



St. Mary's Catholic Church



Greenville, South Carolina

28 January 2018

Dear Friends in Christ,

Christmas was forty days ago this Friday, and that is why 2 February is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. According to Chapter 12 of Leviticus, every Jewish woman who gave birth required a ritual purification from her flow of blood, and a sacrifice was to be offered to mark the new mother's return to the regular practice of prayer, commonly forty days after her child's birth. St. Luke tells us in Chapter 2 of his Gospel that Joseph and Mary went to the Temple in Jerusalem to fulfill this precept of the Law, and there they encountered two faithful children of Israel who were always there in prayer, awaiting the arrival of the Messiah. Simeon and Anna stand for all who will accept Christ Jesus as Lord and Savior and acclaim him "a light for revelation to the Gentiles and glory for your people Israel." Simeon also foretells the share that Mary will have in the suffering of her Son, and so the mysteries of Christ's birth and death are joined together in the Temple - the dwelling place of God on earth and the privileged place of sacrifice for the forgiveness of sins. Thus is the New Covenant hidden in the Old and the Old Covenant revealed in the New. And the place where the Old Covenant is fulfilled and the New Covenant is begun is none other than the heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God and Mother of the Church.

Also on the Feast of the Presentation, candles are blessed for use at the altar because Christ is "a light for revelation to the Gentiles," and from the connection between the Presentation and the blessing of candles, this feast in the sacred liturgy is also called Candlemas - an alternate title for this celebration which began in Jerusalem in the fourth century, making it one of the most ancient feasts in the Christian liturgy. On this day we pray that the brightness of the candles we use in divine worship will awaken in our hearts love for the uncreated brilliance of Christ's perpetual light so that all people will see the unbounded light of His glory reflected in the holiness of His Church. All of these dimensions of today's great feast are gathered together every time we pray the Fourth Joyful Mystery of the Holy Rosary.

Finally, in 1997 Saint Pope John Paul the Great began a yearly Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life which he attached to the Feast of the Presentation. Christian men and women who profess the Evangelical Counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience are, through living in the most radical way the dignity of their Baptism, imitating both the holy witnesses of Israel - Simeon and Anna - and following the example of the Blessed Virgin Mary, who placed her entire life at the service of the Lord and His holy Word. We are blessed at St. Mary's to have the splendid witness of the Nashville Dominican Sisters, who remind us of the need of all Christians to surrender our entire lives in the obedience of faith to Christ the Lord. And each Wednesday afternoon during the Holy Hour, we pray for vocations for the priesthood and the consecrated life, asking the Lord of mercies to call young men and women from this parish to give themselves without reservation or compromise to the proclamation of the Gospel.

Father Newman



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December 2017

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Soon our diocese will be taking up the national collection for the Church in Latin America. Although the people are faith-filled, the needs in this region of the world are great and can often seem insurmountable. Deteriorated roads and long distances make it difficult for some communities to have Mass regularly. Language barriers and lack of resources make catechetical materials difficult to produce. We are called to share our faith with all, and this collection is a prophetic and bold way to do so.

In Cuba, in the Archdiocese of San Critobal de la Habana, the Church is not present in many of the smaller or rural communities. For many years, there were no ministers or mission house - not to mention a church building - to which the people could turn. The message of the Gospel could not spread because there were very few messengers to share it and few places where people could go to hear it. But with your support, pastoral agents have received training to bring the Gospel to these areas. Your support has helped bring people to the Church through religious education and retreats, and the Church to the people through evangelization efforts and the repair of church buildings. This has given them the hope and the joy of the Gospel.

Our diocese takes up this collection the weekend of Jan. 28, 2018. Please be generous in this collection, and take this opportunity to share your faith with many families in Latin America and the Caribbean. Your support will truly make a difference. Thank you and God bless you.

In the Lord's Peace,

Most Reverend Robert E. Guglielmo
Bishop of Charleston

Calendar of Events

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sunday, 28 January 2018

7.30 am ✕ Louis Sesto
9.00 am ✕ Richard Scesa
11.00 am Pro populo
1.00 pm Spanish Mass

Monday, 29 January 2018

7.00 am Capt. Brodie Babb, Sr.

Tuesday, 30 January 2018

7.00 am ✕ Carol Pelicano
12.00 noon Special Intention

Wednesday, 31 January 2018

7.00 am ✕ Rosalia Sanfilippo
12.00 noon ✕ Thomas Thomason

Thursday, 1 February 2018

7.00 am Diasianne Collins
12.00 noon ✕ Michael M. McGrady

Friday, 2 February 2018

7.00 am ✕ Edwin Tully

Saturday, 3 February 2018

5.00 pm ✕ Paul Michael Roman

Meetings & Events *

Sunday, 28 January 2018

9.00 am 3 & 4 Year Olds (K4 classroom of Sacred Heart Hall)
Nursery: During 9.00 am Mass
Coffee & doughnuts: After the 9.00 am Mass (P)
9.00 am Scripture Study
6.30 pm High School Youth Group (M)

Monday, 29 January 2018

7.00 pm Boy Scouts (M)

Tuesday, 30 January 2018

Wednesday, 31 January 2018

5.00-6.00 pm Holy Hour & Confessions (church)
6.30-7.30 pm Religious Education
6.30 pm Introduction to Catholicism (M)

Thursday, 1 February 2018

Friday, 2 February 2018

6.15 am Morning Prayer (church)
6.30-8.00 am Pillars of Christ
10.00 am Scripture Study Class
3.30-5.00 pm Youth Choir Practice

Saturday, 3 February 2018

8.00-9.00 am Rosary - Grove Rd abortion clinic
3.30-4.30 pm Confessions (church)

Financial Report

Weekend of 20/21 January

Needed	33,800
Received	34,708
Surplus	908

Poor Box	196
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Offertory Year to Date

Needed	1,014,000
Received	1,021,887
Surplus	7,887

Electronic Giving: If you want to have direct management of your Electronic Fund Transfer online, you can now do so through the "Manage Your EFT" link on the homepage of our website. For more information or if you have any questions please contact Jennifer Anderson at jennifer.anderson@stmarysgvl.org.



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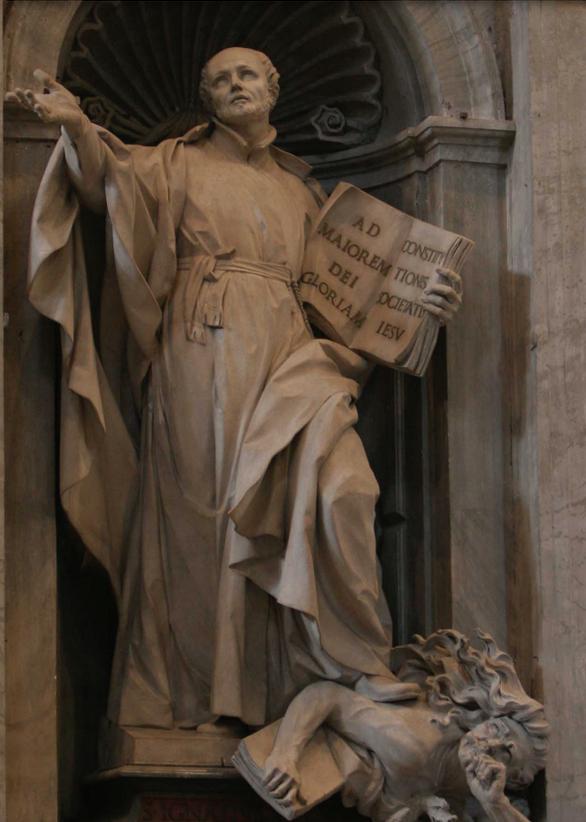
'Like' us on Facebook at
St. Mary's Catholic Church
Greenville SC.

G - Gallivan Hall M- McGrady Hall * All events in Sacred Heart Hall
P - Pazdan Hall Dining Room unless a location is listed.

Visit us on the web at
www.stmarysgvl.org

St. Mary's Program of Catholic Studies

Spring 2018 Course Offerings



The Catholic Reformation

Tuesdays 8.30 am in McGrady Hall

Join TJ Nielsen and Tony Owens as they go through the history of the true reformation of the 16th century, the Catholic Reformation. Learn about the Council of Trent, the great saints of the Catholic Reformation such as St. Ignatius of Loyola, St. John of the Cross, and St. Teresa of Avila, as well as about the Baroque movement in sacred music, art, and architecture.

The Letter to the Hebrews

Wednesdays 6.30 pm in Sacred Heart Hall

Join St. Mary's resident scripture scholar, Dr. Joe Beauchemin, as he unpacks the Letter to the Hebrews.

More Information or to Register

Please visit us at <http://stmarysgvl.org/catechesis/program-of-catholic-studies/>

Call or email T.J. Nielsen at 864.679.4114 or timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org

Classes Begin week of 19 February

PARISH NEWS

Collections for 27/28 January

- 1st: Support of the Parish
- 2nd: Church in Latin America

*St. Mary's is sustained by the generosity of our parishioners.
Thank you for your generosity and support.*

Precaution During Flu Season

Because of the risk of spreading infections during cold and flu season, the diocese recommends that parishioners not shake hands (except perhaps with their own family members) during the Sign of Peace. A simple smile or nod of the head can serve to acknowledge our brothers and sisters in the Lord, and if someone near your seat doesn't offer or return a friendly hand, please do not be offended. Let common sense and generous hearts prevail!

Requiescat in pace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Elizabeth Driesse (mother of Kevin Driesse) who died recently. We extend our prayers and sympathy to her family and friends.

Prayer For The Faithful Departed

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and may perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls, and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Prayer Requests

Please pray for all those who are hospitalized and for all those who are shut-ins, ill or recuperating at home, especially Ronald Labbe, Paulina Cruz, Brett Gervais, Judy Byrum, Michael Pinto, Joseph & Sandy Srp, Marie-Therese Isidore, Carlton Carpenter, Jim Barber, Jordan A. Upham, John Hever, Alfred Smith, Mauren Lukovic, Christine Tancrell, Dcn. John & Irene Karandisevsky, Ted Karalekas, Lenore Cole, Celsea Patry, Mary Hunter Wylie Gibbs, John Tyler, Hunter Conant, Florence Mooney, Jimmy Tierney, Louis Brouillard, Claude Trépanier, Sr Colombe Gobeil, Anna Deehan, Carly Burkhardt, Alma Furman, Anne Alexander, Ruth O'Rourke and Rafael Marquez.

Caritas Counseling Services, LLC

Counseling services are available at St. Mary's. Contact Dorothy Whalen by phone at 864.679.4122 or by email at dorothy.whalen@stmarysgvl.org.

2017 Tax Statements

Please contact Jennifer Anderson, Director of Finance, at jennifer.anderson@stmarysgvl.org or 864.679.4102 if you would like a copy of your contribution statement for 2017. Please allow several days to process and mail your statement.

Tax statements are only mailed upon request.

Friday Morning Bible Study

The Friday Morning Bible Study will begin a new 8-week Catholic Scripture Study course called *Kingdom of Happiness: Living the Beatitudes in Everyday Life*. This will start on 16 February. All are welcome. If you are interested please call Sue Prevost 288.6649 or e-mail sbkprevost@gmail.com.

Souper Bowl Sunday



We will be collecting monetary donations to help Catholic Charities. Soup kettles will be placed in the vestibules of the church on Super Bowl weekend, 3 & 4 February. Thank you for your generosity.

Congratulations to

Warner Blain Palpallatoc and Brittany Ann McLennon who were married last week.



Join us in Pazdan Hall after the 9.00 am Mass for doughnuts

28 January

FROM OUR TRADITION

pre-lent

In the liturgical calendar for the Ordinary Form, the three Sundays immediately preceding Ash Wednesday are Sundays in Ordinary Time (this year the 4th, 5th and 6th). However, in the calendars of the Extraordinary Form and of the Personal Ordinariates as well as Eastern Catholics and some Protestant communities, these Sundays are called *Septuagesima*, *Sexagesima* and *Quinquagesima*, meaning respectively, the *seventieth*, *sixtieth*, and *fiftieth* days before Pascha. These names are in reference to *Quadragesima*, the name given in most languages to the season of Lent that starts on Ash Wednesday. For a few examples, in Spanish the name is *cuaresma*, in French *carême*, and in Italian *quaresima*. In English, in contrast, the word for spring, *lent*, was used, which derives from the German word for long, because at this time of year the days get longer.

Liturgical Characteristics

From Dom Guéranger's *The Liturgical Year*:

“The leading feature, then, of Septuagesima is the total suspension of the Alleluia, which is not to be again heard upon the earth, until the arrival of that happy day, when, having suffered death with our Jesus, and having been buried together with him, we shall rise again with him to a new life (Colossians 2.12).

“The sweet Hymn of the Angels, *Gloria in excelsis Deo*, which we have sung every Sunday since the Birth of our Saviour in Bethlehem, is also taken from us; it is only on the Feasts of the Saints, which may be kept during the week, that we shall be allowed to repeat it. The night Office of the Sunday is to lose, also, from now till Easter, its magnificent Ambrosian Hymn, the *Te Deum* ...

“After the Gradual of the Mass, instead of the thrice repeated Alleluia, which prepared our hearts to listen to the voice of God in the Holy Gospel, we shall hear but a mournful and protracted chant, called, on that account, the Tract.

“That the eye, too, may teach us, that the Season we are entering on, is one of mourning, the Church will vest her Ministers, (both on Sundays and the days during the week, which are not Feasts of Saints,) in the sombre Purple.”

What is the purpose of this Pre-Lenten season?

This season of pre-Lent was historically used to prepare oneself for the Lenten fast and to develop a plan for Lent. It recognizes the goodness, or even the necessity, of preparing oneself mentally, physically, and spiritually for the ascetical practices of Lent. The same recognition expresses itself in the Eastern practice of observing the Sundays of Meatfare and Cheesefare on the second and first Sundays, respectively, that precede the last Sunday before Lent. From Meatfare Sunday the faithful lay aside all flesh foods until the Pasch. From Cheesefare Sunday the faithful abstain from animal products such as eggs, milk, yogurt, butter, and cheese.

Although not celebrated liturgically in the Ordinary Form, you can still take opportunity to think about what you want to accomplish for Lent, in terms of prayer and spiritual growth. What do you think you should do to accomplish the metanoia or turning back on one's self and re-focusing your spiritual life to be ready for Easter.

Take advantage of this time for prayerfully planning how a good Lent is to be kept.

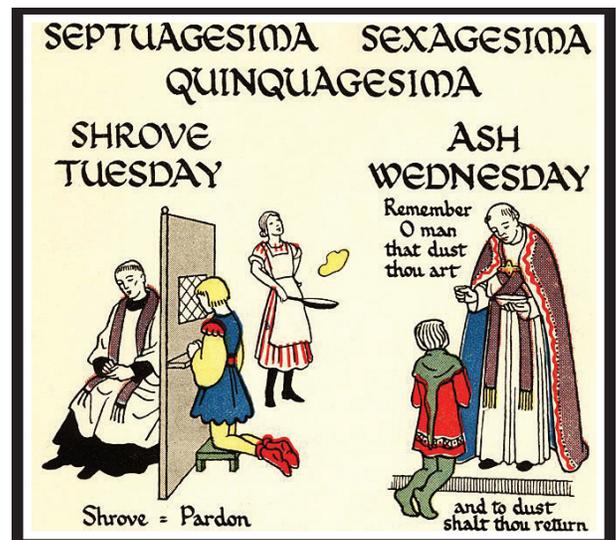


Image from Enid Chadwick's *My Book of the Church Year*.

Welcome Newcomers

We welcome the following new members to our parish family: Mr & Mrs Andrew Moorman and Ms Catherine Antunes.

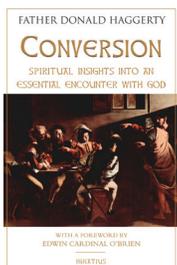
Baptism Class

Prior to having a child baptized at St. Mary's, you must have been registered in the parish for at least six months, attending Sunday Mass each week, using the stewardship envelopes, and participating in the life of the parish. Baptisms take place on Saturdays at 6.15 pm after the 5.00 pm Mass. Attending a Baptism Preparation Class is required and may be attended prior to the birth of your child. The next class is scheduled for Monday 5 February at 6.30 pm in Sacred Heart Hall. Pre-registration in the church office is required. For questions, contact T.J. Nielsen at 864.679.4114 or timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org.

Conversion: Spiritual Insights Into an Essential Encounter with God

Contemporary spiritual writer Fr. Donald Haggerty offers penetrating observations of the phenomenon of Christian conversion. Arranged as a collection of concise, meditative reflections, this book discusses the essential elements of a soul's return to God, including the repercussions of sin, the proper understanding of mercy, and the importance of a more radical response to God's will.

Fr. Haggerty also explores the fruits of conversion that make the difference between a mediocre relationship with God and a truly holy life. He identifies these special graces as love for the poor, simplicity of lifestyle, and devotion to the Eucharist.



St. Mary's Council of Catholic Women Sewing Ministry

The group meets on the 3rd and 4th Tuesdays, 10.00 am-12.00 pm, monthly from September through May. We invite any interested women to join us at the Sew Creative Sewing Studio, 1901-B Laurens Rd., Greenville. Bring a pair of sharp scissors or a rotary cutter. If you don't like to sew there are many other ways to help including cutting and ironing. We are currently sewing pillowcase dresses to send to the children's hospital/orphanage in Haiti in the spring. Contact Kim Adams at craigandkim@aol.com or 407.756.2255 for questions.



14 February - 25 March

From February 14 to March 25, our community will take part in 40 Days for Life ... a groundbreaking, coordinated international mobilization. We pray that, with God's help, this will mark the beginning of the end of abortion in our city — and beyond.

St. Mary's day to pray at the Greenville Women's Clinic, located at 1142 Grove Road, Greenville, is every Tuesday. Time slots have been discontinued so you may go at any time from 8 am to 8 pm. We cannot stand in the driveway of the Clinic but can stand slightly to the left on the public right-of-way.

Kickoff Rally

Saturday, 17 February 9.30–10.30 am: Public right-of-way in front of Greenville Women's Clinic. Speakers: Shiela Miller, author, presents "Evelyn's Story, A Testimony of God's Love." Emily Barnhill, President of Students for Life, North Greenville University shares her pro-life witness. Carrie Gifford will provide an update on Sidewalk Advocates for Life. Music by Mason Costa and St. Mary's Youth.

Candlelight Vigil

Thursday, 8 March 7.00 pm: Public right-of-way at Greenville Women's Clinic, praying the Rosary in different languages. Cam Nguyen will provide accordion accompaniment and Gary Dentremont will lead singing.

Closing Celebration

Saturday, 24 March 9.30–10.30 am: Public right-of way at Greenville Women's Clinic. Guest speakers: Deacon Roger Schonewald, SMM will share a pertinent pro-life message; prayer warriors who participated in the campaign will present their testimonies. Music lead by Mike Hagar, SMM.

Parking for these events is at the empty shops across the street from Piedmont Women's Center and at Grove Road Baptist Church.



Icon Painting Workshop

St. Rafka Catholic Church, Greenville, South Carolina

Experience the unique spiritual world of the Byzantine Era through icon painting



July 16-21, 2018
St. Rafka Catholic Church
Greenville, South Carolina

Join us on this six day intensive course under the direction of visiting master iconographer and expert instructor Theodoros Papadopoulos from Greece. This Christ Pantocrator icon will "come alive" as he will guide you step by step, through the ancient techniques of Byzantine Iconography. Let us journey together, discovering anew, this traditional artistic expression of theology and spirituality often called the "meeting place of the Divine". Whether you are absolutely beginner or an advanced artist, this workshop offers an opportunity to learn and refine your techniques in this sacred art.

Your tuition fee of \$680 includes most supplies including boards, pigments and brushes.

Space is limited and early registration is suggested.

For enrollment and more information, visit the website

www.theodoreicons.com/sc

or contact Ms Aziza Stansberry at:

Stansberry.azizaX@gmail.com phone number: 8645061924

Funeral Notices

If you would like to receive notification when funerals are scheduled at St Mary's, please contact the parish office at churchoffice@stmarysgvl.org.

Bulletin Submissions

The deadline for items is 12 days prior to the bulletin date. Contact Lisa at lisa.watkins@stmarysgvl.org to submit items for the e-bulletin.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sunday Mornings for 3 & 4 Year Olds

9.00 am in the K4 classroom
of Sacred Heart Hall

Religious Education Grades 1-8

Wednesday from 6.30-7.30 pm

Dear Parents,

We are excited to announce a very special **Real Love & Real Life** family program sponsored by St. Joseph's Catholic School, St. Mary's Catholic Church, and Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Church. Please join us:

When: **Wednesday, 21 February 2018**
Wednesday, 28 February 2018
Wednesday, 7 March 2018

Time: 6:30 pm – 8:45 pm

Where: **St. John Paul II Center, St. Joseph's Catholic School, 100 St. Joseph's Drive Greenville, SC 29607**

Who: **Seventh & Eighth Grade Students with their Parents**

Cost: **\$45.00 per family**

Real Love & Real Life is presented by Family Honor, Inc. Since 1988, Family Honor has provided and promoted a family-centered, Catholic approach to chastity education.

In this **Real Love & Real Life program**, Family Honor will be presenting talks about communication, an understanding of our purpose in life, fostering virtues, including the virtue of chastity, recognizing what real love looks like, and fertility appreciation, ideas about dating and marriage, and much more.

We chose Family Honor to present a program here because they believe in parental empowerment. They believe you, as parents, are the first and best teachers of your children, and Family Honor wants to serve parents by helping to build and enhance bridges of communication between you and your child. Here, one parent shares what they liked most about the program, "It opened a door for me that wasn't open before between my daughter and me. I definitely feel more comfortable and confident discussing chastity with her."

There are lots of activities pulling families in many directions, but this is an experience that families look back on years later and say, "Wow – that really made a difference!" This is a chance to invest in one of your most precious assets – your child.

We are confident that you will find value in this program that far exceeds the registration fee of \$45.00 which is due upon checking in at the first session. Scholarships may be available, as well. Deadline for registering is 12 February 2018. Space is limited so please sign up early at www.familyhonor.org.

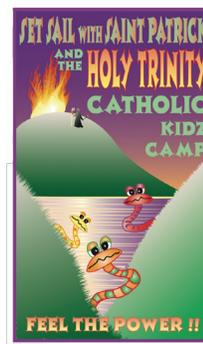
Thank you for your interest, and we hope to see you at this program. We consider this a wonderful opportunity to learn more about building healthy, happy, and holy families.

Sincerely,

Gabe Lewis
Campus Minister: St. Joseph's Catholic School

Joann F. Miller
Director of Religious Education: St. Mary's Catholic Church

Katie Orbon
Director of Faith Formation: Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Church



Save the Date

Vacation Bible School
Celebrating 20 Years of VBS

When: June 11- 15 2018

Where: St. Mary's Catholic Church

Who: Children ages 4-11 (K4 - 5th Grade)

A New Way to Invest in Your Family's Catholic Education



Attention Catholic School Families: New tax reform allows \$10,000 from 529 Plans to be used for elementary or secondary school tuition.

The recent Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2018 made some positive changes to qualified tuition programs (commonly known as 529 plans) that may benefit you and your family. Starting in 2018, you can now take tax-free distributions from a qualifying 529 Plan to pay for tuition to elementary, middle, or high school (including all public, private, or religious schools). You will be limited to a total cash distribution from all 529 plans of \$10,000 per beneficiary per tax year.

For example, if you have two children enrolled in Catholic school and pay \$24,000 in annual tuition, you can take a tax-free distribution from their 529 Plans of \$20,000 (\$10,000 for each child) per year to help cover the cost of the tuition.

Keep in mind that contributions into the South Carolina Future Scholar plan will provide a South Carolina tax deduction in the amount of the contribution. Therefore, in the above example, you can put \$20,000 into the South Carolina Future Scholar plan and get a \$20,000 deduction on your South Carolina tax return. And then use this fund to pay for their tuition starting in 2018.

Contact your local tax professional or South Carolina Catholic Conference Director, Michael F. Aquilano at (843) 261-0535, macquilano@charlestdioocese.org for further information.



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2017-2018
The Year of Charity



2018 Beta Convention Results

St. Mary's Gala "Mardi Gras"
 Friday, February 9, 2018
 6:30pm - Midnight at Embassy Suites
[Click To Buy Ticket Now](#)
<https://e.gesture.com/events/6C9/>



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For the second year attending, 25 St. Mary's students competed against 4,300 other students at the SC state Jr Beta Convention 10-12 January in Myrtle Beach. The purpose of the convention is to give students the opportunity to display academic and leadership skills, showcase talents and artistic abilities, and interact with other Junior Betas from South Carolina. Among hundreds of entries and fierce competition, our 4th, 5th & 6th graders earned nine awards:

- Math 1st place – Jonathan K. (4th)
- B&W photography 1st place – Elizabeth A. (5th)
- Language Arts 2nd place - Francie T. (4th)
- Social Studies 2nd place – Sam T. (5th)
- Language Arts 3rd place – Jacob G. (5th)
- Special Talent 3rd place – Jacob G. (5th)
- Color photography 3rd place – Analise F. (5th)
- Speech 3rd place – Gace B. (5th)

The club was also presented the Golden Key award in recognition of 40% increase in convention attendance.

Other members participating at the convention were 6th graders Lindsay G., Nicholas F., Nina B., Bree L., Cecilia C., Francis F.; 5th graders Lilli M., Sophia D., Avery D., Ava E., Kori G., William M., Tony S., Matthew S., Allysa W., Jane W.; and 4th graders Emily C., Claire V.

This Lent

Diocese of Charleston

Come, where you belong!
 Be refreshed and renewed in your faith.
 Enjoy the company of other women on this same journey.

Sat. March 3, 2018
 St. Joseph's Catholic School, Greenville, SC
 9:00-5:00

Belonging Catholic Women's Conference

I have called you by name
 and you are mine. *Isaiah 43:1*

- Mass and Adoration
- Keynote and Workshops
- Vendors
- Confession
- Catered Lunch
- Plus Fun, Fellowship, and Friendship

With Keynote Speaker:
 Author of *Past Perfect* and
Weightless, **Kate Wicker**

Registration info:
www.sccatholicwomensconference.com
 And on Eventbrite



South Carolina Catholic
MEN'S CONFERENCE
Building The Domestic Church
March 3, 2018

Our Lady of the Lake Church / 195 Amicks Ferry Road / Chapin, SC

Do you want to:

- Grow in your Catholic Faith?
- Deepen your relationship with Christ?
- Be a better father, son, husband and man?
- Be a spiritual leader in your family, church, work place, and community?

This conference is for you!

Come and fill your spiritual toolbox with the information you need to build your faith and lead your family.

WOMEN'S CONFERENCE
Friday, March 2, 2018
6:30 — 8 p.m. (Registration at 6:00 p.m.)
 Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church
 195 Amicks Ferry Road, Chapin, SC
Speakers: Gus Lloyd, Msgr. Jim Vlaun

Gus Lloyd
 Radio Host,
 Evangelist and
 National Speaker

Most Reverend Robert E. Guglielmo
 Bishop of
 Charleston

Tom Leopold
 TV Comedy writer
 (Seinfeld, Cheers),
 Convert and
 National Speaker

COST: \$40 Pre-Registration / \$50 at the door
 Includes light breakfast and lunch

Discounts for: Knights of Columbus •
 Knights of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem • Knights of Peter Claver • Ancient Order of Hibernians •
 College/HS Students • Early Registration

REGISTRATION:
 On-line at www.sccatholicmensconf.org or
 mail check to: Daniel E. Barton
 1510 Alric Court Charleston, SC 29412-8436

Registration at 7.30 am, Mass 8.30 am,
 Presentations 9.45 am, Conclude 4.00 pm

Hotel Accommodations: **Hilton Garden Inn**
 434 Columbiana Drive
Room Rate: Columbia SC 29212
 \$105.00 plus tax 803.407.6640

Reservation: Prior to 16 February 2018

The South Carolina Catholic Men's Conference is sponsored by the South Carolina Knights of Columbus State Council in support of the Diocese of Charleston Office of Family Life & Youth Ministry

The Knights of Columbus Council 1668

St. Patrick's Dinner

Saturday, March 3, 2018
 6 pm
 McGivney Hall
 762 Mauldin Road, Greenville



Corned beef
 Colcannon
 Veggies
 Soda Bread
 Desserts

Adults \$17
 Children 6-12 \$8
 Under 6 free
 Family rate
 (2 adults, 3 kids minimum) \$55

Special kids menu available



Live Irish Music!

Call or text (864)380-7354 for reservations
 or email
kenandcath3@yahoo.com

**PERPETUAL
 EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

St. Mary Magdalene

A key card is required to enter the chapel. If you would like to sign up as an adorer or regular visitor, or just visit for the day, please come to the St. Mary Magdalene parish office Monday - Friday, between 9.00 am and 3.30 pm.

Prince of Peace

Each moment you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament brings joy, pleasure, and delight to his Sacred Heart! "My joy, my pleasure, my delight is to be with you." (Proverbs 8.31) Contact Lisa Buss at adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org or call 864.508.7123.

All hours are available. Urgent needs are:

Sunday 6 pm
 Saturday 8 pm



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while working in Greece

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