

*April 23 ~ 2nd Sunday of Easter*

# St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

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## MASS TIMES

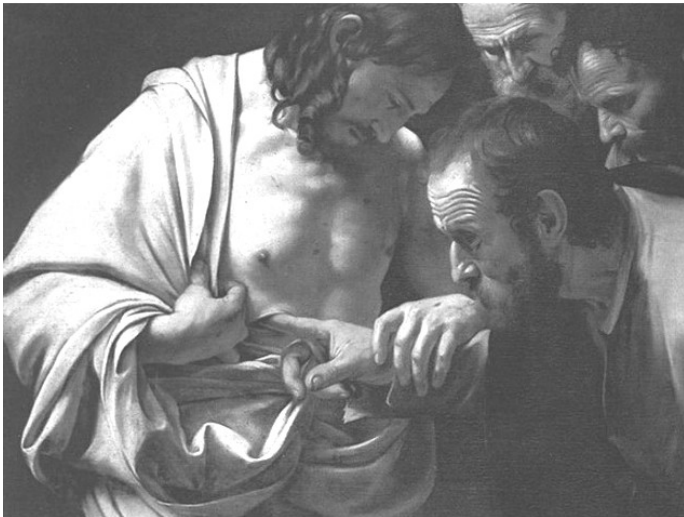
Saturday ~ 5pm  
Sunday ~ 8am & 10:30am  
Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri. ~ 7am

### Confessions:

Tues. thru Fri. ~ 6:30am-6:55am  
Saturday ~ 4:00 - 4:45pm

## READINGS

Sun the 23rd: Acts 2:42-47; Ps 118:1-24; 1 Pet 1:3-9; John 20:19-31  
Mon the 24th: Acts 4:23-31; Ps 2:1-9; Col 3:1; John 3:1-8  
Tue the 25th: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-5; John 3:7-15  
Wed the 26th: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:1-9; John 3:16-21  
Thu the 27th: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:1-20; John 20:29; John 3:31-36  
Fri the 28th: Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1-14; Matt 4:4; John 6:1-15  
Sat the 29th: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-19; John 6:16-21



Thank God for 'Doubting Thomas'. His doubts healed the wounds of our own disbelief. They also open up- for all who look with the eyes of faith - a deeper understanding of the redemptive effect of the wounds of Jesus - and the role our own wounds can have in our continuing call to conversion as we join them to His. Thomas the doubter became the Thomas the model believer, an example for each one of us. At every Eucharist let us echo these beautiful words of Thomas, "My Lord and My God". Let us ask the Lord of Mercy for the grace to become true messengers of Mercy to this age so desperately in need of it.

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Monday, April 24

7am: Communion Service

### Tuesday, April 25 ~ St. Mark, Evangelist

7am: + Edmund & Rosie Volz

### Wednesday, April 26

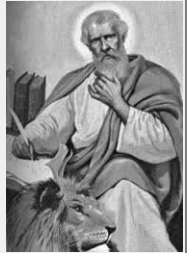
7am: + Marvin Billman

### Thursday, April 27

7am: + Dr. Florence Grunkemeyer

### Fri., April 28 ~ Sts. Peter Chanel & Louis Grignion de Montfort

7am: + Pollyanna Gregg



### ~Mass at St. Pius Chapel~

#### Saturday, April 29 ~ St. Pius V, Pope

**5:30pm:** + Patricia Bruner

Chaplet of D.M. 7:35am Joe Moll

Lector: Ed King

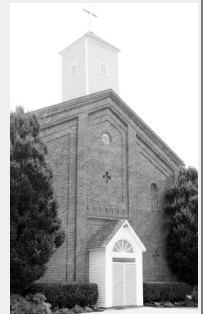
Servers: Grant Novinger

Scott Novinger

Gift Bearers: Linda Lauber, Dottie Doan

Ushers: Mark Kieffer

Eucharistic Ministers: Joyce Mathes, Dave Theobald,  
Michelle Novinger



#### Sunday, April 30

**8am:** + Our Parishioners

Chaplet of Divine Mercy 7:35am Mary Nierlich

Lector: Mary Wickersham

Servers: Emily Campbell, Anna Bergmann

Gift Bearers: John & Jenny Seithel Family

Ushers: Gerrie Driggers, John Hanna

Eucharistic Min.: Rose Gauck, Gene & Carol Ehlman

**10:30am:** + Robert & Emma Hunt

Chaplet of Divine Mercy 10:05am Judy/Steve Collins

Lector: Gary Taylor

Servers: Shane Lonneman, Dalton Wuest

Gift Bearers: Stan & Ellen Sporleder

Ushers: Steve & Molly Knecht

Euch. Min.: Lori Lewis, Ginny Thompson, Linda Ottaway

**Up-coming March Faith Formation Classes:**

- 4/23 ~ Normal class, 3rd/4th supplies food/drinks
- 4/30 ~ Normal class, Rel. Ed. supplies food/drinks (Rosary recitation beginning of class)
- 5/6 ~ Normal class, Rel. Ed. Supplies food/drinks (Last day of Faith Formation)

**Next Saturday, April 29th we will have the Saturday evening mass at St. Pius Chapel** in honor of St. Pius V, Pope’s feast day. Mass will be celebrated at 5:30pm(No evening mass at St. Charles that day) After mass we will gather in the St. Pius Hall for appetizers/drinks. Please bring an appetizer to share.

**Free copies of OSV** weekly magazine in the back of church or go to our website under LINKS. Email: [St.charleschurch@yahoo.com](mailto:St.charleschurch@yahoo.com) Password: gost.charles

**Milan Food Pantry** is open on Tuesdays from 9-10am & 5-7pm. Next workday for St. Charles: 5/30

**Rice Bowls:** Please turn in your rice bowl on the back table in church. Rice bowls will be accepted the weekends of April 23rd & 30th. Thank you!

**Vision for future use of St. Pius Worship space:** Looking for ideas to use the worship space on the St. Pius campus for a ministry to serve the church and build the kingdom other than as worship space.

Looking for a ministry that would justify cost to bringing the building up to code for safety and aesthetically updating its appearance. Call Gary Taylor or talk to pastoral council members.

**Catholic Home Missions collection;**4/29&30th The Appeal primarily supports home mission dioceses, that is, those dioceses in the United States that are unable to offer their people the basic pastoral ministries of word, worship, & service without outside help.

**The annual Harvest Dinner & Raffle** is schedule for Saturday, October 21. There will be a meeting schedule in May to begin preparations.

**Hall Rental:** The warmer months are approaching and you may want to consider renting either St. Charles or St. Pius Hall to hold your large family gathering this summer. Call the office to reserve it.

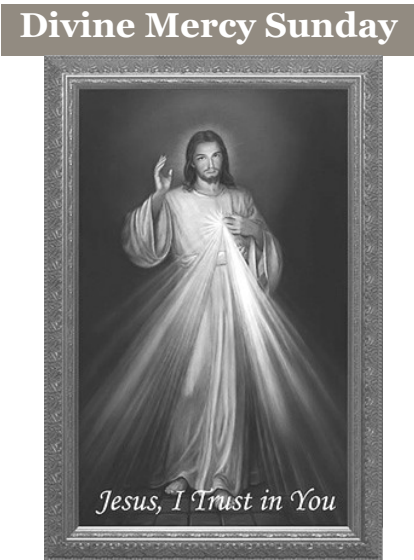
**Save the date:** The Ladies Society is sponsoring a dinner theater on June 23 & 25. Proceeds will go towards hall improvements. More info. to come.....

**Plant Sale:** Ladies Society is having their 3rd annual plant sale. Flyers are in the back of church. ALL Checks must be payable to the plant vendor, not St. Charles Church! Thank you for your support!

<b>Contributions</b>	
Holy Thursday	\$ 273.00
Easter	\$ 3,783
Budget:	\$ 3,269.00
Difference:	+ \$ 787.00
Holy Places	\$ 487.00

**Celebrating 100 Years of Fatima**  
*“Finding Fatima” movie*  
**Saturday**  
**May 13th at 3pm**  
**In parish hall**

- PRAYER LIST**
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|------------------|--------------------------|
| Al Mathes        | Jack Jennings            |
| Bob Ashcraft     | Jenny Heis               |
| Finley Jay Thome | Anita Grehl              |
| Shirley Volz     | Sara Manifold-Williamson |
| Vicki Seiler     | Bill Wilkymacky          |
| Kaleb Leinberger | Hannah Sharp & Fam.      |
| Reed Thompson    | Joe Clarkson             |
| Carol DuChemin   | Mary Lunsford            |
| David Derby      | Connie Bradley           |
| Norman Meyer     | Martha Miller            |
| Marilyn Hormann  | Beulah Bryant            |
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**AREA EVENTS**

See church bulletin board for details:  
 Bereavement Ministry, Bishop Brute Days, Nancy Hershman Scholarship Dinner, All Saints hiring teachers, General information night for those seeking annulments, Divine Mercy Service, St. Nicholas seeks parish secretary, St. Louis Rummage Sale, Young Adults’ events, Come & See Weekend

- Looking Ahead....**
- April 25 Rosary/sing-a-long at R.C. Nursing Home, 6:30pm
  - April 27 Prayer Service/Rosary at 7pm at St. Pius Campus
  - April 29 Mass at St. Pius at 5:30pm, social after in SP Hall
  - April 30 Adult Faith Formation mtg., 9am-1015am
  - May 1 Ladies Society meeting at 6:30pm in hall
  - May 2 Rosary & sing-a-long at Ripley Crossings at 6:30pm
  - May 5 First Friday Eucharistic Adoration, 3pm-7pm

**WELCOME TO FORMED.**  
**THE CATHOLIC FAITH. ON DEMAND**  
 go to: [Formed.org](http://Formed.org) Click on Register For parish code, use: **VHQC3Z** Fill in email and click **GO**  
 Fill in your information and click **SUBMIT**