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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.
Saturday, 3:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.
or by appointment
Eucharistic Adoration
Vednesdays, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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 K4 - Confirmation Sunday 9:50 a.m.

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

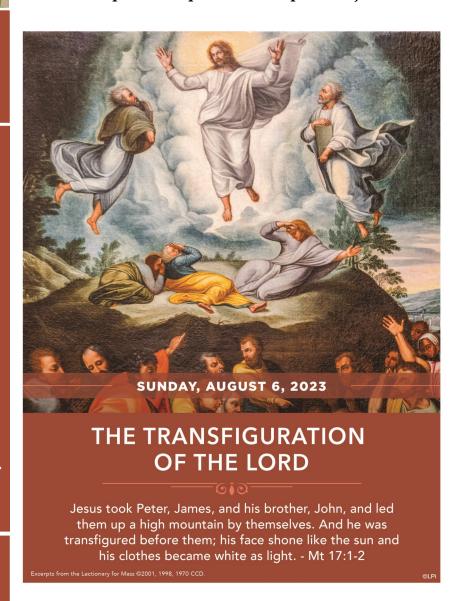
Office Hours

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

Diocese of Charleston

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

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



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 email registration@sjccs.net.

Church Staff 864-225-5341

Fr. Philip S. Gillespie, Pastor Fr. David A. Runnion, Retired Priest Salvatore L. Cancello, OFS, Deacon Chet Johns, Deacon Linda McCormick, Office Admin. Denise A. Thompson, Secretary Jan Heithaus, Religious Education Kate Edwards, Special Projects Jerrad Fenske, Music Director

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Church & School Fax (864) 225-6432

Online Giving

Look for the WeShare logo on the website at www.sjccs.net/church



Church Weekly Budget Income	\$	10,500.00
Weekly Collection of July 30, 2023:	0	0.410.00
Received in Office	\$	8,419.00
WeShare Online Giving	\$	2,390.00
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Over/(Under)	\$	309.00
Second Collection of July 30, 2023: Building Fund	\$	655.00
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WeShare Online Collection for July 2023:		
Building & Maintenance	\$	100.00
Parish School Support (SOS)	\$	180.00
Parish Charity	\$	365.00
Organ Fund	\$	50.00
Infirm Priests	\$	235.00
Church Repairs & Maintenance	\$	175.00
Miscellany	\$	145.00
Peter's Pence	<u>\$</u> \$	10.00
	\$	1260.00

Thank you for your support & generosity!

Wedding Anniversary Blessings

Need a blessing for your 25th, 50th, or 60th? Please contact the Parish Office for scheduling.

287 Praying Days to Pentecost! Come Holy Spirit!



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

Please pray for the repose souls of Parishioner, Carol Dubrouillet, Mother of Fr. Dubrouillet John Chabot, Brother of Carol Bonacci Betty Chastain, Mother of George Chastain

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

Mass Intentions

06 SUNDAY — Transfiguration of The Lord 5:00PM(Vigil)People of the Parish

8:30AM +Charlene Wewers rb Wewers Family 11:00AM +Bernadette Hill rb Linda Firneno

07 Monday — Saint Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions No Mass

08 Tuesday — Saint Dominic, Priest No Mass

09 Wednesday — Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin & Martyr No Mass

10 Thursday — Saint Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr No Mass

11 Friday — Saint Clare, Virgin No Mass

13 SUNDAY - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:00PM(Vigil)Patricia C. Moynihan rb Rich & Shirley Hamel 8:30AM People of the Parish

11:00AM +George Mixon rb Daw Family

Daily Mass Readings

06 SUNDAY — Transfiguration of The Lord Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9 (614)

07 Monday — Saint Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions Nm 11:4b-15/Mt 14:13-21 (407)

08 Tuesday — Saint Dominic, Priest Nm 12:1-13/Mt 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14 (408)

09 Wednesday — Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin & Martyr Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/Mt 15:21-28 (409)

10 Thursday — Saint Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr 2 Cor 9:6-10/Jn 12:24-26 (618)

11 Friday — *Saint Clare, Virgin* Dt 4:32-40/Mt 16:24-28 (411)

12 Saturday — Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious Dt 6:4-13/Mt 17:14-20 (412)

13 SUNDAY — Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33 (115)

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

If you or a relative needs anointing, or if you have scheduled surgery, please call in advance to arrange for the Anointing of the Sick by a Priest. Please do not wait until the last minute to call.

In the event of an emergency, please call the parish office: 864-225-5341. After hours & weekends - please press 1 when prompted.

Pray for the Sick

August 6: Connie Bennett, Ray & Ruth Hamel, Alison Henderson, Lynn Herold, Ray Herold, Leif Hope, Fr. Ignatius, Frann Melanaski, Lucille Pekarik, Jim Sernak, Don Black, Charlotte Black, Debbie Lollis, Jacob Lollis, Cindy Hughes.

July 30: Anna Reeves, Ann Kohlmayer, Laura Nunn, Diane Krolak, Dot Bismack, Barbara Kaliski, Joe Modzel, Beatrice Runnion, Frank Harper, Caleb Sadowski Ewa Pedzimaz, Carolyn Schilling, Charlie Black, Becky Black, Ronnie Richie, Michael

July 23: Joe Ball, Becky Briggs, Buddy Briggs, George Chastain, Billy Ellison, Pat Jourdan, Mary Beth McCarty, Suellen Pometto, Denise Wallace, Tommy Wallace, Kenneth Yuravich, Kathleen Turner. Family of Denise Thompson, Maria Cozzoni,

Additions or Deletions? Please email prayers@sjccs.net

		WEEK AT A GLANCE
SAT	AUG 05	 Knights of Columbus Yard Sale, 8:00 AM-1:00 PM, Anderson Jockey Lot First Saturday Mass, 9:30 AM Lay Carmelites, 10:30 AM-3:00 PM, Hall Confessions, 3:15-4:45 PM Mass, 5:00 PM
SUN	AUG 06	 Mass, 8:30 AM Cancelled Bible Study, 9:45–10:45 AM, Hall Mass, 11:00 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers, 3:00 PM
MON	AUG 07	• Boy Scouts, 6:30 PM, Hall
TUE	AUG 08	 Mary's Prayer Cenacle Rosary, 9:30 AM-12:00 PM, Church/Office Cancelled Mass Cancelled Confessions
WED	AUG 09	 Cancelled Mass Cancelled Eucharistic Adoration
THU	AUG 10	Cancelled MassCancelled Confessions
FRI	AUG 11	 Cancelled Mass School Event, 6:00–8:00 PM, Hall
SAT	AUG 12	 Knights of Columbus Yard Sale, 8:00 AM-1:00 PM, Anderson Jockey Lot School Event, 12:00-4:00 PM, Hall Confessions, 3:15-4:45 PM Mass, 5:00 PM
SUN	AUG 13	 Mass, 8:30 AM Bible Study, 9:45–10:45 AM, Hall Mass, 11:00 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers, 3:00 PM

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



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Tuesday, August 15th Masses are at 8:30 AM and 6:00 PM



COMMUNICATIONS AT SJCCS

Please use the specific emails to direct information to the parish office. Thank you.

facilities@sjccs.net — This email address is used to request use of one of our facilities for your event OR use this email to report any maintenance concerns or issues that you may notice in or around our facilities and grounds. (i.e. Lights, Bathrooms, Paper Supplies Needed, etc.)

registration@siccs.net — This email address is used to register in the Parish or to update Parish Registration. (i.e. Change in address or phone number, add a new family member, etc.)

prayers@siccs.net — This email address is used to submit prayer requests for the "Pray for the Sick" in the weekly bulletin. **Note: We have recently updated the list.**

weekly.bulletin@sjccs.net — Please use this email to request a bulletin announcement.

Please submit in an editable Word or Publisher document. Include: Who, What, Where, Why, When.

Bulletin Deadlines						
Bulletin	08/27	09/03	09/10			
Due	08/13	08/20	08/27			

PASTOR'S CORNER:

CONCERNING CARNAL SINS

From the writings of St. Isaac the Syrian

Our salvation is a very serious and important matter—more important than anything else. What good is it to possess all the riches and treasures of the earth, said the Lord, if we end up losing our soul? (Mt. 16:26). This is why we must preserve the fear of God in our souls, and proceed through this life prudently and cautiously.

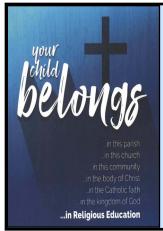
We must be cautious of everything—especially carnal sins, which proceed to ravage our soul. God destroyed the city of Sodom because its inhabitants were only "flesh" and nothing spiritual existed within its boundaries. They were full of spiritual impurity, and on account of this God turned away from them (Gn. 18:24).

On account of the fornication of only one person, twenty five thousand Jews were put to death in one hour (Nm. 25:9). What was the cause of Sampson's fall, this giant figure who had been dedicated to God while he was still in his mother's womb? He defiled his body with fornication and surrendered his body parts to sin. Even though he had accomplished great and awesome things, he subsequently fell because he was seduced by carnal sin. Thereafter, God abandoned him, he was taken captive, chained, and handed over to his enemies (Jdg. 16:21). The prophet and king David, from whom Christ came forth, suffered identically. Because he was careless for only a split second, he was allured by the beauty of a woman, and he fell into the dreadful sin of adultery (2Kg. 11:2-4). This is why God punished him. David, however, repented with many tears for this serious sin, and God forgave him (2Kg. 12:13).

With all these examples, we must realize that God does not make exceptions. He punishes everyone regardless of whether they happen to be prophets, priests, judges, rulers, or other sanctified people chosen to reveal His name to the people. God does not take revenge; rather, He uses various disciplinary means so that man may realize his mistake, come to his senses, wake up from sin, and seek His mercy and forgiveness. From all the above, we can see that God punishes even His saints when they transgress His commandments. The prophet Ezekiel writes that God does not take into consideration the elderly or the young (i.e. man's age), illustrating in this manner that the Lord's genuine and beloved people are they who have within them godly fear and who live devoutly according to His will. For God, the saints are they who keep His commandments and who have a clean conscience. Conversely, they who disregard God's commandments are disregarded by God Himself: He turns His face away from such people and detracts His grace from them.

Why did God punish Belshazzar? It was because he disregarded the sacred vessels that had been offered to God, which his father had pillaged from Jerusalem, and he dared using them to drink along with his concubines (Dan. 5:2-4). In this same manner, they who have devoted their bodies to God and subsequently dare to use their body parts for sinful deeds are punished harshly by the Lord.

Therefore, let us not disregard the divine words and the warnings contained in the Holy Scriptures. Let us not enrage God with our immoral deeds and improprieties. Let us not shamelessly defile our bodies, which are the temple of God, as the Apostle Paul states (1Cor. 6:19).



NOW ENROLLING!

Religious Education classes begin August 20, 2023 Sundays 9:50 to 10:50 AM in the school.

Registration packets for K4 through 9th Grade are available in the Narthex, on the Website and at the Parish Office.

Class Registration and Additional Sacramental Fees:

\$40 for First Child, \$25 each Additional Child \$25 First Holy Communion 2024 \$50 Confirmation

After August 16: \$45/First Child, \$30 each Additional Child

Families are asked to be registered with a Parish. Students older than 9th Grade and adults in need of sacraments please contact Jan Heithaus at jan.heithaus@sjccs.net



Blue Dragonfly

Providing Hope to Victims of Human Trafficking 501c3 non-profit

The Drop-In Center focuses on providing support and services

for those who have been affected by human trafficking, sexual exploitation or who are vulnerable to trafficking.

Needed Items: Bibles, Rosaries, Deodorant, Socks, Trash Bags Underwear and Sports Bras (Women's Small and Med)

If you are interested in volunteering at the Drop-In Center, please email me your contact information.

You can donate by visiting www.BlueDragonflysc.org and click on the donate button. To donate directly, please contact me at 864-617-1106 or Maria.Torres-Green@bluedragonflysc.org

Rhodes Respite

Respite caregiving for adults with Dementia or early to mid-stage Alzheimer's is now available.

Enhancement of Social, Physical, Emotional, Intellectual and Spiritual needs.

Financial assistance is available.

For more details or to arrange a visit call Parishioner Nancy Smith at 607-427-2983 or email: msadams560@gmail.com

First Presbyterian Church 302 West Whitner Street Tuesdays and Thursdays 11:00 AM to 2:45 PM Lunch meal included



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
(Prof of Physics, Clemson University)
Learn what St. Thomas Aquinas called the
"Preamble to the Faith". Ground your own faith.
Tuesdays 6:30-7:30 pm, Aug 22-Nov 28
(No Class on Sept 12th or Oct 31st)

Non-Catholics and non-parishioners welcome
Sign up soon so you can get the book (\$12)
EMAIL (daw@clemson.edu) or
PHONE (864-772-0245)

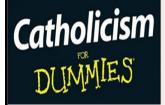
Holy Family Group would like to invite all parishioners for food and fellowship.

St. Joseph Catholic Church Summertime Picnic Saturday, August 26 12:00 - 2:00 PM in the Parish Hall

Hot Dogs and Drinks provided! Bring a dish or dessert to share.

Please email Jessica and Matthew Briggs at: <u>Jessandmatt23@gmail.com</u> to RSVP.

We are always looking for volunteers, so please consider joining in on the fun!



Catholicism for Dummies

4th Edition

Learn more about Catholicism and answer your questions about the Faith?

Wednesday afternoons 12:45-2:00 pm

Look for this in December!

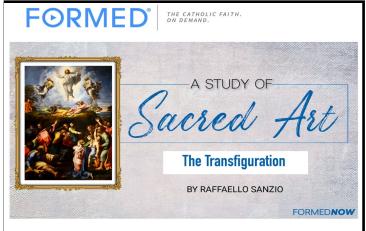


SAVE THE DATE PARISH MISSION

GOD'S BLUEPRINT FOR HAPPINESS: THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

Fr. Brian Mullady, OP

SEPT 11 - SEPT 14 9:15 AM & 7:00 PM



The Transfiguration | Sacred Art

Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp sit down with Raffaello Sanzio's painting, "The Transfiguration," to discuss its theological meaning and how it can speak to us today.

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The Deacon's Diary



The Deacon's Diary Free for the taking in the Narthex.

Recent issues included topics such as Pentecost, The FBI and The Catholic Church, America's Marian Apparition,

and He Descended Into Hell.

Future topics include 100 Years of Evil, Potpourri Too, History of Molech Child Sacrifice and Arius. If you would like access to all of the old editions, drop me an email at chet.johns@sjccs.net and I will send you a link to all of the past editions online. Learn more about your faith, it's easy and fun.

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Rachel's Vineyard Office of Family Life

Christy Brown, 803-554-6088

CATHOLIC MEDIA RESOURCES

Listen:

Kresta in the Afternoon ~ Ave Maria Radio Catholic Radio in South Carolina ~ Search: "MediaTrix" Fr. Robert McTeigue, SJ ~ Search: The Catholic Current

Read:

Magnificat ~ www.Magnificat.com call 1-866-273-5215 Magnifikid ~ Search MagnifiKid

Watch

The Chosen ~ Search The Chosen ...look for the APP EWTN for Mass/Movies/Catholic Programs @ EWTN.com



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the beauty of
Catholic art and
culture can win
souls for Christ
and His Church.

More of Joseph Pearce's work can be found at JPearce.co You are invited to join

Joseph Pearce,

internationally known author & speaker, as he shares his wisdom on

"The Evangelizing Power of Beauty: Converting the Culture"

August 16, 2023

7pm

Saint Mary Magdalene Catholic Church Fellowship Hall

2252 Woodruff Road-Simpsonville, SC

Free of charge though donations appreciated.

Books will be available for purchase and signing.

Baked goods will also be available for purchase.



Now Enrolling Grades K4 - 7th

Check Us Out!

We would love to show you around.

Please call to request your personal tour.

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St. Joseph Catholic School is now accepting applications for First Steps 4K, a **FREE** 4-year-old Kindergarten program for eligible children.

Hurry! Space is Limited!

<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 **School Safe Environment Coordinator**: Kathy Massey, (864) 760-1619 or kmassey@charlestondiocese.org



Are you a Catholic in good standing looking to move to the next level in your faith. I would like to invite you to join the worldwide Catholic movement called Cursillo.

What is the Cursillo movement? It's a deliberate act to bring Jesus Christ into the world. Members become agents for change in their families, work, neighborhoods, social gatherings and church. It starts with a weekend encounter with Jesus Christ in the company of other members of the movement. The weekend includes morning and night prayers, daily Mass, teaching, sharing, good food and great fellowship. It is not easy to describe an encounter with Christ, but speaking from experience, he will be there with you.

In our diocese, there are two weekend encounters each year for men and for women. The next Men's weekend is August $24^{th}-27^{th}$, and the next women's weekend is September 28^{th} - Oct 1st. There is no cost for the weekend (that is right, no cost), however there is an application to complete and you need a sponsor, which I can help you with. If interested, drop me an email at chet.johns@siccs.net and I will drop you an application by email and answer any questions you have. I am hoping to participate personally in the next Fall men's weekend. De colores.



The last **Engaged Encounter** of the year is November 11-12 at St. Mary Magdalene in Simpsonville. This is an in-parish weekend, so couples are responsible for their own lodging. The cost is \$160.00 per couple, and you do not need to be a member of the parish to attend. Please note that the weekends have been filling up two months in advance. Please go to our website to register: **southcarolina.engagedencounter.com**

For additional information or questions contact Bob and Mary Reimer 864-420-2633.

Save the date! Diocese of Charleston EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

April 6, 2024

Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center

Columbia South Carolina



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CONGRESO EUCARÍSTICO

6 de abril de 2024

Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center Columbia, Carolina del Sur

11th Marian Eucharistic Conference / Greenville Convention Center Friday, Oct. 13 - Saturday, Oct. 14, 2023



Fr. John Bartunek LC, S.Th.D MIC, STB, STL
egionaries of Christ Territorial Vicar Vicar Provincial Vocation Director

Fr. Donald Calloway

John Martignoni Founder/President Bible Christian Society

Fr. Thomas Petri OP, STB, STL, STD President of the Pontifical Faculty

Jim Wahlberg Producer of "Mother Teresa: No Greater Love"











For more information, please go to www.meconferencesc.net

Matrimony: Holy & Other

When: 30 September 2023, 8:30 am - Noon

Where: St. Mary's Catholic Church – Greenville, South Carolina

Join the Center for Evangelical Catholicism for our 7th annual Fall Conference on Saturday 30 September as we address the most common questions and concerns that most people face regarding the sacrament of matrimony. The priests of St. Mary's will unpack the theological basis for the Church's teaching, but also address the very specific issues of ordinary life that challenge those seeking to live as disciples of Christ in the world today.

Speakers: Fr Jay Scott Newman and Fr Jonathan Duncan

Registration is required (\$25 per person): https:// www.evangelicalcatholicism.com/conferences2/matrimony-holy-other

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Email: rwilson@charlestondiocese.org

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Catholic Campus Ministries - If your child will be attending a College/University in South Carolina and they would like to join the Catholic Campus Ministry please contact their respective Campus Ministers:

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Clemson

Stephanie Manasa stephanie@saclemson.org

Coastal Carolina

Theo Lombardi

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