement Fund \$	760.00
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**ONLINE GIVING OPTIONS:** 

www.stcharlesfrankston.com or www.dioceseoftyler.org/offertory

Online gifts will be deposited directly to our parish.

MASS INTE	ENTIONS:				LECTOR:
Saturday	Dec.18	4:00 pm	+Cirileo Jimenez by J&	P Jimenez	
Sunday	Dec.19	9:00 am	Pro Populo		
Tuesday	Dec.21	8:00 am	Souls in Purgatory by	J Becker	
Wednesday	Dec.22	8:00 am	+Msgr. John Brennan		
Thursday	Dec.23	8:00 am	Danny Watkins by M	Watkins	
Friday	Dec.24	4:00 pm	For Vocations to the F	Priesthood	Laura Williams
		6:30 pm	For Refugees		
Saturday	Dec.25	9:00 am	Pro Populo		Gail Eubank
		4:00 pm	+Greg Kutach by J & 7	ΓBurgamy	
Sunday	Dec.26	9:00 am	+Fr. Ambrose Chinnar	рра	
Mass Dates ar	re available.	A small monetary	offering is appropriate.	We will be glad to	send a card at no charge.

Mass Attendance for December 11-12: December 11: 4pm-48; December 12: 9am-80 (total:128)

**Sanctuary Lights:** For the week of December 19, 2021:

For the repose of the soul of Kathy Kennedy by D & G Eubank

Dates are available; \$10 per week

Dates are available: \$100 per week

Please remember these friends and family members who are in need of prayers:

Kamilla Chavez Suzanne House Pablo Chavez John Jimenez Mary Endres Patricia Jimenez Scott Jurecka Joyce Lestina Karen McCarten Mike McCarten Jimmy Nichols Sue Owens David Taggart Evelyn Weems Claire Baker Jim Bryan Betty Gasch Albany Gifford Natalie Johns Peter Johns Nathan Krasner Jeanne Labuda Debbie Matter Sue Moulton Stephen Parker Billy Pitre Glenda Pitre Jonnie Riggs Chris Terry Peter Terry Mary Tompkins Julie Terry

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Kathy Kennedy of our parish, who died December 10.

The Pope's Intention for December: Catechists. Let us pray for the catechists, summoned to announce the Word of God: may they be its witnesses, with courage and creativity and in the power of the Holy Spirit.

#### MINISTRY SCHEDULE for December 25-26, 2021

Please have someone take your place if you cannot be here. The Ministry Schedule is also available on our website and in the church narthex.

> Saturday, December 25 (4pm): Sunday, December 26:

Lectors: Mary LaRoux Mike Regan Helen Griffin Julie Connor EMHC: Greeters: Helen Griffin Youth

Barbara Theisen Ushers: Anthony Vrba

Linens: **December:** Donna Alexander

**BIRTHDAYS:** 

ANNIVERSARIES: Week of Dec. 19-25: Dec. 20: Helen Freeman Dec. 20: Joe & Diane Bartelme (52 years) Dec. 24: Danny Watkins

FAITH FORMATION NEWS: We are in need of a teacher and teacher aide for Faith Formation for grades 6-12. If you are interested, please contact Carolyn Seifert.

Prayer to St. Michael: St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, Cast into hell Satan and all evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



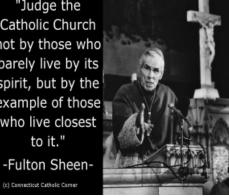


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"Judge the Catholic Church not by those who barely live by its spirit, but by the example of those who live closest to it."







Ladies of St. Charles 1st Tuesday Monthly Meeting Social and Service Opportunities Annual Dues \$25 Join us for faith, fellowship, and fun! + Please pray for the repose of the souls of our loved ones who died in 2020:

Charles Taggart Cindy Adams Harold LaRoux Jean Johnson

Mike Westbrook Ellison Leichty Charlie Hoffman June Eubank Walter Griffin Nickie Robles

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#### St. Charles Men's Club

- \* Parish Service Opportunities
- \* First Monday Monthly Meetings Sept. - May (Dinner Served)
- \* Last Sunday Pancake Breakfast (Donations taken to support service projects)
- \* All Men of the Parish are invited to join.

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