

*At St. Charles, all are invited to  
meet Christ, know Christ,  
love Christ and serve Christ.*

**March 25, 2018  
PALM SUNDAY**



*Palm Sunday*  
**OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD**



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## Eucharistic Celebrations

**Saturday Mass of Anticipation:** 5:00pm

**Sunday Mass Times:** 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am & 6:00pm

**Communion Service:** Monday ~ Friday: 6:30am

**Weekday Mass:**

Monday ~ Saturday: 6:30am (During Lent) & 8:30am

**Sacrament of the Sick**

The Anointing Mass is the second and fourth Friday at 8:30am or by appointment with Fr. Ken or Fr. Behling (scheduled with the Parish Office).

**Morning Prayer:** Monday ~ Friday: 7:30am, Saturday: 8:00am

**Rosary:** Monday ~ Friday: 8:00am, Tuesday Evening: 7:30pm

**Perpetual Help Devotions:** Tuesday after 8:30am Mass

**Eucharistic Adoration**

Mondays: 5:00-7:00pm followed by closing prayer (includes music)

Fridays: 9:00am-3:00pm with the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00pm followed by Benediction

**Reconciliation**

**Saturday: 3:30pm - 4:30pm & Thursday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm**

or by appointment (scheduled with the Parish Office)

**Parish Membership**

All Catholics are welcome to join our Parish and are asked to register on New Parishioner weekend, the first weekend of the month, or stop in at the Parish Office during office hours.

**Planning to be Married?**

Congratulations! Please notify St. Charles at least six months in advance. Weddings may be celebrated on Friday evenings and Saturdays at 11:00am and 2:00pm. Exceptions are made only with the permission of the Pastor. Please contact **Dee Anne Hamer at 262-367-0800 Ext. 222.**

**Are you expecting or adopting a child?**

St. Charles is honored to serve parents seeking Baptism for their child(ren). To find out more information about our preparation process and to schedule infant/child Baptisms, please **contact the Parish Office at 262-367-0800.**

**Becoming FULLY Catholic**

Are you unbaptized or baptized in a different Christian faith and considering becoming Catholic? Are you a baptized Catholic who did not receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and/or Confirmation? St. Charles provides an adult formation process that will help you discover Jesus and His Holy Catholic Church. For more information, please **contact Julie Malucha at 262-367-0800.**

**Small Groups**

The Small Group movement at St. Charles offers you a way to authentically seek Jesus in small faith sharing communities. Small Groups gather in members' homes throughout Lake Country during Fall and Lent. For more information, please **contact Julie Malucha at 262-367-0800.**

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**Need Home Communion: 262-367-0800 (Parish Office)**

# THIS WEEK AT ST. CHARLES



**Spend 15 minutes every day in prayer with Scripture this LENT!**



- *When have you experienced radical change in your life? How has that change made others uncomfortable?*
- *What does it mean to you to be raised with Christ from the dead?*
- *How has reflecting on Jesus' words and deeds this Lent changed you?*
- *How can you more fully embrace the power of the resurrection to overcome old habits and truly live as a new creation?*

### Readings for the Week of March 25th

See bulletin pages 5-7 for the daily readings!



*Cutout and keep in your bible for reference!*



### Wedding Banns

3rd Bann ~ Linda O'Neill & David Morris  
1st Bann ~ Natalie Suminski & Chris Wilber

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

**Petronella "Nellie" Salden**

May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed  
**REST IN CHRIST'S PEACE.**

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### Sunday, March 25 ~ Palm Sunday

Little Lambs Childcare, 3K Classroom, 9:00am & 11:00am Masses  
Palm Sunday Procession Costuming, CR, 10:20am  
Palm Sunday Procession during 11:00am Mass, CH  
EDGE, LTC, CR & PH, 4:30pm  
IGNITE: High School Ministry, LTC, 7:15pm

### Monday, March 26

After School Care, PH, 3:30pm

### Tuesday, March 27

Staff Meeting, BR, 10:00pm  
SVdP Food Pantry Open, Lawn Street, 10:00am-Noon  
Tuesday Breakfast Club, BR, 10:30am  
After School Care, PH, 3:30pm  
Children's Choir Rehearsal, CH, 3:30pm  
SVdP Food Pantry Open, Lawn Street, 5:30pm-7:00pm  
Cub Scouts Meeting, PH, 6:30pm  
Life Teen Emmaus Group, LTC, 6:30pm  
Technology Commission Meeting, IMC/SR, 6:30pm  
Mass of Christ, Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, 7:00pm  
St. Vincent de Paul Meeting, IMC, 7:00pm

### Wednesday, March 28

All School Mass, CH, 8:30am  
After School Care, PH, 3:30pm  
Brass Rehearsal, BR, 5:30pm  
Hand Bell Practice, Workroom, 5:30pm  
Adult Choir Practice, CH, 7:00pm

### Thursday, March 29 ~ Holy Thursday

#### School Early Release Day

Holy Thursday Morning Prayer, CH, 8:30am  
After School Care, 3K/4K Classroom, 11:45am  
No Reconciliation  
Mass of the Lord's Supper with Adoration to follow, CH, 7:00pm  
Adoration, Chapel, After Mass until Midnight

### Friday, March 30 ~ Good Friday

#### No School

#### Parish Office Closed at Noon

No Eucharistic Adoration  
Good Friday Morning Prayer, CH, 8:30am  
Passion of the Lord Service, CH, 1:00pm  
Stations of the Cross, CH, 7:00pm

### Saturday, March 31 ~ Holy Saturday

Holy Saturday Morning Prayer, CH, 8:30am  
Blessing of Food, CH, 4:00pm  
Easter Vigil (Incense), CH, 8:00pm  
Easter Vigil Reception, BR, After Mass

### Sunday, April 1 ~ Easter Sunday

7:00am Easter Mass, CH  
Little Lambs Childcare, 3K Classroom, 9:00am & 11:00am  
9:00am Easter Mass, CH  
11:00am Easter Mass, CH  
Easter Egg Hunt, PH & Outside, After 11:00am Mass  
No 6:00pm Mass

### Room Abbreviation Key

BR = Borromeo Room	MR = Music Room
CH = Church	PH = Parish Hall
CR = Conference Room	PO = Parish Office
HFRC = Holy Family Rec Center	SK = Staff Kitchen
FP = Food Pantry	SR = Science Room
IMC = Instructional Media Center	TL = Teachers' Lounge
MD = Music Dept	YR = Youth Room



### Bring Your Bells!

Please bring your bells from home on the night of Holy Thursday to accompany the Choir and congregation during the singing of the Gloria. The Gloria (for the most part) is eliminated from our Masses during Lent and we welcome it back with joy and excitement - and bells - during the Gloria on Holy Thursday. Our bells are then immediately silenced and brought back the night of Easter Vigil.

### Easter Sunday Morning at St. Charles An Old-Fashioned Easter Egg Hunt

Open to All After the 11:00 am Mass  
on April 1st!

**TIME/GATHER:** 12:15 pm in the Parish Hall

**COST:** FREE

**WHO:** All Ages



**BRING YOUR EASTER  
BASKETS AND THE  
WHOLE FAMILY!**

*The Egg Hunt will be outside  
(weather permitting!)*

### Bakers Needed!



St. Charles Easter Egg Hunt on Sunday, April 1st is looking for people to sign up to supply baked goods, juices, bags of candy, etc. for this event. If you are interested in contributing any of these items, please sign up on the parish sign-up shelf.

Please drop off items by 9:00 am April 1st in the Parish Hall. Thank you!

### Triduum Preparation

**Holy Thursday,** March 29th is the beginning of the Easter Triduum. (Triduum means three days.) The three days between Holy Thursday evening and Easter Sunday evening are the high point of the church year. During these three days we gather for prayer several times as a community. Over and over again the church reminds us that our keeping of these days is a single celebration of the Lord's passion, death, and resurrection. We are not preparing for Easter, these days are Easter.

The season of Lent ends quietly at sundown on Holy Thursday. Unique to that evening's prayer is the presentation of oils blessed by Archbishop ListECKI two days earlier at the Chrism Mass. The washing of feet is a sign of service that both reflects and judges our lives. That service is made more real with our donations from our Lenten rice bowls and other Lenten alms.

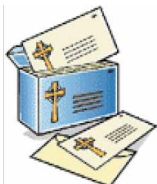
**Good Friday:** Our celebration of the Lord's Passion on Good Friday begins in silence, without any greeting or song, again emphasizing the unity of our three day festival. Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence. This is not a Lenten fast, however; Lent is over. It is an Easter fast, one of anticipation and joy.

It would be easy to see these three days as historical re-enactments of the last hours of Jesus' life. But we do not need to make believe that we don't know about Jesus' resurrection. "To stress the history is to miss the mystery." In our proclamation of Jesus' Passion and our communal veneration of His cross, we slowly begin to see how our own suffering and death are not eliminated but transformed. That is the mystery!

Good Friday is the only day in the entire year that the Eucharist is not celebrated. The liturgy ends with a simple communion service and we depart in silence to await with prayer and fasting the great Vigil on Saturday evening.

**The Easter Vigil:** On this night, after 40 days of prayer, fasting and almsgiving, and after our feet have been washed and the cross has been venerated, the Church calls us to keep watch, to keep vigil into the night. (In fact, in order to set this Vigil apart, liturgical guidelines require that it cannot begin at the same time as an anticipated Mass is normally celebrated, nor can it begin before dark.)

On this night we gather in total darkness, see the flame of the Easter candle pierce that darkness and spread its light through the church. On this night we give ourselves over to the reading of Scripture and the singing of psalms in order to make some sense of all that has happened and is soon to happen. In some years that means we welcome the newest disciples of Christ into the household of the Church. It always means that we gather around the waters of the baptismal font and renew our own baptismal commitment to follow in the footsteps of Christ. Finally, we gather at the Lord's table to be fed with the Body and Blood of our Lord to strengthen us for our mission. The community needs to celebrate the Vigil whether or not any new members are present. Your presence is needed to make our prayer as strong as it can possibly be!



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Weekend Total..... \$23,465.42  
YTD..... \$1,105,609.63

**Holy Week Services**

Mark Your Calendar  
(Primary celebrations in bold)



**March 29<sup>TH</sup>: Holy Thursday**

8:30 am Morning Prayer in Church

**7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper with Adoration in the Chapel until midnight.**

*Your Rice Bowls/other Lenten alms may be returned this evening.*

**March 30<sup>TH</sup>: Good Friday**

8:30 am Morning Prayer in Church

**1:00 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion**

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

**March 31<sup>ST</sup>: Holy Saturday**

8:30 am Morning Prayer in Church

4:00 pm Blessing of Food

**8:00 pm Easter Vigil**

(Attendance at the Easter Vigil fulfills Sunday obligation.)

**April 1<sup>ST</sup>: Easter Sunday**

7:00 am / 9:00 am / 11:00 am

(No 6:00 pm Mass on Easter Sunday.)

You are cordially invited to

**St. Charles'  
NEW PARISHIONER  
Welcome Reception**

**Saturday, April 14th  
in the Borromeo Room  
following the 5:00 pm Mass**

Meet staff members and other new parishioners and enjoy tasty hors d'oeuvres and beverages. Please RSVP by April 12th on the sign-up shelf or call Nancy Van De Laarschot at 262-367-0800 Ext. 214.

**HOLY WEEK 2018**

**Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion - March 25th**

What meaning, what sense, does this Sunday have? The meaning, the sense, lies in its very name: Palm/Passion Sunday. In this context, Passion and palms are not a contradiction: sorrow along with joy, thorns versus palms, tragedy in conflict with triumph. Passion and palms are not enemies; they make a single mystery. ~ Palm Sunday suggests what Good Friday will trumpet to the far ends of the earth: Our King triumphs not simply on Easter, He triumphs on Calvary. The tragedy is triumph; the sadness is gladness (Walter Burghardt.)

Readings: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 [2a]/Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1--15:47 or 15:1-39  
7:00 am MASS ~ † Jerry Johnson  
9:00 am MASS ~ † Ervin Wunsch & Anton Hallada  
11:00 am MASS ~ Special intention for Garrett Frisbee  
6:00 pm MASS ~ Living and Deceased Members of St. Charles

**Monday of Holy Week - March 26th**

Lent is no more a preparation for the resurrection of Jesus than Advent was a preparation for the birth of Jesus. Jesus has risen, once and for all, and we dare not pretend that He has not. ~ Just as Lent is not 40 days of mourning while we wait for Christ to burst the linen bands of His burial, so our life on earth is not a vale of tears while we wait for the final resurrection to wipe them away. In your dying is your living; in your dying is your rising (Walter Burghardt.)

Readings: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14 [1a]/Jn 12:1-11  
6:30am MASS ~ † John Connolly  
7:30am MORNING PRAYER  
8:00am ROSARY  
8:30am MASS ~ † Chuck Jungbluth

# HOLY WEEK 2018

## Tuesday of Holy Week - March 27th

All are invited to attend the Chrism Mass at 7:30pm at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, 812 North Jackson Street, Milwaukee. It is at this Mass that the holy oils we use throughout the year are blessed or consecrated.

Readings:	Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17 [cf. 15ab]/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
6:30am	MASS ~ † Francis Winterland
7:30am	MORNING PRAYER
8:00am	ROSARY
8:30am	MASS ~ † James Dibb
7:30pm	ROSARY

## Wednesday of Holy Week - March 28th

Six weeks ago, on Ash Wednesday, the season of Lent began. We were signed with ashes as a sign of our willingness to open ourselves to Christ's redemptive power in our lives. Today is the last full day of Lent. Like Jesus, we prepare to surrender our lives to the Father. ~ This is the last day for the 6:30am Mass.

Readings:	Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34 [14c]/Mt 26:14-25
6:30am	MASS ~ † Jean Hilger
7:30am	MORNING PRAYER
8:00am	ROSARY
8:30am	MASS ~ † Beverly & Louis Enderlin

## Holy Thursday - March 29th

Rice bowls /other Lenten alms will be collected as part of our liturgy this evening. There will be Adoration following the Holy Thursday service in the chapel until midnight.

For Christians, every year has its origins and climax at a time determined by the earth and the sun and the moon and the human-made cycle of a seven-day week. The marvelous plan of earth's placement and the sun's placement, of axis and of orbit make a cycle within human cycles so that days can be named and remembered and rhythms established. First, we wait for the angle of the earth's axis to make day and night equal (spring equinox). Then we wait for the moon to be full.

When these cosmic movements occur, then the Church gathers for the Passover of the Lord. Only then do we dare to wash one another's feet and reverence the tree of life. We immerse ourselves in the darkness, in the stories, and in the death-defying waters of baptism. In the midst of our busy lives, we are reminded of our origins and our destiny. Such confrontations can be most inconvenient – but birth and death are rarely convenient. Keenly aware of our dependence upon God, we humbly surrender to the mystery.

Readings:	Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Ps 89:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 [2a]/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21 Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18 [cf. 1 Cor 10:16]/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15
	NO 6:30am or 8:30am MASS
8:30am	MORNING PRAYER NO INDIVIDUAL RECONCILIATION TODAY
7:00pm	MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER (Incense used) ~ Living and Deceased Priests who have served at St. Charles Parish EUCHARISTIC ADORATION until midnight

# HOLY WEEK 2018

## Good Friday - March 30th

Behold, the wood of the cross on which is hung our salvation. O come, let us adore. We gather quietly on Friday and listen to scripture, including the passion from the gospel of John. We pray at length for all the world's needs. Then the holy cross is held up in our midst, and we come forward one by one to do reverence with a kiss or a bow or a genuflection. All the while we sing, not only of sorrow, but of the glory of the cross. We continue in fasting and prayer and vigil, in rest and quiet through Saturday (Liturgy Training Publications). ~ Friday is a day of fasting for those between the ages of 18 and 59 and abstinence from meat for ages of 14 through 59. ~ The annual collection for the shrines and the people of the Holy Land is taken up at the afternoon service.

Readings:	Is 52:13--53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25 [Lk 23:46]/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/ Jn 18:1--19:42 NO 6:30am or 8:30am MASS
8:30am	MORNING PRAYER
1:00pm	LITURGY OF THE PASSION AND DEATH OF THE LORD
7:00pm	STATIONS OF THE CROSS

## Holy Saturday - March 31st

Rejoice, let Mother Church also rejoice, arrayed with the lightning of his glory, let this holy building shake with joy, filled with the mighty voices of the peoples. The liturgy this evening is "the heart that pumps lifeblood" into the Church. Even when there are no new members to baptize, the Church needs to be together on this holiest of nights. In the midst of war, illness, broken relationships and death, we need to remind ourselves – and the world – that Christ, the Light in our darkness, has triumphed. Because of Christ, we dare to sing "Alleluia!" Participation in the Easter Vigil liturgy fulfills your Sunday Mass obligation.

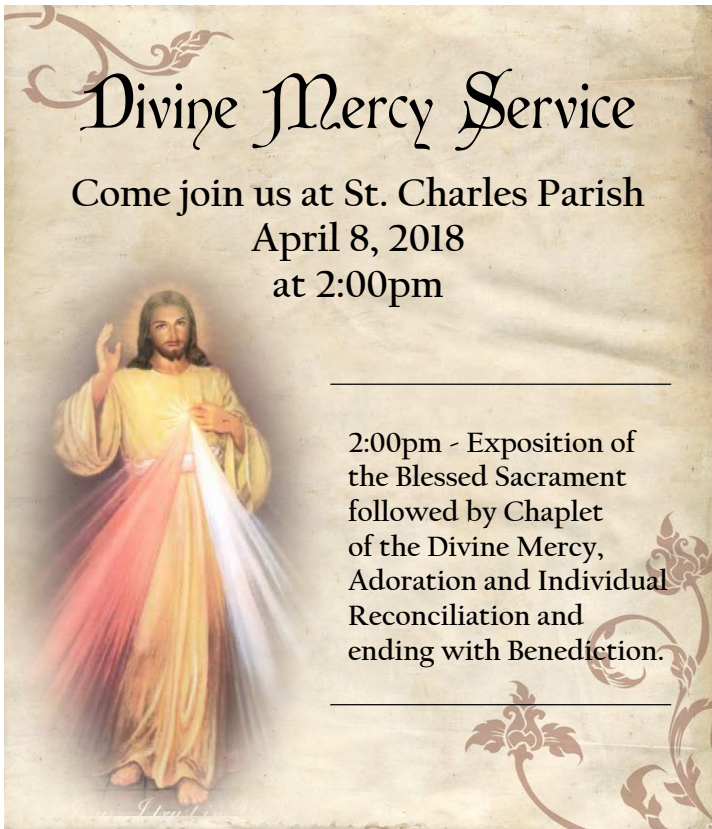
Readings: Vigil:	Gn 1:1--2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 [30] or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22 [5b]/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Ex 14:15--15:1/Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 [1b]/Is 54:5-14/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 [3]/Bar 3:9-15, 32--4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [Jn 6:68c]/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 [42:2] or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [3] or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/Rom 6:3-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Mk 16:1-7
8:30AM	MORNING PRAYER
4:00PM	BLESSING OF THE EASTER FOOD IN CHURCH
8:00PM	SOLEMN VIGIL MASS OF EASTER (Incense used) ~ † Kayla Raatz

## Easter Sunday - April 1st

Alleluia! Alleluia! A Lamb the sheep redeems; Christ, who only is sinless, reconciles sinners to the Father. Death and life have contended in that combat stupendous. The Prince of life, who died, reigns immortal. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Daily reflection books will again be available to encourage and support your daily prayer during the 50 days of Easter.

Readings:	Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/ Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or Lk 24:13-35
7:00am	MASS ~ Living and Deceased Members of St. Charles
9:00am	MASS ~ (Incense used) † Dick Goepel
11:00am	MASS ~ (Incense used) † Pete Schneider NO 6:00pm Mass
EASTER EGG HUNT:	Gather - Following 11:00am Mass (Parish Hall) Hunt - Approx. 12:15pm (Outside)



# Divine Mercy Service

Come join us at St. Charles Parish  
April 8, 2018  
at 2:00pm

2:00pm - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Chaplet of the Divine Mercy, Adoration and Individual Reconciliation and ending with Benediction.



## St. Charles 8th Annual Garden Club Luncheon

April 7th - Doors open at 10:00 am

Theresa Nelson, a water resources engineer, will talk on "Getting to Know and Grow Native Plants."

Register by April 1st. Forms can be found on the information wall or the parish website.

For more information, please call  
Merry at 262-691-2626 or  
Sharon at 262-966-1093.

## Join the Parish Garden Club

The Garden Club is looking for anyone who would be willing to join St. Charles Garden Club. The Garden Club's role is to maintain the gardens on the church grounds with spring planting, summer maintaining and fall clean up. Also there are fundraisers and a couple community service events each year. Please consider joining and help our church look beautiful! If you would like to become a member please visit the sign-up shelf.

## ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY



During His passion, Jesus cried, "My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?" God hears the cries of those who suffer and blesses others with the ability to help. It is up to us to choose to respond to the pleas of those who suffer lack or loneliness. Next week is SHARE SUNDAY and the last opportunity to participate in the Knights of Columbus 40 Dollars or 40 Non-perishable Items for Lent program. Financial donations may be placed in the SVdP collection boxes located in the church narthex or next to the sign-up shelf. They will be used to provide needed financial assistance such as rent, vehicle repairs, and clothing. Donations of food, hygiene, and paper products may be placed in the SE corner of the narthex. If you are in need of comfort or assistance, please contact SVdP at 262-367-0800.

Learn more about SVdP by watching Episode 4 of EWTN'S "Our Faith in Action: Today's Society of St. Vincent de Paul - Lifting Up People in Need". The episode will air on EWTN Sunday, April 8th and Saturday, April 14th. Check your local listings for times.

**FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: canned potatoes, spaghetti sauce, apple sauce and paper towels**

**Pantry location:** 229 Lawn Street, Hartland

**Hours:** Tuesdays 10 am - noon and the second and fourth Tuesday 5:30 pm - 7 pm.

*\*The food pantry will close when Arrowhead Schools close for inclement weather. It will reopen the following Tuesday morning, weather permitting.*



## St. Charles' St. Vincent de Paul Donation Truck

**Saturday, April 21st: Noon - 6:15pm**

**Sunday, April 22nd: 8:15am - 12:30pm and  
5:45pm - 7:15pm**

The St. Vincent de Paul Donation Truck will be parked in the St. Charles parking lot the last weekend of April. We will accept donations of linens, small appliances, small household items, electronics, and new and used clothing in any condition. Your generous donations help to stock our thrift stores and support the Society of St. Vincent de Paul's programs to help the needy. (We are not able to accept paint, computers, chemicals, building supplies, TVs or firearms.)



## Spring Activities Keep Our Students Busy

With less than three months of school remaining in this School Year, our students are busy with standardized testing, science fair projects, book reports, field trips, plans for end-of-the-year events, track practice, graduation and the usual hustle and bustle that takes place in a school with 300 students.

We're also looking forward to the 2018-2019 School Year and enrollment is open and there is space available in every grade from 3K through 8th Grade. Come learn more about our vibrant, energetic, Christ-centered school with high academic standards. Tours are offered throughout the school day or whenever convenient for your family. Please call the School Office at 262-367-2040 or email Christina Holmes at [cholmes@stcharleshartland.org](mailto:cholmes@stcharleshartland.org) to schedule a tour.

Also, congratulations to 8th Graders **Marie Jensen, Mark Porter, Mike Porter** and **Thomas Rose** for their participation in the Wisconsin MATHCOUNTS State Competition held in early March at the Acuity Insurance Center in Sheboygan. Mrs. Kathy Mullen is the MATHCOUNTS coach.

The top mathletes from numerous schools throughout the state participated in the contest. There were three rounds of competition: Sprint Round (focuses on speed and accuracy), Target Round (focuses on problem-solving and mathematical reasoning) and Team Competition (focuses on problem-solving and collaboration). Our students did a great job and enjoyed their experience.

**Thomas Rose** was one of the top scoring mathletes and had the opportunity to participate in the Countdown Round, which is an oral round that focuses on speed and accuracy. Students have a maximum of 45 seconds to answer a problem without using a calculator. Thomas received a trophy for being one of the top ten mathletes in the state of Wisconsin.

We're proud of all our students' accomplishments and achievements in the area of mathematics.



## St. Charles Night at Culver's in Hartland

Monday, April 9th from 5:00-8:00 pm

Mention that you are with St. Charles and the School receives 10% of that evening's sales! Thanks for your support!



## A Night of Irish Blessings St. Charles Parish and School 2018 Auction and Dinner

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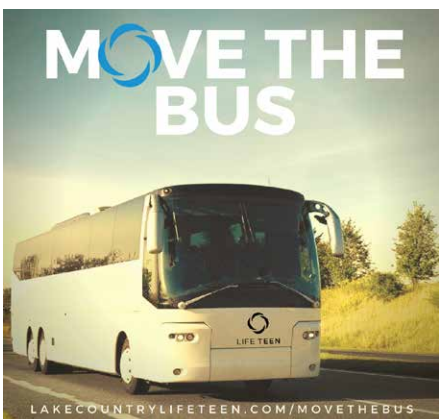
### Little Lambs Childcare Leaders and Volunteers Needed!

Our Little Lambs program is searching for **QUALIFIED** childcare workers who have child care or teaching experience, flexibility, patience and a love for children.

If you enjoy working with children and helping to provide a fun, safe and educational environment where you can make a difference, this may be the position for you.

**We are looking to fill a number of VOLUNTEER and PAID positions.** Teens through adults may apply. Inquiries can be made directly to Marge Beck, Director of Administrative Services, at 262-367-0800 or mbeck@stcharleshartland.org.

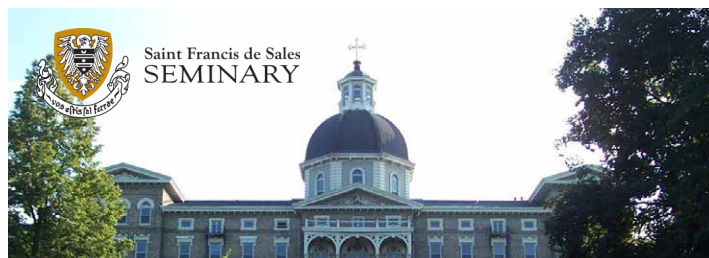
*Little Lambs is a free weekly childcare program that serves children walking through age 4 in the 3K classroom during the 9am and 11am Sunday Masses and also at other evening and weekend special events at St. Charles.* School parents can earn volunteer hours and service hours can be earned by high school confirmation students.



### Support our Teens by Helping to Defer their Transportation Costs!

This summer we have 35 teens heading to Houston, TX for a mission trip and 16 teens heading to camps in Georgia. Summer trips with Life Teen are an incredible opportunity for teens to have an awe-inspiring experience of life. Teens are able to be free and confident in themselves, develop new friendships with other teens from our parish and encounter God working in their lives. While these trips are life-changing experiences, they come at a considerable cost. The cost for the transportation to and from these trips alone surpass \$23,000.

Every \$10 moves one of our two buses a mile. The total distance from Hartland to Houston and Hartland to Georgia is 2,100 miles. Help us to Move the Bus, so our parish teens can encounter God and help those in need! For more information or to donate online visit lakecountrylifeteen.com/movethebus.



### Tour the SEMINARY

**Sunday, April 29**

**11 am Mass • Noon - 2 pm Tours**

Saint Francis de Sales Seminary is opening its doors this spring to all who wish to meet our seminarians and see this beautiful Catholic icon and its picturesque wooded setting.

Bring your family, friends, confirmation classes, school and Christian Formation groups! We are easy to find at the lakefront in St. Francis - 3257 South Lake Drive. Visit [www.sfs.edu](http://www.sfs.edu) for more information.

### “The Church, Our Mother, Seven Ways She Inspires Us to Love”

**Marian Conference and 98th Annual Convention**

**Saturday, April 28th - 8:30 am - 4:00 pm**

**St. Dominic Parish, 18255 W. Capitol Drive, Brookfield**

Join the Milwaukee Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (MACCW) for a day in prayer as part of their annual convention! Open to all women, you need not be a member. All are welcome, and we're saving a place just for you! **The cost is \$30.00 before April 6, \$35 after April 6 and includes continental breakfast, lunch and all materials.**

Registration begins at 8:30 am. Saturday morning's presentation by nationally known speaker and writer, Gina Loehr is entitled "The Church is Our Mother: Seven Ways She Inspires Us to Love". The afternoon presentation is a Personal Witness talk by Jean Kelly, NCCW President-Elect from our own Archdiocese. The day includes Mass celebrated with Bishop Sklba, rosary, vendors, and scholarship presentations. Please make your checks payable to MACCW and send to P.O. Box 472, Brookfield, WI 53008-0472. You can register on line by following the link <http://www.maccw.com/events> or download a registration form. Questions? Contact Jean Kelly at [jeankelly@hotmail.com](mailto:jeankelly@hotmail.com) or 262-797-0937 or call MACCW President Bea Sikorski at 262-363-4312.

### Help For New Parents

Catholic Charities' Pregnancy and Parenting Supportive Services program was awarded a grant through the Aurora Better Together Fund to offer in-home therapy for moms and dads who are expecting a child or have an infant in their home. The therapist assists clients who have a mental health diagnosis or those who may be struggling with postpartum depression. The therapist works alongside the home visiting team that offers in-home education and support. If you are in need or know someone who might need help, please call 414-573-5899.