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<u>Mass Schedule</u> 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.

<u>Confessions</u> 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 <u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> Wednesdays 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. First Fridays 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

> <u>Religious Education</u> K5 – Confirmation Sunday 9:45 a.m.

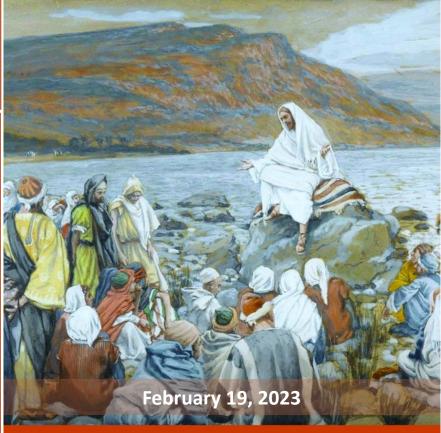
<u>Church Hours</u> Monday – Friday 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

<u>Office Hours</u> 1303 McLees Rd. Anderson Monday - Thursday 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Friday 9:30 a.m. - Noon

Diocese of Charleston

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

Fr. Philip S. Gillespie, Pastor ~ pastor@sjccs.net



7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you." - Mt 5:44

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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.

Church Staff 864-225-5341	Mass Intentions	
Fr. Philip S. Gillespie, Pastorpastor@sjccs.netFr. David A. Runnion, Retired Priestfrrunnion@sjccs.netSalvatore L. Cancello, OFS, Deaconsal.cancello@sjccs.netChet Johns, Deaconchet.johns@sjccs.netLinda McCormick, Office Admin.linda.mccormick@sjccs.netJanis Peters, Office Admin.janis.peters@sjccs.netJan Heithaus, Religious Educationjan.heithaus@sjccs.netKate Edwards, Special Projectskate.edwards@sjccs.netJerrad Fenske, Music Directorjerrad.fenske@sjccs.netSchool Staff864-760-1619Haymée Giuliani, Principalhaymee.giuliani@sjccs.netDiana Cantú, Accountingkathy.massey.sjccs.netKathy Massey, Admin. Assistantkathy.massey.sjccs.net	02/19 SUNDAY - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:00PM (Vigil) <u>People of the Parish</u> 8:30AM <u>+Charlene Wewers</u> rb Wewers Family 11:00AM <u>+Stanley & Josephine Latawiec</u> rb Ronald Latawiec Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/1 Cor 3:16-23/Mt 5:38-48 02/20 MONDAY - Weekday in Ordinary Time No Mass Sir 1:1-10/Mk 9:14-29 02/21 TUESDAY - St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 5:30PM <u>+Paul Seiler</u> rb Julianne B. Johnson Sir 2:1-11/Mk 9:30-37 02/22 WEDNESDAY - Ash Wednesday 8:30AM +Aleksandria & Edward Wolert rb Sophie Wong 12:00PM <u>Priest's Intentions</u> 5:30PM <u>People of the Parish</u> J12:12-18/2 Cor 5:20-6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 02/23 THURSDAY - St. Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr 5:30PM <u>+Aleksandria & Edward Wolert</u> rb Sophie Wong	
	Dt 30:15-20/Lk 9:22-25 02/24 FRIDAY - Friday After Ash Wednesday 8:30AM +Helen Skripchuk rb Fr. Gillespie and the Parish	
Church Weekly Budget Income\$ 10,500.00Weekly Collection of February 12, 2023: Received in Office\$ 13,470.00WeShare Online Giving\$ 1,567.00Sover/(Under)\$ 4,537.00	Is 58:1-9a/Mt 9:14-15 02/26 SUNDAY - Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:00PM (Vigil) <u>+Alexandria Clark-Barnes</u> rb T. Piotrowsky 8:30AM <u>People of the Parish</u> 11:00AM <u>Diane Stubblefield</u> rb Dave & Barbara Stubblefield Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Rom 5:12-19/Mt 4:1-11	
Second Collection of February 5, 2023:	Pray the Rosary Everyday!~ Fr. Gillespie	
Building & Maintenance\$ 810.00WeShare Online Collection for January 2023:	Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick	
Parish School Support (SOS)\$ 529.00School Scholarship\$ 70.00Parish Charity\$ 100.00Church in Latin America\$ 75.00Christmas\$ 100.00Building & Maintenance Fund\$ 100.00Church Repairs & Maintenance\$ 70.00Thank you for your support & generosity!	If you are ill or about to be hospitalized for surgery and wish to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please contact the parish office to make an appointment before hospitalization: 864-225-5341 or info@sjccs.net In the event of an emergency, please call the parish office: 864-225-5341. <u>After hours & weekend</u> <u>emergencies</u> – <u>please press 1 when prompted</u> .	
	Pray for the Sick	
SAVE THE DATE - March 4, 2023 WERE YOU THERE? A Lenten Revival Hosted By the Mother Cabrini Secular Franciscan Fraternity with Fr. Bob Menard, OFM and Deacon Sal Cancello, OFS at St. Mary of the Angels Parish Hall ONLINE GIVING INSTRUCTIONS Look for the GIVING button on our website: www.sjccs.net. Click on GIVING and follow the link to our parish "WeShare" page for regular contributions, second collections, and special event donations!	 February 19: Jean Alpi, Angelo Aragona, Connie Bennett, Rebecca Black, Ray & Ruth Hamel, Alison Henderson, Lynn Herold, Ray Herold, Leif Hope, Fr. Ignatius, Frann Melanaski, Lucille Pekarik, Jimmy Tucker, and William Violano. February 12: Dot Bismack, Betty Briggs, Ronald Derosa, Lorenzo Di Portio, Frank Harper, Bernadette Hill, Barbara Kaliski, Marian Herrera & Family, Ewa Pedzimaz, Beatrice Runnion, Carolyn Schilling, Amelia Stevens, John Ransom Stevens, and Janis Zeglen. February 5: Joe Ball, Don Black, David Burrell, George Chastain, Jeanne Chisman, Brillah Evelyn Edwards, Billy Ellison, Kimley Hughes, Pat Jourdan, James Kuenzle, Frank Lavoy, Debbie Lollis, Mary Beth McCarty, John McKee & Family, Suellen Pometto, Renée Poutrain, Chris Roll, and Denise Wallace. Names will remain on prayer list for 3 weeks. To add a reme or to mointoin a nome context the period of fine. 	
Bulletin Deadlines	name or to maintain a name contact the parish office.	
Durietin Deadines03/12/20233/19/2023Materials due 02/26Materials due 03/05Materials due 03/05Materials due 03/12Please submit all announcements in an editable Remember to include: Who, What, Where, Why, When. E-Mail announcements to weekly.bulletin@sjccs.net	Please pray for the repose of the soul of Helen Skripchuk Sister of Ann Kohlmayer, Parishioner 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.	

SAT	FEB 18	• K of C Yard Sale, 8:00 AM-1:00 PM, Jockey Lot	
	• K of C Yard Sale, 8:00 AM-1:00 PM, Jockey Lot • CWS Meeting, 9:30–11:30 AM, Hall		
		• Italian Dinner Carry-out/Pick-up, 2:00 –7:00 PM, Hall	
		• Confessions, 3:15-4:45 PM	
		• Mass, 5:00 PM	
SUN FEB 19		• Mass, 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM	
		 Bible Study, 9:45-10:45 AM, Office No Confirmation Class 	
		• RCIA, 9:45-10:45 AM, Hall	
		• Religious Education, 9:45-10:45 AM, School	
		• Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers, 3:00 PM, Church	
MON	FEB 20	• Boy Scouts, 6:30-8:30 PM, Hall	
TUE	• Mary's Prayer Cenacle Rosary, 9:30–11:00 AM, Church		
		• Rosary Guild, 12:30–2:00 PM, Office	
		• Mass, 5:30 PM	
		• Confessions, 6:00-7:00 PM	
WED	FEB 22	ASH WEDNESDAY	
		Mass Times: 8:30 AM 12:00 PM 5:30 PM	
		• No Eucharistic Adoration	
		• No Confessions	
		• First Communion Parent's Class Makeup Session, 6:30 PM, Office	
		• Choir, 7:00-8:30PM, Church	
THU	FEB 23	• Mass, 5:30 PM	
		• Confessions, 6:00-7:00 PM	
FRI FEB 24 • Mass, 8:30 AM		• Mass, 8:30 AM	
		• Confessions, 9:15-10:15 AM	
		• Bible Study, 10:30 AM-12:00 PM, Office	
		• Lenten Meatless Supper - Hosts: Confirmation Students, 5:30 PM, Hall	
		• Stations of The Cross, 7:00 PM, Church	
SAT FEB 25 • K of C Yard Sale, 8:0		• K of C Yard Sale, 8:00 AM-1:00 PM, Jockey Lot	
		• Confessions, 3:15-4:45 PM	
		• Mass, 5:00 PM	
		• Knights of Columbus Yard Sale Donation Collection following Mass	
SUN	FEB 26	• Mass, 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM	
		• Knights of Columbus Yard Sale Donation Collection following Masses	
		Bible Study, 9:45-10:45 AM, Office Confirmation Class. 0:45, 10:45 AM, Bertahla	
		 Confirmation Class, 9:45-10:45 AM, Portable RCIA, 9:45-10:45 AM, Hall 	
		• Religious Education, 9:45-10:45 AM, School	
		• Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers, 3:00 PM, Church	

See our Calendar at <u>www.sjccs.net</u> for a full schedule of weekly and monthly events.

PASTOR'S CORNER

Fr. Gillespie and the Parish Office Staff would like to thank Janis Peters for her service to the Parish in the office over the last year. Janis' last day is February 21st. Thanks again Janis for all your help!



ASH WEDNESDAY - February 22, 2023 Masses with Distribution of Ashes 8:30 AM 12:00 PM 5:30 PM No Confessions and No Eucharistic Adoration on Ash Wednesday

This Pastor's Corner presents the third article in a series of some writings of the early Church Fathers shared from *Staycatholic.com*



ORIGEN AD 185-254

On Purgatory

"If a man departs this life with lighter faults, he is condemned to fire which burns away the lighter materials, and prepares the soul for the kingdom of God, where nothing defiled may enter. For if on the foundation of Christ you have built not only gold and silver and precious stones but also wood and hay and stubble, what do you expect when the soul shall be separated from the body? Would you enter into heaven with your wood and hay

and stubble and thus defile the kingdom of God; or on account of these hindrances would you remain without and receive no reward for your gold and silver and precious stones? Neither is this just. It remains then that you be committed to the fire which will burn the light materials; for our God to those who can comprehend heavenly things is called a cleansing fire. But this fire consumes not the creature, but what the creature has himself built, wood, and hay and stubble. It is manifest that the fire destroys the wood of our transgressions and then returns to us the reward of our great works. (*Patres Groeci*. XIII, col. 445, 448 [A.D. 185-232]).

On baptizing infants

"For this reason, moreover, the Church received from the apostles the tradition of baptizing infants too." Homily on Romans, V:9

Intercession of saints:

"But not the high priest [Christ] alone prays for those who pray sincerely, but also the angels... as also the souls of the saints who have already fallen asleep (*On Prayer II*)

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LET'S BE **TOGETHER**.

PLEDGE WEEKEND

Please make your commitment to the 2023 Catholic Appeal of South Carolina today!

HOW TO PARTICIPATE: In the spirit of Christian stewardship, giving back a portion of our gifts to God, we ask each family to prayerfully consider a contribution in one of the following ways:

One Time Gift:

• Payable by cash, check, credit and debit card, securities, or direct debit.

A Pledge:

• A pledge may be paid over a period of ten months. Pledges may include down payments, but they are not required. Pledge reminders and a special payment envelope will be mailed to you in accordance with your payment plan.

Direct Debit:

• A monthly debit from your checking account. Please complete the information on your pledge card or go online to charlestondiocese.org.

Credit/Debit Cards:

• A one-time or monthly charge to your credit or debit card for the amount of your gift. Please complete the information on your pledge card or go online.

Gifts of Securities:

 Gifts of appreciated stock/mutual funds may afford significant tax advantages. Please call the Office of Stewardship and Mission Advancement for details at (843) 261-0438 or email CatholicAppeal@charlestondiocese.org

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• Direct transfers to charitable organizations offer significant tax advantages. To learn more: 843-261-0438 or CatholicAppeal@charlestondiocese.org



As you make your pledge, <u>PLEASE REMEMBER</u>:

- Payments may be made over a period of ten (10) months.
- Pledges should be completed by December 31, 2023.
- Payment reminders will be mailed to you in accordance with your payment plan. You may also use the CASC envelopes you have received from your parish.
- All contributions to the Catholic Appeal of South Carolina are fully tax deductible.
- Donations and pledges may now be made online at charlestondiocese.org/donate.
- Please make checks payable to: The Catholic Appeal of South Carolina.

UGGESTED GIVING PLANS						
N YOU CRIFICE	TOTAL PLEDGE	10 MONTHLY PAYMENTS				
6.67/day	\$5,000	\$500				

\$16.67/day	\$5,000	\$500
\$8.33/day	\$2,500	\$250
\$3.33/day	\$1,000	\$100
\$2.50/day	\$750	\$75
\$1.67/day	\$500	\$50
\$1.00/day	\$300	\$30
\$0.67/day	\$200	\$20

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Feb 19 - Topic: Tradition of Prayer Feb 26 - Topic: Holy Spirit/Trinity

Meets Sundays from 9:45 -10:45 AM in the Hall. All parishioners are invited to attend. If you have questions, please contact Jerry West at 773-682-0569



Save the Date!!

Catholic Kidz Camp/VBS

June 19-23, 2023

40 Days for Life February 22 - April 2, 2023

The Knights of Columbus prolife committee will be leading the rosary before Saturday 5:00 PM and Sunday 8:30 AM Masses in church during the Spring 40 Days for Life.

Rosary will start 45 minutes before Mass All are invited to join us praying for the protection of the child in the womb.

Let us all pray for the S.C. legislature and the S.C. Supreme Court approval of the prolife laws.

40 Days for Life Kickoff Rally: Tuesday, February 21, 6:30-7:30 pm, parking lot of Piedmont Women's Center, 1143 Grove Road, Greenville. Please join us! Parking is at Grove Road Baptist Church, just south of PWC on Grove Road.

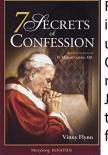
Call Carolyn at 864-477-0359 or Ingrid Ireland at 329-0044.

Update from the Knights of Columbus A Note from the Ukrainian Refugee Family

We have always lived in Ukraine, there we built a house, cultivated a garden, planted vegetables and various trees, and did not intend to go anywhere, but unfortunately, we were also forced to become refugees in your country due to the fact that on February 24, 2022, a brutal war began in our country. In fact, it is very scary when you hear a siren, scream, or see a plane flying and dropping bombs on ordinary houses where peaceful people live: families, small children, grandparents. Children do not go to school, you constantly have to run when hearing a siren and hiding in bomb shelters is very difficult. Our family left Ukraine when our youngest son was 2 weeks old, we have 7 children in all, we had to leave the country because we were worried about the children, their stress, and their health, because it's all on a psychological level, for their future I don't want anyone to experience this in my life. First of all, you have been a support all this time, and I thank God very much that God sent all of you who helped us, for these funds, which we very gratefully sent, may God reward you a hundredfold!!! May the Lord protect you and your families!!!

Catholic Book Discussion Group—Come join us!

Our March 2nd selection



For too many Catholics, Confession is just a means to an end: cleaning us up from sin so we can receive Communion. But Confession is much more. It's an encounter with Jesus. if you do not yet look forward to going to Confession, this book is for you.

Come to either group:

Thursday, March 2 3:00 pm Thursday, March 2 6:30 pm

Where:

Parish Office (conference room)

Contact Jan Heithaus in the parish office for more information.

All readers are welcome to join in our book discussion whenever you are interested.

MARY'S PRAYER CENACLE

"Give me an army saying the Rosary and I will Conquer the World." - Pope Pius IX

Mary is calling us to pray the Rosary with intercessory prayers. Come and answer your Mother's call on Tuesdays from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM in the church. Then continue with Study & Prayer in the Parish Office until Noon.

For any questions or for more information call Rosemary at 864-356-8901

ST. JOSEPH ROSARY GUILD

Come join us on **February 21**st **at 12:30 PM** in the parish office to continue our mission of making and distributing rosaries, locally in our parishes in the States and abroad.

For more information or questions call Lucy at 392-1291 or email lucymlaub@gmail .com

February 19, 2023 - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



Whole 40: Making a Spiritual Plan for Lent

Sit down with Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Elizabeth Klein to discuss the purpose of the season of Lent, how to prepare for it, and why it is such a fruitful season in our life of faith.

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Prayer to the Holy Trinity

Father, Son and Holy Spirit direct and protect, guide and provide, inspire and set on fire my heart for Love of You and my neighbor in all things. Amen.

Want to Strengthen your marriage? Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience

Weekend Marriage Retreat Nov 10-12, 2023 NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC

https://scmarriagematters.org/ or call 803-810-9602.

Post Abortion Healing (Completely Confidential & Free)

> **Rachel's Vineyard** Office of Family Life

Christy Brown, 803-554-6088

CATHOLIC MEDIA RESOURCES (Recommended by Fr. Gillespie):

Listen:

Kresta in the Afternoon ~ Search: kresta in the afternoon (ave maria radio)
Catholic Radio in South Carolina ~ Free App (Apple App Store/Google Play Store) Search: "MediaTrix" and look for the blue rose with a pristine white background.
Catholic Current w/ Fr. Robert McTeigue, SJ ~ Search: The Catholic Current
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St. Joseph Catholic Church & School



<u>Safe Environment Program</u> ~ St. Joseph Church & School is committed to ensuring a safe environment for our children and for upholding the "National Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People" <u>All Volunteers</u> who serve at Masses (Ushers, Lectors, Sacristans, Eucharistic Ministers) and all parish office and school volunteers must undergo a background screening and complete *Safe Haven* online training.

<u>Prior to volunteering, the parish must receive the clearance paperwork back from the Diocese of Charleston.</u> Please contact the parish office or school for forms. For more information on how to report an allegation of abuse go **to** http://www.sccatholic.org and click on "Child and Youth Protection" at the bottom left of the homepage.

<u>Parish Safe Environment Coordinator</u>: Denise Thompson, (864) 225-5341 or dthompson@charlestondiocese.org <u>School Safe Environment Coordinator:</u> Kathy Massey, (864) 760-1619 or kmassey@charlestondiocese.org <u>Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services:</u> (843) 853-2130x 209; <u>Diocesan Victim Assistance:</u> (800) 921-8122.





with Keynote speaker, Rachel Balducci,

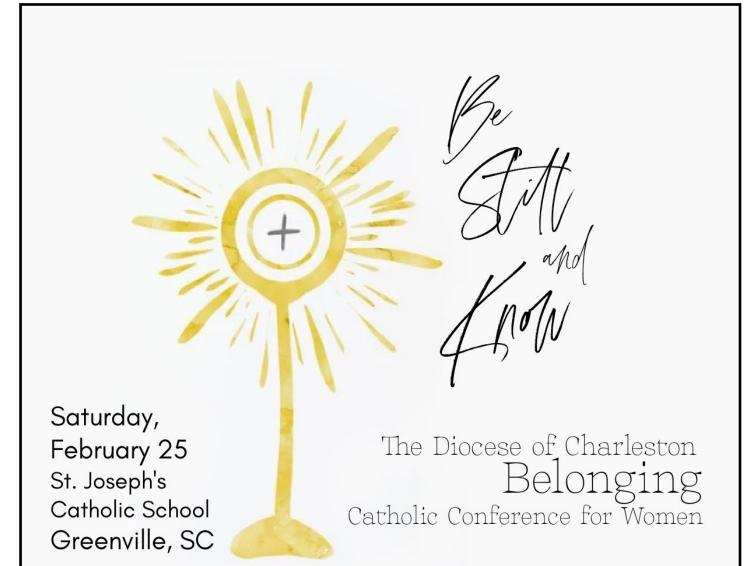
lunch, vendors and Catholic artists, music performance, and Mass

St. Joseph's Catholic School Greenville, SC

Con un tema especial en español este año.



www.HeartRidgeMinistries.com/Belonging





with Keynote speaker, Rachel Balducci, 20 talleres, delicioso almuerzo servido, vendedores y artistas católicos, actuación musical y misa



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¿Cómo has podido llegar a donde estas hoy? February 19, 2023 - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MARCH 25

6:00-9:00 pm



BALLROOM-GREENVILLE CONVENTION CENTER 1 Exposition Drive Greenville, South Carolina



Melissa Bhden

St. Clare's Home is proud to welcome author and speaker **Melissa Ohden**, survivor of a failed saline infusion abortion, but like every survivor, Melissa is so much more. She is a Masters-level prepared social worker and author of *You Carried Me: A Daughter's Memoir*.

Melissa is the founder and director of the only healing and advocacy organization for abortion survivors worldwide, the Abortion Survivors Network, and the Education and Policy Center, which impacts policy issues related to abortion and its survivors.



Tickets on sale now! Cash bar. StClaresHomeSC.org/pink-blue-gala

Contact Maura Chamberlin 847-828-6053 | maurajo57@gmail.com



IS GOD CALLING YOU?

Women's Discernment Retreat Ages 18-35 Saturday, April 1, 2023 Cost: \$25 St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Columbia, SC

To register or for more information: <u>vocations@charlestondiocese.org</u>





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