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Please join Fr. Thomas and Fr. Kent for the livestream Mass today, Monday, March 23, at 5:30 pm. Just launch from your smartphone, ipad, computer, or cast to your smart television.

As we normally do on Mondays, Eucharistic Exposition will follow the Mass for quiet prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. Tonight, a rosary before the Blessed Sacrament will be added at 6:30 pm. Benediction concludes our prayer together at 6:55 pm. Join us for even for just 5 minutes today if you are able.

Also, you are invited this week to join us Tuesday-**Saturday** for:
- Mass at 8:00 am.
- Way of the Cross at 1:00 pm

Also, our Masses and Devotions are now archived. Just go to www.stcharleslima.org and find the button for Archived Masses.

Please note that we have activated a new way that you can request help or volunteer your help as we tackle new issues these next days and weeks. The address is cvhelp@stcharleslima.org. Feel free to share this address with those you know. We are especially seeking those of you who are comfortable using Google Sheets or those willing to call parishioners in their homes.

By order of the governor, our Parish Office, School Office, and the church itself is now closed to the public. However, we are checking phone messages and emails. Do let us know how we pray for you and attend to your needs.

Finally, I offer a prayer from the Collection of Masses for the Blessed Virgin Mary that Bishop Thomas suggested we pray at this time:

Grant, Lord God, that we, your servants, (==can name person/s present==),
may rejoice in unfailing health of mind and body,
and through the glorious intercession of Blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
may we be set free from present sorrow
and come to enjoy eternal happiness.
Through our Lord, Jesus Christ, your son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

St. Charles Borromeo, our patron. Pray for us.

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Kent