



# ST. CHARLES BORROMEO

## CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

2739 STINSON BOULEVARD, ST. ANTHONY, MN 55418



### SUNDAY MASSES

5:00 PM Saturday  
8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

### DAILY MASS

8:00 AM Monday through Saturday

### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturdays 8:30 to 9:00 AM  
3:30 to 4:30 PM  
Wednesdays 7:30 to 7:50 AM  
5:00 to 5:30 PM

At Parish Office by appointment.

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# March 17, 2019

## *Second Sunday of Lent*



## From the Pastor's Desk

On January 4, a large snake, measuring about 5 feet, washed up on the shore of County Cork, Ireland. This rare sighting raised concerns for many people and was all over Irish media. Why is this interesting? Because Ireland does not have snakes. It is believed that ever since St. Patrick was said to have driven them off the island, Ireland has been free of snakes. Whether or not it is true that St. Patrick drove them away, the truth is that St. Patrick came to drive out the ancient serpent and establish Christianity. So what does it mean that a snake has appeared in Ireland?

The timing of this extremely rare sighting is curious. Just three days before the appearance of the snake, the new Irish law on abortion came into effect. The president of Ireland overturned the country's constitutional safeguard for the unborn and signed the right to abortion into law.

This is a sign and warning that unless they turn from their ways their country may slip back into the darkness of their ancient pagan forefathers. What we need are true disciples of Jesus Christ who are inspired by the courage and charity of St. Patrick, who was a man chosen by God to share the Gospel with the people of the emerald Isle.

Every era needs a saint. Let us pray this St. Patrick's Day that God will send another saint to Ireland to drive away the ancient serpent and enemy of our souls, who is constantly trying to lead souls away from God with the poison of his lies.

### St. Joseph

Another great Saint to turn to in these difficult times is St. Joseph. St. Joseph's Solemnity is this Tuesday, March 19th. One of his titles is the Terror of Demons. He was a man chosen by God to be the husband of Mary and the foster father of Jesus. While there are no words recorded in the Bible from St. Joseph, we hear that he was a righteous man who was obedient to God. He obediently followed the command to flee to Egypt with Mary and Jesus so as to protect him from being killed by Herod.

Pope Francis said of St. Joseph, "The angel of the Lord revealed to Joseph the dangers which threatened Jesus and Mary, forcing them to flee to Egypt and then to settle in Nazareth. So too, in our time, God calls upon us to recognize the dangers threatening our own families and to protect them from harm."

There are many dangers threatening marriage and the family. We need men like St. Joseph who will stand up against the threats against marriage and the family and, like St. Joseph, become the Terror of Demons and of those who want to destroy life and the family.

St. Joseph and St. Patrick, Pray for us!

Fr. Troy Przybilla

**Planning  
YOUR  
SUMMER??**

Current 6th-8th Graders

**SAVE THE DATE**

**EXTREME**  
Faith Camp 2018

**June 24-28**

CAMP COURAGE, MAPLE LAKE, MN

**Totus Tuus**



Save the date  
for  
July 8th-12th

Open to all incoming 1st through 12th  
grade students

**Share Our Blessings 2019 Lenten Project 12th Easter Food Drive.** *Help us reach our goal of serving 200 families in need!* Sharing Our Blessings is an outreach program that provides families with the groceries to prepare an Easter meal. As a church community, St. Charles will donate food bags & distribute them to Northeast families selected by our partner, The Salvation Army. Grocery bags will be available in the Atrium starting **next Sunday, March 23.**



**SAINT CHARLES**  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL



Dear St. Charles Parishioners,

This past week our school was on spring break so I don't have much to report to you.

When we return our students will all visit the sacrament of Reconciliation and begin meeting with our artist in residence, Susan Steadman.

I look forward to updating you on how the residency is going next week and may God bless your Lenten journey.

Danny Kieffer  
St. Charles Principal

## Sacraments & Liturgy

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 17, 2019

**Sunday:** Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14[1a]/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36  
**Monday:** Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [cf. 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38  
**Tuesday:** 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29 [37]/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a  
**Wednesday:** Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28  
**Thursday:** Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31  
**Friday:** Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46  
**Saturday:** Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32  
**Next Sunday:** Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

10:00 AM Mass or Following Mass.  
For more info: [stchb.org/baptism](http://stchb.org/baptism) or contact the parish office at 612-781-6529.

### SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY

Contact one of our clergy at least six months prior to date of marriage to begin marriage preparation.  
For more info: [stchb.org/marriage](http://stchb.org/marriage).

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS FRIDAYS OF LENT

**1:45 PM & 7 PM**  
(NO 1:45 PM STATIONS MARCH 15, 29, OR APRIL 19)

### CONFESSIONS

**TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY 5– 5:30 PM**  
**WEDNESDAY MORNING 7:30-7:50 AM**

### OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 17, 2019

**Sunday:** 2nd Sunday of Lent; St. Patrick's Day  
**Monday:** St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop, Doctor of the Church  
**Tuesday:** St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
**Saturday:** St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop  
**Next Sunday:** 3rd Sunday of Lent

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### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 17, 2019

**Sunday** 17—8 am Rev. Paul La Fontaine  
**Monday** 18—8 am Charles, Catherine, & Jane Key  
**Tuesday** 19—8 am Rev. Paul La Fontaine  
**Wednesday** 20—8 am Steve & Mabel Rath  
**Thursday** 21—8 am Rev. Paul La Fontaine  
**Friday** 22—8 am John Schumacher  
**Saturday** 23—8 am Rev. Paul La Fontaine  
 5 pm Marge Forte  
**Sunday** 24—8 am Don Machowicz

## Library

*Do you have rosaries, holy cards, statues and the like that you cannot comfortably throw out, but do not need? Why not share them with others? A box for donations is located in the atrium near the library. Please leave only unbroken religious items suitable for aid in prayer. Please do not leave greeting cards or solicitation envelopes: they create clutter that has to be dealt with. If you see something on the table that you would like, please feel free to take it. Thank you!*



## News & Upcoming Events at Our Parish



All men of the parish are invited to the next Catholic Watchmen event, to be held this Thursday, March 21, 2019, at 6:30pm, in Doran Hall. The Catholic Watchmen is a movement of Catholic men committed to growing closer to Jesus Christ, and focused on fostering male spirituality and fraternity. Come here Jacob Nelson, our Director of Faith Formation, speak on “How to Make an Intentional Lent.” The evening includes a manly meal and beverages, lively discussion, and opportunities for adoration and confession. No tickets or reservations needed – a freewill offering is requested to cover the cost of the meal. It’s a men’s movement of Faith, Food and Fellowship.



**St. Charles Borromeo Knights of Columbus are serving a Pancake Breakfast NEXT Sunday, March 24, from 9 am – noon, in Doran Hall. Please stop by for a wonderful breakfast of all-you-can-eat pancakes, sausage, and milk/juice/coffee. All proceeds from the breakfast will go toward supporting Persecuted Christians in the Middle East and around the world. Thank you Knights of Columbus!**

**BLOOD DRIVE  
TOMORROW  
MONDAY, MARCH 18  
2- 7 PM  
ONE UNIT OF BLOOD CAN SAVE  
UP TO THREE LIVES!  
Sign up at  
[stchb.org/Blood-Drive](http://stchb.org/Blood-Drive)**

Coming this Spring! **Furniture and Household Goods Drive!** Saturday, May 18. Check upcoming bulletins for more information! Contact Jeff Baumgartner 612-437-6155 or [jeffbaumgartner@usfamily.net](mailto:jeffbaumgartner@usfamily.net)

**March 30/31 is Global Solidarity Sunday weekend** in the archdiocese with the theme: “**Taste and see the goodness of the Lord**” (Psalm 34). This is an opportunity to be in solidarity with those around the world who thirst for God’s mercy and love. On that Sunday, a special collection will be taken up for humanitarian efforts around the world.



The Serra Club of North-Minneapolis is honored to present Father James P. Burns, President of Saint Mary's University in Winona, MN as our guest speaker on Tuesday, March 26, at 12:15 PM at Jax Café. An invitation is extended to members of St. Charles Borromeo to attend this luncheon meeting. For more information about the vocation apostolate of the Serra Clubs or to attend the luncheon please contact Marilyn at 651-415-1549 by Friday, March 22. After many years away in Boston, we are delighted to welcome Father Burns back to Minnesota.

## Faith Formation

Parish small groups are an important way that parishes grow and thrive. In an effort to better support what is already happening here at St. Charles, Jacob Nelson is asking that any small groups who are meeting regularly or semi-regularly for prayer, study or as a faith community send him an email. Please have only one person from each group send Jacob an email and he will respond with the information request that he is hoping to put together so he can best support your spiritual development. Jacob's email can be found on the front of the bulletin or on the website.

## Hospitality

**Become a Greeter at Mass!** You've all seen how welcoming and helpful our new greeter ministry is, but we need more volunteers! Please prayerfully consider serving God in this much-appreciated way. You not only get to cheer someone who might need a kind smile or help an elderly parishioner, you'll find that you love doing it! Also, you determine how often you'd like to greet, as we use Sign-Up Genius to coordinate volunteer efforts. All you need to do is show up 25 to 30 minutes before Mass begins on your appointed day. Please sign up at the table in the Atrium this weekend after all the Masses or call or text Jim Wappes (952-818-9595) or Kari Domeyer (612-201-0719). Thanks and God bless you!



## Youth & Young Adults

This Sunday, Youth Group begins at 6 pm in the gym. With it being St. Patrick's Day, we'll certainly be celebrating! All high school students are encouraged to come on out to Youth Group at the parish!

## Women's Council

**Minneapolis Council of Catholic Women.** The next MCCW Deanery meeting will be at St. Patrick's Church in Edina on Monday, March 25. Dr. Don and Deanne Wessel will give a presentation on Blessed Solanus Casey. There will also be Rosary, Mass, lunch and a Silent Auction fundraiser. Meet women from around the parish, and find out what's going on around the Deanery. **Make reservations to attend by Wednesday, March 20**, by calling Jean Buchmann (651-633-1560). Cost is \$15.

## V.I.P. Club

The annual VIP Club Lenten Retreat will be held Tuesday, April 2 from 10:30 am to 2:30 pm in Doran Hall and the Church. Jacob Nelson, director of Faith Formation, is planning the event for us. **Important Information:** Please bring your own bag lunch as no meal will be provided. Watch for further details in the forthcoming bulletins. All are welcome.

## Community

### 40 Days for Life Twin Cities Lent 2019

March 6 – April 14, 6 am – 6 pm  
Sidewalk/Planned Parenthood  
671 Vandalia St., St. Paul.

Pro-Life Action Ministries invites all to join us in this international movement of prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil and community outreach to end abortion. Please register at <https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/st-paul/> or contact [brian.walker@plam.org](mailto:brian.walker@plam.org) or 651-797-6363.

**Seminary Application Launch Window is now** for Fall 2019. Director of Vocations Father David Blume is currently meeting with men applying to be considered for acceptance as archdiocesan seminarians for Fall 2019. If you or someone you know is discerning the priesthood and would like help with their next steps, please have them contact Father David Blume at [fdblume@stthomas.edu](mailto:fdblume@stthomas.edu) or 651-962-6890.

**Loving and Losing: Why Augustine Matters.** Can you love a God who lets you lose what you love? Dr. Erika Kidd, director of the St. Thomas Catholic Studies Graduate Program, unpacks St. Augustine's attempt to find meaning in the passing of what he loves—and shows how his words continue to speak to us today. **6:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 21** at the Anderson Student Center, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul Campus (2115 Summit Avenue). Free and open to the public. Parking ramp is at the corner of Cretin and Grand Avenues. Online event link: [www.stthomas.edu/cathstudies/news/thought-and-culture-2019.html](http://www.stthomas.edu/cathstudies/news/thought-and-culture-2019.html).

## At St. Charles This Week

### Sunday, March 17

Preschool of Religion, School, 10– 11 am  
Serra Vocation Brunch, Doran Hall, 11 am  
Youth Group begins in gym., 6– 8:30 pm

### Monday, March 18

Blood Drive, Doran Hall, 2– 7 pm  
Curatio, Holy Family Conference Room, 7 pm

### Tuesday, March 19

Confessions, 5– 5:30 pm  
Serra Board Meeting, 8:45 am  
VIP Board Meeting, Library, 9 am

### Wednesday, March 20

Confessions, 7:30-7:50 am, 5-5:30 pm  
Choir Practice, Choir Loft, 7– 9 pm  
WC Mats for Homeless, St. John Ed. Cent., 1– 3 pm  
Confirmation Class/Confessions, School, Church, 6:30 pm  
Family Formation, School, 6:30 pm

### Thursday, March 21

Confessions, 5– 5:30 pm  
RCIA St. John Education Center, 7 pm  
Catholic Watchmen Social, DH, 6:30 pm

### Friday, March 22

Stations of the Cross, Church, 1:45 pm  
Soup Supper, 5:45 pm  
Stations of the Cross, Church, 7 pm

### Saturday, March 23

### Sunday, March 24

Preschool of Religion, School, 10– 11 am  
Youth Group begins in gym, 6– 8:30 pm  
K of C Pancake Breakfast, Doran Hall, 9 am– noon

Online Calendar: [www.stchb.org/calendar](http://www.stchb.org/calendar)

Email updates: [stchb.flocknotes.com](mailto:stchb.flocknotes.com)

**Curatio Lenten Retreat.** Are you in healthcare? Would you like to connect and renew the spirit of your vocation in healthcare? Join us for Curatio's Lenten Half -Day Retreat and hear Father Joseph Johnson on, "The Privilege of Caring for Christ in the Sick," Saturday, April 13. Cost is \$40 for healthcare workers and \$20 for students in healthcare. Scholarships are available. Includes both breakfast and lunch. Starts at 7:30 am, ends at 12 pm. Mass is at 10:30 am. Held at Little Sisters of the Poor in St. Paul. Deadline April 10 or when full. Register now at [curatioapostolate.com](http://curatioapostolate.com). Questions? Call Christin at 612.875.2802.



# Opportunities to Pray & Serve

## WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

- Sunday 17—Rev. Arnold Sauber
- Monday 18—Rev. Edwin Savundra
- Tuesday 19—Rev. Warren Sazama, SJ
- Wednesday 20—Rev. Gregory Schaffer
- Thursday 21—Rev. Damien Schill
- Friday 22—Rev. Leo Schneider
- Saturday 23—Rev. James Schoenberger
- Sunday 24—Rev. Brennan Schwab, O. Carm.



## Perpetual Adoration—Adorers Needed!

2	2 adorers needed
1	Only 1 scheduled adoror, 1 needed
	Two or more adorers already scheduled
	No adoration at this time

Please check the table below and contact Tom or Bonnie Brever at [bonnitamom@gmail.com](mailto:bonnitamom@gmail.com) or 612-789-6318 if you are able to spend an hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Thank you to all of our faithful adorers. If you are not able to commit to a regular weekly hour, all are

welcome to stop by for whatever amount of time you are available—from 5 minutes to 50!

	Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.
12am				1	1		
1am			1			1	1
2am		1	2		1	1	1
3am		1	1	1	1		1
4am						1	1
5am							1
6am						1	1
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8am				1	1	1	
9am		1					
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### Sunday, March 17 Saint Patrick

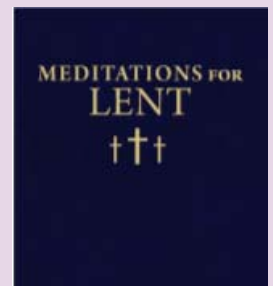
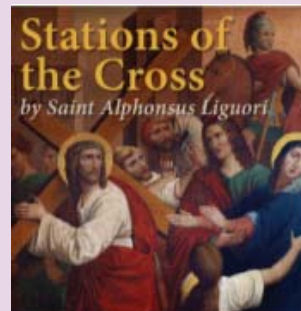
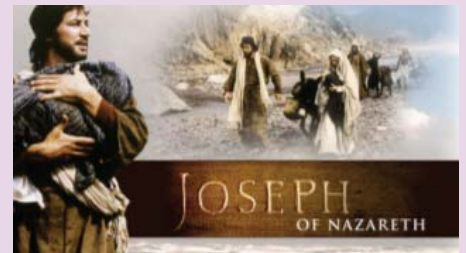
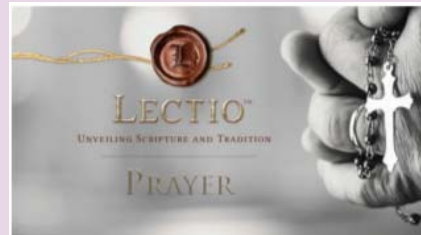
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*“This is a serious warning cry: Surrender without reservation to the Lord who has called us. This is required of us so that the face of the earth may be renewed.”*

*~Edith Stien (St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross)*

# Friday Soup Supper

## Fridays of Lent

March 8 through April 12

5:45 pm ~ Soup and Bread (from Panera) served

6:30 pm ~ Short Video and a Reflection on the Seven  
Last Words of Christ

7:00 pm ~ Stations of the Cross



**Feed my Starving Children**  
401 93rd Ave NW,  
Coon Rapids Saturday, April 6, 2 - 4 pm

If you have never helped pack meals at FMSC, this Lent would be a great time to try out a fun opportunity to feed the hungry. **Feed My Starving Children** is a Christian non-profit organization called to feed God's starving children hungry in body and spirit all over the world. They believe every child has a right to be fed a nutritious meal. "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat." - Matthew 25:35. Volunteers pack nutritious soup ingredients into sealed MannaPack bags, and they only need to be boiled in water for lifesaving meals.

Women's Council is gathering a group to help pack meals at the FMSC facility in Coon Rapids on Saturday, April 6th, from 2 - 4 pm. Bring your family for this fun and quite competitive event. [Children in K-2 grades must be 1-to-1 with an adult; grades 3-6 need 1 adult for 3 kids.] A few sit-down tasks are available. Muscle men can help carry supplies and boxes. Please arrive 10 minutes early, for the uplifting orientation. This is a very impactful hands-on experience for all ages.

Stations fill up, so reservations are required (we have 24 spots reserved). Contact Teresa (651-697-1344, [tdroessler@centurylink.net](mailto:tdroessler@centurylink.net)) if you'd like to sign up. Or you can go online and register at <https://www.fmsc.org/joingroup?joincode=XXLKN4>. We'll also have a signup table in the atrium March 23/24 and 30/31.