The Vigil

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

Mass Times:

(revised for Coronavirus accommodations)

St. Charles: Sunday 11:30am

Nativity: Sunday 9:30am



"The Lord Be With You."

October 03, 2021

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Readings

Genesis 2:18-24 (Man's Companion)

Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (Fear of the Lord)

Hebrews 2:9-11 (Christ Our Brother)

Mark 10:2-16 (Unity of Marriage)





Dear St. Charles Borromeo:

Hello! My name is Msgr. Dan Trapp and I am your new pastor. I've begun badly; I wanted to visit St. Charles and meet you as well as be at the last Mass with Brother Ray. Instead of getting to know you in August and September, I was in the hospital and in cardiac rehab. The good news is that I should be fully recovered in the weeks ahead.

I've heard about St. Charles since I was a kid. My grandparents lived in an apartment above an office at the corner of Baldwin and Kercheval. My mother went to school here and my cousins (Mathews family) grew up at the parish. Since I came to St. Augustine/St. Monica, we've worked together closely in various projects and I look forward to being with you as your pastor.

Priests often say that it's easier to follow a priest who made a mess of things than one who did well. So, it won't be easy. Brother Ray and the other Capuchins were great pastors. I won't replace them, but I want to be here as your priest, and will serve with the strength that I have.

So, how can this all work? By each of us giving in love as the Holy Spirit gives us that love. I was pastor of a three parish cluster in southwest Detroit before coming to the east side. Each of those parishes, under other pastors, thrived and each eventually became independent again.

I will work with you to keep St. Charles strong, welcoming and Spirit led.

Looking forward to when I can see you face to face.

With a prayer,

Father Dan

St. Charles Mission Statement

St. Charles Borromeo, a diverse urban parish of Detroit, is rooted in Christ's Gospel and Catholic tradition. We strive to build a community of faith through education, worship, and evangelization. We are called to carry on Christ's ministry to our brothers and sisters, especially the sick and their families, the elderly, youth, and the disabled. With Mary as our example of unconditional love, we strive to welcome everyone to share joyfully in the peace, love and salvation of Jesus Christ. We acknowledge that it is the Holy Spirit who calls and empowers us, who strengthens and renews us, and who gives us the will to continue our mission, until Jesus comes again in glory.

Community

Pray for the Healing Presence

Clara Boltman
Mary Canaday
Frank Catania
Simone Eder
Vickie Figueroa
Andy Chico Gutierrez
William (Bill) Leto
Waletha McCrary
Roger Sinclair
Pat Sprankle
Anna Tyler

Archbishop Vigneron's statement on Pope Francis' Global Rules for Reporting Abuse:

A new papal law requiring priests and religious to report sexual abuse and misconduct provides "clear directives for universal accountability in response to the horrors of clergy sexual abuse," Archbishop Vigneron has told Detroit Catholic. The law provides whistleblower protections for anyone making a report and requires all dioceses to have a system in place to receive the claims confidentially. And it outlines internal procedures for conducting preliminary investigations when the accused is a bishop, cardinal or religious superior. "I am deeply sorry to all those who have been injured and are enduring a lifetime of physical, emotional and spiritual suffering because of perverse actions by those in authority," the archbishop said. "No one is above civil law, and importantly, no one is above God's law." Pope Francis announced the new norms. See

detroitcatholic.com to learn more. Individuals with knowledge of sexual abuse by clergy or church representatives are urged to contact local law enforcement and the Michigan Attorney General's office. Individuals also may contact the Archdiocese of Detroit by visiting

protect.aod.org.

We have received many, many questions about who our new pastor is, if we don't have a pastor now, when will we get one, and how will we operate as part of the Family of Parishes program. In answer to those, please keep reading.

The Family of Parishes for us is a group of 5 local parishes (Nativity, Sacred Heart, St. Augustine/St. Monica, St. Elizabeth, and St. Charles. Monsignor Dan Trapp is the Moderator of our Family of Parishes. His role is to serve other priests in our Family by assuming much of the responsibility for the family's administration, speaking on behalf of the family and exercising the role of tiebreaker in discussions among family-pastors. Monsignor Trapp is also the Administrator for St. Charles and Nativity. As Administrator, Monsignor Trapp will handle financial responsibilities, employees report to him, and other responsibilities for the parish that keep us operating as we should. Monsignor is also the Pastor of St. Charles! Please read today's "Pastor's Pen" section. There will be a group of other priests who will partner with Monsignor Trapp for Sunday Mass celebrations. These priests are wonderful men who will support us but are not assigned as our Pastor. Each month, we will try to publish the list of Mass Celebrants. We can't say when we will be assigned a pastor but rest assured that Monsignor Trapp is looking out for us. If you have other questions, call, or email the parish office and we will do our best to answer all questions honestly for you.

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- Choose the correct organization; Click Enroll. You are now enrolled!
- If you are having an issue with your password and or email address please call 1-800-KROGERS, press 5 for customer service, press 5 to speak to a customer service representative.

12 Rules for a Happy Marriage and a Happy Life

Recently I came across the following 12 rules for a happy marriage that had been given by the well-known Ann Landers in her weekly article. These twelve rules are actually Biblical; I have included Scripture references for each rule:

- 1. Never both be angry at once (Proverbs 19:11)
- 2. Never yell at each other unless the house is on fire (Proverbs 21:23)
- 3. Yield to the wishes of the other as an exercise in self-discipline, if you can't think of a better reason (Col. 3:18-19; Ephesians 5:21)
- 4. If you have a choice between making yourself or your spouse look good-choose your spouse (Philippians 2:3-4; Matthew 19:19)
- 5. If you feel you must criticize, do so lovingly (Ephesians 4:15)
- 6. Never bring up a mistake of the past (Philippians 3:13-14)
- 7. Neglect the whole world rather than each other (Ephesians 5:25-31)
- 8. Never let the day end without saying at least one complimentary thing to your life partner (Proverbs 31:26)
- 9. Never meet without an affectionate greeting (Proverbs 5:18-19)
- 10. When you make a mistake, talk it out and ask for forgiveness (James 5:16)
- 11. Remember, it takes two to make an argument. The one who is wrong is the one who will be doing most of the talking (James 3:5-8)
- 12. Never go to bed mad (Ecclesiastes 7:9; Colossians 3:8).
- ~ Fr. Tonv

Stewardship Minute:

Eden Stewardship

"So out of the ground the Lord God formed every beast of the field and every bird of the air and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name." (GENESIS 2:19)

The creation story reminds us of two important points. First, since the start, God has put the entire world into our care. Second, **Stewardship** has been around since the beginning of mankind; it isn't something recently invented by the Church.

Just as past generations built our Church, it is now our responsibility to continue to nurture and develop these gifts for future generations.

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- 2. Click on the blue link with three white lines in the right top corner
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October Mass Intentions

Sunday, October 3, 2021
Harold Johnson
Carl Ayoub
Georgine Ayoub
Victor Bianchi

Sunday, October 10. 2021 Lisa Harvey Evelyn Seyboldt

Sunday, October 17, 2021 Norman Shook

Sunday, October 24, 2021 Carolyn Carson

Sunday, October 31, 2021 Sylvia Lavin

Mass Celebrants for October 2021, St. Charles Borromeo

Oct. 03 --- Fr. Bob Malloy

Oct. 10 --- Fr. Tim McCabe

Oct. 17 --- Fr. David Preuss

Oct. 24 --- Fr. Cabres

Oct. 31 --- Fr. David Preuss

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon., Oct. 04: Jonah 1:1–2:1-2, 11; Psalm: Jonah 2:3, 4, 5, 8; Luke 10:25-37

Tues., Oct. 05: Jonah 3:1-10; Psalm 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8; Luke 10:38-42

Wed., Oct. 06: Jonah 4:1-11; Psalm 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10; Luke 11:1-4

Thurs., Oct. 07: Malachi 3:13-20b; Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 AND 6; Luke 11:5-13

Fri., Oct. 08: Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Psalm 9:2-3, 6 AND 16, 8-9; Luke 11:15-26

Sat., Oct. 09: Joel 4:12-21; Psalm 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Luke 11:27-28

Sun., Oct. 10: Wisdom 7:7-11; Psalm 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Hebrews 4:12-13; Mark 10:17-30

Led By the Spirit On Mission

Over the next year-and-a-half, all parishes in the archdiocese will join together into groups of three to six, called "Families of Parishes." Going forward, these Families of Parishes will work together, sharing resources and talents to further advance the shared mission of our local Church. The Family groupings have been compiled in the last few months through consultation with the auxiliary bishops and priests, a process steeped in prayer and with attention given to the best interest of each community. In the meantime, to help us all better understand why we are moving in this direction, Archbishop Vigneron has written a new Pastoral Note on Families of Parishes, providing some theological context for the transition and introducing a renewed structure for parish ministry to more effectively equip them for their missionary work. Like all Pastoral Notes released in recent years, this new text is informed by and expands upon the steady foundation of Archbishop Vigneron's 2017 Pastoral Letter, Unleash the

Looking into the not-too-distant future, Archbishop Vigneron also uses this new Pastoral Note to anticipate the development of Family Missionary Strategic Plans, which will guide each Family of Parishes as it carries out its work in the years to come.

Gospel.

To read the Pastoral Note, visit: **Unleash the Gospel**.

Weekly Collection

09/19/2021 AND 09/26/2021

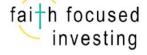
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Making a Report of Sexual Abuse: To inform the Archdiocese of Detroit regarding the sexual abuse of minors by priests, deacons and other Church personnel and/or to speak to the Victim Assistance Coordinator contact: (866) 343-8055. A caller will be requested to provide his or her name and telephone number. All calls regarding complaints of sexual abuse will be returned in a timely manner. This toll-free number has been established as part of an effort by the Detroit archdiocese to protect children, young people and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes and ministries. This line is for reporting suspected sexual misconduct or child abuse within archdiocesan institutions and ministries only. Persons with such complaints are also encouraged to directly contact law enforcement authorities. The Archdiocese of Detroit stands with the brave survivors who seek to bring the crime of child sexual abuse by clergy and other Church representatives into the light, where those who sinned are confronted and those who were harmed can find healing. To those harmed by the actions and inaction of Church leaders: It is inexcusable, and we are sorry. In an effort to consolidate our resources and respond to the faithful's questions about clergy sexual abuse, the Archdiocese of Detroit has created a new "mini" website at protect.aod.org. This site highlights information about reporting abuse, victim assistance, investigations, training for clergy and lay employees and volunteers, and provides additional resources, including messages from Archbishop Vigneron. Our goal is to make this important information - already available on aod.org - more visible, transparent, and clear.