

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

Church Hours

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



April 7, 2024

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Thomas answered and said to him, “My Lord and my God!” Jesus said to him, “Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.—Jn 20:28-29

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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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 email registration@sjccs.net.

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



Church Weekly Budget Income	\$ 10,500.00
<u>Weekly Collection-March 31, 2024</u>	
Received in Office	\$ 10,730.00
WeShare Online Giving	\$ 1,040.00
	<u>\$ 11,770.00</u>
Over / (Under)	\$ 1,270.00
<u>Weekly Collection-March 24, 2024</u>	
Received in Office	\$ 7,833.00
WeShare Online Giving	\$ 2,305.00
	<u>\$ 10,138.00</u>
Easter	\$ 6,578.00
School Scholarship	\$ 800.00
<i>2nd Collection - April 7th - Parish Charity</i>	
<u>WeShare Online Collection-March 2024:</u>	
Building Fund	\$ 125.00
Support Our Saints	\$ 270.00
Organ Fund	\$ 25.00
Easter	\$ 125.00
Parish Charity	\$ 1,005.00
Holy Thursday	\$ 25.00
Thank you for your support and generosity!	\$ 1,575.00

42 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 soul of
Thomas Robert Moynihan, Nephew of Kate Edwards

*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	
07 SUNDAY — <i>Second Sunday of Easter</i>	
5:00PM + Joe Bonacci rb Carol Bonacci	
8:30AM + Matt Mvtvch rb William & Barbara Mytych	
11:00AM <u>People of the Parish</u>	
08 Monday — <i>The Annunciation of the Lord</i>	
5:30PM + Thomas Robert Moynihan rb Aunt Kate	
09 Tuesday — Easter Weekday	
5:30PM + Karen E. Tamburro rb Angelo Tamburro	
10 Wednesday — Easter Weekday	
8:30AM + Edna Butler rb Marilyn Angoli	
11 Thursday — <i>Saint Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr</i>	
5:30PM + Alovisius Yong Ah Ngan rb Andrew Gillespie	
12 Friday — Easter Weekday	
8:30AM + Phyliss Morrissette rb Bob & Christine Morrissette	
14 SUNDAY — <i>Third Sunday of Easter</i>	
5:00PM + Dave Holian rb Shirle Family	
8:30AM <u>People of the Parish</u> rb William & Barbara Mytych	
11:00AM + Catherine O'Brien rb Ken O'brien	

Daily Mass Readings	
07 SUNDAY — <i>Second Sunday of Easter</i>	Acts 4:32-35/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31 (44)
08 Monday — <i>The Annunciation of the Lord</i>	Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38 (545)
09 Tuesday — Easter Weekday	Acts 4:32-37/Jn 3:7b-15 (268)
10 Wednesday — Easter Weekday	Acts 5:17-26/Jn 3:16-21 (269)
11 Thursday — <i>Saint Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr</i>	Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36 (270)
12 Friday — Easter Weekday	Acts 5:34-42/Jn 6:1-15 (271)
13 Saturday — <i>Saint Martin I, Pope & Martyr</i>	Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21 (272)
14 SUNDAY — <i>Third Sunday of Easter</i>	Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48 (47)

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

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

April 7: Joe Ball, George Chastain, Billy Ellison, Pat Jourdan, Mary Beth McCarty, Tommy Wallace, Kenneth Yuravich, Kathleen Turner, Denise Thompson, Maria Cozzoni, Bo Hendry, Frank DeMario, Charlise Gard, Juan Cantu, Jim Bayne, Darrin Coles, Ronald Bendig, Michael Brady, Ron Miskelley, Filbert Vigil, Lynn Imes, Walker Faurot, Kimley Hughes, Alisha Rumbos, Kelli Chastain

March 31: Connie Bennett, Ray & Ruth Hamel, Lynn Herold, Leif Hope, Fr. Ignatius, Frann Melanaski, Lucille Pekarik, Jim Sernak, Rosemary Gregory, Joe Modzel, Jeanne Dutton

March 24: Ann Kohlmayer, Laura Nunn, Diane Krolak, Dot Bismack, Barbara Kaliski, Beatrice Runnion, Ewa Pedzimaz, Carolyn Schilling, Becky Black, Len Krolak, Jean Hughes

Additions or Deletions? Please email prayers@sjccs.net

WEEK AT A GLANCE

SAT	APR 06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knights of Columbus Yard Sale, 8:00 AM–1:00 PM, Anderson Jockey Lot • First Saturday Mass, 9:30 AM • Carmelite Meeting, 10:30 AM–3:00 PM, Hall • Confessions, 3:15–4:45 PM • Mass, 5:00 PM
SUN	APR 07	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass, 8:30 AM • Bible Study, 9:45–10:45 AM, Office • Mass, 11:00 AM • First Sunday Eucharistic Adoration, 12:15–3:00 PM • Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers, 3:00 PM <p>Divine Mercy Sunday</p>
MON	APR 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass, Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord, 5:30 PM • Boy Scouts 6:30 PM, Hall • Faith & Reason Study Group, 6:30 PM Office
TUE	APR 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Church in Use, 10:00 AM–2:00 PM • Rosary Guild, 11:30 AM, Office • Mass, 5:30 PM • Confessions, 6:15–7:00 PM • Catholicism for Dummies, 6:30 PM, Office
WED	APR 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass, 8:30 AM • Confessions, 9:15–10:15 AM • Eucharistic Adoration, 9:30 AM–4:00 PM • Catholicism for Dummies, 12:45 PM, Office
THU	APR 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Church in Use, 10:00 AM–12:00 PM • Mass, 5:30 PM • Confessions, 6:15–7:00 PM
FRI	APR 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass, 8:30 AM • Confessions, 9:15–10:15 AM
SAT	APR 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chess Tournament, 8:00 AM–5:00 PM, Hall • Knights of Columbus Yard Sale, 8:00 AM–1:00 PM, Anderson Jockey Lot • Confessions, 3:15–4:45 PM • Mass, 5:00 PM
SUN	APR 14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass, 8:30 AM • Bible Study, 9:45–10:45 AM, Office • RCIA, 9:45–10:45 AM, Hall — <i>Final Class</i> • Religious Education, 9:50–10:50 AM, School • Mass, 11:00 AM • Divine Mercy Chaplet/Penitential Prayers, 3:00 PM



A GLANCE AHEAD

APRIL	MAY	AND BEYOND
Lay Carmelites, Apr 6 th	Catholicism for Dummies	Hilltoppers, June 4 th
Catholicism for Dummies	May 1 st , 7 th /8 th	Vacation Bible School, June 10 th -14 th
Apr 9 th /10 th , 16 th /17 th , 23 rd /24 th , 30 th	Catholic Book Club, May 2 nd	Catholic Book Club, June 13 th
Men's Club Meeting, Apr 18 th	<i>It's A Song for Nagasaki</i>	<i>Mere Christianity</i>
First Communion Retreat, Apr 20 th	<i>by Paul Glynn</i>	<i>by C. S. Lewis</i>
CWS Meeting, Apr 27 th	Lay Carmelites, May 4 th	Craft Fair, June 15 th
Taste of St. Joseph's, Apr 27 th	First Communion Mass, May 5 th	CWS Meeting, June 29 th
	May Crowning, May 5 th	
	Hilltoppers, May 7 th	
	Men's Club Meeting, May 16 th	
	CWS Meeting, May 18 th	

PASTOR'S CORNER

***On Cleaving To God - Chapter 5 from On Cleaving to God
by Saint Albert the Great (1193-1280)***

On purity of heart which is to be sought above all things

If your desire and aim is to reach the destination of the path and home of true happiness, of grace and glory, by a straight and safe way then earnestly apply your mind to seek constant purity of heart, clarity of mind and calm of the senses. Gather up your heart's desire and fix it continually on the Lord God above. To do so you must withdraw yourself so far as you can from friends and from everyone else, and from the activities that hinder you from such a purpose. Grasp every opportunity when you can find the place, time and means to devote yourself to silence and contemplation, and gathering the secret fruits of silence, so that you can escape the shipwreck of this present age and avoid the restless agitation of the noisy world. For this reason apply yourself at all times to purity, clarity and peace of heart above all things, so that, so far as possible, you can keep the doors of your heart resolutely barred to the forms and images of the physical senses and worldly imaginations by shutting off the doors of the physical senses and turning within yourself. After all, purity of heart is recognized as the most important thing among all spiritual practices, as its final aim, and the reward for all the labors that a spiritual-minded person and true religious may undertake in this life. For this reason you should with all care, intelligence and effort free your heart, senses and desires from everything that can hinder their liberty, and above all from everything in the world that could possibly bind and overcome you. So struggle in this way to draw together all the distractions of your heart and desires of your mind into one true, simple and supreme good, to keep them gathered within yourself in one place, and by this means to remain always joined to things divine and to God in your mind, to abandon the unreliable things of earth, and be able to translate your mind continually to the things above within yourself in Jesus Christ. To which end, if you have begun to strip and purify yourself of images and imaginations and to simplify and still your heart and mind in the Lord God so that you can draw and taste the well of divine grace in everything within yourself, and so that you are united to God in your mind by a good will, then this itself is enough for you in place of all study and reading of holy scripture, and as demonstration of love of God and neighbour, as devotion itself testifies. So simplify your heart with all care, diligence and effort so that still and at peace from the products of the imagination you can turn round and remain always in the Lord within yourself, as if your mind were already in the now of eternity, that is of the godhead. In this way you will be able to renounce yourself through love of Jesus Christ, with a pure heart, clean conscience and unfeigned faith, and commit yourself completely and fully to God in all difficulties and eventualities, and be willing to submit yourself patiently to his will and good pleasure at all times. For this to come about you must repeatedly retreat into your heart and remain there, keeping yourself free from everything, so far as is possible. You must always keep the eye of your mind clear and still. You must guard your understanding from daydreams and thoughts of earthly things. You must completely free the inclination of your will from worldly cares and cling with all your being to the supreme true good with fervent love. You must keep your memory always lifted up and firmly anchored in that same true supreme good and only uncreated reality. In just this way your whole mind gathered up with all its powers and faculties in God, may become one spirit with him, in whom the supreme perfection of life is known to consist. This is the true union of spirit and love by which a man is made compliant to all the impulses of the supreme and eternal will, so that he becomes by grace what God is by nature. At the same time it should be noted that in the very moment in which one is able, by God's help, to overcome one's own will, that is to cast away from oneself inordinate love or strong feeling, in other words so as to dare simply to trust God completely in all one's needs, by this very fact one becomes so pleasing to God that his grace is imparted to one, and through that very grace one experiences that true love and devotion which drives out all uncertainty and fear and has full confidence in God. What is more, there can be no greater happiness than to place one's all in him who lacks nothing. So why do you still remain in yourself where you cannot stay. Cast yourself, all of yourself, with confidence into God and he will sustain you, heal you and make you safe. If you dwell on these things faithfully within, they will do more to confer a happy life on you than all riches, pleasures and honours, and above all the wisdom and knowledge of this present deceitful world and its life, even if you were to excel in them all that ever lived.

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REMEMBER: FR. GILLESPIE WILL NEVER, NEVER, NEVER, * EVER SOLICIT FUNDS OR GIFT CARDS THROUGH EMAILS TEXTS, OR VOICEMAIL.

If you have questions, please call the Parish Office 864-225-5341. * NEVER means NEVER, EVER

CATHOLIC MEDIA RESOURCES

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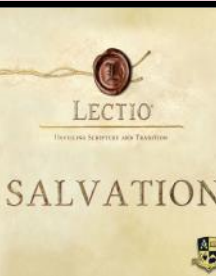
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THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Not Just a Legal Transaction | Lectio: Salvation | Episode 5

After the Fall, each person is born not only with the stain of sin on their soul but also with a fallen human nature. Thanks be to God that his gift of salvation not only frees us from Original Sin but also transforms us from the inside out, healing the root of our brokenness: our hearts. As we will see in this session, salvation is not simply a legal transaction by which we are declared righteous, but by the gift of God's Spirit we are actually made righteous.

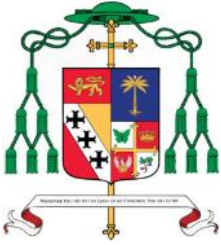
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COMMUNICATIONS AT SJCCS

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

Bulletin	Due
4/28	4/21
5/05	4/28
5/12	5/05



My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

You are aware of the unfathomable loss of life that has been taking place in the Holy Land. Pope Francis has issued several statements since October 2023 regarding the growing and continuous violence, and he has called for an immediate ceasefire in the Middle East. The Vatican has offered to act as a mediator for Israel and Palestine.

In the very land where Christ walked and lived during his earthly ministry and poured out his life for our redemption, there are thousands of men, women and children who are suffering and dying through no fault of their own. I urge all world leaders, in unity with the pope and the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, to take necessary action to ensure peace and the protection of human life in every corner of the globe. I ask for this especially in countries caught in the destructive grasp of war and conflict.

I want to address the people of our diocese and all people of goodwill. Consider our shared calling to bring the peace of Christ to a world that has been divided by the adversary's influence and by our human brokenness. We live in a world that encourages us to indulge ourselves at the cost of the well-being of those around us. This becomes a me-first polarization of thought and causes us to turn against each other without mercy. The effects of original sin, human stubbornness and pride have caused generations of hatred.

But Jesus taught that "you shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself" (Mt 22:37-39). We have been transformed by the ministry, death and resurrection of Jesus. We must put aside our personal differences and make sacrifices for our neighbor, even if it causes us discomfort.

We all are God's children, created in his divine image, and we must never forget this reality. We should never wish evil, violence or death on others, but only desire for them the peace of God and life in his presence. St. Paul reminds us, "Do not let the sun set on your anger, and do not leave room for the devil" (Eph 4:26-27). I urge you to break the cycles of division that echo throughout human existence. Display Christian charity towards one another in your discussions of world issues, politics, religion, and every necessary and important aspect of human flourishing. Think of ways that you — in your own capacity, thoughts and actions — can bring about change for the good of others without hesitation.

We cannot be good neighbors without first purifying our own hearts and minds. In times of division and atrocity such as this, it is vital to frequent the holy sacraments, especially reconciliation and the Eucharist. Never cease to pray and fast for peace in our world as we make concerted efforts to walk the narrow way. We find the assurance of our purpose only under the banner of Christ. Every part of our existence is ordered to know, love and serve God — *and our neighbor*. This is the reason we condemn all acts of violence, especially those directed towards innocent people.

I ask you to work to bring peace to your homes and communities, so that it ripples out to a world in need. Let us reclaim souls for Christ the King through faith and good works.

Mary, Mother of Sorrows, pray for us.

In Christ's love,

Most Rev. Jacques Fabre-Jeune, CS
Bishop of Charleston

MARVELOUS MYSTERY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

GROUP LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES, ACTORS FOR SKITS, AND HELPERS OF ALL KINDS

PARENTS, CONSIDER HAVING YOUR RISING 7TH GRADERS AND OLDER TO HELP

HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE STUDENTS ESPECIALLY NEEDED

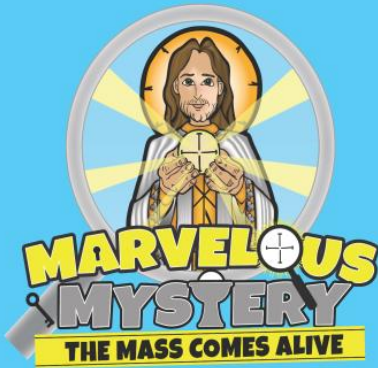
PLEASE EMAIL JESSICA BRIGGS FOR MORE INFORMATION

JESSANDMATT23@GMAIL.COM



**Next Meeting for
VBS Volunteers
Wednesday,
April 24
at 10:30 AM
in the Parish Office**

WE'RE HOSTING



VBS THIS SUMMER!

St. Joseph Catholic Church & School

GRADES: RISING KINDERGARTEN-RISING 6TH

WHERE: ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

WHEN: JUNE 10-14

TIME: 9:00-12:00

REGISTRATION: COMING SOON!

CONTACT: JESSICA BRIGGS (JESSANDMATT23@GMAIL.COM)



**The GOOD NEIGHBOR CUPBOARD
is asking for your help
to feed the hungry!**

**Many of you have contributed
to our box in the Narthex and
we greatly appreciate your help!**

**As a Food Pantry, we feed over 500 families a month
and continue to need your help!
Below are the items most needed.**

**PEANUT BUTTER, CANNED TUNA, CHICKEN, VEGETABLES, AND FRUITS;
NUTRITIOUS CEREALS, MAC 'N CHEESE, PASTA AND PASTA SAUCE**

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4-27-24



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Now Accepting Applications for the 2024-2025 School Year!

4K - 8th Grade

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Visit Our Website

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.

Parish Safe Environment Coordinator: Linda McCormick, (864) 225-5341 or lmccormick@charlestondiocese.org
School Safe Environment Coordinator: Kathy Massey, (864) 760-1619 or kmasssey@charlestondiocese.org
Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services: (843) 853-2130x 209; **Diocesan Victim Assistance:** (800) 921-8122.

Come Join US!!!

Intr. M
I-se-ri-cór-di-a * Dó-mi-ni pléna est térra,
alle-lú-ia : vérbo Dé-i caé-li firmá-ti sunt,
alle-lú-ia, al-le-lú-ia. *Pz.* Exsultá-te jústi in
Dómino : * réctos dēcet collaudá-ti-o. Gló-ri-a Pátri.
Eu o u a e.

Gregorian Chant Inspired!

St Joseph Catholic Church
1200 Cornelia Road
Anderson, SC

Sunday, April 21, 2024 at 5pm

SJCCS Respect Life Committee Spiritual Adoption Week 3



For it was you who formed my inward parts: you knit me together in my mother's womb.

I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works:

Psalm 139: 13-14

At 3 weeks gestation, the baby is called a blastocyst and continues to grow rapidly as it travels down the fallopian tube to implant in the uterus. Although we can't see it yet, the gender of the baby has already been determined. He or she has received 23 chromosomes from the mother and 23 chromosomes from the father. The mother's X chromosome combines with the father's X or Y chromosome to determine the sex of the baby.

XX=Girl

XY=Boy

"JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH, I LOVE YOU VERY MUCH. I BEG YOU TO SPARE THE LIFE OF THE PRE-BORN BABY THAT I HAVE SPIRITUALLY ADOPTED WHO IS IN DANGER OF ABORTION."

- PRAYER OF ARCHBISHOP FULTON J. SHEEN



Assistance Needed!!!

The St Joseph's Bereavement Committee is requesting additional volunteers join this ministry to help with funeral luncheons which serves as a Corporal Work of Mercy for burying the dead and serving a parish family during a difficult time. The following opportunities are available:

TEAM LEADERS – *when notified, responsible for calling a team of 10-15 people to support a funeral luncheon. Additionally, if available, to help set up and clean up after the luncheon. Teams rotate.*

TEAM MEMBERS – *volunteer to prepare and deliver to the Parish Hall Kitchen a dish to be served to the family after the Funeral Mass and/or Interment. Dishes include salads, casseroles, bread and desserts.*

*If you would like to join us as we help these families,
please call or text LeJean Carter at, 989-590-3965, or email at
lejeanc59@gmail.com.
Thank you for helping us help others.*



Looking for a few good men (young and older)

**Saint Joseph's Catholic Church
LITURGICAL MINISTRY**

We have a great need for *men* (all ages) to serve as Altar Servers at all Masses.

Serving the Church is a wonderful way to grow closer to God. For the young, it is also an experience which may lead you to choose a Priestly Vocation. The Church is currently in great need of young men to enter the priesthood.

Become a part of a great ministry team, serving the Lord and His Church. We will begin training soon. Be sure to sign up even if you have served in the past but especially if you have never served. Please email me at chet.johns@sjccs.net so we can contact you with more information. Additionally, applications are available in the Narthex. Serving the Lord is a Joyful Vocation.

-Deacon Chet

Marriage Tip #34

Marriages

last because two people make a choice:

to Keep it
to fight for it
And, to work for it.




HELPOURMARRIAGE.ORG



Rediscover Your Marriage – Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) simply means 'rediscovery'. The program offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. 10's of 1000's headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending. Retrouvaille is not a sensitivity group, not a seminar, not a social gathering, but is anchored in Christian reconciliation, communication and healing.

For confidential information about, or, to register for the program beginning with a weekend on April 12-14th in Charlotte area, contact Bill and Lyn Folsom at 727-343-6701 or email: 3062ac@helpourmarriage.org or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.org



START YOUR PROJECTS NOW!

for the **St. Joseph Church Craft Fair**

June 15, 2024

Contact:
Vince5904@yahoo.com

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
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