



Saint Mary's Catholic Church



Greenville South Carolina

from the pastor

Dear Friends in Christ,

On Divine Mercy Sunday, 27 April 2014, Pope Francis will canonize two of the most beloved Bishops of Rome of all time: Pope John XXIII and Pope John Paul II.

John XXIII was born Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli on 25 November 1881; he was the fourth of fourteen children, and his parents were poor sharecroppers. After priestly ordination in 1904, he entered the Diplomatic Service of the Holy See and eventually served as papal nuncio to several countries before becoming Patriarch of Venice in 1953. In 1958, at the age of 76, he was elected the 261st Bishop of Rome, taking the name John – after the Apostle and Evangelist – and the number XXIII, thus settling a 500 year old argument about the numbering of popes named John because of the Great Western Schism of 1378 to 1418. (Yea, the Church has been at this business for a while. The papacy is, after all, the oldest continuing office in the world.) Papa Roncalli (in Italy, popes are known both by their regnal name and their family surname) surprised the Church and the world by calling the Second Vatican Council, which he convened on 11 October 1962, and he died on 3 June 1963.

John Paul II was born Karol Jozef Wojtyla on 18 May 1920; he was the third and youngest child of Karol and Emilia Wojtyla. His father was a non-commissioned officer in the Imperial and Royal Army of the Empire of Austria-Hungary, and after the end of the Empire following World War I, the elder Wojtyla became a captain in the Polish Army. Young Karol's sister died before his birth, then his mother died when he was eight, and his brother and father both died before he was 21 – leaving him without family in a nation devastated by war and crushed under the boots first of Nazis and then of Communists. In that crucible, Karol heard his call to the altar. Wojtyla was ordained to the priesthood in 1946 and became Auxiliary Bishop of Krakow in 1958; he served as Archbishop of Krakow from 1964 until his election as the 264th Bishop of Rome in 1978. His pontificate was the second longest in history, and during those nearly 27 years, John Paul completed the implementation of the Second Vatican Council and launched the Church on the New Evangelization after leading us across the threshold of the Third Millennium. He died on 2 April 2005, the vigil of Divine Mercy Sunday – the feast he inaugurated on the Second Sunday of Easter in the year 2000.

In the month between now and the canonization of these two extraordinary men of faith, please take the opportunity to learn more about their lives and their service to the Church as the Successor of St. Peter. Millions of pilgrims will descend on Rome for this historic event, and we can share in the splendor of that day if we understand clearly what these men accomplished as disciples of Jesus Christ.

Father Newman



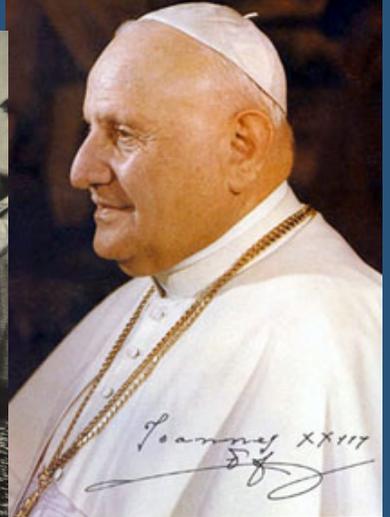
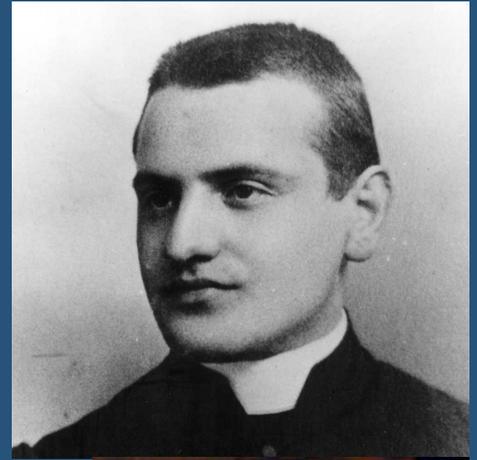
John XXIII

Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli

*Ordained 10 August 1904
Consecrated 19 March 1925*

Papacy 28 October 1958 - 3 June 1963

*Motto: Obedientia et Pax
Obedience and Peace*



JOURNAL OF A SOUL
THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF POPE JOHN XXIII



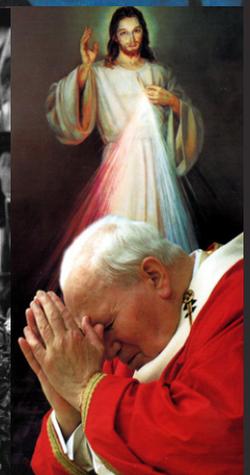
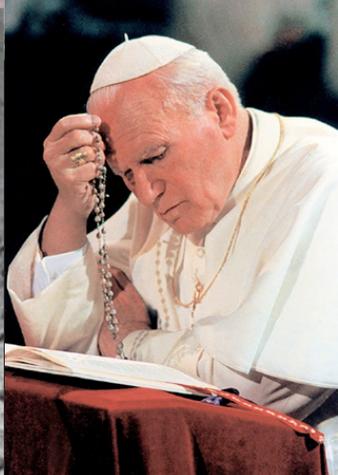
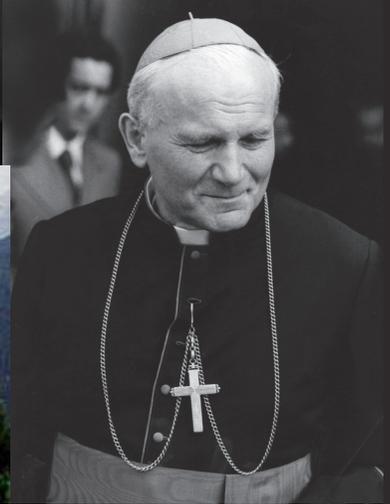
John Paul II

Karol Jozef Wojtyla

*Ordained 1 November 1946
Consecrated 28 September 1958*

Papacy 16 October 1978 - 2 April 2005

*Motto: Totus Tuus
Totally Yours*



Calendar of Events

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sunday, 30 March 2014

7.30 am ✕ Josh Cooper
9.00 am Nolan Scott Ehler
(3rd Birthday)
11.00 am Pro populo
1.00 pm Spanish Mass

Monday, 31 March 2014

7.00 am ✕ Delmer F. Quackenbush, Jr.

Tuesday, 1 April 2014

7.00 am ✕ Mildred Tully
12.00 noon ✕ Peter Murphy

Wednesday, 2 April 2014

7.00 am Rachel Pelicano
12.00 noon ✕ Charles Gore

Thursday, 3 April 2014

7.00 am ✕ Theresa Colangelo
12.00 noon ✕ Margaret Forbes

Friday, 4 April 2014

7.00 am ✕ Ana Arroyave

Saturday, 5 April 2014

5.00 pm ✕ George Francis

Meetings & Events *

Sunday, 30 March 2014

Nursery during 9.00 & 11.00 am Masses
Coffee & donuts: After the 9.00 am Mass
9.00 am 3 & 4 Year Olds (K4
classroom of Sacred Heart Hall)
9.00 am Scripture Study
10.10 am Morning Prayer
(McGrady)
5.00 pm Vespers (church)
6.00 pm High School Youth Group
(McGrady)

Monday, 31 March 2014

6.30 pm Boy Scout Meeting
(McGrady)

Tuesday, 1 April 2014

1.00 pm Senior Men's Club

Wednesday, 2 April 2014

5.00-6.00 pm Holy Hour &
Confessions (church)
6.30-7.30 pm Religious Education
6.30-7.30 pm RCIA (McGrady)

Thursday, 3 April 2014

3.00 pm Cenacles/Rosary
4.00 pm Prayer Meeting
5.00-6.00 pm Confessions (church)
6.30 pm Program of Catholic
Studies (McGrady)

Friday, 4 April 2014

6.15 am Morning Prayer (church)
6.30-8.00 am Pillars of Christ
10.00 am Scripture Study Class
3.10-4.45 pm Youth Choir Practice
6.00 pm Way of the Cross (E/c)
7.00 pm Way of the Cross (S/c)

Saturday, 5 April 2014

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

Financial Report

Weekend of 22/23 Mar.

Needed	31,500
Received	28,461
Shortage	3,039
Poor Box	542

Offertory Year to Date

Needed	1,197,000
Received	1,205,133
Surplus	8,133

Electronic Giving: To sign up or to receive more information, please contact Pat Perkins in the church office at 864.679.4109 or pat.perkins@stmarysgvl.org.

St. Mary's Accepts Credit Cards: To make your gift for the Regular Offertory Collection and Fund Drive for the Future using MasterCard, Visa or American Express, please call Pat Perkins at 864.679.4109 for the authorization form.



Facebook

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

E - English / S - Spanish
c - church

* All events in Sacred Heart Hall
unless a location is listed.



The St. Mary's
Program of Catholic Studies
presents



Catholic Controversies: The Crusades

~ WITH ~

T.J. Nielsen

Director of Christian Formation at
St. Mary's Catholic Church

Event Location:

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Downtown Greenville

McGrady Hall

(the church undercroft)

Thursday

3 April

@ 6.30 pm

For More Information Contact T.J. Nielsen | Timothy.Nielsen@stmarysgvl.org | 864.679.4114

Podcasts on itunes &

<http://www.stmarysgvl.org/catechesis/program-of-catholic-studies>

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2014

Monday 14 April	7.00 am Mass
Tuesday 15 April	No Mass Today
Wednesday 16 April	7.00 am Mass 12.00 pm Mass 5.00 pm Holy Hour and Confessions

THE PASCHAL TRIDUUM

Maundy Thursday 17 April

	No Morning Mass
7.00 pm	English Mass of the Lord's Supper in the church
7.00 pm	Spanish Mass of the Lord's Supper in the Baum Center <i>Adoration in the church ending at 9.00 pm</i>

Good Friday 18 April

3.00 pm	English Passion of Our Lord in the church
3.00 pm	Spanish Passion of Our Lord in the Baum Center
6.00 pm	English Way of the Cross in the church
6.00 pm	Spanish Way of the Cross in the Baum Center

Holy Saturday 19 April

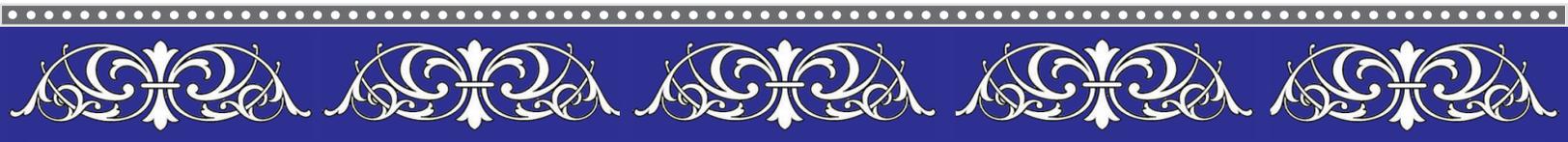
8.00 pm	English Vigil of Easter in the church
8.00 pm	Spanish Vigil of Easter in the Baum Center

****Confessions are not heard, and the 5.00 pm Mass is not celebrated.****

Easter Sunday 20 April

7.30 am	English Mass in the church
9.00 am	English Mass in the church
9.00 am	English Mass in the Baum Center
11.00 am	English Mass in the church
1.00 pm	Spanish Mass in the church

The church office will close at noon on Thursday 17 April and reopen on Tuesday 22 April.



PARISH NEWS

New Diocesan Pastoral Center

The Diocese of Charleston is currently building a new Pastoral Center. To view a video overview of the project and the need for a new Chancery building, conference center and diocesan chapel, click below or visit <http://youtu.be/r9TkdQxBJTk>

Thank You

“The Board of Governors, staff, and volunteers of Project Host thank you for your donation. Contributions like yours help The Project Host Soup Kitchen offer a balanced, nutritious meal each day in a safe, clean, and loving environment to all who are hungry.”

Prayer Requests

Please pray for all those who are hospitalized and for all those who are shut-ins, ill or recuperating at home, especially Alan Howard, Alice Howard, Mike McGrady, Gordon Gibbs, Ronald Labbe, Andrew Brett, Cassandra Gomes, Paulina Cruz, Patricia Ridgeway, John Narduzzi and Brett Gervais.

Requiescat in pace

Please pray for the repose of the souls of John Narduzzi and Fadwa Chalouhi who died this week. We extend our prayers and sympathy to their family and friends.

Prayer For The Faithful Departed

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



Welcome Newcomers

We welcome the following new members to our parish family: Mr. & Mrs. Randy Osborne.

St. Mary's Wedding Committee

The Wedding Committee is a team of volunteer women who help coordinate the weddings that take place at St. Mary's during the year. They are asking for new volunteers to join their team. You would be asked to help at the Friday evening rehearsal and Saturday wedding for a few hours several times a year. If interested please contact Cathy Markway at cmarkway@bellsouth.net.



Your Chance to Help Someone!

The Senior Companions Program is looking for volunteers. The program is a one-on-one ministry of Catholic Charities in collaboration with Bon Secours St. Francis Health System and St. Mary's Catholic Church that matches volunteers with seniors to enrich and enliven the lives of these seniors. It takes just a few hours each month to change lives and form friendships along the way. It's free, flexible, and customized to match you with someone whose life you'll enrich and who will likewise enrich yours.

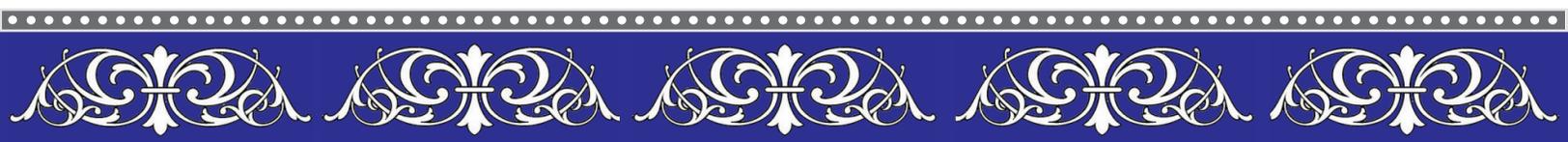
Contact Susanne Wolfe, Senior Companion Co-coordinator at 864.313.5866 or by email at wolfes@charter.net. Also you can contact Karl Rogozenski, Senior Care Coordinator, with Catholic Charities at 242.2233, ext. 2629, or by email at krogozenski@catholic-doc.org.

Take the time to change someone's life. Training for Senior Companion care givers is set for Friday 11 April 2014 from 1.00-4.00 pm in Sacred Heart Hall. If you are interested in participating in this program or have already signed up, please plan to attend this training. Thank you.

Easter Flowers

Parishioners are encouraged to help decorate the church and the Baum Center for the Holy Week and Easter Liturgies. If you wish to honor a loved one, living or deceased, please use your Easter Flower Offering envelope or a plain white envelope for your donation. Please include your name and the names of those you wish to honor.

Memorial requests must be submitted no later than Monday 7 April. Thank you for your support and cooperation.



“God in His great mercy, has instituted the sacrament by which the sins committed after baptism may be remitted. No human being would ever have thought of this sacrament of reconciliation for it is something like a resurrection; we rise after we are dead. It is a journey back again to God. It enables us to get rid of infections before they become chronic diseases and epidemics. The sacrament of reconciliation is the inflowing of God’s mercy, an opportunity for the increase of the grace of Calvary. It is a medicine for the soul, the healing of our wounds, a homecoming, an undoing of the past; an opportunity to get a fresh start in life, another bath, a kind of secondary baptism.”



- Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen

Special time for Confession
for those who have not been to Confession
in many months or years

5.00-6.00 pm on Thursday 3 April



Archdiocese of Atlanta
Eucharistic Congress
June 20-21, 2014

Lenten Penance Service

31 March from 7.00-9.00 pm at St. Mary Magdalene on Woodruff Road.

Young Adult Lenten Evening of Recollection

Looking for a way to pull away from the busyness of life for an evening of prayer and fellowship with other young adults? Join other Catholic Young Adults Friday 28 March for our Catholic Young Adult Lenten Evening of Recollection. The evening begins at 7.00 pm and will include guided Meditations by Fr. Michael Boyle, Adoration, Confession and Fellowship.

Location for the event is St. Mary’s Catholic Church, 111 Hampton Avenue, Greenville, SC. The evening will begin in Sacred Heart Hall.

For more information visit catholicyoungadultsofsc.com or email rneubauer@catholic-doc.org.



Lucis Via

All young adults (18-39) are welcomed & encouraged to join our ministry whose mission is to help young adults answer the universal call to holiness.

Thursdays: Adoration at 7.00 pm at Prince of Peace

Mondays: Join us in the St Francis Eastside Hospital 125 Commonwealth Drive Greenville, SC 29615. We meet in Room 201 except on the 2nd Monday of the month when we’ll meet in the Chapel. Class starts at 7:00 pm.

Tuesdays: A few weeks remain in the study of St. Francis de Sales’ *Finding God’s Will For You*.

Upcoming events:

Sunday 30 March	Road Warriors Hockey Game
Saturday 12 April	Project Host Garden
Wednesday 23 April	Member Outreach Effort
Saturday 26 April	Blood Drive & Letters to Troops

For more information on these events visit the Lucis Via Facebook page.

Follow us: [Facebook.com/LVgreenville](https://www.facebook.com/LVgreenville)

Email us: LVgreenville@gmail.com

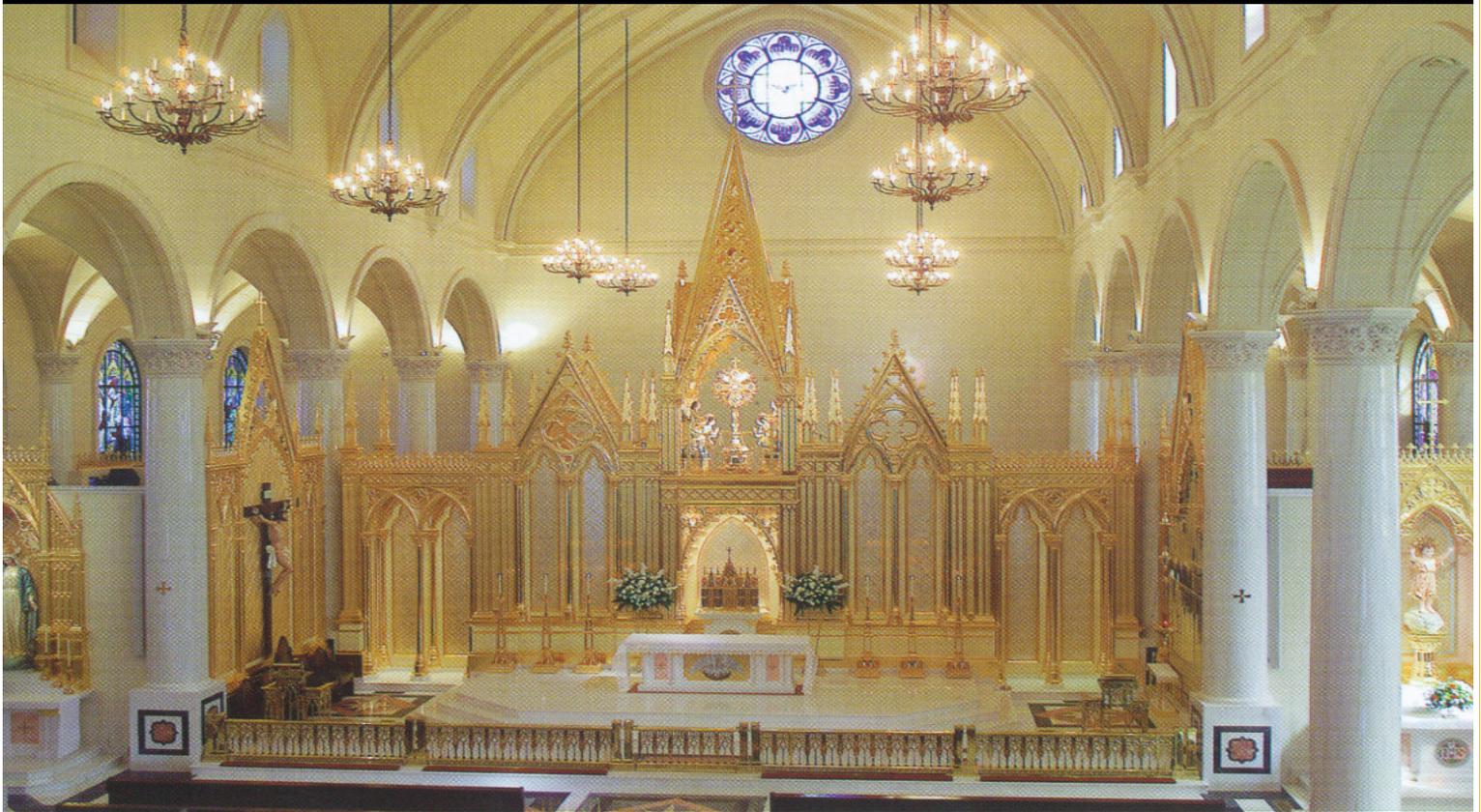
www.lvgreenville.com

Call: 864.266.8843



Divine Mercy Sunday

Pilgrimage



Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Greer announces the plan for a pilgrimage to **EWTN** and the **Divine Mercy Sunday** celebration at the **Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament** in Alabama.

This pilgrimage will focus on asking for His Mercy, being merciful to others, and completely trusting in Jesus.

*Visit the **Most Rev. Robert J. Baker** at EWTN*
*Spiritual director: **Fr. Philip Gillespie***

Dates of trip: Friday, April 25 – Sunday, April 27, 2014
Price of trip: \$270 (double occupancy) , \$320 (single occupancy)
Includes: Transportation, Lodging at Saint Bernard Abbey Retreat Center,
9 meals, and Ave Maria Grotto

REGISTER BY: APRIL 11, 2014

For more information, please call (864) 879-4225 or www.blessedtrinitysc.com

SAINT MARY'S SCHOOL

www.stmarysgvl.org/theschool



Main Office Number: 864.271.3870

Fax: 864.271.0159

Nelle Palms, Director of Admissions

nelle.palms@stmarysgvl.org

864.679.4117

Pat Lanning, Safe Environment Coordinator

patricia.lanning@stmarysgvl.org

St. Mary's School Testing

The fourth testing date will be held Saturday 12 April at St. Mary's School at 9.00 am. The deadline to register is Wednesday 4 April.

Please contact Nelle Palms for more information at 864.679.4117 or nelle.palms@stmarysgvl.org.

St. Mary's 26th Annual Golf Gala Friday 30 May

This exciting event is not only an excellent way to support our school, but a very fun day with parents and faculty!

Golf Registration

Registration and information for the golf tournament during the day are available in the Golf Classic section of the school website.

Evening With St. Mary's Gala Tickets Embassy Suites Greenville

Tickets to the evening gala are \$45.00 each. We are going paperless for this event, tickets are available for sale online through Eventbrite.com. Click here to purchase tickets: 2014 St. Mary's Golf Gala Tickets. Please contact Terri McMorrow with any questions at 864.906.1393 or at tmcmorrow1978@gmail.com.

Remember: this year's golf tournament and gala evening will fund a new playground!

Dominican Nugget from the Sisters

Frescos by Fra Angelico ~ part 2

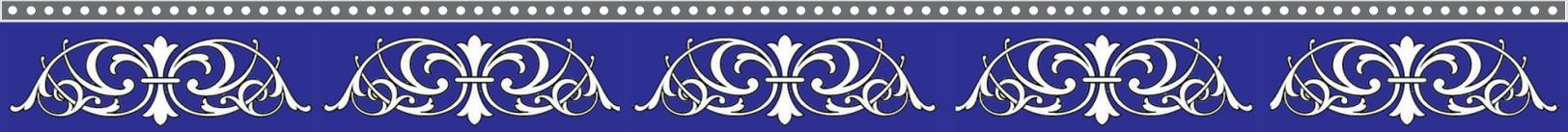
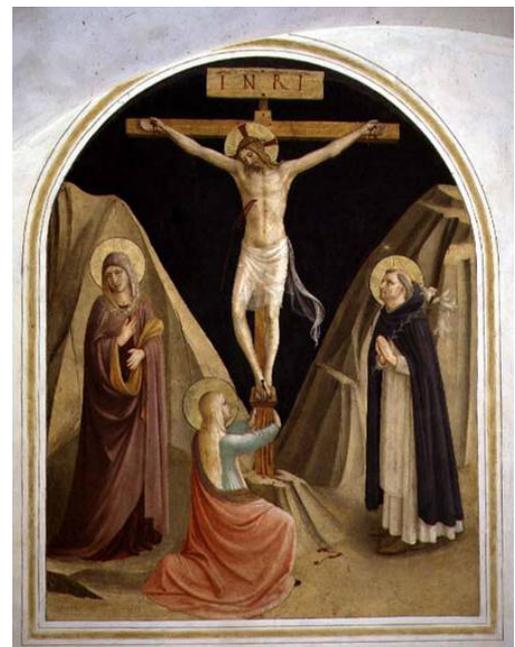
Dominicans contemplate and preach Truth. One famous Dominican, Blessed John of Fiesole, preached Truth with paintings so beautiful that his medieval contemporaries gave him the nickname "Brother Angel" or Fra Angelico.

If you ever find yourself visiting Florence, Italy, be sure to tour San Marco! Now a museum, this was once a priory of Dominican Friars, and Fra Angelico was asked to paint a fresco on the wall of each Friar's cell (bedroom) to give him an image to guide his contemplation of the life of Christ.

Below is an image showing the crucifixion fresco in one Friar's cell. Who is present at the scene? (Hint: Saint Dominic, founded the Order of Preachers in the middle ages, and the colors of the Dominican habit are black and white.) Is this historically accurate? What is Fra Angelico telling us by this arrangement?

Application: Pray the Stations of the Cross at least once this Lent to unite with Jesus in His Passion. There are many ways to pray the stations; one of the most simple ways is to visit the church when it is quiet and walk around the side aisles, pausing to pray before the image of each station (no booklet or set prayers are required). St. Mary's is blessed to have very beautiful images of the stations - don't miss out!

Mass is offered at St. Mary's Monday-Friday from 7.00-7.30 am. Consider coming to an early Mass at least once during Lent and then, after Mass, pray before each Station of the Cross.



Perpetual Adoration

Prince of Peace Parish in Taylors, SC wishes to extend a warm invitation to all area parishioners to become members of our perpetual adoration Guild of St. Thomas Aquinas. Please contact Tom O'Donnell (POP parishioner and Guild coordinator) at 864.610.0588 if you would like to take one of these hours.

Hours in need of an adorer

Wednesday 3 am, 1 pm & 3 pm

Thursday 2pm & 8 pm

Saturday 3 am

Sunday 8 am & 1 pm

South Carolina Council of Catholic Women Scholarship

The SCCCW is offering a \$1,500 Scholarship to eligible SC students who are female, graduating seniors planning to attend an institution of higher education. Student must be a Catholic in good standing and a letter of recommendation from an ecclesiastical body (priest, brother, deacon, or nun) is required. Student must be actively involved in school life and the community.

Please visit scccw.org/pentis.htm for complete information and download the application. **Deadline is 15 April 2014.**

Lay Carmelites

Come and see... Wanting to deepen your faith and prayer life? Drawn to the Carmelite saints and spirituality? The Lay Carmelite Community of Greenville invites interested Catholic men and women to come to their next meeting on Saturday 5 April following the 9 am Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton on 8 Gillin Drive, Simpsonville. For more information, contact Carolyn 864.320.7889 or Jan 864.287.5495.

St. Joseph's Fine Arts Department Spring Musical

"Fiddler on the Roof"

Performances are at the school on Friday 4 April and Saturday 5 April at 7.00 pm, and a special Sunday family matinee performance on 6 April at 3.00 pm. More information and a ticket order form can be found on the school website at sjcatholicschool.org.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Religious Education Grades 1-8

Classes for grades 1-8 meet on Wednesday 6.30-7.30 pm.

Sunday Mornings for 3 & 4 Year Olds

Class meets Sunday at 9.00 am in the K-4 classroom in Sacred Heart Hall.

Vacation Bible School 2014

Cool Kingdom Party: Mary Leads Me Closer to Jesus will be the week of 16-20 June from 9 am to noon.

THIRD DAY Overview: **Theme:** Mary is Queen of Heaven and Earth. **Saint:** St. Joseph. **Virtue:** Faith.

Registration forms for families, teen volunteers and adult volunteers are now available on the parish website at stmarysgvl.org under the Catechesis tab or in Sacred Heart Hall or the Church office.



Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Homeschool Conference

Belmont Abbey College - Gym
100 Belmont-Mt. Holly Rd. Belmont, NC 28012

Friday 23 May @ 2.00 - 8.00 pm
Saturday 24 May @ 9.30 am - 3.30 pm

Visit ihmconference.org/carolina for speaker and vendor information. Admission is free.

St. Mary's Women's Club \$1,000 Scholarship Award

This scholarship was created to encourage and promote the themes of Spirituality, Leadership and Service among Catholic females graduating from high school, in a continuing education program, or enrolled in a college or university. The applicant must be a registered member of St. Mary's parish. **Deadline is 28 April 2014.** To download the application, visit the "What's New" section on the parish website.

Father Jay Scott Newman, VF
Pastor of St. Mary's Church
pastor@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4101

Father Jon Chalmers
Assisting Priest
fatherchalmers@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4121

Father Francisco Cruz
Assisting Priest
fathercruz@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4116

Father Bart Leon
Assisting Priest
bartleon@gmail.com
864.469.9119

Deacon Diego Ferro
Director of Hispanic Ministries
diego.ferro@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4112

Deacon John Heuser
Director of Liturgical Ministry
john.heuser@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4113

Deacon George Tierney
Director of Baptismal Preparation
george.tierney@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4115

Vickie Acosta
Executive Assistant to the Pastor
vickie.acosta@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4100

Arlen Clarke
Choirmaster
arlen.clarke@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4119

Jennifer Doiron
Director of Finance
jennifer.doiron@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4102

Jaime Escobar
Director of Facilities
jaime.escobar@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4107

Robert Lee
Organist
robert.lee@stmarysgvl.org
864.901.4200

Joann Miller
Director of Religious Education
joann.miller@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4110

Timothy Nielsen
Director of Christian Formation
timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4114

Pat Perkins
Director of Administration
pat.perkins@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4109

Lisa Watkins
Director of Communications
lisa.watkins@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4105

Dorothy Whalen
Caritas Counseling Services, LLC
dorothy.whalen@stmarysgvl.org
864.679.4122

