

Diocese of Charleston

# ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

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## Mass Schedule

Tuesday & Thursday 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday & Friday 8:30 a.m.

Saturday (Vigil) 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

## Confessions

Tuesday & Thursday

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday & Friday

9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

Saturday, 3:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

or by appointment

## Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesdays 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

First Fridays 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

First Sundays 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

## Religious Education

K5 - Confirmation

Sunday 9:45 a.m.

## Church Hours

Monday – Friday

9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## Office Hours

1303 McLees Rd. Anderson

Monday - Thursday 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Friday 9:30 a.m. - Noon

December 26, 2021



## THE HOLY FAMILY

He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them; and his mother kept all these things in her heart. And Jesus advanced in wisdom and age and favor before God and man. - Lk 2:51-52

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## MISSION

We the people of God at St. Joseph Catholic Church & School, acknowledge the mission of Holy Mother Church as seeking the salvation of souls by making disciples of all nations – teaching them all that Jesus Christ has commanded. (Mt. 28:19-20)

**Welcome Newcomers!** Registration forms are available in the Narthex of the church or online at [www.sjccs.net](http://www.sjccs.net).

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**Mass Intentions**

**12/26 SUNDAY** - Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph  
**5:00PM People of the Parish**  
**8:30AM +Delrose Trutwin** rb Francis Trutwin  
**11:00AM Intentions of the Seiler Family**  
Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Col 3:12-21/Lk 2:41-52

**12/27 MONDAY** - St. John, The Apostle  
 No Mass  
1 Jn 1:1-4/Jn 20:1a, 2-8

**12/28 TUESDAY** - The Holy Innocents, Martyrs  
**5:30PM Nebiolo Family** rb Dina Selice  
1 Jn 1:5-2:2/Mt 2:13-18

**12/29 WEDNESDAY** - St. Thomas Becket, Bishop & Martyr  
**8:30AM +Tricia Trutwin** rb the Davis Family  
1 Jn 2:3-11/Lk 2:22-35

**12/30 THURSDAY** - Sixth Day in the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord  
**5:30PM +John Stein** rb Ester Stein and Family  
1 Jn 2:12-17/Lk 2:36-40

**12/31 FRIDAY** - St. Sylvester I, Pope  
**8:30AM +Fr. Ernest Hepner** rb the Parish  
1 Jn 2:18-21/Jn 1:1-18

**01/01 SATURDAY** - Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God  
**5:30PM Priest's Intentions** (Friday Vigil for Holy Day)  
**8:30AM Priest's Intentions** (Holy Day)  
Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21

**01/02 SUNDAY** - The Epiphany of the Lord  
**5:00PM +Delrose Trutwin** rb Francis Trutwin  
**8:30AM Persecuted People in China**  
**11:00AM People of the Parish**  
Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

Church Weekly Budget Income \$ 10,500.00

Weekly Collection of December 19, 2021 and  
Second Collection of December 19, 2021:  
 SOS (School Support)

**Unavailable at Time of Publication/Early Bulletin Printer**  
**Deadline for Holiday**

This Week's Second Collection Envelope Collection:  
 12/24-12/25 Christmas Offering  
 12/25-12/26 Parish Charity

Next Week's Second Envelope Collection:  
 01/01 Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

WeShare Online Collection for November 2021:

Parish School Support	\$ 530.00
All Saints	\$ 40.00
All Souls	\$ 65.00
Christmas	\$ 200.00
Guatemalan Mission	\$ 160.00
	<b>\$ 995.00</b>

**Thank you for your support & generosity!**



Look for the **GIVING** button on our website:  
[www.sjccs.net](http://www.sjccs.net). Click on GIVING and follow the link to  
 our parish "WeShare" page for regular contributions,  
 second collections, and special event donations!

**REMEMBER:** FR. GILLESPIE WILL NEVER SOLICIT  
 FUNDS THROUGH EMAILS, TEXTS, OR VOICEMAIL.  
 PLEASE DO NOT RESPOND TO ANYTHING LIKE THIS  
 UNLESS YOU SPEAK WITH FR. GILLESPIE DIRECTLY.

**Bulletin Deadlines**

01/16/2022

01/23/2022

01/30/2022

Materials  
due 01/02

Materials  
due 01/09

Materials  
due 01/16

Please submit all announcements in an editable Word or Publisher document.  
 Remember to include: Who, What, Where, Why, When.  
 E-Mail announcements to [weekly.bulletin@sjccs.net](mailto:weekly.bulletin@sjccs.net)

**Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick**

If you are ill or about to be hospitalized for surgery and wish to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call the parish office to make an appointment before hospitalization. In the event of an emergency, please call the parish office.

**Pray for the Sick**

**December 26:** Chay Ching, Will Diedrick, Alison Henderson, Annette Marino, Anna Marie Melanaski, Martha Petr, Ann Marie Pometto, Elaine Sharkey, Diann Sweeney, and Bob Williams.

**December 19:** Joe Bonacci, Dot Bismack, Joe Graziano, John Grubel, Michael Heath, Ann Johns, Pat Jourdan, Lorenzo Di Portio, Stacey Telezak, and Steven Telezak.

**December 12:** Jay Black, Sherion Black, Marianne Cardenas, George Chastain, Billy Ellison, Frank Lavoy, and Delores Richey.

Names will remain on prayer list for 3 weeks. To add a name or to maintain a name contact the parish office.

Please pray for the:

**Holy Souls in Purgatory**

*May the faithful departed be aided by our prayers. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord; and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.*



**162 Praying Days to Pentecost!**  
**Come Holy Spirit!**





**MR. KYLE CLEMENT, SMD**  
**BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND**  
**JAN 10 – 14 2021**

**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**1200 CORNELIA ROAD**  
**ANDERSON, SC 29621**  
**864-225-5341 ~ WWW.SJCCS.NET**

Kyle Clement returns to St. Joseph Catholic Church to present a 5 Day Parish Mission on living our Catholic faith. 9 Unique Presentations.

Mr. Clement instructs the lay faithful with practical information on different aspects of Christian life. He is an acclaimed speaker for Liber Christo.

**Join Us For This Inspiring and Informative Event.**

**MISSION SCHEDULE**

<b>Jan 10 Mon</b>	<b>9:30 - 11:00 AM</b>	<b>Topic: What is Catholic Identity</b>
	<b>7:00 - 8:30 PM</b>	<b>Topic: Domestic Church</b>
<b>Jan 11 Tue</b>	<b>9:30 - 11:00 AM</b>	<b>Topic: Tools of the Trade - Prayer</b>
	<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>Evening Mass</b>
	<b>6:00 - 7:00 PM</b>	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>
	<b>7:00 - 8:30 PM</b>	<b>Topic: Cleaning Out Your Knapsack</b>
<b>Jan 12 Wed</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>Morning Mass</b>
	<b>9:15 - 10:15 AM</b>	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>
	<b>9:30 - 11:00 AM</b>	<b>Topic: Balanced Relationship with the Trinity</b>
	<b>7:00 - 8:30 PM</b>	<b>Topic: Liturgical Seasons and Natural Seasons</b>
<b>Jan 13 Thu</b>	<b>9:30 - 11:00 AM</b>	<b>Topic: Sacraments: Reconciliation with God the Father</b>
	<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>Evening Mass</b>
	<b>6:00 - 7:00 PM</b>	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>
	<b>7:00 - 8:30 PM</b>	<b>Topic: Holy Sacrifice of the Mass</b>
<b>Jan 14 Fri</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>Morning Mass</b>
	<b>9:15 - 10:15 AM</b>	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>
	<b>9:30 - 11:00 AM</b>	<b>Topic: Demons Go Where They Are Not Resisted ~ Angels Go Where They Are Invited</b>

**Free Event ~ Donations are gratefully accepted.**

## WEEK AT A GLANCE

<b>SUN</b>	<b>DECEMBER 26</b>	~ Divine Mercy Chaplet ~ 3:00 PM~ Church Join Us every Sunday
<b>MON</b>	<b>DECEMBER 27</b>	~ Boy Scouts ~ 6:30 PM ~ Hall ~ Parish Office Closed
<b>TUE</b>	<b>DECEMBER 28</b>	~ Confessions ~ 6:00 PM ~ Church ~ Parish Office Closed
<b>WED</b>	<b>DECEMBER 29</b>	~ Eucharistic Adoration ~ 9AM to 5 PM (Church) ~ Confessions ~ 9:15 to 10:15 AM (Church) ~ 2021 Year End Contributions Due in Office for
<b>THU</b>	<b>DECEMBER 30</b>	~ Confessions ~ 6:00 to 7:00 PM ~ Church
<b>FRI</b>	<b>DECEMBER 31</b>	~ Mass ~ 5:30 PM Vigil for Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God ~ Church ~ No Confessions ~ Parish Office Closed
<b>SAT</b>	<b>JANUARY 1</b>	~ Mass ~ 8:30 AM Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God~ Church ~ Confessions ~ 3:15 to 4:45 PM ~ Church
<b>SUN</b>	<b>JANUARY 2</b>	~ Religious Education ~ 9:45 AM ~ School ~ First Sunday Adoration ~ 12 to 3 PM ~ Church ~ Divine Mercy Chaplet & Penitential Prayers ~ 3:00 PM ~ Church ~ Join Us every Sunday!

See our Calendar at [www.sjccs.net](http://www.sjccs.net) for a full schedule of weekly and monthly events.



### **FISH FRY & A MOVIE! ~ Friday, January 7**

**Fish Fry Dinner: 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM. Movie and Popcorn: 7:30 PM - 8:00 PM ~ Hall**  
Bring the whole family. Adults - \$10, kids 5-12 - \$5. Household max - \$35

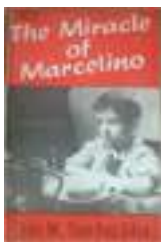


### **SAVE THE DATE ~ JOSEPH PEARCE RETURNS** **\*\*\*MARCH 28, 2022 ~ 7:00 PM\*\*\* New Date!**

To see Mr. Pearce's "Quest for Shakespeare: Revealing His Catholicism"  
lecture on December 6th visit [YouTube](#)  
and search [Saint Joseph Catholic Church Anderson](#)



*Catholic Book Discussion ~ January 2022*



*The Miracle of Marcelino* is based on a pious Spanish legend. This short book tells the heartwarming story of an orphan left on a Franciscan monastery doorstep. We have limited copies of the book which we are sharing. At our January gathering we will watch the 1955 movie (dubbed in English) which was a Grand Prize Award winner at the International Cannes Film Festival. Come enjoy the movie (and popcorn!), even if you don't get the chance to read the book!



Come to either group:  
Thursday, January 6 3 pm

Thursday, January 6 6:30 pm

Where: Shook Center (office)  
Contact Jan Heithaus in the parish office for more information.

**Faith and Reason Study Group**

The Church confirms that the Catholic Faith is grounded in reason, and that the grace of Faith builds on the foundation provided by reason. Come learn more.



Taught by Dr. Murray Daw (Dean's Distinguished Prof of Physics, Clemson). Learn what St. Thomas Aquinas called the "Preamble to the Faith". Ground your own faith.

Regular in-person meetings at St. Joseph's on Tuesdays 6:30-7:30 Jan 18-Apr 12. (Make-up/Zoom sessions on following Thursdays.)

For more information, or to sign up, email [daw@clemson.edu](mailto:daw@clemson.edu) or call 864-772-0245. Sign up **SOON** so you can get the book (\$12).



**Photo above: Golf Tournament Check Presentation**



**On December 5th, at the 11:00 AM Mass, Tom Morris of the St. Joseph Men's Club presented a check for \$21,356.53 to Fr. Gillespie, Haymee Giuliani, and the children of St. Joseph Catholic School.**

**The check represents the proceeds from the Men's Club/Knight's of Columbus Annual Golf Tournament held on October 29, 2021.**

**This was a record setting Golf Tournament, both in net proceeds raised and in number of teams (24) playing.**

**Thank you to our parish family for all your support, and thank you to the Men's Club and Knights of Columbus.**



**Join our Flock!**

Text **SJCC-AND** to 84576 or SIGN UP Online at [st.josephdc.flocknote.com](http://st.josephdc.flocknote.com)

**LISTEN ON YOUR MOBILE PHONE OR TABLET**

**KRESTA IN THE AFTERNOON**



*Kresta in the Afternoon is one of the most refined and solidly Catholic talk shows in the U.S. ~ Fr. Gillespie*

Airs Live 4 - 6 PM Weekdays on Ave Maria Radio at

<https://avemariaradio.net/program/kresta-in-the-afternoon/>

Recorded Podcasts are available on these APPS:



SEARCH  
"KRESTA IN THE  
AFTERNOON"

Also available on YouTube:

[https://www.youtube.com/results?search\\_query=kresta+in+the+afternoon+ave+maria+radio](https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=kresta+in+the+afternoon+ave+maria+radio)

**FORMED**

PICK OF THE WEEK

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**WATCH**

**FORGIVEN—SESSION 1: WHERE ARE YOU?**

As we make resolutions for 2021, don't forget about your spiritual well-being! Through our *Forgiven* series, you can help guide friends and family to new spiritual beginnings!



To set up your free account visit [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup) and select our parish.



**WCKI 1300 AM & W287DJ-105.3 ~ Catholic Christian Radio in the Upstate of South Carolina**

Livestream on your phone or tablet ~ [catholicradioinsc.com](https://catholicradioinsc.com)

**"InStep" Diocesan Podcast** hosted weekly by Dr. Mike Martocchio, secretary of Evangelization and director of the Office of Catechesis, and Deacon Jerry White, director of the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry.



Dr. Mike and Deacon Jerry host lighthearted and insightful conversations each Tuesday with those who minister in the diocese, and the first episode featured Bishop Guglielmone.

Our podcasts are available on the main page of our diocesan website (along the top navigation bar): [charlestondiocese.org](https://charlestondiocese.org). Listen on Spotify, Google Podcasts, or go here: <https://anchor.fm/instep>

**POST ABORTION HEALING RESOURCES**

**Rachel's Vineyard Ministries**  
[Rachelsvineyard.org](https://Rachelsvineyard.org)  
 877 HOPE 4 ME  
 (877-467-3463)

**Project Rachel**  
[Hopeafterabortion.com](https://Hopeafterabortion.com)  
 888-456-HOPE (4673)

**Diocese of Charleston  
 Post Abortion Healing**  
[Grace4healing@gmail.com](mailto:Grace4healing@gmail.com)  
 803-554-6088



St. Joseph Catholic School  
1200 Cornelia Road, Anderson SC 29621  
864-760-1619 ~ [www.sjccs.net](http://www.sjccs.net) ~ M/F 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM



### *Feast of the Holy Family*

Although major feast days are dedicated to each member of the Holy Family - Jesus, Mary and Joseph, the Feast of the Holy Family commemorates their life together, and the celebration focuses on religious family life.



Be a part of our school family. Please visit [www.sjccs.net](http://www.sjccs.net) for information about St. Joseph Catholic School. Call 864-760-1619 to schedule a tour!  
Enrolling for 2022-2023 school year starting soon!



## CHRISTMAS FLOWERS 2021

### *In Memory of...*

Carl & Cleo Angoli rb Marilyn Angoli  
 George O'Brien  
 Patrick O'Brien  
 Christopher Cox  
 Kelley M. O'Brien rb Catherine O'Brien  
 Joe & Lucille Jones  
 Mary Lou Ferguson  
 Carmel Jones  
 Genar & Kathleen Kelley  
 Bill & Coco Miller rb Robert & Joyce Jones  
 Harry & Aurelia Bendig  
 Orlando & Blanche Vigil  
 Chris & Al Strep  
 Marg & Phil Vigil rb Joe & Donna Bendig  
 Walter Bogus  
 Robert John Bogus  
 Mary Roznowski rb Joseph & Anne Roznowski  
 Kimsey Ashley  
 Martha Ashley  
 Bill Hughes  
 Jean Hughes rb Steven & Kimley Hughes  
 Ron Romano  
 Kay Romano  
 Nick Romano  
 John Doulavoris  
 Sophia Doulavoris rb Mr. & Mrs. John Romano  
 Jim Schullien rb James & Stephanie Barr  
 Robert Zakrzewski  
 Monica Zakrzewski  
 Leatha & Tom Thompson  
 Earl & Virginia Thomas  
 Charles & Margaret Novokay rb Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Zakrzewski  
 Karina Cazarin rb Marianne Cardenas  
 John & Charlotte Bell rb the Bell Family  
 Margaret Lyerly  
 Spencer Lyerly  
 Walter Riddle  
 Ann Gardner rb Richard Lyerly  
 Mr. & Mrs. V.L. Steadman  
 Mr. & Mrs. Ed Weathers rb Mr. & Mrs. Mickey Steadman  
 Duncan Greene  
 James Johns  
 Grace Johns rb Deacon Chet & Mrs. Ann Johns  
 Anna Peckat  
 Janet Carothers  
 Susan Jacobs rb Mr. & Mrs. Ray Carothers  
 Irom DeLone Smith  
 Catherine Smith  
 Sean Briggs  
 Patrick Briggs rb Beatrice Briggs  
 Floyd & Lois Fround  
 Larry & Donna Holmer rb Mr. & Mrs. Larry Holmer  
 Eugene Dobek  
 William Viallano rb Kenneth & Diane Yuravich  
 Bethany Ann Lemieux rb Tom & Susan Lemieux  
 Edward F. Kohlmayer  
 Ed M. Kohlmayer rb Kathleen Kohlmayer  
 Gerald & Betty Reffett rb Barbara Stubblefield  
 Rene & Rose Zaaccaria  
 Nevin & Frances Claybourne rb Steve & Helen Claybourne  
 Allan Legaspi  
 Florencia Legaspi  
 Charles Williams, Sr.  
 Mornal M. Williams rb Charles & Elenita Williams  
 Lisa M. Coles rb Darrin Coles  
 Joanne Campana  
 Leon Hyers  
 John & Josephine Kaiser rb Mr. & Mrs. David De Groot  
 Rose Ann Johnson  
 Carmela Price rb Vincent Price  
 Eleanor & Frank Lombardo  
 Jerry & Hazel O'Connor rb Mr. & Mrs. Thomas O'Connor  
 John & Jean Houck rb Mr. & Mrs. Chuck Mills  
 Lillie Martin  
 James Martin  
 John Martin  
 Sam Martin  
 Bessie Sadler rb Mr. & Mrs. Charles Williams  
 Patricia Haughey  
 Sandy & Patty Kenney  
 Alice Jean Rorer's Family rb Alice Jean Rorer  
 Jeffrey Krumm rb Richard & Rosario Krumm  
 Mary Jo Schawe rb Brenda Thompson  
 Frank & Irene Gerlach rb Jessica Paugh Johnson  
 Olga Pintado  
 Holy Souls in Purgatory rb Cary Infante

### *In Memory of...*

Karen E. Tamburro  
 Souls in Purgatory rb Angelo S. Tamburro  
 Graham Holmes rb Jeannine Holmes  
 Richard Coleman rb Joe & Carol Bonacci  
 Margaret Halbig rb Mr. & Mrs. Walter Halbig  
 Joe Razmus  
 Bill Airey rb Jean Razmus  
 John Jourdan rb Pat Jourdan  
 William & Teresa Trentecosta  
 Marceline Strickland rb Mr. & Mrs. John Strickland  
 Frank Surdyka, Jr.  
 Elizabeth Surdyka  
 Regina Jackiewicz rb Dolores Surdyka  
 Bob Graffen  
 Angela McCarragher rb Jerry & Penny Rose  
 Bernard Mitchell  
 Margaret Mitchell rb James & Judith Mitchell  
 Walter & Phyllis Brodack  
 Douglas & Teresa Wilson  
 rb Matthew & Jodie Brodack  
 Lajos Boch  
 Maria Jeger  
 Maria Blezer  
 Ferenc C. Francz  
 Mrs. Anna Francz  
 Mr. John Francz  
 Mr. Zoltan Francz  
 Emi Tar  
 Laszlo Tar rb Mr. & Mrs. Laszlo Francz  
 Ian Miskelley  
 Sr. Shawn Bernard Daniel  
 Herb Daniel rb Ron & Nancy Miskelley  
 Gene Baur  
 Christie Powers rb Mr. & Mrs. Terry Hill  
 Tricia Trutwin  
 Bertha Fowler  
 Lee Davis rb the Davis Family  
 Ron Cartledge  
 Sue Stein  
 Robert Stein  
 Clifford & Madeline Cartledge  
 William & Charlotte Stein rb Elizabeth Cartledge  
 Marlene Ventura rb Sebastian Ventura  
 Erv Henderson rb Alice Henderson  
 Benito Sto. Domingo Abella  
 Rita Ramos Abella  
 Teresita Abella Desiderio  
 John Richard Stein rb Ester Stein

### *In Memory of Deceased Members of...*

The Bonacci Family  
 The Chabot Family rb Joseph & Carol Bonacci  
 The Coles Family  
 The Mish Family  
 The Glanowski Family rb Mr. & Mrs. Dominic Mish  
 The Ringler Family rb Darrin Coles  
 The Sutton Family  
 The Kleitch Family rb Mr. & Mrs. John Sutton  
 The Morgan & King Families  
 The Motroni Family rb John & Linda Motroni  
 The Kohlmayer Family  
 The Jacky Family  
 The McBride Family  
 The Reyda Family rb Ann Kohlmayer  
 The Tamburro Family  
 The Leggieri Family rb Angelo S. Tamburro  
 The Steadman Family  
 The Weathers Family  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Mickey Steadman

### *In Honor of...*

Fr. Gillespie rb Cary Infante  
 Barbara Stubblefield rb Michael & Michele Reffett  
 Bellamy Cleveland rb Mr. & Mrs. Terry Hill  
 Vicente Legaspi rb Charles & Elenita Williams  
 Chris Fanning  
 Anna Fanning  
 Brandon Fanning  
 Brooklyn Fanning rb Mr. & Mrs. Rick Fanning  
 Michael Albert Stein rb Mrs. Ester Stein  
 Richard Campana  
 Barbara Hyers rb Mr. & Mrs. David De Groot  
 Brian & Liz Miskelley rb Ron & Nancy Miskelley

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*Proclaiming the fullness of the Gospel of Jesus  
Christ in the Holy Catholic Church*

The Veritas Catholic Information Center would like to update you on recent activities of the VCIC and the exciting progress we are making. We would also like to thank you for your encouragement and ask for your continued support as we work together to establish a lay-driven Catholic center in downtown Greenville.

*Inaugural Event with Bishop Guglielmo*

If you attended our inaugural event on August 26 at the Poinsett Club, you were inspired by the Bishop's clarion call for authentic Catholic evangelism in an age desperately in need of a saving faith. And as Father Newman and Joseph Pearce eloquently proclaimed, that call will be answered most effectively through an emphasis on the eternal Truth and Beauty of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.



*Inaugural Event, Poinsett Club, Greenville*

*Publicity*

The VCIC has recently been recognized and applauded in several publications, including the *Catholic Miscellany* of the Charleston Diocese and, in an article by Advisory Board member Kathy Schiffer, the *National Catholic Register*. On October 19, Board Chairman Jordan Roberts was interviewed on Catholic Radio by nationally-known Catholic personality Al Kresta. The article and interview are posted on the web site.

*Web-Site Development*

The VCIC has partnered with *ShoesOptional* of Greenville to develop a professionally-designed web site, [www.catholic.center](http://www.catholic.center). The site is accessible from the domain name of [catholic.center](http://catholic.center). The web-site, currently in its initial stages, will eventually provide the VCIC with a robust on-line presence as well as a state-of-the-art vehicle for information and evangelization.

*So shall my word be, which shall go forth from my mouth: it shall not return to me void*  
Isaiah 55:11

[www.catholic.center](http://www.catholic.center)



## CATHOLIC INFORMATION CENTER

*Proclaiming the beauty, truth, and fullness of the Catholic faith to fulfill Christ's Great Commission to "Go and make disciples of all nations."*

### *Fundraising*

The VCIC is actively soliciting donations as we work toward the goal of securing and furnishing an attractive physical presence in the downtown area. Your financial support is appreciated.

The VCIC is formally incorporated as a non-profit corporation under the laws of the state of South Carolina. The Board of Directors has completed and submitted the required application to the IRS to obtain federal tax-exempt 501(c)(3) status. We expect successful notification sometime during the first quarter of 2022.

The Board of Directors has also negotiated a fiscal sponsorship agreement with the *Knights of Columbus*, which enables donors to immediately deduct contributions to the VCIC. This agreement will be terminated when the CIC receives official 501(c)(3) status. This agreement can be accessed through the VCIC website, [catholic.center](http://catholic.center).



Veritas CIC is managed and directed by lay persons in full communion with the Catholic Church.

*CIC Board Of Directors*

Jordan Roberts, Chairman

Robert Poppleton, Vice Chairman

Tony Owens, Secretary

Linda Cowart, Treasurer

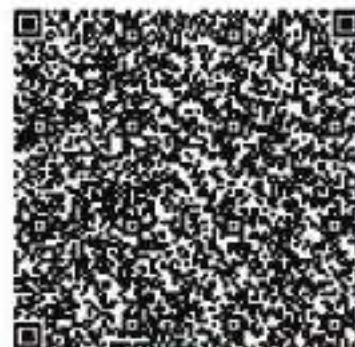
Bill Coffey

Tom Epting

Thierry Wersinger

### **How to Donate**

- Electronic - Scan the QR code to make a tax deductible gift through the Knights of Columbus portal.
- Paper - Complete the Knights of Columbus Donation Agreement form
  - Account Name: Veritas Catholic Information Center
  - Account ID: 13842





### Tornado Relief Special Collection

Bishop Guglielmone has authorized and encourages each parish to take up a second collection to assist those affected by the tornado systems in the Midwest.

St. Joseph parish will take up a special collection the weekend of January 2nd and will accept contributions in the office through Thursday, January 6th.

While we mourn those who have lost their lives in this natural disaster, we must also join in prayer and action as a Catholic community. Let us show our faith by sharing what we can.

Please use the Purple Special Collection Envelopes available in the back of the church to make your donation. If giving by check please indicate Tornado Relief on the memo line.



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