

“When they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus .”

-LK 24:3

“Pero no hallaron el cuerpo del Señor Jesús”

-LC 24, 3

PARISH HOURS AND INFORMATION

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 9:00 am -2:00 pm
 Tuesday—Thursday: 8:30am-4pm;
 Fri: 8:30pm-1pm

HORARIO DE OFICINA

lunes: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
 martes a jueves: 8:30 am-4pm;
 viernes de 8:30am-1pm

CHURCH—OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Everyday: 7:30am-7:30 pm

HORARIO DE LA IGLESIA PARA ORACION PRIVADA

lunes a viernes de 7:30 a.m. a 1:00 p.m.

HOLY EUCHARIST

If someone is ill, homebound or hospitalized, please call Deacon. David Rivera (203) 572-3698 or Deacon. Fabio Tavares 347-307-6875

LA SANTA COMUNIÓN

Si alguien está enfermo, confinado en casa u hospitalizado, llame a Diácono. David Rivera (203) 572-3698 o al Diácono. Fabio Tavares 347-307-6875

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

To receive the Sacrament of Anointing: please contact Fr. Ivan or Fr. Abelardo 203-333-2147

UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS

Para recibir el Sacramento de la Unción: comuníquese con el Padre Ivan o el Padre Abelardo 203-333-2147



Saint Charles Parish Needs You and You Need Saint Charles Parish!

By registering at a parish, you are declaring your desire to be part of a Catholic faith community. If you have recently moved to the area or if you are a long-time resident, please consider registering at the parish where you participate. There's usually information in a parish bulletin or in the pew racks about how to register. When in doubt, ask a priest after Mass. In most cases, you will need to visit the parish office and fill out a simple form or register online.

Top Reasons to Register at a Parish

- A sense of belonging and identity in a parish community.
- It is a commitment to practice your faith.
- Registration enables the parish pastor and staff to get to know you better, to welcome you and to minister to you. This is especially important during a time of crisis so that the pastoral staff can attend to your spiritual needs and the needs of your family.
- Registration helps you stay connected with your parish and helps your parish stay connected with you. Providing your contact information is important so that parishes provide you timely updates via email, direct mail, phone, etc. Also, if you use offertory envelopes or online giving, you will also receive a year-end statement of your donations for income tax purposes. Once you are registered, please notify the parish office of any changes in address or phone number.
- Registered active members are eligible for sponsor/godparent validation.
- Registered active members are sometimes eligible to rent parish facilities.
- Census numbers may determine how many priests are assigned to a parish and how many Masses and enrichment programs are planned and scheduled.

PARISH HOURS AND INFORMATION

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil:

5:00pm Spanish (U.Ch), 7:00pm Portuguese (L.Ch) No reservation required.

Sunday:

7:00am Haitian (L.Ch), 8:45am Spanish (U.Ch), 10:45am Portuguese (U.Ch), 11:00am English (L.Ch), 12:45pm Spanish (U.Ch), 5:00pm Haitian (U.Ch) 7:00 p.m. Portuguese (Uch)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday through Friday 7:30am English (U.Ch) No reservation required.

Tuesday & Friday 7:00pm Haitian (L.Ch)

Wednesday & Thursday: 7:00pm Spanish (L.Ch)

Thursday & Friday: 7:30pm Portuguese (U.Ch)

Saturday (U.Ch) 8:00am Spanish (U.Ch)

U. Ch: Main Church L. Ch: Lower Church

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 11:00 am to 12:00 pm and 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the Upper Church.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Everyday from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. After the 7:30 mass in the chapel of the Urban Center.

Parish Website: www.stcharlesbridgeport.org

Email: office@stcharlesbridgeport.org

CLERGY & STAFF

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Mr. Manuel Olivares, Trustee

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Handicap Accessible via Lift (parking lot entrance)

PARISH REGISTRATION/PARA REGISTRARSE EN LA PARROQUIA

To register online at Saint Charles please scan the following QR with your phone camera or send an e-mail to

elizabethlandyc@hotmail.com



Para registrarse en la Parroquia por favor escanear con la cámara de su teléfono el siguiente código QR

o comuníquese con Elizabeth Landy por correo electrónico a elizabethlandyc@hotmail.com



BULLETIN GROUP OR CHURCH ACTIVITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

send to scbgraphicdesign@gmail.com

*subject to approval

**Offertory Report
For the Week of
March 28th —April 3rd 2022**

Online Giving	756.00
Sunday Offertory Collection	18,342.40
Weekly Offertory Collection and Others	866.00
Total Parish Collection	\$ 19,208.40
Last Year's Total Parish Collection	\$ N/A

Your contributions, both monetary and in service, are important to our parish. Thank you for your generosity!

-Fr. Abelardo

**SUPPORTING THE PARISH
DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME**

Your offertory support at this time is **CRITICAL**. Your offertory gifts support parish staff, community outreach, various in-parish ministries, maintenance, and other components of parish life. It is critical to your parish's ongoing vitality. Please prayerfully embrace this opportunity to be an active pillar of our community by giving generously to the Saint Charles Operating Fund. You can use the donation tool on this webpage:

<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/2962>



PLEASE SCAN



or Mail your donation to:

St Charles Borromeo Parish

391 Ogden Street

Bridgeport, CT 06608



...and as they were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, **"Why do you seek the living among the dead?"**

LK 24,5

ARE YOU SUFFERING?

CHRIST IS PASSING
and has an answer to your suffering
COME AND LISTEN!

CATECHESIS FOR ADULTS AND YOUTH

Mondays & Thursdays at 8PM
starting **April 25**

**SAINT CHARLES BORROMEIO CHURCH
Urban Center - 2nd Floor**



391 Ogden St. Bridgeport CT

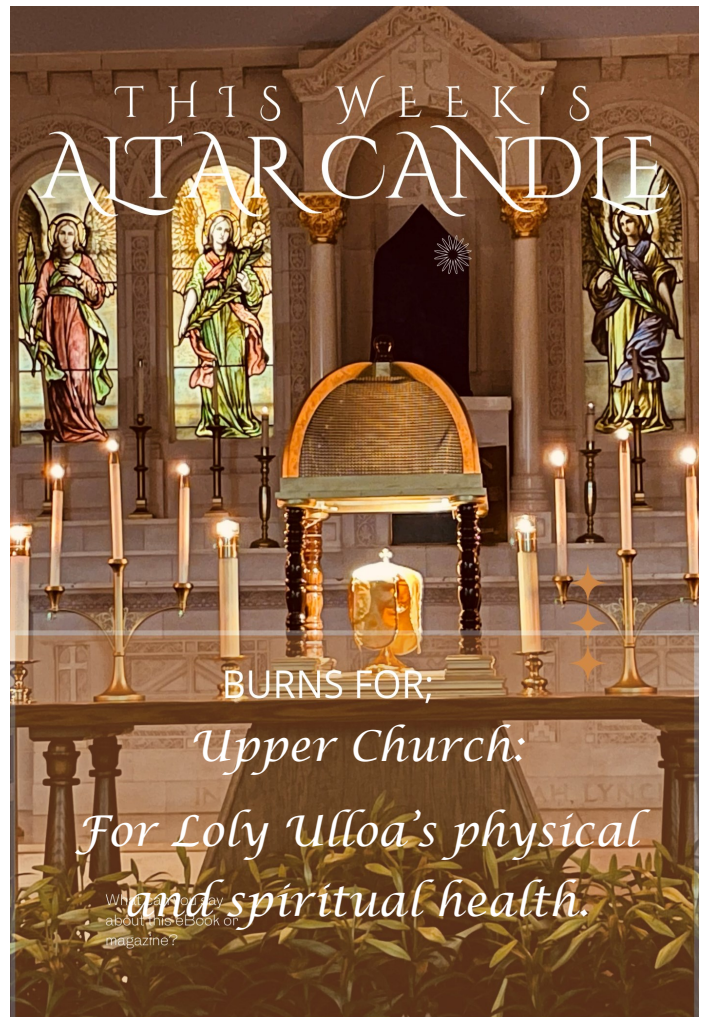
Free babysitting services will be provided

Mother's Day Celebration on
May 1st, 2022
From 2-6 PM at the McGivney Center

THERE ARE LIMITED SEATS
THERE WILL BE FOOD, DESSERTS AND RAFFLES!
ENTRY IS \$35
IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND, YOU CAN HELP BY PURCHASING RAFFLE TICKETS FOR \$5



- Friday April 1** 7:30 am : Gerarda Chaco Callejas R. I. P. R/B Reina Ponce.
- Saturday April 2** 8:00 am : Gerarda Chacon Callejas R. I. P. R/B Reina Ponce.
- Saturday April 2** 5:00 pm : Kenneth Gaffney and William Gallo R. I. P. R/B Martha Gallo and son.
- Sunday April 3** 11:00 pm : Boulay & Lance Kingkittisack's good health R/B Rathanaphone .
- Monday April 4** 7:30 am : Gerarda Chacon Callejas R. I. P. R/B Reina Ponce.
- Tuesday April 5** 7:30 am : Gerarda Chacon Callejas R. I. P. R/B Reina Ponce.
- Monday April 11** 7:30am : Katharine Barrenche's Birthday R.I.P. R/B father
- Wednesday April 13** 7:00 pm : Gerarda Chacon Callejas R. I. P. R/B Reina Ponce.
- Monday April 18** 7:30 am : Angelo Fernandez R.I.P. R/B Sally Fernandez
- Tuesday April 19** 7:30 am: family Thammano Inthiphab's health R/B Thammano
- Wednesday April 20** 7:30 am: Souls in the Purgatory R/B Lurdes Villa
- Thursday April 21** 7:00pm: Souls in the Purgatory R/B Lurdes Villa
- Friday April 22** 7:30 am: Souls in the Purgatory R/B Lurdes Villa
- Saturday April 23** 8 am: Souls in the Purgatory R/B Lurdes Villa
- Sunday April 24** 11 am: Souls in the Purgatory R/B Lurdes Villa
- Monday April 25** 7:30 am: souls in the purgatory R/B Lurdes Villa



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

PALM SUNDAY OF LENT
APRIL 10, 2022

- The Parish offices will be closed on Holy Thursday and Good Friday (April 14 and 15, 2022)
- Pre baptismal classes for parents and godparents will be on Saturday, May 7 at 9 am, please call the parish office to register.
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, every day from 8 am to 7 pm, in the chapel. If you want to be a worshiper please see one of the Deacons at the end of the Mass or come to the office during the week.
- Mother's Day Celebration on Sunday, May 1, from 2 pm to 6 pm in the McGivney Center, there will be food, desserts, and raffles. Limited seats, entry \$35.00. If you are unable to attend, you can help by purchasing raffle tickets for \$5.00.
- The Gospel of Mark Bible class every Thursday from 7 pm to 9:30 pm began February 3 through May 26. This Class will be given in English starting on Sunday February 12th from 12 pm to 1:30 pm every Sunday until the end of May. Everyone is invited.
- The Prayer and Life workshops restarted in Saint Charles Tuesday, February 8, from 7 pm to 9 pm in the Saint Joseph's Room (former library room) and will last until May 18.
- VIRTUS class in Spanish on Saturday April 23 at 9 am. Please register at virtusonline.org for more information call the parish office.



SATURDAY, MAY 7TH AT 9AM

Pre- Baptismal CLASSES

The classes are for parents and godparents

Please call the parish office to register



**DIOCESE
OF
BRIDGEPORT**



CATHOLIC BRIDGE MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING A DIOCESAN-WIDE
MENTORING PROGRAM?**

The Diocese of Bridgeport has launched a mentoring program and our Parish has been selected as a pilot. There are parishioners across the diocese in a variety of industries and professions that are willing to offer their time and expertise to help you succeed in your personal and professional goals.

To SIGN UP as either a mentor or mentee, please visit
<https://www.bridgeportdiocese.org/thecatholicbridge> and submit your information.



Please join us for an information session on
Sunday, April 24th at 5 PM
at The St. Charles Borromeo Convent
391 Ogden Street, Bridgeport, CT 06608

ST. CHARLES BORROMEO

FOOD PANTRY

**For more information
contact:**

**Judy Rivera
203 572-3329**

judyr06606@yahoo.com

Clase de Virtus en español

El día sábado 23 de abril a
las 9 AM

Por favor registrarse en
virtusonline.org para mas
información, llamar a la oficina
parroquial

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear brothers and sisters,

Throughout the next few weeks, I will be inviting you to read and reflect on different letters and homilies from various saints. It is important as Catholics that our church know the life and thoughts of the Saints, since we are called to be saints. We will find in them a lot of wisdom and knowledge, but they will also be of great consolation to us.

Today I invite you to reflect on this paragraph from the book of the prophet Ezekiel

(36: 16-28)

In Christ,

Father Abelardo

Pastor

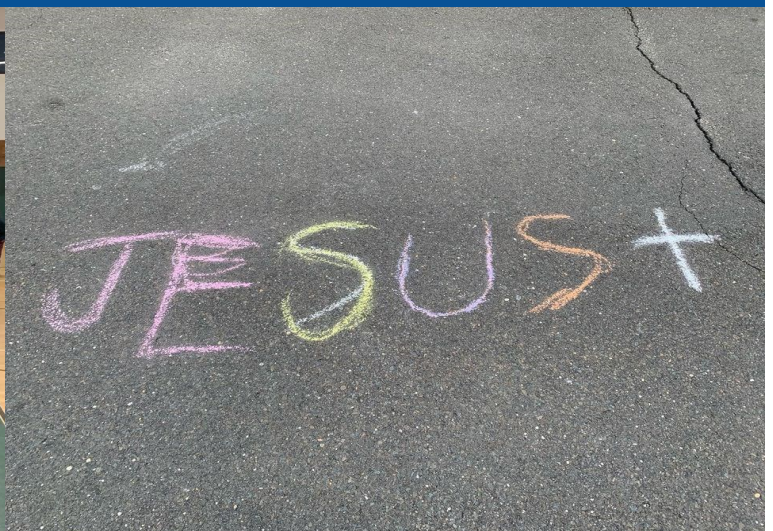
From the book of the prophet Ezekiel

(36: 16-28)

I SHALL POUR CLEAN WATER UPON YOU, AND I SHALL GIVE YOU A NEW HEART

Thus the word of the Lord came to me: Son of man, when the house of Israel lived in their land, they defiled it by their conduct and deeds. Therefore I poured out my fury upon them (because of the blood which they poured out on the ground, and because they defiled it with idols). I scattered them among the nations, dispersing them over foreign lands; according to their conduct and deeds I judged them. But when they came among the nations (wherever they came), they served to profane my holy name, because it was said of them: "These are the people of the Lord, yet they had to leave their land." So I have relented because of my holy name which the house of Israel profaned among the nations where they came. Therefore say to the house of Israel: Thus says the Lord God: Not for your sakes do I act, house of Israel, but for the sake of my holy name, which you profaned among the nations to which you came. I will prove the holiness of my great name, profaned among the nations, in whose midst you have profaned it. Thus the nations shall know that I am the Lord, says the Lord God, when in their sight I prove my holiness through you. For I will take you away from among the nations, gather you from all the foreign lands, and bring you back to your own land. I will sprinkle clean water upon you to cleanse you from all your impurities, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. I will give you a new heart and place a new spirit within you, taking from your bodies your stony hearts and giving you natural hearts. I will put my spirit within you and make you live by my statutes, careful to observe my decrees. You shall live in the land I gave your fathers; you shall be my people, and I will be your God.

Youth Group



It was a wonderful Palm Sunday with the St Charles Youth Group. We are blessed with such a talented group. Look at the beautiful art work and bracelets they created. They were rewarded today with dinner, an Easter cake and Easter basket.

De la oficina del Párroco

Queridos hermanos y hermanas,

A través de las próximas semanas, los estare invitando a leer y reflexionar sobre diferentes, cartas y homilias de varios santos. Es importante como católicos que conozcamos nuestra iglesia la vida y los pensamientos de los Santos, ya que nosotros estamos llamados a ser santos. Encontraremos en ellos mucha sabiduría y conocimiento, pero también serán de mucha consolación para nosotros.

Hoy Los invito a reflexionar en este párrafo del libro del profeta Ezequiel

(36, 16-28)

En Cristo,
Padre Abelardo
Pastor

Del libro del profeta Ezequiel

(36, 16-28)

DERRAMARÉ SOBRE VOSOTROS EN AGUA PURA, Y OS DARÉ UN CORAZÓN NUEVO

Me vino esta palabra del Señor: Hijo de Adán, cuando la casa de Israel habitaba en su tierra, la profanó con su conducta, con sus acciones; como sangre inmunda fue su proceder ante mí. Entonces derramé mi cólera sobre ellos, por la sangre que habían derramado en el país, por haberlo profanado con sus idolatrías. Los esparcí entre las naciones, anduvieron dispersos por los países; según su proceder, según sus acciones los sentencié. Cuando llegaron a las naciones donde se fueron, profanaron mi santo nombre; decían de ellos: “Éstos son el pueblo del Señor, de su tierra han salido”. Sentí lástima de mi santo nombre, profanado por la casa de Israel en las naciones a las que se fue. Por eso, di a la casa de Israel: Esto dice el Señor: "No lo hago por vosotros, casa de Israel, sino por mi santo nombre, profanado por vosotros, en las naciones a las que habéis ido. Mostraré la santidad de mi nombre grande, profanado entre los gentiles, que vosotros habéis profanado en medio de ellos; y conocerán los gentiles que yo soy el Señor oráculo del Señor, cuando les haga ver mi santidad al castigaros. Os recogeré de entre las naciones, os reuniré de todos los países, y os llevaré a vuestra tierra. Derramaré sobre vosotros un agua pura que os purificará: de todas vuestras inmundicias e idolatrías os he de purificar. Y os daré un corazón nuevo, y os infundiré un espíritu nuevo; arrancaré de vuestra carne el corazón de piedra, y os daré un corazón de carne. Os infundiré mi espíritu, y haré que caminéis según mis preceptos, y que guardéis y cumpláis mis mandatos. Y habitaréis en la tierra que di a vuestros padres. Vosotros seréis mi pueblo, y yo seré vuestro Dios."

RESURRECTION

“For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.”

LUKE 14:14

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD. ©LRI

Los grupos marianos de San Carlos Borromeo les invita al rosario de la Aurora, el sábado 7 de mayo . Estará dirigido por el Comité Altagraciano. Santo Rosario 6:00am Santa misa 8:00 am Compartir 9:00 am. Nos acompañará el ministerio de música: promesa .

El Ministerio De Damas Orando Entre Nosotras Les invita A Su Retiro Anual Mujer No Temas Dios Camina Contigo

El Señor mismo marchará frente de tí y estará contigo, nunca te dejará ni te abandonará.
No temas ni te desanimas -Deuteronomio 31:8

Padre Abelardo Vasquez	Enrique Lugo	Marisabel Colón
<i>Bienvenida</i>	<i>Predicador</i>	<i>Música</i>
Donación \$10.00	SÁBADO MAYO 14, 2022	Información:
	Iglesia San Carlos Borromeo 391 Ogden St. Bpt. CT. 06608 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Elizabeth Camacho Coordinadora 203-870-5366 Nidza Rodriguez 203-526-3944

Saint Charles Kids Corner

GROWING WITH THE Gospel CYCLE C

COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



Easter Sunday • John 20:1-19



GOSPEL

Mary Magdalene was surprised when she found the empty tomb of Jesus. She ran and told Peter and John that his body was gone. Peter and John ran to the tomb. They found no body, just strips of cloth. One piece was the cloth that covered the face of Jesus. Peter and John knew that Jesus was not in the grave, even though they did not understand what it meant to rise from the dead.

PRAYER

Jesus, you died and rose from the dead so I can share your life on earth and in heaven. Thank you.

PUZZLE

Circle the group in each row that has **more**. Then color in all the pictures.



MISSION

I will tell someone that Jesus is alive.

DRAW

Draw Mary, Peter, and John looking inside the empty tomb.

Easter Sunday

7:00 am French Creole Mass

(Lower Church)

8:45 am Spanish Mass (Upper Church)

10:45 am Portuguese Mass

(Upper Church)

11:00 am English Mass

(Lower Church)

12:45 pm Spanish Mass

(Upper Church)

5:00 pm French Creole Mass

(Upper Church)

7:30 pm Portuguese Mass

(Upper church)

ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO



2022 Topic: Mercy, Love's Second Name



Join Sister Virginia Joy, a Sister of Life for the first ever Connecticut Feminine Genius Brunch & come discover God's plan for your ultimate flourishing!

This brunch borrows its name after those God-given attributes endowed to you as women! Why?

Because it is our hope that the talks and experience of this brunch will reveal to you your amazing gifts and open your heart to the Holy Spirit who longs to spark these gifts to life! During this brunch, we will explore the topic of Mercy.

Come join the Sisters of Life for a beautiful morning set aside to marvel at the mystery of God and His plan for each of us.

EVENT DETAILS

Date: Saturday, April 23rd, 2022

Women's Mass Celebrated by Bishop Caggiano: 8:30 am at St. Cecilia Church, 1184 Newfield Ave., Stamford, CT

Brunch: 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at The Italian Center, 1620 Newfield, Ave., Stamford, CT

Brunch Tickets: \$40 Advanced purchase required via Eventbrite link below

**Can't afford a ticket? For a scholarship contact noelle.gross@gmail.com*

Open to all women ages 15 and up! Invite a friend!

RSVP BY APRIL 19

<https://feminine-genius-brunch-ct.eventbrite.com>



...Llenas de miedo, se inclinaron ocultando su rostro; pero ellos les dijeron:

"Por qué buscan entre los muertos al que vive?"

Lk 24,5

ESTAS SUFRIENDO?

CRISTO ESTA PASANDO
y tiene una respuesta a tu sufrimiento
VEN Y ESCUCHA!

CATEQUESIS PARA ADULTOS Y JOVENES

Lunes & Jueves a las 8PM
empezando **Abril 25**

SAINT CHARLES BORROMEIO CHURCH
Urban Center - 2do piso



391 Ogden St. Bridgeport CT

Servicio de cuidado de niños complementario

Groups and Ministries

Mães que Oram pelos Filhos

Encontros quinzenais
Segundas-feiras
7:30pm

Saint Charles Borromeo
391 Ogden St, Bridgeport, CT



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Terço das Santas Chagas

Terço das Santas Chagas de Jesus
toda 1ª Sexta-feira do mês
Às 7:30pm
(No Basement da Igreja)

Saint Charles Borromeo Catholic Church
391 Ogden St, Bridgeport, CT 06608

Grupo de Oração



Sopro do Espírito Santo

Quintas-feiras
8pm - Skype

Terço dos Homens

Quartas-feiras
8pm

Pelo Whatsapp

Bridgeport - CT

Família Terço

Quartas-feiras
7:30pm

Pelo Skype

Bridgeport - CT



MINISTERIO DE DAMAS
ORANDO ENTRE NOSOTRAS
IGLESIA ST. CARLOS, BPT. CT

Nuestro Ministerio de Damas: Orando Entre Nosotras!
Se regocija en invitarle a usted Mujer de Dios a nuestra reunion mensual.
El segundo Sabado de cada mes a partir de las 7:00 pm en nuestra Parroquia San Carlos Borromeo

Mujer ejemplar, donde se hallara?
!Es mas valiosa que las piedras Preciosas!

Proverbios 31:10

Youth Adult Group



All youth from 18-35 years old are invited to



GRUPO DE PAREJAS UNIDOS EN LOS CORAZONES DE JESUS Y MARIA

Tenemos el placer de invitarlos a compartir con nosotros, todos los ultimos Domingos de cada mes.
Despues de la misa de 12:45 pm en la Iglesia de abajo.
Tendremos la exposicion del Santisimo Sacramento, charla testimonios y un compartir.
Vengan todos los que estan cansados y cargados, que yo lo hare descansar III.12.28

Iglesia San Carlos Borromeo
391 Ogden St.
Bridgeport CT
06608

Grupo de Oração NUESTRA SEÑORA DE PENTECOSTÉS



Te Invita:
A la Asamblea de Oración
Todos Los MIÉRCOLES
Después de la Misa de las 7:00pm



En la parte abajo de la iglesia

Grupo de Oração



Todas as terças-feiras às 7:00pm

Saint Charles Borromeo Catholic Church
391 Ogden St, Bridgeport-CT
(No Basement da Igreja)

Hermanos feligreses de la Parroquia San Carlos

Les informamos con gran alegría que la organización de las Hijas de María comenzarán a organizarse nuevamente en la parroquia. Las edades comprenden desde los 6 a 12 años de edad. Para registrarse y obtener más información favor de comunicarse con Aida Rosario @ (203) 690-8299.

