

Saint Charles Parish

South San Diego/ Imperial Beach



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Office Hours: Monday - Friday
8:30AM-12:00PM & 12:30-5:00PM

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November 27, 2011

First Sunday of Advent (B)

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 8:00 AM & 5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)
Sunday: 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 AM,
11:30 AM (Spanish),
1:00 & 5:00 PM
Weekdays: 7:30 AM & 5:30PM
Holy Days: 5:30 PM

DEVOTIONS

Tuesday: To the Blessed Mother after 7:30 AM Mass.
First Friday: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after
7:30 AM Mass until 5:00 PM Benediction.
Grupo de Oración at 7:00 PM.

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday: 3:30 - 4:30 PM
& other days by appointment

BAPTISM

Contact the Parish Office. Pre-baptismal classes are required for Parents and Godparents.

MARRIAGE

Contact the Parish office. Nine-month notice required.

Saint Charles School: Steve Stutz, Principal 423-3701

Saint Charles Catechetical Center: 575-2240

Alicia Policarpio, Director
Paul Lopez, Coordinator of Hispanic Ministries
Reyna Sanchez, Administrative Assistant
Elena DeLaRosa, Coordinator of Children's Ministry
Marci Morrison, Youth and Young Adult Ministries

PARISH RELATED GROUPS & MINISTRIES

For more information please go to
<http://www.saintcharles.org>

OFFICE STAFF

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On behalf of the entire parish staff I wish you a blessed start to the Advent Season. Advent is a time to prepare for the birth of Jesus and for the day of his coming in glory. Advent, we remember, that like Lent, is a special time for Christians everywhere to cooperate with the grace of God and prepare for his coming. I remember that while growing up when guests would come to visit we spent a good deal of time preparing for their arrival (usually for us as children that meant cleaning and doing our chores while mom and dad did the cooking). In a similar way we make certain our innermost dwelling is prepared to receive Jesus. Through prayer and penance, good works and acts of charity, the home of our soul is made ready for the arrival of the Lord.

The Church has also asked us to observe some other changes in the celebration of Mass. During the Lord's Prayer it has become customary for many, especially it seems on the west coast, to hold hands. The correct posture of prayer during the Our Father is not to hold hands but to have the hands raised in prayer just like the priest does during his prayers at the Mass. Perhaps being a warm people we instinctively started reaching for the hands of our neighbors, but we should refrain from doing so especially when it comes to crossing the aisle to hold the hands of those on the other side of the church.

The second change is that during Communion, only those who will receive Communion should come forward. Recently it has become popular to come up and ask for a blessing when not receiving the Eucharist. Since the priest is going to give the blessing at the end of Mass there is no reason to come for another blessing. Rather, the Church invites those who cannot receive the Eucharist at that particular Mass to remain seated and make a spiritual communion with Christ. I'd also like to add that if you or someone you know cannot receive Holy Communion because they haven't confessed in some time or need to have some situation in their lives resolved please have them contact one of the priests or deacons in the parish. Imagine the graces that would be poured out upon San Diego if all the people in our parish boundaries received the Eucharist regularly and worthily!

God bless you,
Father Jim



Our Parishioners in Poor Health;

Karin Rusin, Thomas Rusin, Harris & Frances Quesnell, Jannise Stone, Teresita Domingo David, Amanda Bartlett, Amelia Ortiz, Salvador Valencia, Aysha Nacalaban, Kristen Brians, Tomas & William Hyde, Julito Dompore, Temy Gonzalez, Ignacio Martinez Sr, Emiliano Ritua, Catalina F. Domzguin, Magdalena Giron, Mona Clements, Rose Krejci, Paul & Mary Odermatt, Nelia Constran, Celso Ortega, Elvira Lorenzo, Lourdes Pecundo, Obdulia Suico, Rosellie McCarthy, Milagros Vandiver, Kenneth Mitchel, Laura Valenzuela, Carmen Arellano, Victor Stewart, Marvis Ellis, Emiliano Ritua, Mona Clements, Reylanda Harves, and Rose Ruth Kuntz.



NOVEMBER 27-28

SUN 27	7:00AM	+Petrona Baiza Villanueva Villaruz
	7:00AM	Thanksgiving Intentions of Alejandra Loyola
	8:30AM	+Luisa D. Arriola
	8:30AM	Happy Wedding Anniversary of William & Estela S. Walfort
	10:00AM	Thanksgiving Intentions of Lily Miranda & Family
	10:00AM	Thanksgiving Intentions of Bill & Opie Balais & Family
	11:30AM	Visitadores Por Cristo
	11:30AM	+Maria Figueroa
	1:00PM	For the Intentions of All Parishioners
	1:00PM	+David Raya
MON 28	5:00PM	For all Souls in Purgatory
	5:00PM	+Socrates Stamatelaky
	7:30AM	Thanksgiving Intentions of the Domaguin Family
	7:30AM	+Antonio & Jose E. Jingco
	5:30PM	Happy Birthday Julieta Alcaraz
TUE 29	5:30PM	Thanksgiving Intention of Francisco, Alicia and Francis Cruz
	7:30AM	+Sean Patrick Bahash
	7:30AM	For the Intentions of Mrs. Sean Bahash and Family
	5:30PM	Happy 25th Wedding Anniversary of Gerald & Juanita Leavell
WED 30	5:30PM	+Sean Patrick Bahash
	7:30AM	+Sean Patrick Bahash
	7:30AM	+Ricardo Hernandez
	5:30PM	+Francisco Villa Topete
	5:30PM	Thanksgiving Intentions of Adelina Dulay

DECEMBER 1-3

THU 1	7:30AM	+Danny Pardillo
	7:30AM	+Fred Pardillo
	5:30PM	+Jasmin Ariana Guinto
	5:30PM	Happy Birthday Rosa Maria Castorena
FRI 2	7:30AM	For Souls in purgatory
	7:30AM	+James Laurence
	5:30PM	+Trinidad Miles (Chris & Elizabeth Lao 40 th wedding Annv.)
SAT 3	5:30PM	Thanksgiving Intentions Diana Boyd
	8:00AM	For the Promotion of Life
	8:00AM	Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary Flaviano & Maria Gobasco
	5:00PM	+Mena Castro
	5:00PM	Thanksgiving Intentions of Frank Novilla

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 2:1-5; Mt 8:5-11
 Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Lk 10:21-24
 Wednesday: Rom 10:9-18; Mt 4:18-22
 Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Mt 7:21, 24-27
 Friday: Is 29:17-24; Mt 9:27-31
 Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Mt 9:35 — 10:1, 5a, 6-8
 Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 85; 2 Pt 3:8-14; Mk 1:1-8





The Holy Name Society hosts the bake sale **TO-BAY** on the West Patio. Bond with fellow parishioners over a cup of coffee and delicious baked goods. The DMI will host the next Bake Sale on December 4, 2011.



CATECHETICAL CENTER 575-2240

Office Hours: Monday—Friday,
9-12:00 & 12:30-5PM

Office Closed: Saturdays & Sundays

Please Visit our Web site for class schedules and more detailed information at www.saintcharles.org and click on Catechetical Center.

The Young Adult Ministry is hosting "The Giving Tree:"



Celebrate the true meaning of Christmas and give to our parish families in need. Stop by and pick a star from the tree and purchase a toy for a child in need. Monetary donations may be put in an envelope labeled "The Giving Tree" and dropped off in the collection basket at Mass. YAM members will be on the West Patio starting November 27 after Morning Masses through December 18, 2011. For more information, contact us at 619.575.2240 ext 2.

Also the Young Adult Ministry will have their monthly potluck meeting Friday, December 2 at 7:00 PM Upstairs at the Catechetical Center. If you are a young adult between the ages of 18-39, single or married, join us as we plan our Winter Calendar of events. We hope to see you there!

Attention All Members of St Charles: Beginning on the first Monday of the new liturgical year Nov. 28, 2011, Morning Prayer (Lauds) will be said at 7:15 before Morning Mass in the Church. This is part of the Divine Office which is placed second only to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass in importance in our prayer life. Together with Evening Prayer (Vespers) which is already prayed at 5:00 PM, they are the hinges upon which the daily office turns and are called the Chief Hours. You are cordially invited to become part of either prayer session or even better both. These Prayers will be recited Monday-Friday. Lord open our lips and our mouths will declare your praise.

EWTN will air the following six episodes of Father Robert Barron's "Catholicism" per the schedule below. You are very much encouraged to watch.

- **The Fire of His Love** – Prayer and the Life of the Spirit: 4 p.m. ET, Saturday, Dec. 3.
- **World Made Flesh, True Bread of Heaven** – The Mystery of the Liturgy and the Eucharist: 6 p.m. ET, Saturday, Dec. 10.
- **A Vast Company of Witnesses** – The Communion of Saints: 11 p.m. ET, Dec. 11.
- **World Without End – The Last Things:** 10 p.m. ET, Dec. 17.

St. Charles Christmas Party Tickets



Are on Sale NOW!! Please stop by the Parish office and get your tickets, so you will not miss out on this fun event. Hope to see you all there! For more information please call the parish office at 423-0242.



COINS AND CAN WEEKEND is next weekend.

All coins received in the offering will be made available to the St. Charles Pantry which supplies emergency food to needy in the South Bay and to Parishioners of St. Charles Parish. As always easy open cans and other food supplies can be made available by bringing them to the parish office. Food and baby items brought to the office will be distributed locally or given to BIRTHLINE to help expectant mothers in need. God bless you for your consistent generosity.

Discernment Retreat for young women ages 16-30 interested in religious life. This retreat will include time for personal reflection, prayer and mingling with religious sisters. We will have conferences, Eucharistic Adoration, Holy Mass, and Rosary. Sunday, December 4, 2011 from 8:00AM-7:00PM. At the Little Flower Haven, 8585 La Mesa Blvd., La Mesa, CA 91941. Due date to register is December 1, 2011. For more information contact: Sr. Aurora Lopez-Ornelas at (858) 490-8346 or alopez-ornelas@diocese-sdiego.org

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May God bless you more for your sacrificial gift and ever generous support of St. Charles Parish.

South Bay Deanery

2011 Advent Penance Service

Dec.1, Thursday	Most Precious Blood	7:00PM
Dec. 4, Sunday	Sacred Heart	4:00PM
Dec. 5, Monday	St. Michael	7:00PM
Dec. 6, Tuesday	Corpus Christi	7:00PM
Dec. 9, Friday	O.L. Mt. Carmel	7:00PM
Dec. 12, Monday	St. Pius X	7:00PM
Dec. 13, Tuesday	Mater Dei	6:30PM
Dec. 14, Wednesday	St. Rose	7:00PM
Dec. 15, Thursday	Our Lady of Guadalupe	7:00PM
Dec. 16, Friday	St. Charles	7:00PM

Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion: The sign-in sheets for Christmas Eve is now available at the church vestibule or at the Sacristy. For Christmas Day Masses, the regularly assigned team on Sundays will assist during the 8:30 AM and 10:00 AM Masses. Please sign-in now. Call 619 934-1566 for any further questions.



En nombre de todo el personal de la parroquia les deseo un bendito comienzo a la Temporada Adviento. Adviento es un tiempo para prepararnos para el nacimiento de Jesús y para el día de su venida en gloria. En Adviento, recordamos, que como en Cuaresma, es un tiempo especial para cristianos en todas partes de cooperar con la gracia de Dios y prepararnos para su venida. Recuerdo que al crecer cuando huéspedes vendrían a visitarnos pasamos mucho tiempo preparándonos para su llegada (generalmente para nosotros como niños eso significaba limpiar y hacer nuestras tareas mientras mamá y papa se encargaban de la cocina). En una manera semejante nosotros nos cercioremos de que nuestra morada más interna este lista para recibir a Jesús. Por medio de oración y penitencia, buenas obras y actos de caridad, la casa de nuestra alma esta lista para la llegada del Señor.

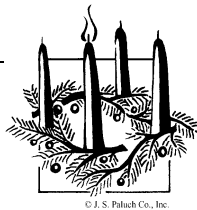
La Iglesia también ha pedido que le de a conocer algunos cambios en la celebración de Misa. Durante el Padre nuestro para muchos se ha llegado a ser costumbre, especialmente al parecer en la costa oeste, tomar las manos. La postura correcta de oración durante el Nuestro Padre es de no tomarse las manos pero el tener las manos levantadas en oración como el sacerdote hace durante sus oraciones en la Misa. Quizás por ser unas personas amables empezamos a buscar instintivamente las manos de nuestros vecinos, pero debemos abstenernos de hacer esto especialmente cuando se cruzan el pasillo para tomar las manos de éstos al otro lado de la iglesia.

El segundo cambio es durante Comunión, sólo los que recibirán la Comunión deben pasar. Recientemente se ha llegado a ser popular pasar y pedir una bendición y no recibir la Eucaristía. Puesto que el sacerdote dará la bendición al final de la Misa no hay razón para pedir otra bendición. Más bien, la Iglesia invita a los que no pueden recibir la Eucaristía en esa Misa a quedarse sentado y hace una comunión espiritual con Cristo. También quiero agregar que si usted o alguien que usted conoce no puede recibir la santa Comunión porque no se han confesado en algún tiempo o por causa de tener alguna situación en sus vidas sin resolver por favor los invite a contactar a uno de los sacerdotes o diáconos en la parroquia. ¡Imagínese las gracias que serían mandadas sobre San Diego si todas las personas en nuestras fronteras de la parroquia recibieran la Eucaristía regularmente y dignamente!

Que Dios los bendiga,
Padre Jim

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Is 2:1-5; Mt 8:5-11
Martes: Is 11:1-10; Lc 10:21-24
Miércoles: Rom 10:9-18; Mt 4:18-22
Jueves: Is 26:1-6; Mt 7:21, 24-27
Viernes: Is 29:17-24; Mt 9:27-31
Sábado: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Mt 9:35 — 10:1, 5a, 6-8
Domingo: Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Sal 85 (84); 2 Pe 3:8-14;
Mc 1:1-8



MINISTERIO CATEQUETICO HISPANO
575-2240

Horario de Oficina: Lunes-Viernes
9-12:00 & 12:30-5PM

Oficina cerrada: Sábados y Domingos

Favor de visitar nuestra pagina de internet para el horario de clases y para mas información
www.saintcharles.org

Fiesta de Navidad de San Carlos



Los boletos ya están ala venta. Por favor pase a la oficina Parroquial y compre sus boletos ahora, así usted no se perderá de este divertido acontecimiento. ¡Esperamos verlo allí! Para más información favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial al 423-0242.



El Grupo Holy Name Society tendrán venta de pastelitos **HOY** en el patio. **El grupo de DMI** tendrá venta el próximo domingo 4 de Diciembre, 2011.

El próximo fin de semana es de MONEDAS & LATAS.

Todas las monedas recibidas en la ofrenda serán hechas disponibles para la despensa de San Carlos que suministra alimento de emergencia a personas necesitadas en South Bay y a personas de nuestra parroquia. Latas y otras provisiones pueden ser entregadas en la oficina parroquia. Los artículos para bebe serán enviados a Birthline para ayudar a mujeres embarazadas. Gracias por su apoyo generoso a la Campaña de Monedas y Latas, que nos permite a ayudar esos menos afortunado que nosotros mismos.



Servicio Penitencial de Adviento 2011

El servicio penitencial en nuestra parroquia se llevara acabo el viernes 16 de Diciembre, a las 7:00PM. Si no puede asistir ese día, habrá servicios en otras iglesias, la lista completa esta en la pagina 3 de este boletín.

Atención Ministros Extraordinarios de la Eucaristía:

Las hojas para servir en las misas de Noche Buena ya están disponible en la Sacristía o el Vestíbulo de la iglesia. Para las Misas de Navidad el equipo regularmente asignado el domingo asistirá. Por favor apúntese ahora o llame al Coordinador, para más información.

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Que Dios los bendiga por sus generosas ofrendas y su eterna generosidad para la Parroquia de San Carlos.