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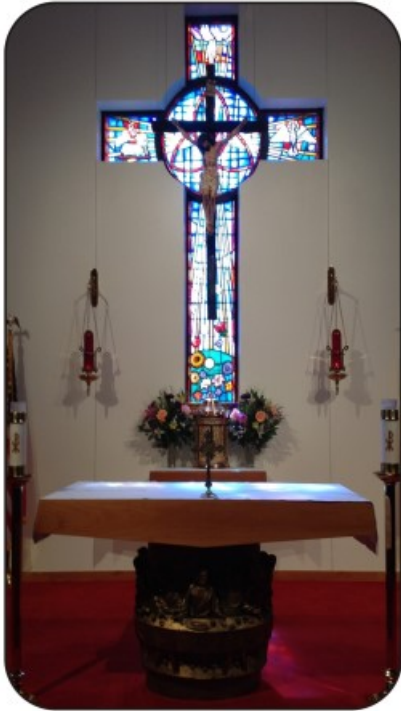
Diocese of Tyler

December 22, 2019: Fourth Sunday of Advent

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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

Very Rev. John J. Gomez, JCL, Pastor

Cell: 903-952-1265

Personal email: vggomez@dioceseoftyler.org

For sacramental emergencies: 903-952-1265

Weekend Schedule:

Saturday	Holy Mass	5:00 PM
Sunday		9:00 AM

Weekday Schedule:

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

Church Office Hours:

Tuesday	8:45 AM to 3:30 PM
Wednesday	8:45 AM to 3:30 PM
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. Gomez

Faith Formation Classes Sept– May:

Pre-K through 8th grade	Wednesday	6:00-7:00 PM
High School Students	Wednesday	6:00-7:00 PM

Confirmation Class

Baptisms—Contact Father Gomez

Marriages—The priest must be contacted 6 months before the wedding.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday	3:45-4:45 PM
Sunday	8:00-8:45 AM
First Friday	5:00-5:45 PM

St. Charles Borromeo Parish Staff

Office Manager/Sacristan Therese Burgamy	903-876-3309
Director of Religious Education/Youth Ramona Chance	903-876-5876
Ethics and Integrity Mo Watkins	972-841-9739
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Finance Committee Chair Bruce Harbert	815-992-2169
Helping Hands Food Bank Coordinator Mary Ann Cluley	940-257-8141
Ministry Coordinator Gail Eubank	903-876-7319
Parish Nurse Sue Owens, R.N.	903-530-4226
Columbarium Chair Bruce Harbert	815-992-2169
St. Charles Men's Club President Anthony Vrba	903-571-5921
Ladies of St. Charles President Lynn Andrews	903-216-6096
Church Maintenance Gary Chance, Lead	903-876-5876
	Richard Connor 903-876-7332
Director of Music Ramona Chance, interim	
Church Art and Environment Suzanne House	903-876-4190
Webmaster Ed Last	email: elast@outlook.com

Monthly Meetings

St. Charles Men's Club	1st Monday	6:00 PM
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
East Texas Catholic Foundation:
www.easttexascatholicfoundation.org

St. Charles Borromeo, pray for us!
December is the Month of the Divine Infancy.
Diocese of Tyler Year of the Eucharist

PARISH AND DIOCESAN NEWS

- **ATTENTION MEN OF THE PARISH:** We need your help. This Sunday after Mass, we need manpower to help move the Christmas trees from the education building to the church.

Christmas Schedule

Christmas Eve:
 5:30pm: Concert
 6:00pm: Holy Mass



Christmas Day:
 9:00am: Holy Mass

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT CHRISTMAS IS A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION.

- *The decorating of the Church for the Christmas season will take place TODAY after Sunday Mass. You are welcome to stay and help. See Suzanne for more information.*
- There will **NOT** be a morning Holy Mass on Tuesday, December 24.
- **The second collection on December 24-25 is for the Retired Priests of the Diocese of Tyler.**
- ***The Church Office will be closed this week. It will open Tuesday, December 31, but will be closed on Wednesday, January 1, 2020.***
- The Chancery will be closed Tuesday-Thursday, December 24-26, 2019.
- **Just a Reminder:** For your own safety, please remember to lock your car doors when you come to Holy Mass. During this time of year, when many people carry special gifts in their autos, it is important to do everything we can in order to protect our cars, our purchases, and ourselves.
- *Dear Parishioners: Cross Catholic Outreach wishes to thank you for the welcome you extended to Fr. Pie-drahita on our recent visit to your parish. On behalf of the poorest of the poor, we thank you for having shared in their lives. May our Lord continue to bless all of you for your love and support.*
 —Yours in Christ, Jim Cavnar, President

YOUR GIFTS ARE VERY IMPORTANT TO US — ST. CHARLES' FINANCES

Donations for the week of December 15, 2019

General Fund Collection:\$ 2,195.76
 Food Pantry Collection:\$ 75.00

2019 Bishop's Annual Appeal Goal.....\$ 21,000.00
 Pledged (72 families).....\$ 40,688.00
 Paid.....\$ 35,818.00
 Balance.....\$ 4,850.00

Priests for Tomorrow 5 Year Goal..... \$205,000.00
 Pledged (Over 5 years).....\$205,680.00
 Paid (24.8%).....\$ 49,373.00
 Balance (75.2%).....\$156,307.00

MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday	Dec.21	5:00 pm	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Sunday	Dec.22	9:00 am	+Gary House by G. Dupont
Tuesday	Dec.24	6:00 pm	Our Sick Parishioners
Wednesday	Dec.25	9:00 am	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Thursday	Dec.26	8:00 am	Gail Eubank by LOSC; Terry Casey by LOSC
Friday	Dec.27	8:00 am	+Trevis Sloan by Y. Dodson & Helen Freeman
Saturday	Dec.28	5:00 pm	+Victoria E. Cumm by Don Cumm
Sunday	Dec.29	9:00 am	<i>Pro Populo</i>

Mass Dates are available for. A small monetary offering is appropriate. We will be glad to send a card at no charge.

*****If you have requested a Saturday or Sunday Mass for a loved one, and you would like to present the gifts at the Altar, please let Gail Eubank or Therese Burgamy know before Mass.***

Sanctuary Lights:

Dates are available; \$10 per week

Flowers:

Dates are available; \$80 per week

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

Lynn Andrews	Teresa Brown	Olivia Cameron	David Etheridge	Charlie Hoffman
AnnaLeigh Hernandez	Ignacia Hernandez	Rufino Hurtado	Bill Johnson	Jean Johnson
Jimmy Johnson	Mary Ann Jordan	Scott Jurecka	Kathy Kennedy	Harold LaRoux
Mike McCarten	Cheryl Parette	Gil Robles	Nickie Robles	Charles Sibley
Claire Baker	Brice Barfield	Mitzi Bridges	Ciro Hernandez	Judy Herrera
Eddie Johnson	Nathan Krasner	Greg Kutach	Carole Lomerson	Sue Moulton
Cris Otero	Stephen Parker	Billy Pitre	Glenda Pitre	Fr. C. Ruggles
Cindy Sibley	Julie Terry	Peter Terry		

Communion for the Sick, Homebound, and Hospitalized: Please notify the church office during regular office hours whenever you or a family member is hospitalized or homebound. The number is 903-876-3309. Outside of office hours you may call Therese at 903-312-6510. **If you have a sacramental emergency, call Father Gomez at 903-952-1265.**

MINISTRY SCHEDULE for December 24-29, 2019

Please have someone take your place if you cannot be here.

The Ministry Schedule is also available on our website and in the church foyer.



	Tuesday, December 24:	Saturday, December 28	Sunday, December 29
Lector:	M. LaRoux	Priscilla Hoffman	Carol Parker
EMHC:	H. Griffin, L. Cavaretta	C. Hoffman, H. Griffin	T. Burgamy, C. Siefert, G. Eubank
Greeter:	Mary Hoffman	K. & M. Hayes	D. & L. Duffy
Ushers:	S. House, R. Griffin J&J Lestina	C. Ridgeway, R. Griffin	S. House, L. Andrews
Altar Servers:	None scheduled		None scheduled
Linens:	December: Mary LaRoux		

BIRTHDAYS:

Dec. 24: Danny Watkins
Dec. 26: Gail Eubank, Terry Casey,
Dec. 27: Brenda Allen, Amanda Long
Dec. 28: David Etheridge

ANNIVERSARIES:

None this week

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.



PREVENT ABUSE: The Diocese of Tyler is committed to provide help to anyone who may have been hurt or abused by a priest, deacon, religious, or anyone working in the name of the Church. Concerns about the conduct of Church personnel can be directed to the Promoter of Justice: Very Rev. John Gomez, JCL, by email at promoter@dioceseoftyler.org, at our old line which is 903-266-2159 or at the 24/7 helpline at 1-877-415-6423.



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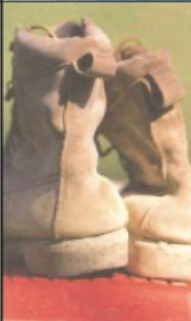


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our loved ones who died in 2018:**

Cindy Andrews	John Guess
Donna B. Teschke	Helen P. Bean
Christian Rainwater	Jeffrey B. Thomas
Adam Martin, Jr.	Samantha Sackett
Roberta Griffin	Michael Little
Carl Eubank	Elmer "Moe" Haggadone
James Nichols	Betty McNeill
Nancy Schuchert	Joan Doty
Bob Thornton	Tracey Reed

St. Charles Men's Club

* Monthly Social Events
* Service to the Parish

Regular Spaghetti Dinner, Speakers
Monday Night Football, Casino Night
Fund Raising Events, Work Groups, etc.

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