#### ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH

#### **Diocese of Tyler**

July 4, 2021: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 1379 N. Frankston Hwy, Frankston, TX 75763 Office: 903-876-3309



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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 Mark Kusmirek, Pastor

Cell: 936-218-6710

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

Weekday Schedule:

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

Pre-K through High School students rotate Wednesday 6:00-7:00pm

Contact Ramona Chance for schedule

Sunday 10:15-11:15am Confirmation 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

#### St. Charles Borromeo Parish Staff Office Manager/Sacristan

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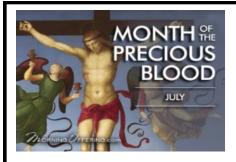
#### Monthly Meetings

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

#### **Important Diocesan Websites**

email: elast@outlook.com

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



## St. Charles Borromeo, pray for us!



### PARISH AND DIOCESAN NEWS

- July 1 is the feast day for the Precious Blood of Jesus. Throughout the month the faithful traditionally honor the Most Precious Blood of Jesus. It is the blood of Christ, the Lamb of God, which cleanses us from sin—therefore the Church developed a special devotion to Jesus' physical blood and its mystical power, just as it did for His Sacred Heart from which His blood poured out on the Cross.
- Heartfelt Thanks! The Community 4th of July celebration at United Methodist Church was wonderful. Our parish choir and a large number of parishioners were part of the annual event. Our choir excelled in their singing, what a joy! I thank them and all who organized and were a part of this day.
   —Fr. Mark
- The SCB Helping Hands Food Pantry will be open this **Thursday, July 8**, from 9-11:30 am for anyone needing assistance with groceries.
- The East Texas Food Bank work day is scheduled for this **Friday**, **July 9**, from 9-12 noon. For more info, please contact Sandy Nichols.
- Faith Formation News: If you are interested in serving as a Faith Formation teacher or teacher's aid, please contact Carolyn Seifert at brandigin@yahoo.com or 903-539-4143. Training will be provided.
- Ethics & Integrity Training: Maintaining a safe environment for children and vulnerable adults is vitally important. All who have received ethics and integrity training will receive an email in mid-July explaining a new process. You will be instructed to sign in with your login and password that you use in Armatus for the Diocese. Then create a new password. Answer 3 questions and submit. This email is important. The email will come from **Praesidium** with a subject line that reads: "Welcome to Praesidium Academy." If you do not receive an email, you might also check your SPAM folder on July 14.
- Catechist Training Seminars are being scheduled around the Diocese of Tyler for the rest of the year as part of a renewed effort to launch catechist certification again. Training seminars will be done on a deanery-wide level. We are currently accepting registration for events in August. Visit the events page at www.stphilipinstitute.org/events for more information.
- Mark your calendars for the 25th anniversary of the first Mass celebrated at St. Charles Borromeo! It will be March 8, 2022. Details to follow.

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

#### Donations for June 22-28, 2021

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|---------------------------|-----|--------------|
| General Fund Collection   | \$  | 2,624.00     |
| Peter's Pence             | \$  | 594.00       |
| Priests for Tomorrow Goal | \$2 | 05,000.00    |
| Pledges                   | \$1 | 98,690.00    |
| Paid as of May 28, 2021   |     |              |
| Pledges Balance           | \$  | 82,696.50    |
|                           |     |              |

#### ONLINE GIVING OPTIONS:

www.stcharlesfrankston.com

or www.dioceseoftyler.org/offertory

Online gifts will be deposited directly to our parish.

<u>Prayer to St. Michael</u>: 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.



<u>PREVENT ABUSE:</u> 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 <a href="mailto:promoter@dioceseoftyler.org">promoter@dioceseoftyler.org</a>, at our old line which is 903-266-2159 or at the 24/7 helpline at 1-877-415-6423.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Sunday

| Saturday  | July 3 | 5:00 pm | +Scott England by M LaRoux         |
|-----------|--------|---------|------------------------------------|
| Sunday    | July 4 | 9:00 am | Pro Populo                         |
| Tuesday   | July 6 | 8:00 am | +Charlie Hoffman by M LaRoux       |
| Wednesday | July 7 | 8:00 am | +Harold LaRoux by M LaRoux         |
| Thursday  | July 8 | 8:00 am | +Marianne Tompkins by G & R Chance |
| Friday    | July 9 | 8:00 am | Garrett Sloan by H Freeman         |
| Saturday  | July10 | 5:00 pm | Pro Populo                         |

9:00 am



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

+Raul Francisco Gonzalez by E Cooper

Mass Attendance for June 26-27: June 26: 5pm- 53; June 27: 9am - 55 11am - 30 (total:138)

Sanctuary Lights: For the week of July 4, 2021:

For the repose of the soul of Gary House by R & C Sanders.

Dates are available; \$10 per week

Flowers: Dates are available; \$80 per week

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

| Joe Bartelme  | Kamilla Chavez   | Scott Jurecka  | Kathy Kennedy  | Karen McCarten  |
|---|--|--|--|---|
| Jimmy Nichols   | Susan Pirtle   | David Taggart  | Evelyn Weems   | Gail Eubank   |
| Elizabeth Adelaide<br>Natalie Johns<br>Nancy Labuda<br>Linda Moore<br>Garrett Sloan | Joan Blair<br>Nathan Krasner<br>Norma Labuda<br>Sue Moulton<br>Pete Sprague<br>Peter Terry | Joel Blair<br>Greg Kutach<br>Nancy Lackey<br>Drew Orla<br>Keith Stanford | Roger Calhoun<br>Jeanne Labuda<br>Judith Lewis<br>Stephen Parker<br>Mike Taber | Brenda Davis<br>Joe Labuda<br>Debbie Matter<br>Fr. Ruggles<br>Chris Terry |

If you would like a name to remain on the prayer list, please notify the office by 2 pm on Wednesday.

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, please call Father Mark at 936 218-6710. If you are hospitalized at Christus Trinity Mother Frances, please contact the full time priest assigned there.

**The Pope's Intention for July:** Social friendship. We pray that, in social, economic, and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship.

# MINISTRY SCHEDULE for July 10-11, 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.

Called to

Saturday, July 10, 5 pm: Mary LaRoux EMOHC: Helen Griffin Lectors: Sunday, July 11, 9 am: Angela Vrba EMOHC: Anthony Vrba

June: Priscilla Hoffman July: Mary LaRoux Linens:

#### **BIRTHDAYS:**

July 4: Kayla Pizano

July 5: Linda Setzer July 6: Rene Martinez, Sr. July 9: Ashlynn Zavala July 10: Fran Appel

#### **ANNIVERSARIES**:

July 10: Steve & Carolyn Seifert (19 years)



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+ Please pray for the repose of the souls of our loved ones who died in 2020:

Charles Taggart Cindy Adams
Harold LaRoux Mike Westbrook
Jean Johnson Ellison Leichty
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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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## **Parish Pastoral Council Meeting**

6/22/2021

Present at the meeting: Fr. Mark Kusmirek, Pastor, Gary Chance, Mike Williams, and Martin Cameron (visitor).

Father Mark opened with a prayer at 6:30 pm. Father noted that attendance in the masses is growing. Last Sunday there were 140 parishioners at the 9:00 mass. The committee looking at a replacement for the sign destroyed in the wreck in front of the church is awaiting payment from the insurance company before selecting the new sign bid. One of the possibilities is to take what the insurance company pays us and add to it for an electronic sign board. In the meantime, Ken Cluley is having a vinyl sign that will have the church name and mass times made. It will fit in the pipes used for the Food Pantry sign.

We will continue to insert the minutes of the PPC in the bulletins for everyone to read.

The minutes from the March meeting were reviewed with no corrections.

# Safety Discussion:

Father said Doug Barry of the Diocese has a three hour training session that helps congregations to understand what to do in case of a threat at the church. He offers the training on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday mornings. Father said he would contact Doug to set up a Saturday morning session in July and maybe a follow up session in the Fall.

# Parish Outreach:

Father noted that there continues to be a good response to the Flock notes being sent out to parishioners.

# Sunday Mass Time:

Starting the first Sunday in July, the 11:00 mass will be discontinued and the 9:00 mass will be the only mass offered on Sunday. He has not ruled out a second Sunday mass in the future if our attendance grows. Also, the 8:00 masses have been moved to the Chapel.

# Sanctuary Changes:

The statue of the Blessed Virgin has been moved from the altar to the back where votive candles can be reached more accessibly, without climbing stairs to the sanctuary. Mike Williams offered to use his pickup to bring the Sacred Heart statue back to the church from Palestine's Sacred Heart church. It will be placed adjacent to the wall holding the St. Charles Borromeo painting. The painting will be relocated to the left rear wall facing the altar. He has other inspirational decorative changes in the future.

Mo Watkin's in an email before she went out of town said that she thought that we needed handrails going down the steps in front of the altar to assist Father and Eucharistic servers. After some discussion from the group, such handrails are not needed.

There was a discussion about how to hide the burn spot in the carpet in front of the altar steps. Father does not want any hard surface flooring in the church and new carpet would not match the existing carpet color. We rejected the idea of a separate area tapestry to cover the area, due to the hazard of tripping on it. Mike Williams suggested installing a religious symbol in the carpet. The carpet subject was put on hold for now.

Father also mentioned that a group of parishioners is looking at putting a 24" bell in the church grounds to the north of the church where a small tree existed.

# Church Building Signs:

During the last March PPC meeting, Father asked Mo Watkins and Gary Chance to look into providing signs for the church buildings with addresses. Gary reported that he had obtained a quote from a sign company in Tyler to make metal signs that would attach to the buildings. Mo also found a source to make these signs out of wood. Father explained that since then, he has settled on signs that would be in the ground near the curb of each building. He will let our group know what he has decided.

# Columbarium Memorial Wall:

Gary reported that Jimmy Johnson will hold a committee meeting soon to review a sample plaque that Mike Heine received. The plaque is the size and shape that would be used on the coming concrete wall. Once the plaque design is approved, the concrete wall can be fabricated. In the meantime, the Sisters of the Soil have planted flowers in the base of the wall.

#### **New Business:**

Father agreed to consider selecting a parishioner to replace the late Charlie Hoffman's position on the PPC

Father said Michael Moffett was planning to come to our meeting to brief us on the offer from Christus Mother Frances of a substantial grant to be used for a venture of our choosing related to Health or Education. The idea of using for a van has been tabled.

Gary noted that the next PPC meeting will be Tuesday, September 21, 2021

Martin Cameron thanked us for letting him attend our meeting. He said he plans to attend a meeting of the Liturgy committee as well to gain a further understanding of our church activities. Martin is a member of the Finance committee.

Our meeting was adjourned with the closing prayer by Father Mark at 7:30pm.

Respectively Submitted,

Gary Chance, Committee Chair