## ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH

Diocese of Tyler
July 23, 2023: Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
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Parish Email: stcharles1379@gmail.com // Web Page: www.stcharlesfrankston.com


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

## Father Mark Kusmirek, Pastor

Cell: 936-218-6710
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Church Office Hours:
Tuesday and Wednesday
8:30 AM to 3:30 PM
Thursday
Columbarium Business
8:30 AM to $12: 00 \mathrm{pm}$
By appointment only

Diocesan Ethics \& Integrity Contact :
Very Rev. John Gomez, JCL
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903-266-2159
promoter@dioceseoftyler.org

RCIA and/or Adults missing sacraments: Contact Fr. Mark
Faith Formation Classes Sept-May:
Pre-K through High School students
Contact Karla Moyer for schedule
Sacraments Class Parish Hall
Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
Sunday 10:15-11:15am
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

St. Charles Borromeo Parish Staff
To contact any staff member, please call the Parish Office for phone number.

Office Manager/Parish Secretary
Therese Burgamy 903-876-3309
Director of Religious Education Karla Moyer
Ethics and Integrity Mo Watkins
Pastoral Council Chair Mary Endres
Finance Committee Chair Laura Williams
Parish Bookkeeper
Food Bank Coordinator Mary Ann Cluley
Ministry Coordinator Gail Eubank
Parish Nurse Sue Owens, R.N.
Columbarium Chair Jimmy Johnson
St. Charles Men's Club President Anthony Vrba
LOSC Officers Alice Kutach, Therese Burgamy, Ramona Chance
Church Maintenance Gary Chance, Lead Richard Connor
Choir Director Ramona Chance
Church Art and Environment Suzanne House
Webmaster
Ed Last

## Finance

Laura Williams, President
Martin Cameron
Jack Endres
Jeanne Feger
Jimmy Johnson
Bruce Harbert, Pres. Emeritus

Parish Pastoral Council
Mary Endres, Chair, pro-tem
Karen Bledsoe
Dennis Kutach
Mo Watkins
Mike Williams
Gary Chance, President Emeritus

Liturgy Committee
Ramona Chance, Chair
Therese Burgamy
Martin Cameron
Gail Eubank
Deacon Larry Gottschalk
Suzanne House

## Important Diocesan Websites

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

## July is the Month of the Most Precious Blood.

## PARISH AND DIOCESAN NEWS

- The second collection this weekend is for the Church in Africa. Please be as generous as you can.
- Bible Study, Gospel of Matthew: Meets Thursday, from 6-7pm. Everyone is invited to come!
- Help LOSC help our Students! School starts August 2 and LOSC will be providing our students with $\$ 25$ WALMART gift cards to purchase back to school supplies. If you are interested in helping, you can either donate money or a $\$ 25$ gift card. There will be a basket in the church in which to put your donations.
Please turn them in by July 23.
- Food Pantry Update: We served 132 families for a total of 396 family members. We totally ran out of food except for a few bags of walnuts and noodles. Thanks to all the volunteers for their dedication to this effort for feeding the hungry in our surrounding communities. It was hot and very windy.
- Our lives are complex and at times we need help. Mosaic is a professional, licensed counseling service of more than 10 years. You can receive 8 free counseling sessions to help you. Issues from child rearing, marital relationships, bereavement, depression, anxiety and more can be discussed. You may meet with the counselor at their offices in Tyler, by way of video conference or here at our Education Building. Meetings are anonymous, no one here will know who is receiving counseling.
- Holy Water fonts: Holy Water is available at the church entrance to refresh your fonts at home. Blessings with Holy Water are a great reminder of our Baptism and desire to be free from sin. It is also a protection against temptations.
- Saints Joachim (sometimes spelled "Joaquin," pronounced "wal-keem") and Anne are the parents of the Virgin Mary. There are no mentions of them in the Bible or Gospels, what we know comes from Catholic legend and the Gospel of James, which is an unsanctioned, apocryphal writing from the second century AD. We do know from scholarship that the Gospel of James was not written by James, the Brother of Jesus, despite its claim to be so authored.

Even the early Church fathers expressed skepticism about the Gospel of James in their writings. There are about 150 copies of the ancient manuscript which often have different titles, but tell the same story, that Mary was promised to Joachim and Anne by an angel, was consecrated to God, and she remained a virgin all her life.

Naturally, there is plenty of room for scholarly debate about these saints. We have no true primary sources that prove they even existed, but certainly we can agree that Mary had parents. Likewise, we can agree to that.

Mary had good faithful parents who raised her with a love and devotion to God like none except Jesus Christ Himself.

Joachim and Anne serve as role models for parents and both deserve to be honored and emulated for their devotion to God and Our Lady Mary, the Mother of God.

Donations for July 11-17, 2023
$\begin{array}{cr}\text { General Fund Collection } \ldots . . . . . . . . . . . . \$ 8 & 4,619.00 \\ \text { Food Pantry ............................ } \$ 810.00\end{array}$
ONLINE GIVING OPTIONS:
www.stcharlesfrankston.com or www.dioceseoftyler.org/offertory
Online gifts will be deposited directly to our parish.

- Sacrament of Penance: This great sacrament is for the healing of thoughts or actions of what we have done or failed to do. Please know confessions are heard on Saturdays from 3:00 pm3:50 pm and on Sundays from 8:00 am-8:50 am. Examinations of Conscience are available to help guide your preparation.

PREVENT ABUSE: If you know or suspect that a minor or vulnerable adult is currently being abused or is in danger, immediately report it to state/local law enforcement or the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services at (800) 252-5400 or txabusehotline.org.

The Diocese of Tyler is committed respecting the dignity of all persons and to helping anyone who may have been hurt or abused by a priest, deacon, religious, or anyone working in the name of the Church. Any current or past cases of abuse involving Church personnel should be reported to civil authorities and also to the victim assistance coordinator at(903) 266-2159 or vac@dioceseoftyler.org.

## MASS INTENTIONS:

| Sat July | 4:00 | Pro Populo | Thu | July 2 | 8:00 am | +Martin Harmel by G\&R Chance |
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| Sun July 23 | 9:00 am | Sue Beams by LOSC | Fri | July 28 | 12:00 pm | +Glenda Pitre by G\&R Chance |
| Tues July 25 | 8:00 am | Mo Watkins by LOSC | Sat | July 29 | 4:00 pm | Stephen Parker by J\&C |
| Wed July 26 | 12:00 pm | Glenda Pitre \& +Mike Bryte by K\&M Cluley | Sun | July 30 | 9:00 am | Pro Populo |

Mass Dates are available. A small monetary offering is appropriate. We will be glad to send a card at no charge.
Mass Attendance for July 15-16: Saturday, July 15: 90; Sunday, July 16: 102 (Total: 192)
Sanctuary Lights: For the week of July 23:
Flowers:
In memory of Jack Dempsey by Sue Beams
Dates are available; \$10 per week
Dates are available, $\$ 150$ per week

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

| Kamila Chavez <br> Carol Parker | Betty Gracie <br> Linda Setzer | Mary Ann Jordan <br> David Taggart | Scott Jurecka | Jimmy Nichols |
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| Jayne Beddingfield Eileen Colleton <br> Pat Skarda <br> Karyn Marklinger Elise Fayard | Kenneth Gasch <br> Chris Terry | Deter Terry | Dick Myers |  |

The Pope's Intention for July: For a Eucharistic Life. We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and with all their brothers and sisters.

BIRTHDAYS: For July 22-28:
July 22: Robert Campbell
July 23: Sue Beams
July 25: Mo Watkins
July 26: Sam Emond
July 27: Melany Pizano
July 28: Eduardo Morales

ANNIVERSARIES: For July 22-28:
July 25: Dennis \& Alice Kutach (36th)
July 26: Sam \& Cher Emond (43rd)
July 26: Herb \& Mackenzie Karg (9th)

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE for July 29-30, 2023

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.


Lectors:
EMHC:
Ushers:
Greeter:
Linens:

Saturday 4:00 pm<br>Mary LaRoux<br>Mo Watkins<br>Donna Crandall<br>Mary LaRoux<br>July: Ramona Chance

Sunday 9:00 am<br>Laura Williams<br>Carolyn Seifert<br>Steve Seifert<br>Carolyn Seifert<br>August: Barbara Theisen



