## Announcements 10-13-2024

Today's Community Meal is being sponsored and served by St. Charles member Donna King and her Family. If you are thinking of sponsoring a meal, please contact Georgia Kingsley. We still need a sponsor for next Sunday, October 13.

Are you a Chili head? Do you have a crockpot? If so, we need you - to bring a crockpot filled with your favorite Chili recipe next Sunday when we will host our Second Annual St. Charles Chili-thon for the community meal. Your Chili can be the star of the show - step aside, Bobby Flay! Signup sheets are in the back of church. If you have questions, please see Janis Ayoub.

Barbara Taylor is asking for individually wrapped candy and/or rosaries to be put in blessing bags for our children for Halloween. You may bring the items to church and give to Barbara or drop them off at the rectory. Barbara is asking to having all donations no later than Friday, October 25, 2024 by 3pm.

Alumni Sunday is the first Sunday of November. As usual, we will have a banner with names of our deceased alumni, family, and friends who passed away between last November up until early November of this year. The deadline for having those names emailed or dropped at the rectory or in the collection basket is Friday, October 18, 2024 by noon.

Envelopes for donations to the victims of Hurricane Helene are on the back table. All donations are tax deductible as we will send them to Catholic Charities USA. You can put your donations in next week's collection, drop them off at the rectory, or mail your donation to the rectory.

Mercy In Action Day is on Saturday October 19<sup>th</sup>, and everyone is welcome to participate in a day action to make a difference in our neighborhoods and our world. Here at St. Charles Borromeo, we are hoping to complete three actions that will be reported will be reported to the Archdiocese of Detroit along with numerous other parishes throughout our dioceses. Our actions are praying the Rosary for Peace starting at 12:15pm, designing and writing cards for veterans, and creating an autumn craft with children. If you are interested, please sign-up in the back of church as we are serving lunch and we need a count for food. Join us from 12pm-3pm in the parish hall.

Religious Education classes for children and teens are offered on the first and third Sundays of month following mass. We are meeting in the large classroom off the stage. Children Liturgy of the Word follows the same pattern during mass for children Pre-K-1<sup>st</sup> grade. Please see Joni Scott, Director of Faith Formation for additional information.