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Joe S. Vasquez  
Bishop  
Diocese of Austin

**August 15, 2021**  
**Solemnity of the Assumption of the**  
**Blessed Virgin Mary**



## St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

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## Reverend Father Uche Evaristus Obikwelu

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### St. Charles Mass Schedule

**Saturday** 6:00 pm

**Sunday** 9:00 am

#### Weekdays

Tuesday 6:00 pm

Wednesday through Friday 8:00 am

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Fridays 8:30 to 9:30 after Mass  
or by Appointment

#### Pastoral Council Chair

Donnie Jung

#### Finance Council Chair

Betsy Watson

#### Director of Religious Education

Richard Collins - (325) 388-3830

### Our Lady of the Lake Mass Schedule

**Saturday** 4:00 pm

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

At St. Charles on Fridays 8:30 to 9:30

After Mass or by Appointment

#### Pastoral Council Chair

Chad Darilek

#### Finance Council Chair

Rick Schmidt

## ST CHARLES OFFICE PRELIM PLAN 8-3-21.pdf



### 3D VIEWS

not to scale



### OUR NEW OFFICE ARCHITECTURAL PLAN.

My dear parishioners and beloved visitors: as we informed you a few weeks ago that our Bishop Joe Vasquez has approved our request to remove the parish office from the residence of the priest; today we have completed the architectural plan and got back the bids.

Estimated cost: \$300,000.00

Time of Completion: 7 - 10 months

Donations: make out checks to " St. Charles New Office Project".

God bless you for your faith and generosity.

"Wisdom Has Built Herself A Home (Proverbs 9:1)

Father Uche Obikwelu



Diocese of Austin



YEAR OF THE  
**DOMESTIC  
CHURCH**



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**IGLESIA  
DOMÉSTICA**

### August 2021:

The Eucharist lies at the heart of our Catholic faith. The Catechism of the Catholic Church calls the Eucharist the "source and summit of the Christian life (CCC 1324)." The preeminence of the Eucharist in our faith points to the crucial role that the Eucharist plays in living a Christian life.

As members of Christ's body, we are a Eucharistic people. We are strengthened in grace through receiving Christ in the Eucharist. We are then called to go forth to love and serve others as Christ did. We do this by taking the Gospel message everywhere we go, including our homes!

In his apostolic exhortation *Ecclesia in America*, Pope John Paul II said, "There is a need to encourage shared spiritual moments such as participating in the Eucharist on Sundays and Holy Days, receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation, daily prayer in the family and practical signs of charity. This will strengthen fidelity in marriage and unity in families."

In the Eucharist, we are strengthened as Christ's body, the Church. We are also strengthened as families. How can your family work together to be Christ-like to those you encounter?

## PARISH LIFE...come and be with us

### Rosary & Holy Hour

The Rosary is prayed every Sunday at 8:30 AM before Mass at St. Charles and every Saturday at 3:25 PM before Mass at Our Lady of the Lake.

**Join us in praying the Rosary.**

**Please join us for a Holy Hour on Monday evenings  
from 7 to 8 PM**

**at St Charles in Kingsland to pray for all  
our priests, and especially our own priest, Father Uche.**

### Requesting Mass Intentions

Mass intentions can be booked in the office on Tuesday or Thursday or you can fill out the form and drop the envelope in the black box in front of the office. You will find envelopes in the book holders in the pews. You can book Mass for your family members, the sick, the dead, personal needs and God's blessing.

### Mass Intentions: Aug 14 - Aug 22

#### OUR LADY OF THE LAKE

Sat 8-14	4:00 PM	Ernestine Jordan +
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#### ST. CHARLES BORROMEO

Sat 8-14	6:00 PM	Robert L. Watson +
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Sun 8-15	9:00 AM	Larry Podsednik +
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Tue 8-17	6:00 PM	Stephen Crawford +
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Wed 8-18	8:00 AM	Doug Stapp
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Thur 8-19	8:00 AM	Jereme Barrera
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Fri 8-20	8:00 AM	Darrell Carey
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#### OUR LADY OF THE LAKE

Sat 8-21	4:00 PM	Charles Sadler +
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#### ST. CHARLES BORROMEO

Sat 8-21	6:00 PM	Luann & Joe Steinbrecher
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Sun 8-22	9:00 AM	Senchak – Graham Family
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### VOLUNTEER

#### Cleaning the Sacred Altar Linens

**Volunteers Needed** for Cleaning the Sacred Altar Linens. If you are interested, please call June Schuh at 325-388-3789, or there is a sign up sheet in the sacristy behind the altar. Full directions are in an envelope attached to the right cabinet door above the refrigerator. We have openings in two week intervals or, if you would be so kind, a month.

### Last Week's Collections

**St. Charles \$ 3282.00**

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**"Give and it shall be given to you... For the measure you measure with will be measured back to you."**

*Luke 6:38 We've been promised that God will not be out-done In generosity. May God bless you a hundredfold for your generosity to His Church.*

### Announcements

#### NEEDED:

A volunteer Advocate for Annulment is needed by our parish. Please if you're available call the

### Religious Education

It is time to start preparing for the 2021-2022 Religious Education classes for the children. If this is your calling please contact Richard or Janie Collins at 325-388-3830 as we need teachers and a Director.

#### LADIES ACTS RETREAT

September 16-19, 2021 at EAGLE'S WINGS RETREAT CENTER in Burnet. ACTS is a Four Day Retreat that will last a lifetime. If you talk to anyone who has attended, they will tell you that it is something they will never forget.

Contact:

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## PARISH MINISTRIES...come and be with us.

### MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of God of St. Charles Borromeo Parish in Kingsland, Texas and Our Lady of the Lake, Sunrise Beach, in the Diocese of Austin form a faith community that challenges each to love and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ based on Faith, Hope and Love with no regard to race, gender, nationality religion or social standing.

### Share the Harvest

Don't forget our "Share the Harvest Food Wagon" at St. Charles and the "Box" at OLOL. When you are out doing your grocery shopping please consider picking up an extra item or two and bring when you come to Mass. Also cash is five times as good. Every \$1.00 given buys \$5.00 from the food bank. Thank you for your generosity. God Bless You.

Send bulletin announcements to [stcharles@nctv.com](mailto:stcharles@nctv.com) by **5:00 PM on MONDAY**. You **MUST** put "**bulletin announcement**" in the subject line of your email. This will help us and it will ensure your important information is not overlooked.

### Statues of our Blessed Mother



at St. Charles

at Our Lady of the Lake

### Rosary

*Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.*

Read more at:

<http://www.catholic.org/prayers/merton.php>

### "A Sacrificial Gift"

How can I determine how much is a "sacrificial gift"? One way to determine a sacrificial gift is by relating your gift to your income. Some people reach into their pocket to see what is left from Saturday night.

As a good steward, you are being asked to consider donating one hour (2 1/2%) or two hours (5%) of your weekly income. As circumstances change, increase gradually toward the ideal of 10% to your church and other charities. Some will be able to do more while others may need to do less.

There are two important points: first is that your gift be a sacrifice and second is that you relate your donation to your income. If your income is \$1000/week or \$4333/month then a weekly sacrificial gift would be 2.5% = \$25, 5% = \$50 and 10% = \$100.

God of infinite mercy, we bring our brokenhearted request that you touch your healing hand on all the victims of the Coronavirus, flu and other viruses so that they become well. May we unlock it's cure. Amen  
— Fr Uche —

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