



St. Mary's Catholic Church



Greenville, South Carolina

2 November 2014

Dear Friends in Christ,

One year ago, after many months of messy construction and on the Solemnity of All Saints, we dedicated two spectacular additions to our beautiful campus: Sacred Heart Columbarium and Miller Square. Because of our location in the heart of the city, St. Mary's will never have a graveyard, and for that reason, our columbarium is the only means of providing the possibility for our parishioners and others to rest by the church. After a full year to adjust to the new configuration of our campus, I hope you agree that Sacred Heart Columbarium is a sacred place of singular beauty and grace and a noble structure worthy to stand next to St. Mary's Church.

This edifice of limestone and steel, of brick and granite, of slate and heart of pine provides space for the final rest of 600 persons, and it will stand as a perpetual witness to the memory of those who here await resurrection to eternal life. Throughout the month of November, in observance of the anniversary of the dedication of Sacred Heart Columbarium, all niches are available for a discount of 5% off the regular price, and details are available in the e-bulletin or by contacting the church office.

At the center of our columbarium stands an eight foot bronze statue of the Lord Jesus under the title of his Sacred Heart, the symbol of his love for each and every human person. The statue is the work of local artist and sculptor Charlie Pate, and it is given in memory of our departed parishioner David Wylie – the first person whose remains were committed to the columbarium – by Mills and Carol Anne Gallivan and their family. From his Sacred Heart, the Lord Jesus calls to us: *I am the Way, and the Truth, and the Life*. Please take the opportunity on this All Souls' Day and throughout November to walk inside the columbarium and pray to our loving Savior for the souls of those whose remains will rest here until the Last Day.

Every jewel needs a setting, and the public square in front of Sacred Heart Columbarium is designed for the congregation to gather after Sunday Mass and on special occasions such as the lighting of the New Fire at the Vigil of Easter. The Square was given by an anonymous donor in honor of our longtime Director of Religious Education, Joann Miller, in thanksgiving for her decades of loving service to the children of the parish. No matter where you park on our campus, we invite everyone to stroll through Miller Square regularly to enjoy the fellowship of your brothers and sisters in the Lord, to visit the columbarium and pray for those whose mortal remains lie at rest, and to savor the beauty of this sacred place which proclaims to all who come here that Jesus Christ is Lord.

Father Newman



THE DIOCESE OF CHARLESTON

October 23, 2014

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We are members of a community of faith with a long tradition of teaching and action on human life, marriage and family, justice and peace, care for creation, and the common good. As citizens of the United States, we have a duty to participate in framing the discussion of public issues and the selection of those who occupy positions of leadership. We are blessed with religious liberty which safeguards our right to bring our principles and moral convictions into the public square. These Constitutional freedoms need to be both exercised and protected, as some seek to silence the voices or limit the freedoms of religious believers and religious institutions.

With the 2014 general election in the next week, I ask that you consider the issue of faithful citizenship and voting with a conscience. Participation in elections requires careful discernment in light of our moral principles and faith. As faithful citizens, our decisions in the voting booth should respect the interests of all, particularly those members of our society who are weak and marginalized. When we register to vote, we willingly accept the task of educating ourselves on the issues and candidates and voting with a properly formed conscience. Conscience is more than a voice within calling us to follow what is considered acceptable behavior for the day. It provides a constant moral foundation that guides our thoughts and actions from the very simple to the most complex. We have a duty to fully form our conscience and increase its sensitivity to how the issues before us address and serve the common good.

In this coming election and beyond, I urge all faithful Catholics to rise to the occasion and participate in the political process. This kind of political responsibility is a requirement of our faith and our duty as citizens.

In the Lord's Peace,

Most Reverend Robert E. Guglielmone
Bishop of Charleston

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Calendar of Events

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sunday, 2 November 2014

7.30 am ✱ Emily Rose Gomes
 9.00 am Vanessa Acosta Babb
 11.00 am Pro populo
 1.00 pm Spanish Mass

Monday, 3 November 2014

7.00 am Heuser Family

Tuesday, 4 November 2014

7.00 am ✱ Ana Arroyave
 12.00 noon ✱ Lillian Lytell
 (3rd anniversary of death)

Wednesday, 5 November 2014

7.00 am Fr. Newman
 12.00 noon ✱ Ellen McDonnell

Thursday, 6 November 2014

7.00 am ✱ Marilyn Stockemer
 12.00 noon ✱ Mary Butler

Friday, 7 November 2014

7.00 am ✱ Jeanne Hofmann

Saturday, 8 November 2014

5.00 pm ✱ Deceased Members /
 Eassy Family

Meetings & Events *

Sunday, 2 November 2014

Nursery during 9.00 & 11.00 am Masses
 Coffee & doughnuts: 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)
 6.00 pm HS Youth Group (McGrady)

Monday, 3 November 2014

6.30 pm Boy Scout Meeting
 (McGrady)
 6.30 pm Cub Scouts

Tuesday, 4 November 2014

1.00 pm Senior Men's Club

Wednesday, 5 November 2014

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

Thursday, 6 November 2014

2.30 pm Cenacles/Rosary
 3.30 pm Prayer Meeting
 6.30 pm Wills Presentation (Gallivan)

Friday, 7 November 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

Saturday, 8 November 2014

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

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

Financial Report

Weekend of 25/26 October

Needed	32,000
Received	30,036
Shortage	1,964

Poor Box	275
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Offertory Year to Date

Needed	544,000
Received	506,568
Shortage	37,432

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 Doiron at jennifer.doiron@stmarysgvl.org.



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 St. Mary's Catholic Church
 Greenville SC.

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Date : 6 November 2014

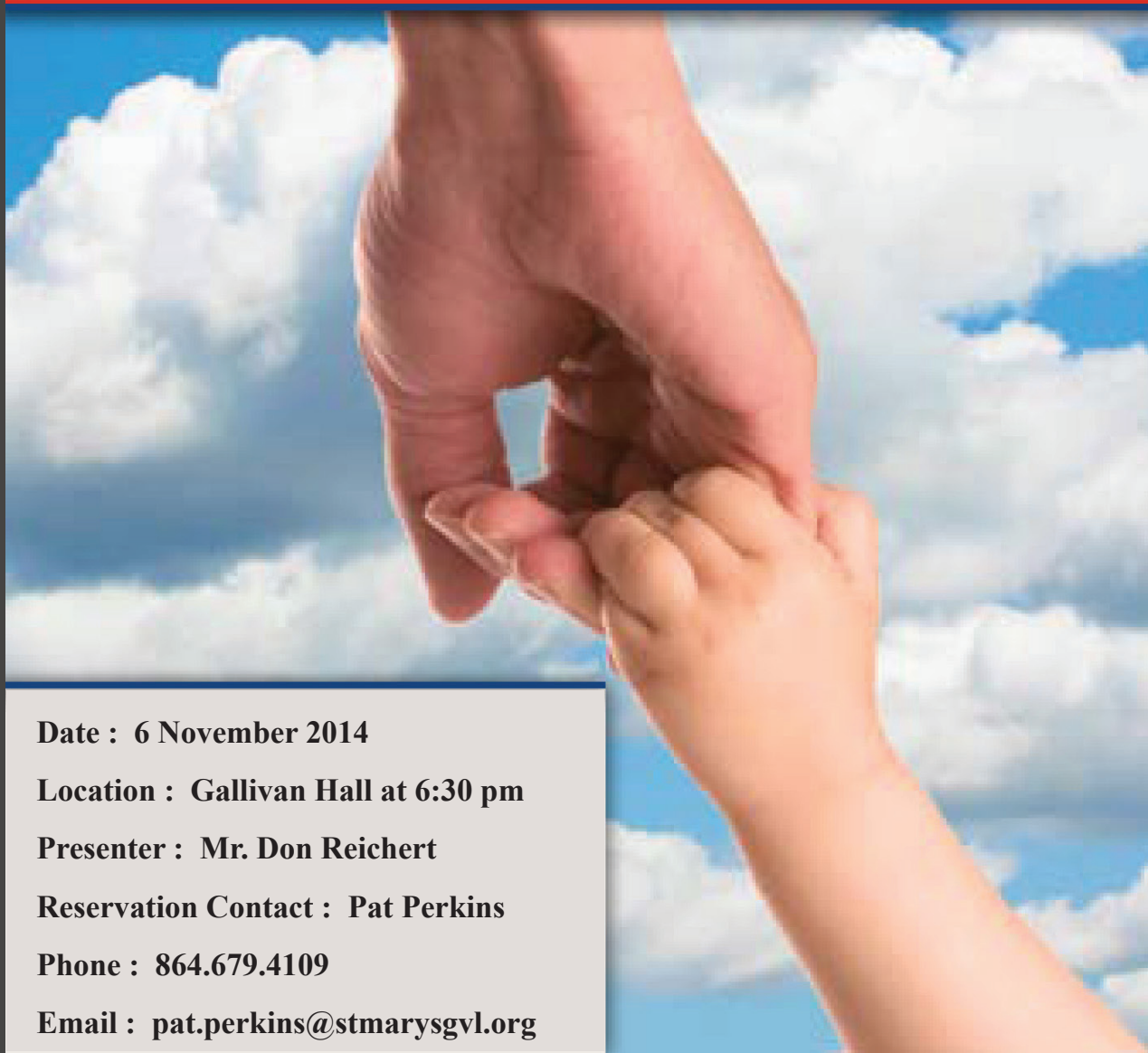
Location : Gallivan Hall at 6:30 pm

Presenter : Mr. Don Reichert

Reservation Contact : Pat Perkins

Phone : 864.679.4109

Email : pat.perkins@stmarysgvl.org



**Saturday 1 November
Solemnity of All Saints**

Mass at 10.00 am

**Sunday 2 November
Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed
(All Souls' Day)**

Regular weekend Mass schedule

St. Mary's Prayer Chain Ministry

St. Mary's Prayer Chain is a network of parishioners who receive prayer requests by telephone and then pray for those requests. Please call the office at 864.271.8422, ext 127 to submit your requests. Information received will be kept confidential.

**Marian Retreat at St. Mary's
33 Days to Morning Glory**

All meetings are held on Mondays from 7:00-8:30 pm in the Monsignor Gwynn Room on the first floor of Sacred Heart Hall. Dates for the meetings are: 3, 10, 17 & 24 November and 1 & 8 December. Contact retreat coordinators Eileen Scoggins (864.415.8289) or Barb Bathon (574.261.2294) to register.



**st. mary's
catholic school**

TRADITION ✦ VIRTUE ✦ EXCELLENCE

**OPEN HOUSE WEEK
November 3-7, 2014**

K3-8th Grade
Please call 864.679.4117
for a tour appointment
www.stmarysgvl.org/theschool

PARISH NEWS

Collection for 1 November (10 am Mass)

All Saints

Collection for 1/2 November

Support of the Parish & St. Mary's Building Fund

Time Change Reminder



Daylight Savings Time ends on Sunday 2 November. Remember to set your clocks back 1 hour.

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, Ronald Labbe, Andrew Brett, Cassandra Gomes, Paulina Cruz, Brett Gervais, Judy Byrum, Charles Moran.

Welcome Newcomers

We welcome the following new members to our parish family: Mr. & Mrs. Randy Tessier, Ms. Ashley Acosta, Mr. Joseph Vaina and Ms. Darya Martin.

Congratulations to

JoliAnne Alita Lawson and Zachary Anthony Gomes who were baptized last weekend.

St. Mary's Senior Fellowship

Please join us for lunch on Saturday 8 November at 12 pm in Sacred Heart Hall to kick off the new season. Bring a dish or dessert to share. New members age 55 plus and guests are encouraged to come spend time with us! For more information, contact Patricia Wellham at 864.294.9270.



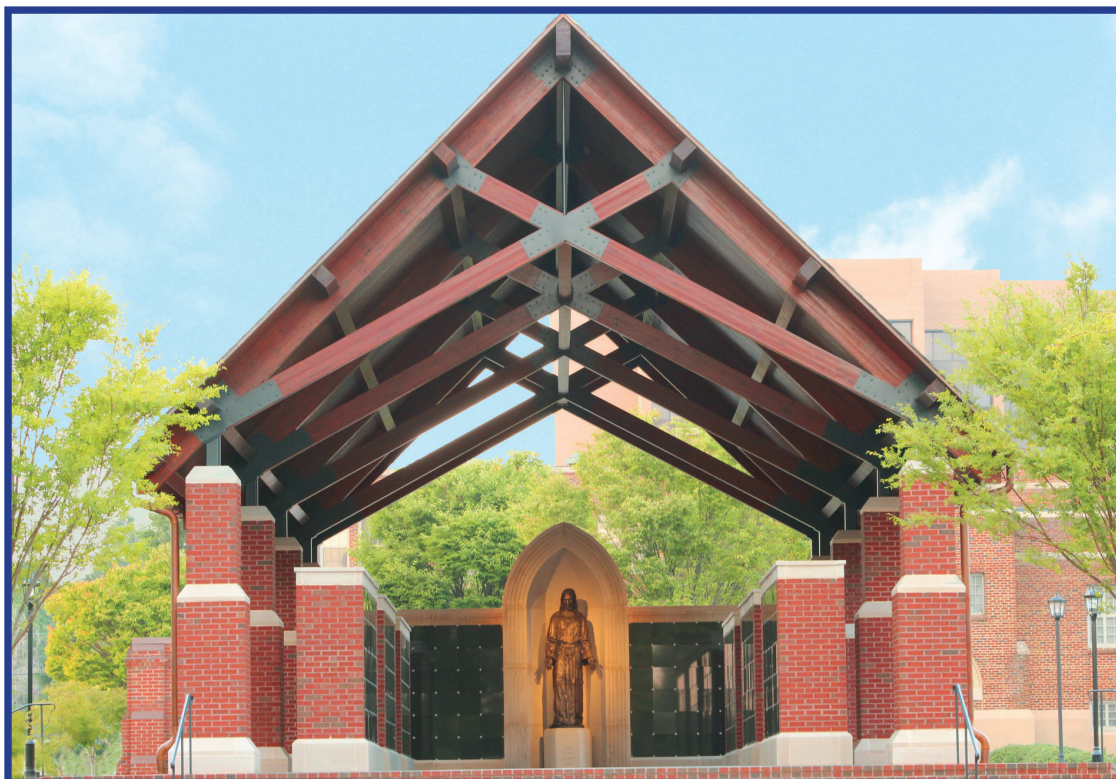
Bulletin Submissions

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



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Greenville, South Carolina



Sacred Heart Columbarium at St. Mary's Church contains 600 niches surrounding a bronze statue of the Lord Jesus — a beautiful and sacred place for mortal remains to rest next to our church. During November, these niches are available at the discounted prices of \$3800, \$5225, and \$7125 depending on their location. To learn more or to arrange a visit, please contact Jennifer Doiron at 864.679.4102 or jennifer.doiron@stmarysgvl.org.

Catholic Fellowship Dinners

If you would like to enjoy a good meal and fellowship you are invited to attend the evening dinners and socials held throughout the year. Our next get together will be 7 December. Meet and greet new and old friends of our parishes. Come join us! For information call Judy at 864.884.9853.

Women's Club

Join us for our November Meeting, sponsored by our Community Commission, on Tuesday 11 November at 10.00 am in the Monsignor Gwynn Room on the first floor of Sacred Heart Hall. The speaker will be Sarah Beattie, Development Director of Gateway House, a premier mental health resource in Greenville that offers opportunities for adults with mental illness to live, work, and function as independently as possible. More than 90 individuals visit the house daily. Please bring a toiletry item for donation to the Gateway House. Refreshments will be served.

Women's Club Christmas Ornament

The 2014 Window Ornament, "Pray and Labor," is now available! Please see the Ornament Flyer in next week's e-bulletin for complete information.

Reserve your ornament before they sell out.

Contact Andrea Phillips at 864.320.1492 or aphillips@greenvillecounty.org for questions.



High School Youth Group

Sunday 2 November: Regular Sunday night meeting from 6.00-8.00 pm, in McGrady Hall - undercroft of the church. Please contact Chris Stansberry at chris.stansberry@stmarysgvl.org or 630.1646 for more information about St. Mary's High School Ministry.

CONCORDIAE Singers of Ecclesiastical Music

Arlen Clarke, Conductor

Johann Sebastian Bach

Magnificat

George Frederic Händel

Messiah

Part 1

Sunday, 23 November 2014
7.00 PM

*General Admission Suggested Donation \$20
For the Support of the American Guild of Organists
Young Organist Scholarship Fund*

Saint Mary's Church, Greenville, South Carolina
Fr. Jay Scott Newman, Pastor

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Sunday Mornings for 3 & 4 Year Olds

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

Religious Education Grades 1-8

Classes meet Wednesdays from 6.30-7.30 pm.

Confirmation Practice

Monday 17 November at 6.00 pm St. Mary's Confirmation students and their sponsors will have a dinner and practice for Confirmation. Please meet in Macalka Dinning Hall.

Confirmation

Bishop Robert E. Guglielmone will confirm the Confirmation Candidates at St. Mary's on Tuesday 18 November at 7.00 pm. Please keep our Candidates in your prayers.

First Sunday Holy Hour

Please join the Saint Rafka Maronite community as they gather for a holy hour on the first Sunday of the month at 3 pm. During the holy hour, the Blessed Sacrament is exposed, the Chaplet of Mercy is prayed, confessions are heard and there is Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at the conclusion.

Saint Rafka is located at 1215 S Hwy 14, Greer, SC 29650.

PERPETUAL EUCCHARISTIC 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

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 2 am

Thursday 1 am

Friday 4 am & 4 pm

St. Joseph's Catholic School

St. Joseph's High School Open House for fall 2015 admissions will be held on Sunday 9 November on the school's campus. The program, which begins at 1.00 pm, will offer prospective families an opportunity to learn more about the high school, pick up applications, tour the facility with current students, and meet the high school teachers and coaches. For more information, call 234.9009.



The Eparchy of St. Maron of Brooklyn



The Mission Church of Saint Rafka,
Greer, SC

The Relics of St. Rafka come to the U S A



**In Celebration of the 100 Anniversary
of Her Passing Into Eternal Life
(1914 - 2014)**

Coming to South Carolina

November 8 - 9 Saint Rafka Maronite Catholic Church

**Join the Maronite Community in veneration of the jawbone of Saint Rafka during
Masses and times of vigil and prayer. More information at 864.469.9119 or
secretary@saintrafka.net**

**Diocese of Charleston
Feast of the 117 Vietnamese Martyrs
Sunday 16 November at 2.30 pm
St. Martin de Porres Church
2229 Hampton Street, Columbia, SC**

All are invited to attend the Feast of the 117 Vietnamese Martyrs. This is the annual celebration of the canonization of 117 Vietnamese martyrs who represent more than 130,000 who were persecuted for their faith in the 18th and 19th centuries in Vietnam. The awareness of being "descendants of the martyrs" is very much alive among the more than 7 million Catholics in Vietnam, and the more than one million expatriates in the world. A procession and celebration of the Eucharist, with Fr. Paul Nguyen, CO as celebrant and Fr. David Phan, OFM, Vicar for Vietnamese Catholics, as con celebrant, will begin at 2.30 pm, with a reception immediately following. Please RSVP to Michael Tran, Assistant Director for the Office of the Ethnic Ministries at 864.704.6559 or mtran@catholic-doc.org.



**SAVE
THE DATE**

St. Mary's School Library

Barnes & Noble Bookfair

Nov. 7-14, 2014

At St. Mary's School Library

During School Hours

Ends at Noon Nov. 14

**Parents are invited to shop with their children during
their scheduled shopping times.**

You also may shop at Barnes & Noble at Greenridge.

**Please remember to use Bookfair ID #11489150 when shopping at the
store so our school will get credit for your purchases.**

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SAINT MARY'S SCHOOL

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From the PTO Box Top Competition

First place is currently held by 3rd grade!! 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 5th are close behind.

Send Box Tops to school with your child. Please spare a moment to clip them neatly: it would save a bunch of time on my end. Keep an eye out for Bonus Box Top items - this is a great way to rack up the points!

I am looking into creating a PTO position to handle this job. It would include organizing the counting and bagging of box tops from all the classrooms to be done each month every 2nd Wednesday for about 1 hour. So if anyone is interested in becoming the St. Mary's Box Top Czar (when are you ever going to get a chance at a title like that? I mean, seriously!) - please contact me at joyandcam@charter.net.

2014-2015

The Year of Charity

Charity is loving God with all your heart, mind, and strength, and your neighbor as yourself. Through the theological virtue of charity we place God above all things and recognize that what we do to the least of our brothers, we do unto Him.

Virtue of the Month

Courtesy: being thoughtful of others

Saints of the Month

K3-2nd Grade: St. Martin de Porres

Grades 3-5: Venerable Solanus Casey

Grades 6-8: Venerable Pierre Toussaint

St. Mary's School Open House Week

All families interested in St. Mary's School for the 2015-2016 school year are invited to join us for an Open House Week on Monday 3 November through Friday 7 November 2014. Parents will have the opportunity to have a private tour of the campus, meet faculty and ask questions about our extraordinary school. Please call or email Nelle Palms, Director of Admissions, to schedule your tour at 864.679.4117 or nelle.palms@stmarysgvl.org.



Upcoming Events

3-7 November - Open House Week

3-21 November - Food Drive for Poor Clare Monastery

7-14 November - Book Fair @ Barnes & Noble

St. Mary's Classic & Gala

The St. Mary's Classic & Gala was introduced 26 years ago as a major fundraising event for our school. Each year, this event continues to evolve. Last year, the event raised \$150,000! These funds are exclusively dedicated to our school for classroom items and capital projects.

Funds from last year's Gala went toward installing the new playground your children enjoy each day during recess. We need your help to make this year better than last! Please contact Mrs. Lyvers by e-mail at lisa.lyvers@stmarysgvl.org if you would like to donate your talents to pulling off this spectacular event.



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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.

Young Adult Retreat

14-16 November: The Art of Catholic Living: Catholic Young Adults Fall Retreat at Diakonia Retreat Center in Salem, SC. Join us in retreating for a weekend away, while learning of the beauty in the art of living by the truths and teachings of the Catholic Church with other young adults from across the Diocese of Charleston. Visit the Diocese of Charleston Young Adult Ministry website for registration information.

STUDY

Men's Book Study Tuesdays

Men of Greenville, join your brothers at The Community Tap in a book study of *Be A Man!: Becoming the Man God Created You to Be* by Fr. Larry Richards to rediscover the importance of the spiritual life. Meet at 6.30 pm with discussion from 6.45-8 pm. Contact Dan at 412.651.5333 with questions.

FELLOWSHIP

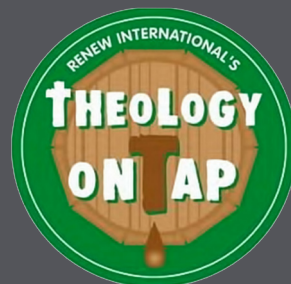
7 November - Monthly Happy Hour at Barley's Taproom & Pizzeria (25 W. Washington St., Greenville, SC 29601). Contacts: Dan & Victoria Burnos at 770.366.3246 (Victoria) or 412.651.5333 (Dan).

Theology on Tap Fall Series



27 October
Recover the Unity

Fr. Jay Scott Newman,
Pastor of St Mary's Church



3 November
Converting to Catholicism

Steven and Beth Jones,
Academic Dean at St Joseph's
Catholic School



10 November
Reviving the Spirit

Matt Mumaugh,
Member of LVG

When: Mondays
6.45 pm

Where: Your Pie
1461 Woodruff Road
Greenville, SC 29615

RSVP on the
LV Facebook events.



17 November
Our Apostolic Mission

Sean Chapman,
SJCS Teacher & RCIA instructor
at Prince of Peace

"Restore us to thyself, O LORD, that we may be restored!"

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