



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

**November 6, 2022**

**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**St. CHARLES**  
*The Catholic Community of Hartland*

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**PLEDGE COMMITMENT WEEKEND - NOVEMBER 5 & 6**

As we come to that time of the year when we prepare to make our financial commitment to our parish, we invite each of you to think and pray about what St. Charles means to you. A letter from Fr. Ken and a pledge commitment card was mailed this past week to all parish households. Fr. Ken is asking parishioners to "give courageously and increase your gift to help our parish and the people we serve through our ministries" and to "please pray and let God guide you for what you are about to give." Your pledge support to the parish and its ministries helps to keep the parish operational on a day-to-day basis.



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# WELCOME TO ST. CHARLES - WE ARE HERE FOR YOU



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SATURDAY MASS OF ANTICIPATION: 5:00pm

SUNDAY MASS TIMES: 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am & 6:00pm

WEEKDAY MASS: Monday - Friday: 8:30am & Saturday: 8:30am

TUESDAY TRADITIONAL MASS

Monthly on the fourth Tuesday at 5:30 pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

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

Tuesdays: 6:30-8:00pm with 7:30pm Rosary and closing prayer

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

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 3:30pm - 4:30pm & Thursdays: 5:00pm - 6:00pm or by appointment (schedule by calling the Parish Office).

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

By appointment with Fr. Ken or Fr. Ariel (schedule by calling the Parish Office).

ANOINTING MASSES: 2nd & 4th Fridays every month at 8:30 am

WE ARE HERE TO HELP YOU WITH:

- JOINING OUR PARISH
- PLANNING A WEDDING
- PLANNING A FUNERAL
- PLANNING A BAPTISM
- BECOMING FULLY CATHOLIC
- JOINING A SMALL GROUP
- CHILD FORMATION

For help with any of these areas please contact the Parish Office at 262-367-0800 or [parish@stcharleshartland.org](mailto:parish@stcharleshartland.org).

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FOR EMERGENCY PRAYERS, please email: [emergencyprayers@stcharleshartland.org](mailto:emergencyprayers@stcharleshartland.org)

*Printed weekly prayer sheets are available on the information wall.*

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: if you need food, shelter or assistance call 262-367-0800 (Parish Office)

NEED HOME COMMUNION:

For information call 262-367-0800 (Parish Office)

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## Mass Intentions for the Week of November 6



### Sunday, November 6

7:00 am † Sally Peterson

9:00 am † Edwin Miller

11:00 am † Heriberto Villarreal

6:00 pm Living and Deceased Members of St. Charles

### Monday, November 7

8:30 am † Dale Potter

### Tuesday, November 8

8:30 am † Frank & Hester Furey

### Wednesday, November 9

8:30 am † Sam & Sue Bethia

### Thursday, November 10

8:30 am † Glen Marquardt

### Friday, November 11

8:30 am † Jerry Johnson and Louise Weigel

### Saturday, November 12

8:30 am † Joanne Shaw

5:00 pm Living and Deceased Members of St. Charles

### Sunday, November 13

7:00 am † Mary O'Hara

9:00 am † Jim Theeringer

11:00 am † Dolores & Casimir Tomaszewski

6:00 pm † Mark Nell

Please pray for the repose of the souls of

**Jeffery Cordie & Ed McAleer**

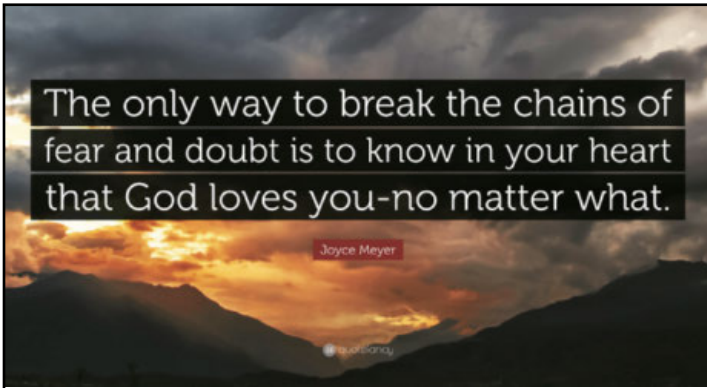
May their souls and the souls of all the faithfully departed  
REST IN CHRIST'S PEACE.

## BULLETIN DUE DATES!

If you have an event(s) you would like to publicize in a November, December and/or January bulletin, please submit your information by the due dates listed below. This earlier deadline is due to the printer's holiday schedule. Please submit all articles by 8:00 am on the due date. Thank you!

- Nov. 20th Bulletin information is due Wednesday, Nov. 9th
- Nov. 27th Bulletin information is due Monday, Nov. 14th
- Dec. 4th Bulletin information is due Monday, Nov. 21st
- Dec. 11th Bulletin information is due Monday, Nov. 28th
- Dec. 18th Bulletin information is due Monday, Dec. 5th
- Dec. 25th Bulletin information is due Monday, Dec. 12th
- Jan. 1st Bulletin information is due Monday, Dec. 19th
- Jan. 8th Bulletin information is due Wednesday, Dec. 21st





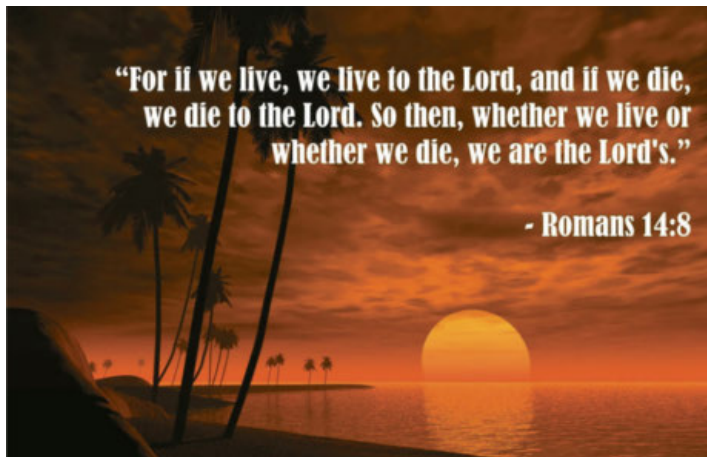
## THE DEAD WILL RISE

By Marianne Giovingo  
Discipleship Team Lead

Friends of God, you have nothing to fear! Our Lord has chosen you to be in existence, to encounter Him in this specific season, at this particular time, with the unique folks you experience everyday. Nothing has been a mistake! God's Love has breathed you into existence right at this present moment. You can hope in confidence, in faith, that the ebbs and flows of life are also only for a season. You were made for Heaven!

Thanks to Jesus Christ, your loved ones remembered last week will rise to new life! You will rise to new life out of the mess that you may currently be trying to navigate through because Jesus Christ lived and died for you. Think about that. There is something in your life that may need to die in order for freedom, new life, to blossom. Can you name that? Pray about it. What is an obstacle to God speaking truth in your life?

Brothers and sisters, focus less on following the letter of the law [doing what is asked of you strictly as a mode of checking off the box] and strive to enter more fully into the spirit of the law [what is the meaning beyond the why I do or do not do what is being asked or not asked of me]. This will begin to be the shift toward conversion, rising from the dead of sin to the new life of grace. It is a journey. It is cyclical. It points toward life-everlasting! Thanks be to God!



## PRAY WITH SCRIPTURE

### Lectio Divina

15 minutes each day spent in God's presence – reading, reflecting, responding and resting with his Word – adds up to 90 hours in one year. That is time well spent and a testimony to how a little at a time turns into something remarkable!

### Sunday, November 13th Readings

**Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9/2 Thes 3:7-12/  
Lk 21:5-19**

To find readings for the weekdays and/or Feast Days, please visit <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings>.

### Reflection questions for Sunday, November 13th

- The prophet Malachi speaks of God's judgment at the end of time and the importance of fearing the Lord. What do you think it means to "fear" the Lord?
- Paul talks about himself (and Silvanus and Timothy) as a "model" on how to behave for the believers in Thessalonica. Who are some family members that you think model the faith well?
- Jesus forewarned his disciples that because of their faith in Him, they would be persecuted, even "handed over by parents, brothers, relatives, and friends ... hated by all because of my name." How would you react if your family and friends hated you because of your belief in Jesus?

**READ. REFLECT. RESPOND. REST.**



*Cut out and keep in your Bible for reference!*

## LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Every believer wonders about what the experience of heaven will be like. Popular images of people walking around in white robes, becoming like angels, and reunions with those who have gone before us all tickle human imagination. Jesus never got too specific about what heaven actually looks like. But he assures us that it exists and that all are alive in God. Clinging to the traditions of our faith, we persevere through life's challenges confident that God's promise of eternal life will come to be. We are told that we shall become like God and see God as He is. As God has made us, He also loves us and sustains us. Desiring to be with God above all other desires gives us the hope that when we close our eyes in death, we will fall into the arms of the One who will gently bring us where we need to be. Knowing ahead of time what we find when we arrive changes little.

## THANK YOU MARGE!



It is with great joy and greater sadness to share news of my resignation from St. Charles effective November 13, 2022. Over the last eight years, I had the pleasure of working and growing with this faithful community. This beautiful witness of love, faith and dedication to St. Charles is why I am so very sad to leave. However, the time is right for my departure and this transition. I loved the time I spent with you and know that St. Charles will always have a place in my heart.

Forever grateful and your friend in Christ,

Marge Beck  
Operations Manager/Team Lead



## LOOKING FOR AN EASY WAY TO SUPPORT ST. CHARLES AND START YOUR HOLIDAY SHOPPING!

One of the simplest ways to financially support St. Charles Parish and School without spending an extra dime is through RaiseRight, formerly ShopWithScrip. Your everyday expenses for groceries, gas, gifts and dinner out can give back 1% to 15% of your purchase cost to St. Charles. By buying Scrip cards at the parish or online, you are providing a financial boost to St. Charles without spending a single penny more. Some cards are even easily refillable online. **If all 2,500 parish households bought just \$100 in Scrip gas cards a month at a 4% average rebate rate, you could provide us with \$10,000 a month or \$120,000 a year.** By making everyday purchases this way, you provide St. Charles ministries the opportunity to serve and evangelize in our community.

You can order gift cards through [www.raiseright.com](http://www.raiseright.com) and have them sent to St. Charles' Parish Office to pick up. You are also able to fill out the paper order form at the Parish Office to place your order or purchase Scrip in stock. Thank you!



## COPING WITH GRIEF & THE HOLIDAYS

*Hope for those grieving the loss of a loved one*

*Join Us*

**November 14th, 2022 at 6:30pm-8:30pm &  
November 19th, 2022 at 9:30am-11:30am  
St. Charles Borromeo Room**

The Holiday Season can be very challenging for those who grieve the loss of a loved one. This program helps the holidays become more manageable and meaningful to those mourning a loss.

This presentation will offer information on the common and unique effects of loss, the power of growing through the grieving process, and practical strategies to help find one's way through the holidays.

Melissa Minkley, MSW, Program Director for The Grief Training Center of Wisconsin, will offer insight, compassion, and practical guidance to all who attend.

**To register**, please visit the parish website News story. For more information or questions, please contact Maria Notch at [mnotch@stcharleshartland.org](mailto:mnotch@stcharleshartland.org).

## LEADER HUDDLE (CONTINUAL ADULT FORMATION)

We believe all of us are hungry for formation and support from fellow Church members seeking to grow in Discipleship. **EVERYONE is invited to attend our Leader Huddle on Thursday, November 17th.** The same session is offered at 11:30 am-12:30 pm in the chapel and again that night from 6:30 pm-8:00 pm in the Life Teen Cafe. Our hope is that this time feeds you to receive discipleship training so as to be sent as disciples into your personal apostolates (services) to the Church, your family, your community, the world.

If you are unable to make the November Huddle, please join us on Thursday, December 15th, same time and location as above!

For more information or questions, please contact Maria Notch at [mnotch@stcharleshartland.org](mailto:mnotch@stcharleshartland.org).



**NATIONAL VOCATIONS AWARENESS  
WEEK NOVEMBER 6-12, 2022**

National Vocation Awareness Week, celebrated November 6-12, 2022, is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations.

Following is a personal reflection on what drew Deacon Robert Ross, our Teaching Parish Seminararian, to the priesthood.



I joke that working for the Church is a “family business” since I have an uncle and older brother who are both priests and since my family is heavily involved in various church ministries at my home parish in Indiana (altar servers, sacristans, lectors, cantors,

good shepherd catechists—you name it). When I was in fourth grade, my older brother entered the seminary, and I remember my family visited him while he was in college seminary in Minnesota, but my brother’s journey only showed me that it was possible for a regular guy to become a priest. I personally did not feel the call to priesthood until I was in sixth grade. As I was training altar servers at my home parish, I was playing the parts of the priest, and when I came to the moment of consecration where the priest lifts his hands above the altar (and the trainees practiced ringing the bells), the Lord filled me with a deep sense of peace and happiness, and I immediately thought to myself, “This is awesome! I want to do this for the rest of my life—I want to be a priest!” That initial call carried me as I entered seminary immediately after graduating high school, all the way to where I am now in my final year before being ordained a priest of Jesus Christ. Of course, there’s been many peaks and valleys along the journey, many moments of consolation where I can’t wait to be a priest and many moments where I doubt and can’t see the way forward; but the Lord, in His goodness, has preserved me on the path, cared for my wounds, and encouraged me forward on this mission of priesthood and service to His people. Please pray for me!



*FAMILY  
Thanksgiving  
MASS*

**WEDNESDAY, NOV. 23RD**  
AT 6:00 PM

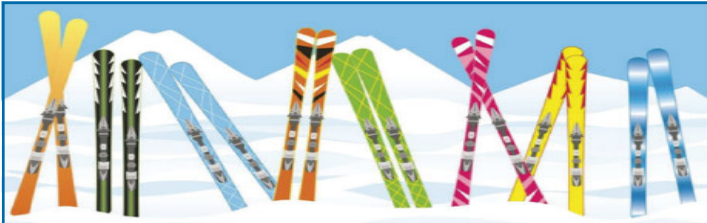
*All are welcome to attend  
St. Charles Family Thanksgiving Mass!*

The Mass has become a St. Charles tradition and is a great way to celebrate our blessings and give thanks to the Lord. We hope you and your family will attend.

**LAKE COUNTRY  
BREAD OF LIFE COMMUNITY  
MEAL AT ST. CHARLES**

St. Charles Parish is the home for the Lake Country Bread of Life Community Meal. What began as a meal for the needy in our area has turned into a host program that includes seniors and others in need of a good meal and friendship. If you or someone you know could use some fellowship and a good healthy meal, please invite them to join us **Thursday, November 17th at 5:30 pm in the Borromeo Room. The meal will be hosted by the St. Charles Garden Club, and they prepare a Traditional Thanksgiving Meal.** We also offer blood pressure readings before the meal.

St. Charles Outreach Services Team oversees the event. If you would like to volunteer or have questions, please contact the Parish Office or [humanconcerns@stcharleshartland.org](mailto:humanconcerns@stcharleshartland.org).



## REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR THE SKI CLUB FOR 2023 SEASON

**Students, parents, and all parish members are welcome to join!**

First-time beginners for skiing and snowboarding are also encouraged to sign up. **New this year, Beginner lessons are INCLUDED in the ski club pass.** Lift tickets, rentals, and optional lessons are at great group rates! The club meets at Little Switzerland in Slinger, and our event dates are on January 6, January 20, January 27, and February 10 from 4-9:30 pm. Please visit the 'NEWS' story on the parish or school website for detailed registration information. The deadline to sign up is **Thursday, December 1st!**

## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

### The God of the Living

"Sic transit gloria mundi," is what they used to say at papal coronations. "So passes earthly glory." Everything is fleeting. Nothing is here to stay. But in reality, some things are forever. Our actions on earth do have the potential to reverberate in eternity.

Everyday Stewardship is a lifestyle that embraces what will last. It is being aware of how our choices and our actions can be received by God, and through His grace, amplified to showcase His glory.

This week's readings invite us to contemplate the question: what exactly is immortal? What lasts beyond our earthly sojourn?

The seven brothers and their mothers whose martyrdom is told this weekend in Maccabees didn't die for the letter of the law; they died for the One who gave the law. In the same way, a marriage contract does not extend into eternity, but the fruits of a sacrificial love will live forever.

Good works, devotion, gratitude, selflessness, graciousness, accountability — these are all of God. He is not God of the dead; He is God of the living — and these are the things that last an eternity.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS © LPI



## FELLOWSHIP WEEKEND - NOV. 19 & 20

Join fellow parishioners for conversation and a donut/snack at Fellowship Weekend in the Parish Hall, November 19 and 20 after all the Masses. A big thank you to St. Charles Outreach Services Team who will be hosting this event and for the sponsors supporting it! Did you know that the St. Charles Outreach Services Team ministers to both local communities and abroad, organizing events and programs that bring together volunteers of all ages to engage in projects that better the living, learning, and general condition of all? Feel free to talk to one of the members serving to find out more about the Outreach Services Team.

## JOIN OUR OUTREACH SERVICES TEAM!

### No time to volunteer, yet wish to serve?

Hygiene items are always needed for those visiting the food pantry associated with our partner school, St. Anthony's School, on the south-side of Milwaukee. Toilet paper, tissues, and shampoo are some of the items always in demand. To donate items or cash to purchase them, contact Terri Blazek by email: [humanconcerns@stcharleshartland.org](mailto:humanconcerns@stcharleshartland.org). Or speak to our volunteers when we host Fellowship Weekend on November 19th and 20th.



## ST. CHARLES NIGHT AT CULVER'S IN HARTLAND

Monday, November 7th from 5:00-8:00 pm

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



## ST. CHARLES DINING OUT!

**Endter's Sports Grill in Hartland**  
**Sunday, November 20th - 4 pm to 10 pm**

Mention St. Charles and Endter's will donate \$5 for each large pizza or \$3 for each small pizza to St. Charles School. Offer good for dine in or carry out. For carry out call 262-369-0079. Remember to buy SCRIP for Endter's in the Parish Office and then spend it on Nov. 20th.



**ST. CHARLES PHOTO DIRECTORY  
FINAL CHANCE!**

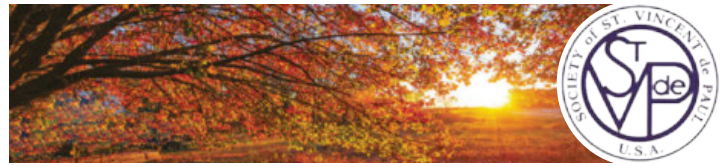


**Saturday, November 19th!**

We know that many of you would still like to have your photo in the St. Charles Photo Directory, so we are offering one final chance on **Saturday, November 19 from 10 am to 2 pm in the Parish Hall** (enter through the Borromeo Room). Visit the news story on the St. Charles website to sign up for a photo session and for more information.

***Photos from the previous sessions will be available for pick up during this time and after all Masses that weekend, November 19 & 20.***

**ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY**



**FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: Stuffing, Assorted Pasta, French Cut Green Beans, Peas**

In today's Gospel, we find that God is a God of the living, and this is indeed the core of our hope. Jesus has risen and is with us, therefore, at no time should we be without hope for the future. When you donate food to the St Vincent de Paul Food Pantry or make donations to our general fund, you are giving hope to your neighbors who seek the assistance of SVDP in order to feed, clothe and shelter their families. Thank you for generously supporting our ministry.

The St Charles SVDP Food Pantry is located at 229 Lawn Street, Hartland. It is open Tuesday mornings between 10am and noon. It is also open on the second and fourth Tuesday evening of the month between 5:30pm and 7pm. If you are in need of assistance or are interested in becoming a member of SVDP, please contact us at 262-367-0800.

**COME JOIN THE ST. CHARLES CAROLERS!**

St. Charles is resuming their joyful tradition of singing Christmas carols at the Hartland Lights Festival on December 2 from 6:00-6:30 pm. Come enjoy holiday activities, support our local businesses, and get your picture taken with Santa. All ages are welcome to come and sing, and families are encouraged to participate together. We will hold a brief rehearsal on Monday evening, November 28 from 6:30-7:00 pm in church. Please contact Dr. Aaron Mathews to RSVP or for more information at [amathews@stcharleshartland.org](mailto:amathews@stcharleshartland.org).

**CIRCLE OF LOVE**

This past month, several of you wrote wish lists for the needy members of our parish community for the Circle of Love Christmas Gift Giving. **TODAY**, everyone has a chance to be a Giver...a "Secret Santa" by taking a tag off the Miracle Tree located in the Narthex. Please follow the directions attached to the tag. **Bring your wrapped gift back on or before Sunday, December 4th by Noon.** By doing so, you will make Christmas brighter for a person or family in need!

If you have any questions, please call/text Kathy Gillstrom at 262-370-3306 or email: [kathygillstrom@yahoo.com](mailto:kathygillstrom@yahoo.com).

If you would like to Volunteer for Circle of Love, please call the above phone number or email.

One of the easiest ways to support St. Charles Parish and School is through the secured online e-giving system.

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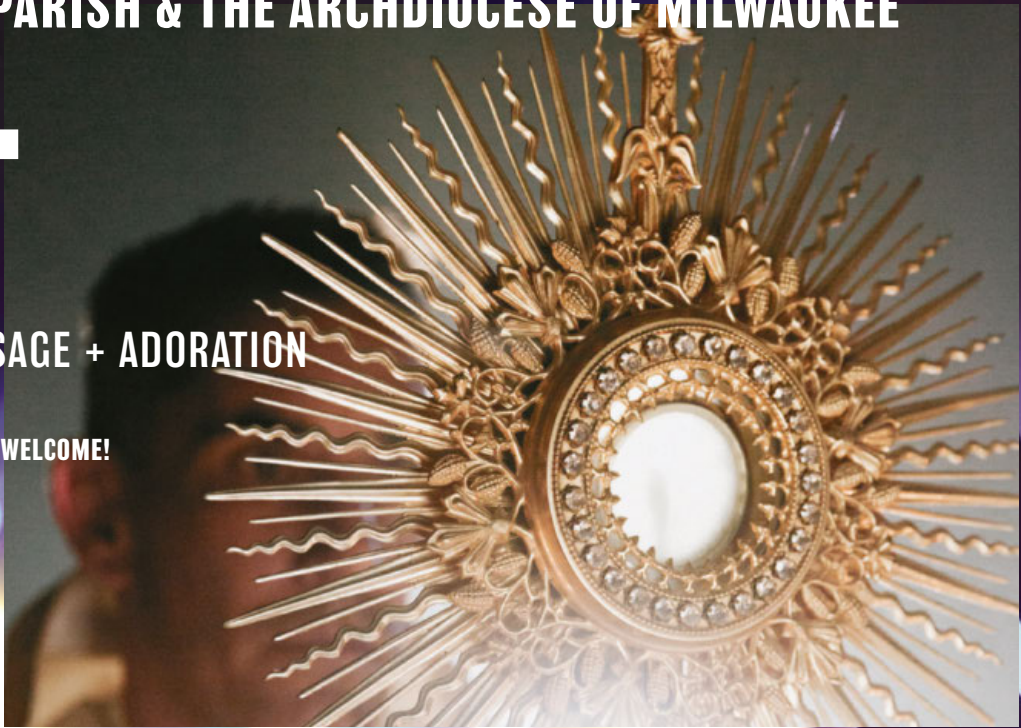
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## PRIORITIES at the POLLS

By Most Reverend Joseph F. Naumann  
Chair of the USCCB Committee on Pro-Life Activities

As Catholics approach the polls, we are asked to weigh many important issues. The U.S. bishops have reaffirmed that “the threat of abortion remains our preeminent priority because it directly attacks life itself, because it takes place within the sanctuary of the family, and because of the number of lives destroyed.” While they did warn us not to “dismiss or ignore other serious threats to human life and dignity such as racism, the environmental crisis, poverty, and the death penalty,” they did give priority to upholding and defending our brothers’ and sisters’ most basic right – to live.

Abortion is an intrinsic evil, meaning that it is never permitted or morally justified, regardless of individual circumstances or intentions. Attacks against human life ... are all the more serious because most often they are “carried out in the very heart of and with the complicity of the family which by its nature is called to be the ‘sanctuary of life.’” This is the place where a person should be most loved, cherished, and protected.

Catholics are called to defend human life wherever it is threatened and stand up for human dignity wherever it is violated. As believers and citizens inspired by the Gospel and guided by the shepherds of our Church, we must do what we can to end violence in the womb, to ensure that unborn children are fully recognized and protected by our laws, and to support mothers and fathers in embracing life.

Read the entire article at  
[www.usccb.org/resources/priorities-polls](http://www.usccb.org/resources/priorities-polls)

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## 40 DAYS FOR LIFE.

From September 28 - November 6, 40 Days for Life Campaigns will take place on the sidewalks outside abortion and birth control centers all over the world. Wisconsin vigils will take place this fall in Madison, Milwaukee, La Crosse, Sheboygan, Green Bay, and a number of smaller communities. For information on vigils in your area, visit [www.40daysforlife.com](http://www.40daysforlife.com) or join the St. Charles Respect Life Ministry on Tuesdays from noon until 1:00pm. If you need a ride, please be at the church parking lot at 11:30am and parishioners can carpool. Any questions, please call Ruth Chadwick at 262-367-8976.



### VOTING AT ST. CHARLES

St. Charles will again be the host voting site for the Village of Hartland general election on Tuesday, November 8th. Voting will be held in the Borromeo Room, which will be secured as a voting area and closed for parish activities late Monday morning, November 7th through Tuesday, November 8th. Entry and exit for voting will be through the Borromeo Room doors only. Entry and exit to the parish during this time only will be through the former main entrance at the northeast corner, and the school will only be accessible for school families during this time. **Please know that Mass and Adoration will still be occurring that day, as well as other campus activities.** Please check the calendar on the parish website to see what events are happening. Parking will be available at the northeast and west lots.

**For more information about the Village of Hartland voting, visit their website.**



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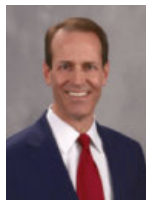
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