

St. Charles Borromeo Parish

1731 Hulmeville Road, Bensalem, PA 19020

Our Lady of Fatima Worship Site

2913 Street Rd, Bensalem, PA, 19020

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time **October 3, 2021**

Rev. Philip M. Forlano, Pastor

Email—fr.forlano@stcharlesbensalem.org Rev. Msgr. Francis A. Carbine, Pastor Emeritus Rev. Thomas Gallagher, O.S.F.S., Weekend Ministry Deacon Adolfo Crespo, Permanent Deacon Deacon Kevin McDermott, Permanent Deacon Deacon Louis Quaglia, Permanent Deacon Sister Koreen Marie Cote, I.H.M., Principal Annette Baird, Director of Religious Education Sister M. Patrizia O'Connor, I.H.M., Convent Superior

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Parish Office Open for Walk-in Service Oficina Parroquial abierta para Servicio en persona Monday/Lunes: 4:00 - 6:00 PM Wednesday/Miércoles: 3:00 - 5:00 PM Tuesday/Martes, Thursday/Jueves, Friday/Viernes: 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Sunday/Domingo:11:00AM - 1:30PM in Guadalupe Chapel
9:00 - 11:00 AM in Parish Office (1st & 3rd Sunday)
At all other times M-F between 9:00 AM and 5:30 PM,
services by phone and by appointment only. De L-V desde las
9:00AM hasta las 5:30PM, serán atendidos por teléfono y con
cita prayia

Saturday closed/Cerrado Sábado
For the pastoral care of the dying after office hours, please call
215-638-3650. En caso de emergencia, por el cuidado
pastoral de los moribundos, cuando la oficina está cerrada,
favor de llamar al 215-638-3650.

Mass Schedule/Horario de Misa

8:00 AM English, 5:00 PM English, 7:00 PM Spanish 7:30 AM & 10:00 AM English, 12:00 PM Spanish 6:45 AM English Saturday/Sábado: and Vigil Mass: Sunday/Domingo:

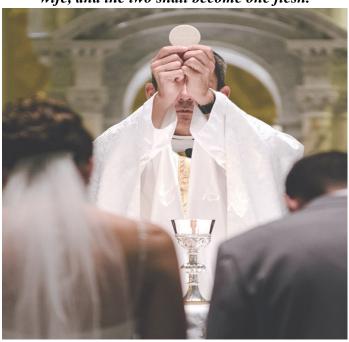
Monday/Lunes - Friday/Viernes:

Adoration at St. Charles/Adoración en San Carlos 7:30 AM - 8:00 PM Wednesdays: Saint Joseph Novena - Wednesdays: 7:30 AM & 8:00 PM Miraculous Medal Novena - Saturday: 8:30 AM

SCB Church will be open for Private Prayer Monday/Lunes, Tuesday/Martes, Thursday/Jueves, Wednesday/Miércoles: 6:00 AM - 8:00 P 6:00 AM - 8:00 PM 6:00 AM - 5:30 PM Friday/Viernes: 6:00 AM - 5:00 PM Saturday/Sábado:

Confession Schedule/Horario de Confesión @SCB 6:30 to 7:00 PM Monday/Lunes: Saturday/Sábado: 8:30 to 9:00 AM & 4:00 to 4:45PM 11:30 AM Sunday/Domingo:

But from the beginning of creation, God made them male and female. For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.



Pero desde el principio, al crearlos, Dios los hizo hombre y mûjer. Por eso dejará el hombre a su padre v a su madre v se unirá a su esposa v serán los dos una sola cosa.



Mass for the Intentions Week

Dear Parish Family and Visitors to St. Charles: St. Charles Borromeo church is open for private prayer according to the schedule on the front of the bulletin. Listed below are the intentions for the Masses this week. Please remember these intentions in your prayers. May we continue to lift each other up in prayer! Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Forlano

SATURDAY October 2 - The Holy Guardian Angels 8:00 AM Antonio & Philamena Mattoccia 5:00 PM James & Sean Kelley 7:00 PM Isabel Zuniga October 3 **SUNDAY** 7:30 AM Theresa Stampone 10:00 AM John Coughlin 12:00 PM Eva Herrera (Eterno Descanso) October 4 - St. Francis of Assisi **MONDAY** Loretta Transue (1st Anniversary) 6:45 AM

October 5 - Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos TUESDAY

Thomas & Barbara Kelly 6:45 AM

WEDNESDAY October 6 - Blessed Marie Rose Durocher

Rachel Quinto (Healing) 6:45AM

October 7 - Our Lady of the Rosary **THURSDAY**

James Bauman 6:45 AM **FRIDAY** October 8 - Weekday 6:45 AM David Kerwin

SATURDAY October 9 - St. Denis, St. John Leonardi Deceased Family & Friends of the Dang 8:00 AM

Family

5:00 PM Mary Ceschan

7:00 PM Julio & Ana Sanchez Negron

SUNDAY October 10

7:30 AM Loretta Transue (1st Anniversary)

10:00 AM Anna & Jack Boyle 12:00 PM People of The Parish

Father Forlano's Sunday Homilies are available on the parish website under "Homilies" button on the home page.

Mass Online The Sunday Mass is broadcast live through parish

the http://stcharlesbensalem.org at 10:00 a.m. in English and 12:00 p.m. in Spanish. Join us also via our YouTube Channel and Parish Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/scbbensalem/ and share these links with family, friends, and other parishioners. Daily Mass is celebrated and live streamed on Facebook and YouTube Monday - Friday at 6:45 a.m. and Saturday at 8:00 a.m.. Please subscribe to our YouTube channel via our parish website.

Mass Cards are Available

Mass cards and/or Mass intentions can be arranged by phone, email, mailing in requests, or in person during walk-in hours (see front cover for listing of hours). Request forms are available at the greeter's table in Church or on the parish website. Please allow a week for requests to be fulfilled.

Sunday Spanish mass intentions are no longer available.

Support the St. Charles Food Pantry
The Food Pantry is in need of the following items: rice, beans, pasta sauce, macaroni and cheese, snacks, juices (boxes & bottles), oil, laundry detergent, paper products, toothpaste. Thank you for your generosity and assistance to the needy in our community! If you would like to volunteer in the food pantry, please call the parish office.

Let us remember all those who have asked for our prayers especially the sick and suffering of our parish: Don Bound, Kevin Bender, Andrew Witt, Elson Diaz, Hazel Williams, Jonathan Morales, Lily Wonder Diaz, Matt Artysh, Gabriella Polidoro, Joan Barron. We pray for the protection of all on the "front lines" of civil or military service.



We also pray that those who have died will dwell forever in the Kingdom of Heaven especially, Cheryl Perfidio.

You may add a person to the prayer list by emailing isabel.jaramillo@stcharlesbensalem.org Names will be published for 4 weeks.

Congratulations to the Newly Baptized! Liam Colton Wright

Reborn in Christ September 26, 2021 You have put on Christ, in him you have been baptized. Alleluia, alleluia!

Respect Life Month October, 2021 St. Joseph

The infant Christ "came into our world in a state of great vulnerability. He needed to be defended, protected, cared for and raised by Joseph" (PC 5). The humble and often hidden carpenter of Nazareth accompanied Mary in her pregnancy, assisted at the birth of the Messiah in a stable, presented Jesus in the Temple, fled with his family far from their homeland to protect them, and lovingly raised Jesus as his own son in the years to come.

While the angel of the Lord appeared to Mary to announce that she would bring forth the Savior of the world, it was revealed to Joseph in a series of dreams how God's plans would be brought to fulfillment. As Pope Francis highlights, "God trusted Joseph, as did Mary, who found in him someone who would not only save her life, but would always provide for her and her child" (PC 5).

Like every other human family, the Holy Family had to confront real and concrete challenges. Yet, "in every situation, Joseph declared his own 'fat" (PC 3). His 'yes' to the Lord meant that regardless of the hardship and personal sacrifice to himself, he consistently chose to put the needs of Mary and Jesus before his own. Joseph's devotion helps reveal to us our own call to show special care for the lives of those whom God has entrusted to us.

During this Year of St. Joseph, each of us can find in him "an intercessor, a support and a guide in times of trouble" (PC, Intro). Joseph shows us how to say "yes" to life, despite our own fears, frailties, and weaknesses. For it is Joseph who was "chosen by God to guide the beginnings of the history of redemption. He was the true 'miracle' by which God saves the child and his mother"

May we, too, be miracles in the lives of those who are most in need, especially at the beginning and end of life. Dear St. Joseph, you who were "able to turn a problem into a possibility by trusting always in divine providence" (PC 5), help us to imitate your faithful trust and courage.

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St. Charles Borromeo will host a baby shower this weekend, October 2nd and 3rd. Please leave your unwrapped

gifts in the boxes provided in the Guadalupe Chapel.
Blessed Margaret of Costello Home and Bucks County
Women's Center will benefit from your generosity.

Thanks in advance, your Pro-Life team.



Please join us in peaceful prayer at Comly Rd. near the Roosevelt Boulevard during the month of September, through October 31st. Sign up sheets are available at the doors of the church.

Please join us on October 3rd, at the Boulevard, 2pm for our annual Life Chain.



DON'T MISS YOUR CHANCE! 100th Anniversary

Golf Outing & Dinner

Monday, October 18, 2021 Bensalem Township Country Club



Purchase tickets at www.stcharlesbensalem.org ADVANCEMENT@STCHARLESBENSALEM.ORG ~ 267-388-0882

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Sacramental Information

Sacrament of Baptism/Letters of Eligibility for Sponsorship

Arrangements are made with Fr. Forlano. Please contact the Parish Office ext. 733 for an appointment.

Baptisms will be celebrated in English at 2:00 p.m. on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month and during the 10:00 a.m. Mass on the 4th Sunday of the month. The date of the baptism can be set after baptismal preparation for parents and godparents and letters of eligibility for sponsors have been completed. Baptismal Preparation includes on-line videos and an in-person session. Please contact Deacon Kevin McDermott to schedule the Baptismal Preparation Session: DeaconKevinMcDermott@stcharlesbensalem.org

The next Baptismal Preparation Session will be held on Tuesday, October 5 at 7:00 p.m. in the rectory conference room.

In order to be a sponsor and/or to receive a Letter of Eligibility for Sponsorship, one must be a practicing Catholic at least 16 years old, who has received all of sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Holy Communion, and Confirmation), if married, married validly in the Catholic Church, or, if not married, living a life in harmony with the faith. Parishioners of St. Charles seeking Letters of Eligibility, please call the Parish Office ext. 733 for an appointment. Prospective sponsors from other parishes should request Letters of Eligibility from their own parish and have them sent Charles directly St. by mail email: st.charles@stcharlesbensalem.org

Sacrament of Matrimony

Necessary preparations require that arrangements be made at least six months before the date of the wedding. A date cannot be reserved at the church prior to the couple meeting with the parish priest. Please call the Parish Office to speak with Fr. Forlano. It will be expected that couples attend the sessions of the Archdiocesan Sacramental Preparation Program for Marriage. Visit phillycatholicmarriageprep.com for more information or to register.

Scholarships are available to those in financial need. Email info@phillycatholicmarriageprep.com.



Registration for 2021 Basketball is now open until October 15th!

Please register on:

http://stcharlesborromeocyo.website.siplay.com. Fees are as follows:

- ♦ Varsity and JV=\$110,
- ♦ Novice=\$85,
- ♦2nd&3rd Grade League=FREE,
- ◆ Pre-K&1st Grade Clinic=FREE.

If you have any questions or concerns, please visit http://stcharlesborromeoschool.com/cyo.html for more information and contact emails. If interested, please ask to join our Facebook page or email blast list.

Scrip Office Hours:

Tuesday 6:30pm to 8:30pm, and Sunday 9am to 12pm For more information, contact Karen Porter at 215-431-1134 or email karen.porter@compucom.com.



Email: faith.formation@stcharlesbensalem.org

Faith Formation Students

Flocknote Any information coming from the PREP Office will be through the Flocknote app. We will send both emails and texts through Floknote. If you have not received any emails or texts, contact the PREP office at Faith.Formation@stcharlesbensalem.org so we may put you on the list.

Volunteers are needed! If you would like to guide a child in our faith, consider joining our PREP team. We are in need of catechists, classroom aides, hall monitors, parking attendants, and office help. Need

service hours for school? Teens are welcome to help out as well. All volunteers 18 and over are required to get clearances to work with children. All fees for the clearances are covered by the parish.



COVID Protocol we are in constant communication with the Office of Catechetical Formation which overlooks the diocesan PREP programs. At this time, the OCF requires having the students wear masks. We will also follow all other COVID recommendations according to the CDC. We will evaluate the situation and contact the families with any updates. Please contact us with questions or concerns.

Our Weekly Offering

Dear Parish Family and Visitors to St. Charles:

Your Sunday offering is needed to support the ongoing operations of the parish. For those who do not attend the scheduled masses, offerings can be mailed to the parish office or dropped through the mail slot of the rectory front door. I ask everyone to take advantage of the on-line giving service offered by the parish. Please follow the directions below or call the office for assistance. Becoming a regular on-line donor helps with parish budgeting and saves the parish on printing and mailing costs. As always, I am grateful for your generosity, stewardship, and support.

Sincerely in Christ,
Fr. Forlano

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,	SCAN ME	\$40,000
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	the Sunday collection box	<u>\$10,</u> 000
	Thank	You!

This Year	09/05/21	09/12/21	09/19/21	09/26/21
Regular Collection	\$5,984.00	\$9,300.00	\$6,777.00	\$6,475.00
# Envelopes	162	180	143	162
Electronic Giving	\$3,045.00	\$1,525.00	\$1,345.00	\$1,150.00
#Donors	54	34	38	34
Roof Appeal Funds	\$10,817.00	\$1,184.00	\$1,028.00	\$310.00
Last Year*	08/30/20	09/06/20	09/13/20	09/20/20
Regular Collection	\$5,533.00	\$7,032.00	\$6,772.80	\$8,050.16
# Envelopes	107	83	137	137
Electronic Giving	\$1,785.00	\$2,800.00	\$1,870.00	\$1,355.00
#Donors	37	49	36	37

*In-person Mass re-open.

For online giving, please visit our website at www.stcharlesbensalem.org. Click the Collection plate icon at the top page or Scroll down to the button "Please support your Parish" at the bottom of the page.





How does one become Catholic or receive the Sacraments as an Adult?

Estela-215-400-1130 ebugg@chs-adphila.org

Jackie-267-980-3601 jpadua@chs-adphila.org

Do you know anybody who is attracted to Catholicism? Or has a restless heart and seeking answers to questions like, "why am I here?" and "what is the purpose of my life?" Are you a non-Catholic spouse or friend of a Catholic and have ever considered becoming Catholic? Were you baptized or received First Holy Communion but never Confirmed? Do you think something is missing in your life? The R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) addresses R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) addresses the fundamental questions that arise from the human experience while providing an introduction to the Catholic faith for persons inquiring about or desiring to become Catholic. The course may also serve as instruction and formation in the faith for adult Catholics who lack any of the sacraments. The course is less about doctrine or catechism and more about learning to grow in friendship with Christ through reading of Sacred Scripture, participation in the Mass as a personal encounter with Christ, and a shared journey within the community of the Church. Sessions take place Monday evenings from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Questions or inquiries can be directed to Fr. Forlano or Deacon Lou Quaglia at 215-638-3625 or at DeaconLouQ@gmail.com.

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2021 Annual CCR Conference at the

Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa This year's Theme is: "Let not your hearts be troubled. You have faith in God, have faith also in me. (John 14:1)
The Archdiocese of Philadelphia Conference will be

held on Saturday, Oct. 16, from 9 am to 8 pm at the Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown. What storms are you facing in your life now? Let the Lord Jesus heal, refresh and renew you! Join us In Person or via Live Stream for this encouraging, uplifting event. Our Speakers are Deacon Larry Oney, Hope and Purpose Ministry, Fr. Chris Walsh, and Fr. Rafal Walczyk, OSPPE. Music is by Philly's own, Martha's House. You can purchase tickets for In-Person or On-Line watch parties at www.PhillySpirit.com. Families welcomed! Special pricing for young adults and youth. Children under 10 admitted free. For more information Children under 10 admitted free. For more information call 215-315-7008, email info@PhillySpirit.com or visit: www.PhillySpirit.com.

Message from The Parish Finance Committee

Dear Saint Charles Borromeo Parish Community,

The Parish Finance Committee would like to relay to everyone the financial condition of the Church and School. While it has been a tumultuous two years with all the complexities created by the pandemic, we can report that we are holding our own. However, you can see in the next page the financial report that the Sunday collections and other church income has declined significantly over the past two years. Much of this decrease is related to a reduction in "in person" Mass participation, but even with the lifting of attendance restrictions, more help is needed to address this shortfall. We have decided to employ the services of a company to help with an Increased Offertory Campaign. You will hear and see more information about this program in the coming weeks. Thank you in advance for your attention and consideration to participate.

We were successful, through the hard work of our office staff, in garnering help from two Payroll Protection Plan (PPP) government loan programs. A large portion of these loans have already been forgiven and we are hopeful that the balance will be forgiven as well. These funds were instrumental in enabling us to sustain operations and retain our administrative and academic staff. You can see in the attached report that the application of a portion of these funds negated the necessity for the school to be subsidized by the Church income for the first time in many years. As reported previously, it has been necessary for many years that the school be subsidized substantially from the Church funds and donations. Reducing or eliminating the need for this subsidy has been one of the primary goals of the Finance Committee and all those who work to reduce expenses and increase enrollment and other school functions that generate revenues. Even without these funds, we have made significant progress in this regard over the last four years. We are also pleased to report that the enrollment has been maintained and even grown slightly over this period reversing the previous declining trend. Through the efforts of our principal Sister Koreen and her dedicated faculty and administrators, the Saint Charles Borromeo School continued operating uninterrupted throughout the pandemic, delivering superior education and a full curriculum to the entire student body.

We are currently running a capital campaign to help pay for the school roof which was installed this past June at a cost of approximately \$75,500. Thank you to everyone who has already contributed to the Roof Replacement Fund. To those who have not, if you can find it in your budget to help, it would be much appreciated. Maintaining a fiscally healthy and educationally superior school at Saint Charles Borromeo is of the upmost importance to us all.

Thanks to the diligence and tireless efforts of Father Forlano, Saint Charles Borromeo continued to provide online, as well as in person Mass, spiritual support, and all the other Sacraments over the course of this entire pandemic. Establishing on-line Masses and addressing all the spiritual needs of the parish remains Father Forlano's sacred commitment.

We are most grateful for your past and continued support, especially during these trying times. For those that have been unable to attend Mass and wish perhaps to "catch up" with their donations, there is a convenient on-line option on the the St. Charles Borromeo website: https://scbbensalem.churchgiving.com Any support to help alleviate this budget deficit in our collections is something for which would be most grateful.

Father Forlano and the members of Finance Committee are committed to being transparent with all of the Church and School finances. To that end, if you have questions or would like to make a recommendation or suggestion, do not hesitate to reach out to anyone on the Finance Committee. Please call the parish office. We would be happy to speak with you.

Sincerely,

Gerald Capie, Sister Koreen Marie Cote, I.H.M., Araceli Cruz, Rev. Philip Forlano, Christopher Szal, & James Wilkinson

The Finance Committee



St. Charles Borromeo Finance Report to Parish

Fiscal Years 2020 and 2021

CHURCH	7/1/19 - 6/30/20		7/1/20 - 6/30/21		SCHOOL/CONVENT	7/1/19 - 6/30/20		7/1/20 - 6/30/21	
Sunday Collections	\$552,621	%6'.29	\$474,131	68.1%	Tuition Income	\$698,585	77.7%	\$682,287	83.0%
Other Collections	\$126,406	15.5%	\$76,688	11.0%	Socials & Donations	\$95,643	10.6%	\$47,103	5.7%
Socials & Donations	\$28,506	3.5%	\$29,665	4.2%	Other School Income	\$77,294	8.6%	\$77,014	9.3%
Religious Education Programs	\$20,168	2.5%	\$13,470	1.9%	Interest Income	5376	0.0%	\$75	%0.0
Other Operating Income - Rentals	\$31,981	3.9%	\$48,686	7.0%	Convent Subsidy	\$5,710	%9:0		0.7%
Other Receipts	\$53,356	6.5%	\$53,437	7.7%	School Subsidy (from other parish)	\$21,300	2.4%		1.6%
Interest Income	\$1,279	0.2%	\$345	0.1%	CARES	\$982	0.1%	- 1	-0.3%
Operating Income	\$814,317	100.0%	\$696,422	100.0%	Operating Income	\$899,890	100.0%	\$822,375	100.0%
Expenditures					Expenditures				
Diocesan Assessments	\$119,900	17.8%	\$107,100	15.9%	Salaries & Benefits	\$838,485	81.2%	\$650,090	8.69
Salaries & Benefits	\$341,694	%9'05	\$328,054	48.8%	Insurance	\$20,874	2.0%	\$20,641	2.2%
Property Ins, Liability Ins, Property Taxes	\$62,548	9.3%	\$70,834	10.5%	School Administration	\$47,934	4.6%	\$49,157	5.3%
Administration	\$61,552	9.1%	\$59,210	8.8%	Maintenance	\$82,122	8.0%	\$117,006	12.6%
Liturgical Supplies	\$12,502	1.9%	\$3,815	%9:0	Utilities	\$43,826	4.2%	\$30,671	3.3%
Religious Education Programs Maintenance & Ittilities	\$8,232	1.2%	\$6,597	1.0%	Other - Additions School - Roof			\$63,000	6.8%
Operating Expenditures	\$674,325	100.0%	\$672,775	100.0%	Operating Expenditures	\$1,033,240	100.0%	\$930,565	100.0%
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Net Ordinary Income - Church Other Inc/(Exn) - PPP1 Loan Fordivanes	\$139,992		\$23,647		Net Ordinary Income - School/Convent	(\$133,350)		(\$108,190) \$168,076	
Net Income - Church	\$139,992		\$76,723		Net Income - School/Convent	(\$133,350)		\$59,886	
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RECAP:	2020		2021						
Total Church Income Total School/Convent Income	\$814,317 \$899,890		\$696,422 \$822,375						
Total Income	\$1,714,207		\$1,518,797						
Total Church Expenditures	\$674,325		\$672,775						
Total School/Convent Expenditures Total Expenditures	\$1,033,240 \$1,707,565		\$930,565 \$1,603,340						
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Net income - Church & School	240,042		(364,045)						
PPP First Draw Loan:	Church School	\$53,076 \$168,076			PPP Second Draw Loan	Church School	\$53,690 \$170,017		
	Total	\$221,152				Total	\$223,707		

A Parish Subsidy was not required for the School in Fiscal Year 2020 or Fiscal Year 2021. The School's portion of the PPP First Draw Loan (2020) and the PPP Second Draw Loan (2021) provided funds and liquidity that covered the teacher and support salaries. The PPP funds were provided under the CARES Act legislation that was passed by Congress in early 2020 to help small business and non-profits to bridge the gap for cash flow needs as a result of the devastating effects of the COVID-19 pandemic shutdown. In June 2021, St. Charles was granted full forgiveness of the PPP First Draw Loan, since the funds were used for the proper expenditures as allowed by the legislation. The loan was converted to income, or a grant, in the period the notice of forgiveness was received.



Vigésimo Séptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Dejen que los niños se acerquen a mí y no se lo impidan, porque el Reino de Dios es de los que son como ellos.

— Marcos 10:14

Estimada familia y visitantes de la parroquia de San Carlos: La iglesia de San Carlos Borromeo permanecerá abierta para la oración privada siguiendo el horario expuesto en el frente de este boletín. ¡Que podamos continuar levantándonos en oración! Estoy agradecido por su continuo apoyo y oración.

Sinceramente en Cristo.

Padre Forlano



Santa Misa en Línea

La Misa dominical en español se celebrará a las 12:00 medio día en vivo por www.stcharlesbensalem.org.

Celebre la Santa Misa en vivo en inglés durante la semana a las 6:45 a.m. y en español durante el fin de semana, con el Padre Forlano a través de la página de Facebook de la Parroquia:

https://www.facebook.com/scbbensalem/ también podrá accesar por YouTube mediante nuestra página web: www.stcharlesbensalem.org

Las homilías dominicales del Padre Forlano están disponibles en el sitio web de la parroquia, bajo el botón "Homilies" en la página de inicio.

San José: Mes de Respeto por la Vida Octubre, 2021

El niño Jesús "viene al mundo asumiendo una condición de gran debilidad. Necesita de José para ser defendido, protegido, cuidado, criado" (PC 5). El humilde y a veces oculto carpintero de Nazaret acompañó a María en su embarazo, ayudó en el nacimiento del Mesías en un establo, presentó a Jesús en el Templo, huyó con su familia lejos de su patria para protegerlos, y cariñosamente crio a Jesús como su propio hijo en los años siguientes.

Mientras que el ángel del Señor se le apareció a María para anunciarle que daría a luz al Salvador del mundo, se le reveló a *José* en una serie de sueños cómo se llevarían a cabo los planes de Dios. Como resalta el Papa Francisco: "Dios confía en este hombre, del mismo modo que lo hace María, que encuentra en José no sólo al que quiere salvar su vida, sino al que siempre velará por ella y por el Niño" (PC 5).

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Al igual que cualquier otra familia humana, la Sagrada Familia tuvo que hacer frente a desafíos reales y concretos. Sin embargo, "en cada circunstancia de su vida, José supo pronunciar su 'fiat" (PC 3). Su "sí" al Señor significaba que independientemente de la adversidad y el sacrificio personal consigo mismo, él continuamente eligió anteponer las necesidades de María y de Jesús por encima de las suyas. La devoción de san José nos ayuda a revelarnos nuestro propio llamado a mostrar un cuidado especial por la vida de quienes Dios nos encomendó.

Durante este Año de San José, cada uno de nosotros puede encontrar en él "un intercesor, un apoyo y una guía en tiempos de dificultad" (PC, Intro). José nos muestra cómo decir "sí" a la vida, a pesar de nuestros propios temores, fragilidades y debilidades. Porque "José era el hombre por medio del cual Dios se ocupó de los comienzos

de la historia de la redención. Él era el verdadero 'milagro' con el que Dios salvó al Niño y a su madre" (PC 5).

Que nosotros también seamos milagros en la vida de quienes están más necesitados, en especial al inicio y al final de la vida. Querido san José, quien "sabía transformar un problema en una oportunidad, anteponiendo siempre la confianza en la Providencia" (PC 5), ayúdanos a imitar tu fiel confianza y valor.

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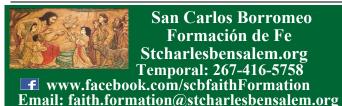
Bautismos y cartas para los padrinos se arreglan con el párroco vía telefónica con al menos un mes de anticipación. Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial a la ext. 733 para arreglar una cita. Los bautismos se celebrarán en español a las 2:00 p.m. el 3cer y 5to Domingo del mes y dentro de la misa de 12:00 el 4to Domingo. La preparación bautismal para los padres y padrinos incluye videos en línea y una clase en la iglesia el primer domingo del mes después de la misa de mediodía. Se emitirán cartas de elegibilidad para los padrinos después de una entrevista con el Padre Forlano. La fecha del bautismo se definirá después de que se haya completado la preparación bautismal para los padres y padrinos y las cartas de elegibilidad. Para ser padrino/madrina o recibir una carta de elegibilidad, una persona tiene que ser: 1) Un Católico practicante con un mínimo de 16 años de edad y haber recibido todos los sacramentos de iniciación - bautismo, confirmación, y comunión. 2) Registrado en la parroquia o bien conocido en la comunidad de la Iglesia. 3) Casado por la iglesia católica o soltero sin vivir en unión libre. 4) Hay que asistir a la Misa. 5) Deben tener sus propios hijos confirmados si tienen la edad. Los padrinos tienen que ser Católicos practicantes que pueden comulgar. Si no son de la Iglesia de San Carlos deberán entregar cartas de su propio párroco.

Matrimonio

Hable con Padre Forlano más que 6 meses antes de la fecha de Matrimonio. Una clase de preparación es un requisito antes de casarse. El Instituto Católico ofrece el taller "Pre-Cana" 3 veces durante el año en el Centro Pastoral Arquidiocesano 222 N. 17 Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103 (Entrada por la Calle 17). El Taller Pre-Cana consiste de dos dias y se brindarán durante un fin de semana. Detalles (hora, cuota, etc.) por determinar. Por favor, reserven las fechas que le acomoden: 06-07 Noviembre, 2021. Para registrarse llamar: (215) 667-2820 (215) 667-2824.

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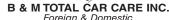
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