

**April 8, 2023**

**Holy Saturday**

**No Knights of Columbus Yard Sale today.**

**Blessing of the Easter Baskets and Breads, 10:00 AM Church**

**No 5:00 Mass or Confessions**

**Easter Vigil Mass, 8:00 PM**

[How to Recite the Chaplet of The Divine Mercy | The Divine Mercy](#)

[The Chaplet of The Divine Mercy Novena - Day 2 | The Divine Mercy](#)

1. Today's Readings: [Holy Saturday | USCCB](#)

2. The RE Corner with Jan Heithaus: As we wait quietly on this Holy Saturday, let us complete our week of meditations with the saints, watching as Mary leaves the tomb and sees the empty cross.

3. Quotes of the Day:

~"If you have prayed the Gospel these last days you would have come to understand, in a deeper way, that acceptance of humiliations - that acceptance of Jesus - we have nothing to fear." *St. Teresa of Calcutta*

"There is a great silence on earth today, a great silence and stillness, silence because the King is asleep. God has died in the flesh and hell trembles with fear." *From an ancient homily on Holy Saturday ~ Word on Fire*

**St. Joseph, Pray for Us!**

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## Mary Goes To Jesus' Tomb

*St. Alphonsus recalls the speculations of several Saints about what Mary did as her son was buried, and as she returned home.*

The disciples raised the stone and closed up the holy sepulcher, and in it the body of Jesus, that great treasure- a treasure so great that neither earth nor heaven had a greater one. Mary's heart was buried with Jesus, because Jesus was all her treasure: "Where your treasure is, there will your heart be also." (Luke 12: 34).

Before leaving the sepulcher, according to St. Bonaventure, Mary blessed the sacred stone that closed it, saying, "Happy stone, that now encloses the sacred body that for nine months was contained in my womb! I bless you and envy you. I leave you as the guardian of my Son, of that Son who is all my treasure and all my love." Then raising her heart to the Eternal Father, she said, "Father, to you I entrust him--the one who is your Son at the same time that he is mine." In this way, saying her last goodbye to her beloved Jesus and to the sepulcher, she left it and returned to her own house.

"This mother," says Saint Bernard, "went away so afflicted and sad that she moved many to tears in spite of themselves. And wherever she passed, all who met her wept" and could not restrain their tears. He added that the holy disciples and women who accompanied her "mourned even more for her than for their Lord." St. Bonaventure remarks: "The sisters of Our Lady veiled her as a widow, almost covering her whole face." He also says that on her return, passing before the cross still wet with the blood of her Jesus, she was the first to adore it. "Holy Cross," she then said, "I kiss you, I adore you! For you are no longer a shameful gibbet, but a throne of love and an altar of mercy, consecrated by the blood of the divine Lamb, which on you has been sacrificed for the salvation of the world."

- St. Alphonsus Liguori, *The Glories of Mary*

*Source: A Year with Mary by Paul Thigpen*

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.  
First Saturdays 9:30 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. - 4:00 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 12:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
Tuesday - Thursday 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
Friday 9:30 a.m. - Noon



April 9, 2023

# EASTER SUNDAY

"Do not be afraid! I know that you are seeking Jesus the crucified. He is not here, for he has been raised just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay." - Mt 28:5b-6

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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**

**04/09 EASTER SUNDAY**  
**8:00PM Great Easter Vigil Priest's Intentions**  
Gn1:1-2/2/Ex14:15-15:1/Is54:5-14/Bar3:9-15, 32-4/4/Ez36:16-17a, 18-28/Rom6:3-11/Mt28:1-10  
**8:30AM People of the Parish**  
**11:00AM +Bob Juno** rb a friend  
Acts 10:34a, 37-43 /Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9

**4/10 Monday Within the Octave of Easter**  
 No Mass  
Acts 2:14, 22-33/Mt 28:8-15

**04/11 Tuesday Within the Octave of Easter**  
 No Mass - Chrism Mass in Charleston  
Acts 2:36-41/Jn 20:11-18

**04/12 Wednesday Within the Octave of Easter**  
 No Mass  
Acts 3:1-10/Lk 24:13-35

**04/13 Thursday Within the Octave of Easter**  
 No Mass  
Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48

**04/14 Friday Within the Octave of Easter**  
 No Mass  
Acts 4:1-12/Jn 21:1-14

**04/16 SUNDAY - Divine Mercy Sunday**  
**5:00PM +Adeline Glanowski** rb Glanowski Family  
**8:30AM People of the Parish**  
**11:00AM +Joseph Omiecinski** rb Fr. Gillespie and the Parish  
Acts 2:42-47/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31

Church Weekly Budget Income \$ 10,500.00

Weekly Collection of April 2, 2023:  
**Not Available at Time of Publication**

Second Collection of April 2, 2023:  
**Not Available at Time of Publication**

} Early Printer Deadlines  
 Due to Easter Holiday

WeShare Online Collection for February 2023:

Ash Wednesday	\$ 85.00
Building & Maintenance Fund	\$ 150.00
Parish School Support (SOS)	\$ 279.00
Parish Charity	\$ 100.00
Black & Indian Missions	\$ 110.00
Church in Central & Eastern Europe	\$ 125.00
	\$ 849.00

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

Alleluia, Alleluia!

**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 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. After hours & weekend emergencies – please press 1 when prompted.**

**ONLINE GIVING INSTRUCTIONS**

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!

**Pray for the Sick**

**49 Praying Days to Pentecost!**

**Come Holy Spirit!**

**April 9:** Joe Ball, Don Black, Becky Briggs, Buddy Briggs, David Burrell, George Chastain, Jeanne Chisman, Brillah Evelyn Edwards, Billy Ellison, Pat Jourdan, James Kuenzle, Frank Lavoy, Debbie Lollis, Mary Beth McCarty, John McKee & Family, Suellen Pometto, Renée Poutrain, Chris Roll, Denise Wallace and Kenneth Yuravich.

**April 2:** 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.

**March 26:** Dot Bismack, Betty Briggs, Ronald Derosa, Lorenzo Di Portio, Frank Harper, Marian Herrera & Family, Bernadette Hill, Barbara Kaliski, Diane Krolak, James Musacchia, Ewa Pedzimaz, Beatrice Runion, Kathleen Schiller, Carolyn Schilling, Amelia Stevens, John Ransom Stevens, and Janis Zeglen.

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

**Bulletin Deadlines**

04/30/2023	05/07/2023	05/14/2023
Materials due 04/16	Materials due 04/23	Materials due 04/30

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)**

**Please pray for the repose of 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*

**Pray the Rosary Everyday!~ Fr. Gillespie**

**WEEK AT A GLANCE**

**SAT      APR 8**  
**Holy Saturday**

- No Knights of Columbus Yard Sale
- Blessing of the Easter Baskets & Breads, 10:00 AM, Church
- No 5:00 PM Mass & No Confessions
- Easter Vigil Mass, 8:00 PM

**SUN      APR 9**  
**Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord**

- Mass, 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM
- No Bible Study
- No Religious Education
- No Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers

**MON      APR 10**

- **Parish Office & School Closed**
- Boy Scouts, 6:30 PM, Hall

**TUE      APR 11**

- Mary’s Prayer Cenacle Rosary, 9:30-11:00 AM, Church
- Rosary Guild, 12:30–2:00 PM, Office
- No Mass
- No Confessions

**WED      APR 12**

- No Mass
- No Eucharistic Adoration
- No Confessions
- SJCS PTO Meeting, 6:00-7:00 PM, Hall
- Choir, 7:00-8:30PM, Church

**THU      APR 13**

- No Mass
- No Confessions

**FRI      APR 14**

- No Mass
- No Confessions
- Bible Study, 10:30 AM to 12:00 PM. Office
- Private Event, 5:00-6:00 PM, Church
- SJCS Art Expo, 5:30-9:00 PM, Hall

**SAT      APR 15**

- Knights of Columbus Yard Sale, 8:00 AM-1:00 PM, Jockey Lot
- Private Event, 1:00 PM, Church
- Confessions, 3:15-4:45 PM
- Mass, 5:00 PM

**SUN      APR 16**  
**Sunday of the Divine Mercy**

- Mass, 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM
- Bible Study, 9:45-10:45 AM, Office
- No Religious Education
- Baptism, 12:30 PM, Church
- Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers, 3:00 PM, Church

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

There will be no Weekday Masses, Confessions, or Wednesday Eucharistic Adoration  
 Tuesday, April 11– Friday, April 14, 2023

**EASTER FLOWERS ~ HONORERIUMS & MEMORIALS 2023**

**Kimsey Ashley** rb Steven & Kimley Hughes  
**Martha Ashley** rb Steven & Kimley Hughes  
**Mary Bailes** rb Heather McSwain  
**Charles Bailes** rb Heather McSwain  
**Jane Bailes** rb Heather McSwain  
**Frances Mary Bailes** rb Heather McSwain  
**John V. Barry** rb Ms. Ann Theriault  
**Dorothy Barry** rb Ms. Ann Theriault  
**John V. Barry, Jr.** rb Ms. Ann Theriault  
**Gene Baur** rb Mr. & Mrs. Terry Hill  
**Mr. & Mrs. Harry Bendig** rb Joseph & Donna Bendig  
**Pat & Anna Bia** rb Kenneth & Diane Yuravich  
**Stanley & Ella Blasky** rb Mr. & Mrs. Robert Jones  
**Walter Bogus** rb Joseph & Anne Roznowski  
**Norma Bogus** rb Joseph & Anne Roznowski  
**Robert John Bogus** rb Joseph & Anne Roznowski  
**Joseph Bonacci** rb Carol Bonacci  
**Eugene & Rachael Bonacci** rb Carol Bonacci  
**Joseph Bonacci** rb Canello Family  
**Sean & Patrick Briggs** rb Beatrice Briggs  
**Riley Briggs** rb Matthew & Jessica Briggs  
**Walter Brodack** rb Matthew & Jodie Brodack  
**Phyllis Brodack** rb Matthew & Jodie Brodack  
**Mr. & Mrs. John R. Busby** rb Mr. & Mrs. Carlton McIntyre  
**Janet Carothers** rb Mr. & Mrs. Ray Carothers  
**Evan & Edith Chabot** rb Carol Bonacci  
**Evan L. & Bill Chabot** rb Carol Bonacci  
**Mrs. Lisa Marie Coles** rb Darrin Coles  
**Lisa Marie Coles** rb Canello Family  
**Margaret Courtet** rb Kevin & Mary Donovan  
**John Courtet** rb Kevin & Mary Donovan  
**John & Jean Coxey** rb Mr. & Mrs. Randy Daniels  
**Harry & Vivian Daniels** rb Mr. & Mrs. Randy Daniels  
**Daughters and Grandchildren Coming Back to the Church**  
 rb Angelo S. Tamburro  
**Vicente & Valesca Delgado** rb Ms. Lourdes Rymer  
**Gilles Dery** rb Robert & Christine Morrisette  
**A.J. DiLorenzo** rb Mr. & Mrs. Terry Hill  
**William DiRenzi** rb Mr. & Mrs. Vince Price  
**Bessie Doane** rb Carol Bonacci  
**Eugene Dobek** rb Kenneth & Diane Yuravich  
**Frank & Julia Dobek** rb Kenneth & Diane Yuravich  
**Eugene Dobek** rb Mrs. Eugene Dobek  
**Sam Dollenmeier** rb Mr. & Mrs. Chuck Mills  
**Robert Donovan** rb Kevin & Mary Donovan  
**John & Sophia Doulaveris** rb Mr. & Mrs. John Romano  
**Nicholas Egan** rb Canello Family  
**Bob Elledge** rb Mr. & Mrs. Robert Jones  
**Librado Escudero** rb Mr. & Mrs. Cesareo Escodero-Hernandez  
**Eterno descanso de Plácido Escudero**  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Cesareo Escodero-Hernandez  
**The Colee, Jones, & Anderson Families** rb Catherine A. Jones  
**Repose of the Souls of Tamburro & Leggieri Families**  
 rb Angelo S. Tamburro  
**Escudero Salazar Family**  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Cesareo Escodero-Hernandez  
**Coles Family** rb Darrin Coles  
**Ringler Family** rb Darrin Coles

**Deceased members of the Zakrzwski Family**  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Zakrzwski  
**Deceased members of the Thompson Family**  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Zakrzwski  
**Milici Family** rb Mary Theresa Milici  
**Colella Family** rb Mary Theresa Milici  
**Aubin Morrisette Family** rb Robert & Christine Morrisette  
**Bailes Family** rb Heather McSwain  
**Our Family** rb Steve & Monica Barth  
**Mary Lou Ferguson** rb Mr. & Mrs. Robert Jones  
**Floyd & Lois Freund** rb Larry & Deanna Holmer  
**Robert & Romala Fritz** rb Mr. & Mrs. Colin & Maria Fritz  
**Frank & Irene Gerlach** rb Jessica Paugh Johnson  
**Fr. Philip Gillespie** rb Mr. & Mrs. Danny Jones  
**Fr. Philip Gillespie** rb Cary Infante  
**Our Grandparents** rb Joseph & Donna Bendig  
**Madelyn Grant** rb Mrs. Patricia Grigoriou  
**Keith Grant** rb Mrs. Patricia Grigoriou  
**Duncan Greene** rb Mr. & Mrs. Chet & Ann Johns  
**Michael Grigoriou** rb Mrs. Patricia Grigoriou  
**Chrysanthe Grigoriou** rb Mrs. Patricia Grigoriou  
**Irakus Grigoriou** rb Mrs. Patricia Grigoriou  
**Joe & Deb Guastello** rb Alice Jean Rorer  
**Rich & Shirley Hamel** rb Steve Sernak & Lee Harris  
**Mr. & Mrs. Francis Hanley** rb Matthew & Jessica Briggs  
**Pop Pop Hanson** rb Sue Hanson  
**Bev Hanson** rb Sue Hanson  
**Marj Harvey** rb Tom & Harriet Harvey  
**Patricia Haughey** rb Ms. Alice Jean Rorer  
**Helen Healy** rb Mr. & Mrs. Paul O'Brien  
**Erv Henderson** rb Mrs. Alice Henderson  
**Rosa Hernandez** rb Mr. & Mrs. Cesareo Escodero-Hernandez  
**Larry & Donna Holmer** rb Larry & Deanna Holmer  
**Graham Holmes** rb Jeannine Holmes  
**Holy Souls in Purgatory** rb Cary Infante  
**Holy Souls in Purgatory** rb Mr. & Mrs. John Sutton  
**Holy Souls in Purgatory** rb Angelo S. Tamburro  
**Paula Houck** rb Mr. & Mrs. Chuck Mills  
**Bill Hughes** rb Steven & Kimley Hughes  
**Jean Hughes** rb Steven & Kimley Hughes  
**Jose Infante & Family** rb Cary Infante  
**Regina Jackiewicz** rb Dolores Surdyka  
**Susan Jacobs** rb Mr. & Mrs. Ray Carothers  
**James Johns** rb Mr. & Mrs. Chet & Ann Johns  
**Grace Johns** rb Mr. & Mrs. Chet & Ann Johns  
**Rose Ann Johnson** rb Mr. & Mrs. Vince Price  
**Dolores G. Johnson** rb James & Peggy Johnson  
**Joe & Lucille Jones** rb Mr. & Mrs. Robert Jones  
**Carmel Jones** rb Mr. & Mrs. Robert Jones  
**John Jourdan** rb Mrs. Pat Jourdan  
**Kathleen & Jenar Kelley** rb Mr. & Mrs. Robert Jones  
**Patricia Kenney** rb Ms. Alice Jean Rorer  
**Sandra Kenney** rb Ms. Alice Jean Rorer  
**Steve Kolarik** rb Tom & Harriet Harvey  
**Frank Krafft** rb Sue Hanson  
**Marie Krafft** rb Sue Hanson  
**Polly Krafft** rb Sue Hanson  
**James & Anna Lang** rb John & Doris Lang

**EASTER FLOWERS ~ HONORERIUMS & MEMORIALS 2023**

**Frank & Eleanor Lombardi** rb Mrs. Kathy O'Connor  
**John Mann** rb Betty Mann  
**George H. Martin** rb Janis Zeglen  
**Mr. & Mrs. Clifton McClure** rb Mr. & Mrs. Carlton McIntyre  
**Mr. & Mrs. Herbert McCoy** rb Janis Zeglen  
**Fr Aubrey McNeil, OFM**  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Cesareo Escodero-Hernandez  
**Scot Merker** rb Mr. & Mrs. Richard Merker  
**Tony Milici** rb Mary Theresa Milici  
**Peter Mills** rb Mr. & Mrs. Chuck Mills  
**F.B. Mitchell** rb James Mitchell  
**Judith A. Mitchell** rb James Mitchell  
**Margaret M. Mitchell** rb James Mitchell  
**Michael Morrissette** rb Robert & Christine Morrissette  
**Margaret M. Moylan** rb James & Peggy Johnson  
**Estelle O'Brien** rb Mr. & Mrs. Paul O'Brien  
**Francis O'Brien** rb Mr. & Mrs. Paul O'Brien  
**Thomas O'Connor** rb Mrs. Kathy O'Connor  
**Jerry & Hazel O'Connor** rb Mrs. Kathy O'Connor  
**Anna Peckat** rb Mr. & Mrs. Ray Carothers  
**Olga Pintado & Family** rb Cary Infante  
**Christie Powers** rb Mr. & Mrs. Terry Hill  
**Robert Price** rb Mr. & Mrs. Vince Price  
**Carmela Price** rb Mr. & Mrs. Vince Price  
**Ron & Kay Romano** rb Mr. & Mrs. John Romano  
**Nick Romano** rb Mr. & Mrs. John Romano  
**Ryan Romano, Jr.** rb Mr. & Mrs. John Romano  
**Ryan Romano, Sr.** rb Mr. & Mrs. John Romano  
**Mr. & Mrs. Richard Rozek** rb Matthew & Jessica Briggs  
**Mary Roznowski** rb Joseph & Anne Roznowski  
**Alan Rymer** rb Ms. Lourdes Rymer  
**Paul & Andy Rymer** rb Ms. Lourdes Rymer  
**Por 80 años de Cecilio Salazar**  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Cesareo Escodero-Hernandez

**Eterno descanso de Camelia Salazar**  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Cesareo Escodero-Hernandez  
**Eterno descanso de Hilario Salazar**  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Cesareo Escodero-Hernandez  
**Eterno descanso de Ines Salazar**  
 rb Mr. & Mrs. Cesareo Escodero-Hernandez  
**Lawrence & Ethel Schneider** rb Mr. & Mrs. Lang  
**Jim Schulien** rb Betty Mann  
**John Schultz** rb Ms. Lourdes Rymer  
**Patricia Seeden** rb Mr. & Mrs. Paul O'Brien  
**Richard Sherman** rb Dolores Surdyka  
**I.D. & Catherine Smith** rb Beatrice Briggs  
**Anna Sokol** rb Canello Family  
**Miss Agatha Spellman** rb Mr. & Mrs. Carlton McIntyre  
**Mr. & Mrs. Buck Steadman** rb Mr. & Mrs. Mickey Steadman  
**Mr. & Mrs. Alvin Strep** rb Joseph & Donna Bendig  
**Frank Surdyka, Jr.** rb Dolores Surdyka  
**Karen Tamburro** rb Angelo S. Tamburro  
**Lucille Trieper** rb Canello Family  
**Jeanne Tumminelli** rb Vincent Tumminelli  
**William Vialano** rb Kenneth & Diane Yuravich  
**Mr. & Mrs. O.C. Vigil** rb Joseph & Donna Bendig  
**Mr. & Mrs. Ed Weathers** rb Mr. & Mrs. Mickey Steadman  
**Douglas Wilson** rb Matthew & Jodie Brodack  
**Theresa Wilson** rb Matthew & Jodie Brodack  
**Manfred Witt** rb Matthew & Jessica Briggs  
**Mr. & Mrs. Heinz Woitek** rb Joseph & Donna Bendig  
**Shannon Wosman** rb Ms. Lourdes Rymer  
**Albert & Barbara Yuravich** rb Kenneth & Diane Yuravich  
**Henry Zeglan** rb Janis Zeglen



**GREECE**

*In the Footsteps of St. Paul*

**Including a 3-night Aegean Sea Cruise with Fr. Philip S. Gillespie**

**OCTOBER 23—NOVEMBER 3, 2023**

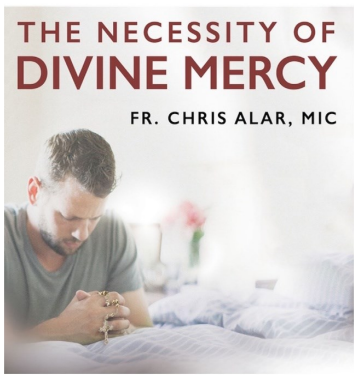
**Join Family Honor and Fr. Philip S. Gillespie on a Pilgrimage to Greece**

You are invited to join Family Honor on an amazing 12-day pilgrimage to Greece, including a three-night cruise along the Aegean Sea! Visit the sites related to St. Paul in Corinth, Thessaloniki, Kavala, Philippi, and Veria. Also visit Ephesus, Patmos, Mykonos, Santorini, Crete, and Meteora. You'll participate in daily Mass at holy sites, visit the monastery and cave where St. John wrote the Book of Revelation, see the house where the Blessed Mother lived with St. John and explore the ancient city of Athens. In addition, you'll stop by museums with displays of ancient artifacts and savor exquisite Mediterranean cuisine. Enjoy the company of professional Tour Escort and make unforgettable memories, all in the safety and ease of group travel. The group departs the U.S. on October 23 and returns November 3.

Spiritual director for the pilgrimage will be Father Philip Gillespie. For more information, contact Brenda Cerkez, Executive Director of Family Honor, at 803-929-0858 or [bcerkez@familyhonor.org](mailto:bcerkez@familyhonor.org)  
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### The Necessity of Divine Mercy by Fr. Chris Alar

Fr. Chris Alar, MIC, reveals the urgency to live and share the powerful message of Divine Mercy. He explains the basics of the Divine Mercy feast, image, novena, chaplet, and hour of mercy, and how to incorporate them into your spiritual life.

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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.

### Anniversary Blessings

The church provides a special blessing for 25th, 50th, or 60th Wedding Anniversaries. If you are interested, please contact the office if you are celebrating one of these anniversaries.

### Want to Strengthen your marriage? Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience

**Weekend Marriage Retreat  
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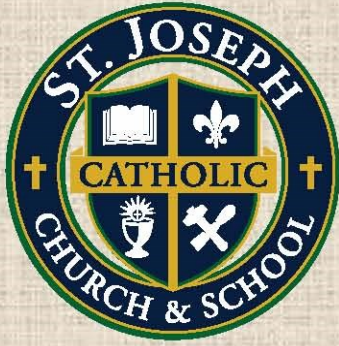
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# Happy Easter!

# ¡Feliz Pascua!



## Save the Date!

### April 29<sup>th</sup>

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**Safe Environment Program** ~ 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” All Volunteers 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.

Prior to volunteering, the parish must receive the clearance paperwork back from the Diocese of Charleston. 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.

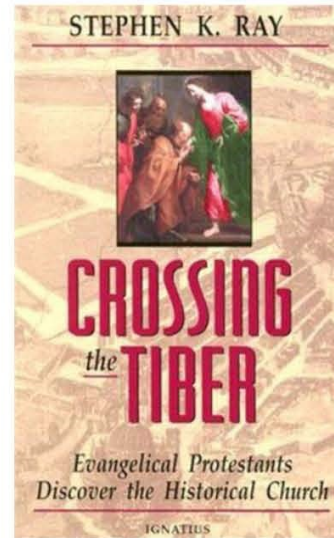
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## Catholic Book Discussion Group - Come join us!

*The conversion story of  
Steve Ray  
(who spoke here  
In November)*



### **Our May 4<sup>th</sup> selection**

An exhilarating conversion story of Steve Ray, a devout Baptist, who relates how he overcame his hostility to the Catholic Church by a combination of serious Bible study and vast research of the writings of the early Church Fathers. In addition to a moving account of their conversion that caused Ray and his wife to "cross the Tiber" to Rome, he offers an in-depth treatment of Baptism and the Eucharist in Scripture and the ancient Church.

Come to either group:

Thursday, May 4 3:00 pm

Thursday, May 4 6:30 pm

Where:

Parish Office (conference room)

Contact Jan Heithaus in the parish office for more information.

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



## **Rachel's Vineyard Retreat**

**Rachel's Vineyard Retreat is a supportive, confidential, nonjudgmental weekend retreat for women and men who have had an abortion experience and would like to encounter God's love, mercy and forgiveness.**

**The retreats in South Carolina are: ,  
April 14-16, 2023-Greenville--(English)**

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**For more information or registration**

**Christy 803 554 6088**

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**Now is the time**

### Upcoming Events at Heartridge

#### Sunset, South Carolina

**Mother/ Tween Daughter "Arise and Shine" Overnight Retreat Saturday, April 22-23** If you have a tween daughter, don't miss this opportunity to build friendship and communication so important in the upcoming teen years. At this one night retreat at Heart Ridge in Sunset, SC, moms and daughters will do crafts, play games, hike, and spend time in communication and discussion activities. There will also be a couple of expert talks on puberty and the beauty of being a woman. Price includes all activities, materials, food, snacks, and comfortable lodging.

<https://www.heartridgeministries.com/motherdaughter.html>

**Ignatian Silent Retreat lead by Fr. William Frei May 5-7** Join us at the Heart Ridge Retreat Center in Sunset, SC for 3 days and 2 nights of a directed silent retreat. There will be sessions led by Fr. Frei as well as Mass and Confession, but most of the time will be spent in silence so that the retreatants can spend time discerning, praying, and resting in God's care. All food and comfortable lodging provided at the beautiful mountain retreat center.

For more information <https://www.heartridgeministries.com/silent-retreat.html>

**Come to the Mountains! Catholic Summer Family Camp** Heart Ridge Retreat Center offers weeklong Catholic family camps. It's like summer camp--but for the whole family. One price includes comfortable AC lodging, food, and all of the activities. Faith sessions based on age are offered daily as well as individual family time, and Mass. Afternoons are spent doing optional outdoor activities at and near the mountain retreat center. Evenings are full of fun, like skits and games.

If you want to grow closer to God and closer as a family, and get out of cooking for a week, this is the vacation for you. <https://www.heartridgeministries.com/summer-family-camp.html>

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