

Experience your Greatest Happiness by doing what God has Uniquely Gifted You to do!

A charism is a spiritual gift granted by the Holy Spirit that empowers us to share God's love in our world.

Understanding Charisms

Understanding the ways of God and Humanity and empowering Christians to be a channel of God's truth



Join us as we take seven weeks to explore the seven types of charisms.

Knowledge

"Life Long Learner"

Seeing, Understanding, Contemplating what is true. Passion for study and intellectual activity that enables us to better understand God, ourselves, and the universe.

See in Scripture: Col 2:12-3 & Wisdom 7:16-22 Be Inspired By: St. Thomas Aquinas, & Edith Stein

Discernment of Spirits

"Recognizes good / evil spiritual presence" Awareness of spiritual realities that nourish or hinder the freedom of people and the work of the Church.

<u>See in Scripture</u>: I Corinthians 12:10 & I John 4:1-6 **Be Inspired By:** St. John of the Cross

Wisdom

"Sound Decision Maker"

Insight that allows one to arrive at creative solutions to specific problems and enables others to make good decisions. Focus on how things really work.

See in Scripture: Acts 6: 3,10, 1 Cor 2:1-16 & James 1:5-6

Be Inspired By: St. John Joseph of the Cross, St.

Nicholas Flue & Caroline Chisholm

This is the fourth of seven inserts highlighting the different charisms.

In coming weeks you will learn about Communication, Lifestyle and Creativity Charisms.

Please see the parish website (<u>www.saintandrew.org</u>) for more information on charisms!



This fall the parish will provide opportunities for parishioners to explore their charisms. Watch for details in July.

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