

Diocese of Charleston

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

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Mass Schedule
Tuesday & Thursday 5:30 pm
Wednesday & Friday 8:30 am
First Saturdays 9:30 am
Saturday (Vigil) 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am & 11:00 am Confessions

Tuesday & Thursday
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Wednesday & Friday
9:15 am – 10:15 am
Saturday, 3:15 pm – 4:45 pm
or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesdays 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
First Fridays 9:00 am – 3:00 pm
First Sundays 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Religious Education K4—Confirmation Sunday 9:50 am

<u>Church Hours</u> Monday – Friday 9:30 am – 4:30 pm

Office Hours
1303 McLees Rd. Anderson
Monday 12:00 pm — 3:30 pm
Tuesday — Thursday 9:30 am — 3:30 pm
Friday 9:30 am — Noon



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**.

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Online Giving

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



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Church Weekly Budget Income	\$	10,500.00
Weekly Collection-October 15, 2023:		
Received in Office	\$	11,191.00
WeShare Online Giving		1,485.00
	\$	12,676.00
Over / (Under)	\$	2,176.00
Second Collection-October 15, 2023:		
Support Our Saints	\$	2,179.00
WeShare Online Collection-September 2023:	©	150.00
Church Repairs & Maintenance	\$	
School-Support Our Saints	\$	330.00
School-Scholarship	\$	125.00
Organ Fund	\$	25.00
Parish Charity	\$	390.00
Christmas	\$	25.00
Catholic University	\$ \$	210.00
Thank you for your support and generosity!	\$	1,255.00

Wedding Anniversary Blessings

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

209 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 of the souls of

James Kunzle, Son-in-law of Carolyn Shilling Lucille Milz, mother of Judy Booker Marion Laustsen, 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

Mass Intentions

- 22 SUNDAY Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time World Mission 5:00PM (Vigil) People of the Parish 8:30AM + Charles Fox + Francis Seiler rb Seiler Family 11:00AM +Ursula Holahan rb Tom & Kim Holahan
- 23 Monday Saint John of Capistrano, Priest No Mass
- **24 Tuesday** Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop No Mass
- 25 Wednesday Weekday No Mass
- 26 Thursday— Weekday No Mass
- 27 Friday Weekday No Mass
- 29 SUNDAY Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:00PM (Vigil) +Olga Pintado rb Cary Infante 8:30AM Salvatore Cancello rb Cancello Family 11:00AM People of the Parish

Daily Mass Readings

- 22 SUNDAY Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time World Mission Is 45:1, 4-6/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21 (145)
- 23 Monday Saint John of Capistrano, Priest Rom 4:20-25/Lk 12:13-21 (473)
- 24 Tuesday Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Lk 12:35-38 (474) 25 Wednesday Weekday Rom 6:12-18/Lk 12:39-48 (475)

- **26 Thursday** Weekday Rom 6:19-23/Lk 12:49-53 (476)
- **27 Friday** Weekday Rom 7:18-25a/Lk 12:54-59 (477)
- 28 Saturday Saints Simon & Jude, Apostles
- Eph 2:19-22/Lk 6:12-16 (666)
- 29 SUNDAY Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ex 22:20-26/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40 (148)

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

If you or a relative are in need of an 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, call the Parish Office: 864-225-5341. After hours, press 1 when prompted.

Pray for the Sick

October 22: 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, Sherion Black, Bo Hendry, Frank DeMario, Donna Owens

October 15: 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

October 8: Ann Kohlmayer, Laura Nunn, Diane Krolak, Dot Bismack, Barbara Kaliski, Joe Modzel, Beatrice Runnion, Frank Harper, Ewa Pedzimaz, Carolyn Schilling, Becky Black, Ronnie Richie, Michael Clark

		WEEK AT A GLANCE
SAT	OCT 21	 Knights of Columbus Yard Sale, 8:00 AM-1:00 PM, Anderson Jockey Lot Trunk or Treat, 1:00-3:00 PM, School Side Parking Lot Confessions, 3:15-4:45 PM Mass, 5:00 PM
SUN	OCT 22	 Mass, 8:30 AM Bible Study, 9:45–10:45 AM, Office RCIA, 9:45–10:45 AM, Church Topic: Creation and the Fall Religious Education, 9:50-10:50 AM, School Mass, 11:00 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers, 3:00 PM
MON	OCT 23	• Boy Scouts, 6:30 PM, Hall
TUE	OCT 24	 Mary's Prayer Cenacle Rosary, 8:45-10:00 AM, Church Church in Use, 10:00 AM-2:00 PM Cancelled Mass Cancelled Confessions
WED	OCT 25	 Cancelled Mass Cancelled Confessions Cancelled Eucharistic Adoration
THU	OCT 26	 Church in Use, 10:00 AM-2:00 PM Cancelled Mass Cancelled Confessions
FRI	OCT 27	Cancelled MassCancelled Confessions
SAT	OCT 28	 Knights of Columbus Yard Sale, 8:00 AM-1:00 PM, Anderson Jockey Lot CWS Meeting, 9:30-11:00 AM Funeral Mass, 12:30 PM Confessions, 3:15-4:45 PM Fr. Leigh Lehocky Mass, 5:00 PM
SUN	OCT 29	 Mass, 8:30 AM Bible Study, 9:45–10:45 AM, Office RCIA, 9:45–10:45, Hall Topic: Salvation History Mass, 11:00 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers, 3:00 PM

A GLANCE AHEAD						
OCTOBER		NOVEMBER	AND BEYOND			
RCIA, 22 nd , 29 th		Lay Carmelites Nov 4 th	Lay Carmelites, Dec 2 nd			
Catholic Women Serving, 28 th		RCIA, 5 th , 12 th , 19 th	RCIA, Dec 3 rd , 10 th , 17 th			
		Faith & Reason, Nov 7 th , 14 th , 21 th , 28 th	Hilltoppers, Dec 5 th			
		Hilltoppers, Nov 7 th	Catholic Book Club, Dec 7 th			
		Catholic Women Serving Angel Tree, Nov11 th - Dec 3 rd	The Reed of God by Caryll Houselander			
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		Sacramental Parent Class, 15 th				
	Our Lady of Rosary, Pray for us!	Catholic Women Serving, 18 th	2024			
			K of C Fish Fry, Jan 5 th			
		Pray the Rosary	Catholicism for Dummies, Jan 10 th			
		Everyday!	SJCCS Chili Cookoff, Jan 26 th			
			CWS Italian Dinner, Jan 27 th			
		Fr. Philip S. Gillespie	K of C Fish Fry, Feb 2 nd			
		2	SJCCS Gala, Feb 10 th			
			Craft Fair, Feb 17 th			

PASTOR'S CORNER

Vincent of Lérins (Latin: Vincentius Lerinensis; died c. 445) was a <u>Gallicmonk</u> and author of <u>early Christian writings</u>. One example was the <u>Commonitorium</u>, c. 434, which offers guidance in the <u>orthodox teaching</u> of <u>Christianity</u>. Suspected of <u>semi-Pelagianism</u>, he opposed the <u>Augustinian model of grace</u> and was probably the recipient of <u>Prosper of Aquitaine</u>'s <u>Responsiones ad Capitula Objectionum Vincentianarum</u>.[3] His feast day is celebrated on 24 May.

From the first instruction by Saint Vincent of Lerins, priest (Cap. 23: PL 50, 667-668) The development of doctrine

Is there to be no development of religion in the Church of Christ? Certainly, there is to be development and on the largest scale.

Who can be so grudging to men, so full of hate for God, as to try to prevent it? But it must truly be development of the faith, not alteration of the faith. Development means that each thing expands to be itself, while alteration means that a thing is changed from one thing into another.

The understanding, knowledge and wisdom of one and all, of individuals as well as of the whole Church, ought then to make great and vigorous progress with the passing of the ages and the centuries, but only along its own line of development, that is, with the same doctrine, the same meaning and the same import.

The religion of souls should follow the law of development of bodies. Though bodies develop and unfold their component parts with the passing of the years, they always remain what they were. There is a great difference between the flower of childhood and the maturity of age, but those who become old are the very same people who were once young. Though the condition and appearance of one and the same individual may change, it is one and the same nature, one and the same person.

The tiny members of unweaned children and the grown members of young men are still the same members. Men have the same number of limbs as children. Whatever develops at a later age was already present in seminal form; there is nothing new in old age that was not already latent in childhood.

There is no doubt, then, that the legitimate and correct rule of development, the established and wonderful order of growth, is this: in older people the fullness of years always brings to completion those members and forms that the wisdom of the Creator fashioned beforehand in their earlier years.

If, however, the human form were to turn into some shape that did not belong to its own nature, or even if something were added to the sum of its members or subtracted from it, the whole body would necessarily perish or become grotesque or at least be enfeebled. In the same way, the doctrine of the Christian religion should properly follow these laws of development, that is, by becoming firmer over the years, more ample in the course of time, more exalted as it advances in age.

In ancient times our ancestors sowed the good seed in the harvest field of the Church. It would be very wrong and unfitting if we, their descendants, were to reap, not the genuine wheat of truth but the intrusive growth of error.

On the contrary, what is right and fitting is this: there should be no inconsistency between first and last, but we should reap true doctrine from the growth of true teaching, so that when, in the course of time, those first sowings yield an increase it may flourish and be tended in our day also.

CATHOLIC MEDIA RESOURCES Read: Listen: Watch: Kresta in the Afternoon ~ Ave Maria Radio Magnificat~www.Magnificat.com The Chosen ~ Search The Chosen Catholic Radio ~ Search: MediaTrix" Magnifikid~Search MagnifiKid **EWTN for Mass, Movies, Programs** Fr. Robert McTeigue, SJ ~ Search: The @ EWTN.com Catholic Current Slaves and Kings: The Story of To Sign Up Go To: formed.org/signup St. Anthony Mary Claret Create a New Account Following the life of St. Anthony Mary Claret-Archbishop, writer, publisher, social reformer, and Q 29621 confessor to the Queen of Spain—this film tells the SLAVES AND KINGS compelling story of one of Spain's most popular preachers and founder of the Missionary Sons of the Enter our Zip Code Immaculate Heart of Mary.

COMMUNICATIONS AT SJCCS

Please use these specific emails to direct information to the parish office. Thank you. facilities@sjccs.net — To request use of facilities, *OR* report any maintenance issues on the property registration@sjccs.net — To register in the Parish, *OR* to update information prayers@sjccs.net — To submit prayer requests for the bulletin — "Pray for the Sick" daily.message@sjccs.net — Message about campus activities and daily Religious Education weekly.bulletin@sjccs.net — For bulletin announcements — Submit in Word or Publisher format 11/12 10/29



Special Invitation to Mass with the Bishop

Bishop Jacques Fabre-Juene The Confirmandi of 2023 to a Mass Sunday November 5th, 2023 at the Cathedral in Charleston



The Servants of Mary and Joseph Lay Carmelite Community



The Lay Carmelite is called to the Family of Carmel to be deeply involved in the mission of the Church and to contribute to the sanctification of the secular world through our charisms of prayer, community and service.

The Community meets on the First Saturday of each month (except October) from 9:00AM-1:30PM, at St Joseph's Catholic Church. located at 1200 Cornelia Rd, Anderson, SC for Liturgy of the Hours, Mass and meeting.

Catholic men or women interested in learning more may contact Joan at joanelizabethrn@gmail.com.

The Deacon's Diary



Word, Liturgy, Charity

Read the Deacon's Diary every week. It's 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@siccs.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.

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.

"What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light; what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops." Proclaim the good news of a Christian marriage.

Bring God into your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience in NORTH MYRTLE on Nov 10-12, 2023 and Jan 26-28, 2024.

Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website:

> https://SCMarriageMatters.org or contact us at applications@scmarriagematters.org or 803-810-9602.



CWS is a united voice of women sharing enthusiasm towards the spirit and goals of St. Joseph's Church and community.

We give back in so many, many ways.

There are no dues!

We sponsor: Italian dinner, Oktoberfest, St. Patrick's dinner, Lenten dinner, etc. We are active in our outreach programs such as, Mercy Center, Angel Tree, New Foundations, United Way.

Please join us the last Saturday of each month at 9:30 a.m. in Fr. Friend Hall.



Catholicism for Dummies 4th Fdition

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

> Wednesday afternoons 12:45-2:00 pm Starts January 10th!

40 Days for Life September 27th - November 5th

In your agony, Lord, you must have felt alone and afraid. Even your most beloved— Peter, James, and John—could not keep watch with you. Each day, Lord Jesus, thousands of babies are killed, participants in your passion. Keep us awake, O Lord, that we might watch with you and accept the cup God gives to us in every moment of our lives. For you are Lord, forever and ever. Amen.

Will you stay keep watch with Jesus and not sleep to the injustice being done to innocent lives?

40 Days for Life has begun and we are asking for your prayers and support! Please sign up to pray for the most vulnerable and most innocent among us. They need our prayers! In addition to the abortion clinic in Greenville some parishioners are praying in front of Walgreens and CVS in Anderson on Greenville St. to bring awareness to the RU486 abortion pill being prescribed by SC doctors. This pill is known to cause intentional miscarriages up to 10 weeks. Not only does it end the lives of innocent children, it also puts the mother's life at risk.

Sign up on the 40 Days website for the Greenville abortion clinic: https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/greenville Sign up on the 40 Days website for the Anderson CVS location: https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/anderson

If you have any questions, suggestions or need assistance signing up for vigil hours for the 40 days please contact St. Joseph Respect Life Coordinators at: sjccsrespectlife@gmail.com



CWS's Annual Mary's Baby Shower during the month of October for Anderson Pregnancy Care.

Most Requested Items:

Winter Clothing 3-9 Months

Highchairs or

Umbrella and Regular

Portable Booster Seats

Strollers

Pacifiers

Baby Bouncers/Walkers

Unscented Wipes

Backpack Style Carriers

Diapers

Sizes 4 or 5 ONLY

ITALY PILGRIMAGE

11 DAYS: MARCH 4 - 14, 2024

VISITING: VENICE * FLORENCE * ASSISI * ROME



Hosted by
VERY REV. RICHARD WILSON, VF, PASTOR

\$3499 FROM ATLANTA*

*Air/land tour price is \$2949 plus \$550 gov't taxes/airline surcharges

For More Information, Please Contact: Fr. Richard Wilson

Tel: (803) 649-4777 (office) Email: rwilson@charlestondiocese.org

DON'T MISS OUT! SIGN UP TODAY!



Winter Coat Drive

Collection Basket in Narthex

October 1st — November 30th

All Types, All Sizes!

Men's Women's and Children's New or Gently Used (no holes, no stains)

May God Bless you!
"For I was... naked and you clothed Me"
Mt 25:35-36



Winter is coming, and so is cold weather



Wanted

Blankets - (All Sizes)
Comforters - (Twin Size)

Warm Blankets for the Homeless at The Mercy Center

Please bring your clean and gently used blankets and drop them off at the Narthex, and thank you for your generosity.



Attention All Veterans - RSVP

SJCS would like to honor all our veterans on Friday, November 10th

Please join us for 8:30am Mass and a presentation immediately to follow in Fr. Friend Hall.





RSVP

864-760-1619

kathy.massey@siccs.net

Please include your branch of service.





Benefitting St. Joseph Catholic School

Tickets on Sale Now \$125 Each



February 10, 2024 6:30pm Bleckley Station

Or in School Office

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.

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.

<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.





I'm interested in becoming Catholic. Can I come to RCIA classes and see if being a Catholic is right for me?

YES!!



I never received the sacrament of Confirmation. Can I receive it through RCIA?

YES!!



I've never been baptized. Can I still become a Catholic? YES!!



I'm Catholic and I would like to learn more about my Faith. Can I come to some classes?

YES!!

Contact the parish office for more information! Sessions begin Oct. 1.



RCIA is the process by which men and women become members of the Catholic Church.

St. Joseph Catholic Church welcomes you to learn more about becoming Catholic. This class is also available for those that are missing a Sacrament or would like to deepen their knowledge of the Catholic Faith.

Classes begin Sunday, October 1st 9:45am -10:45am

For information or questions, contact either: Jan Heithaus at (864) 225-5341

Jan.heithaus@sjccs.net

Jerry West at (864) 642-9199 <u>Gmw12345@aol.com</u>

The **Last! Engaged Encounter** of the year is November 11-12 at

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.

Spiritual Exercises for the New Year

A New Year's retreat to keep you spiritually fit all year long!



CATHOLIC CONFERENCE CENTER www.catholicconference.org/new-years

<u>Catholic Campus Ministries</u> - 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:

The Citadel

Tony Licari

tlicari@charlestondiocese.org

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