



St. Mary's Catholic Church



Greenville, South Carolina

9 November 2014

Dear Friends in Christ,

This year the autumnal equinox fell on 22 September, but since most of October felt like summer, we can be forgiven for thinking that autumn really began last weekend with the gentle dusting of snow on All Saints' Day. Autumn has long been my favorite time of year because of the glory of the trees, the warm days and cool nights, and above all the feasts in the sacred liturgy. Consider just this week:

On Monday we celebrate Pope Saint Leo the Great who served as Bishop of Rome in the 5th century. His theological brilliance at the Council of Chalcedon saved the Church from heresy, and his personal bravery saved the City of Rome from Attila the Hun.

On Tuesday we celebrate Saint Martin of Tours, a 4th century bishop and founder of monastic life in France. Saint Martin was the first canonized saint who was not also a martyr.

On Wednesday we celebrate Saint Josaphat, a 17th century bishop who was raised in the Ukrainian Orthodox Church and who led a return to full communion with the Bishop and Church of Rome in Ukraine, for which he was martyred in 1623.

On Thursday we celebrate Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, an Italian nun who came to the United States to serve Italian immigrants, founded a community of religious Sisters, established more than 60 schools, hospitals, orphanages, etc, and in 1946 became the first citizen of the US to be canonized.

And on Saturday we celebrate Saint Albert the Great, a 13th century university professor who was acclaimed in his own time as the best educated man alive. He was a Dominican friar, and his star pupil, Thomas Aquinas, became an even more renowned theologian than his great teacher. Albert was made a bishop in the Diocese of Regensburg, where another German intellectual would come to the world's attention seven centuries later: Joseph Ratzinger.

In these autumn days, nature reminds us that all living things die, even as spring will remind us of the promise of new life. So too does the Church's liturgical cycle teach us the wondrous ways in which grace transforms human life. This November we pray for the dead who are being prepared for the bright vision of God's glory and rejoice in the saints who already stand with the angels in the radiance of the One who is Light from Light. Praised be Jesus Christ! Now and forever!

Father Newman

ST. MARY'S

Program of Catholic Studies



SPRING 2015 COURSE OFFERINGS



Tuesday 8.30 am — *The Blessed Trinity: and Our Christian Vocation* (Instructors: T.J. Nielsen and Tony Owens)

Wednesday 6.30 pm — *The Blessed Trinity: and Our Christian Vocation* (Instructors: Tom Whalen and Nestor Acosta)

Thursday 6.30 pm — *Our Moral Life in Christ* (Instructors: Joe Beauchemin, Joe Sanfilippo, T.J. Nielsen)

MORE INFO OR TO REGISTER

See our full booklet and registration form on the parish website,
www.stmarysgvl.org/catechesis/programofcatholicstudies

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

REGISTRATION ENDS 14 DECEMBER

Classes begin week of 4 Jan 2015

THE BLESSED TRINITY: AND OUR CHRISTIAN VOCATION

This course analyzes the Divine Life of God — Father, Son, and Holy Spirit — as revealed in Sacred Scripture. It studies the Christian vocation and how God invites us to be in communion with him, so that we can share in the divine life that he has prepared for us from all eternity.

OUR MORAL LIFE IN CHRIST

This course presents a study of the moral life in Christ — based on his teachings in the Gospels, the Ten Commandments, and the beatitudes — which enable Christians, with God's grace, to imitate the life of Christ in their lives, to make correct moral decisions, and spread the Kingdom of God on earth in their journey toward eternal salvation.

Calendar of Events

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sunday, 9 November 2014

7.30 am	* Deceased Members / Farina Family
9.00 am	* Deceased Members / Gomes Family
11.00 am	Pro populo
1.00 pm	Spanish Mass

Monday, 10 November 2014

7.00 am	Special Intention
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Tuesday, 11 November 2014

7.00 am	* Patrick Murray
12.00 noon	* Thomas Paternigi

Wednesday, 12 November 2014

7.00 am	* Richard Beauchemin
12.00 noon	Jimmy Xhema

Thursday, 13 November 2014

7.00 am	* Patricia Turner
12.00 noon	* Robert John Schwinghamer

Friday, 14 November 2014

7.00 am	* Mack Pazdan
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Saturday, 15 November 2014

5.00 pm	* Eilleen Graham
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Meetings & Events *

Sunday, 9 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)
6.00 pm	Women of Grace

Monday, 10 November 2014

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

Tuesday, 11 November 2014

Schools Task Force: 9 am, 4 pm, 6 pm	
10.00 am	Women's Club
1.00 pm	Senior Men's Club
7.00 pm	Knights of Columbus (McGrady)

Wednesday, 12 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, 13 November 2014

2.30 pm	Cenacles/Rosary
3.30 pm	Prayer Meeting

Friday, 14 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
7.00 pm	Holy Land Presentation (McGrady)

Saturday, 15 November 2014

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

Financial Report

Weekend of 1/2 November

Needed	32,000
Received	33,733
Surplus	1,733

Poor Box	593
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Offertory Year to Date

Needed	576,000
Received	540,301
Shortage	35,699

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.

Visit us on the web at
www.stmarysgvl.org

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

St. Mary's Catholic Church Women's Club
Greenville, South Carolina
2014 Ornament Information and Order Form

Window Name: "Pray and Labor" (Engraved on backside of ornament)

Window Location: The first window on the right after entering the Church from Washington Street

Ornament Size: 3.25" x 2" Gold Plated Frame



Profit from ornament sales will be disbursed to various Catholic charities at the end of the Club's year in May.

Thank you for your continued support of our Mission to serve the church and our community!

Ornaments may be picked up at the SMCWC's Christmas Bake Sale after all English Masses on December 6-7, 2014, in the Macalka Dining Room of Pazdan Hall.

For SMCWC membership information, contact Pat Webb at patwebb1010@charter.net.

Keep For Your Record:

Number of Ornaments Ordered @ \$16.00 each = \$_____ Date:_____

Paid by ☐ check ☐ cash

Cut along dotted line below and submit order form with payment

2014 ORNAMENT ORDER FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail Address _____

Number of Ornaments @ \$16.00 each: _____ Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Make check payable to: St. Mary's Catholic Women's Club

Mail to: Andrea Phillips, 221 Holly Dr., Easley, SC 29640

For More Information Contact Andrea at

aphillips@greenvillecounty.org or 864-320-1492

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 and Charles Moran.

Congratulations to

Sophia Michelle Cossio who was baptized last weekend.

Knights of Columbus Breakfast



The K. of C. Monthly Breakfast is scheduled for **Sunday 16 November** in Macalka Dining Room after all the morning Masses. All are welcome to share breakfast with the parish family.

Menu Items:

A variety of Danish and Fresh Hot Southern Biscuits
Crisp Bacon and Mild Savory Sausage
Homemade Omelets
Vegetable, Bacon, Sausage, and Gluten Free Quiche
Scrambled Eggs, Eggs Benedict, Pancakes, and Grits
Top it off with Hot fresh-made Pepper Southern Gravy

PARISH NEWS

Collection for 8/9 November

Support of the Parish & Bishop's Appeal

Holy Land Presentation

Tom Whalen will conduct a presentation on his trip to the Holy Land complete with photos and an explanation of all points of interest. This event will be held in McGrady Hall on Friday 14 November at 7 pm. It will last for an hour & a half. This program is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Council 13112 and is open to all. There is no cost for admission, however, we will be taking a collection to be given to our Bishop for his Ultrasound Initiative in Guatemala.

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.

Diocese of Charleston Task Force on Catholic Schools

The Diocese of Charleston has begun a comprehensive strategic planning process to revitalize and strengthen Catholic schools across the diocese. This Strategic Growth Plan will be centered on four planning areas: 1. Mission and Catholic Identity; 2. Academic Excellence; 3. Governance and Leadership; and 4. Operational Vitality. Bishop Guglielmone has appointed a Steering Committee to guide the effort. Sandra Leatherwood, Diocesan Director of Catholic Education is the coordinator of the effort. The facilitators of the process are Dr. Regina Haney from NCEA and Dr. Erik Goldschmidt and Frank Donaldson from the Institute of School and Parish Development (ISPD). The process will produce standards and recommendations to ensure a vibrant future for Catholic schools in the diocese.

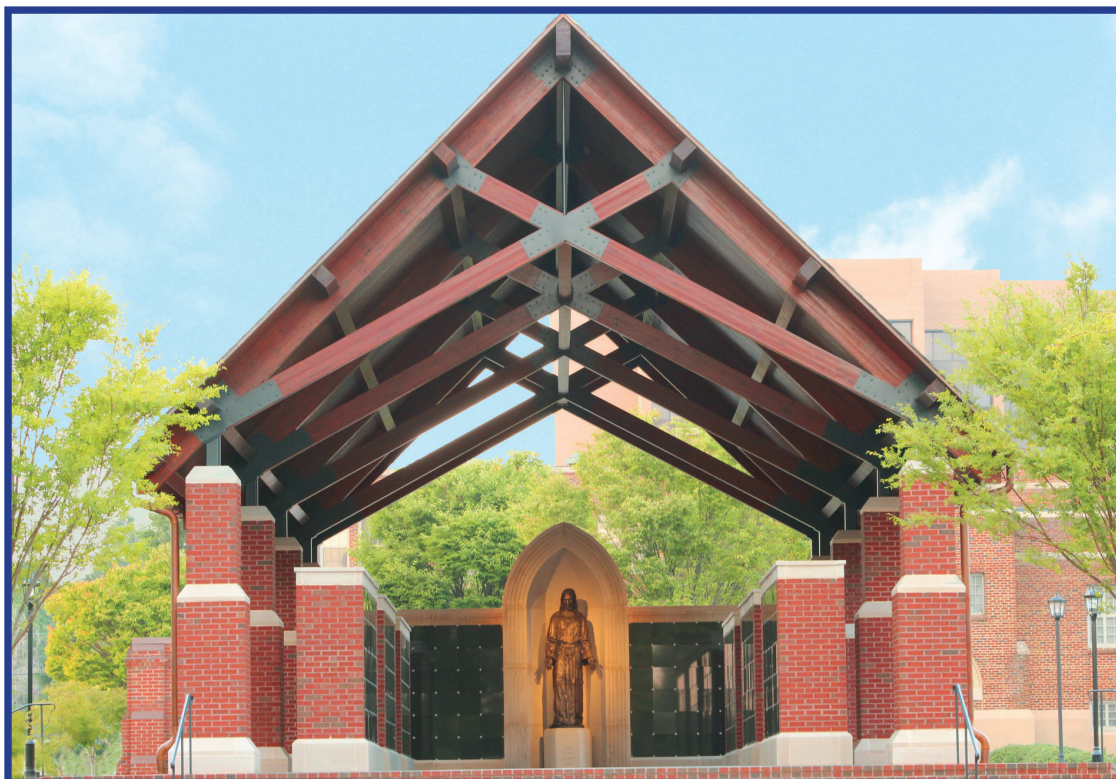
One of the main initiatives of this process will be seeking input from Catholic school stakeholders throughout the diocese from 10-20 November. The process began on 16 October 2014 with an all-day input session with Principals and Pastors of schools. The conversation continues with input/listening sessions in November. The facilitators want to hear from teachers, administrators, parents, pastors, parishioners, and other stakeholders in Catholic school education. **Three 90-minute listening sessions will be held at St Mary's on 11 November in Sacred Heart Hall at 9a, 4p, and 6p.** Please come and share your thoughts and hopes for the future of the Catholic schools in the Diocese of Charleston by attending one of the scheduled sessions. A schedule of other SC locations can be found at www.sccatholic.org/catholic-schools in the Task Force box.

A diocesan-wide Congress will be held in June 2015, and the final Plan will be presented to the Bishop in August 2015. Implementation will begin in September 2015.



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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.

High School Youth Group

Sunday 9 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.

Welcome Newcomers

We welcome the following new members to our parish family: Mr. & Mrs. Johnathan Grumelot and Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Mancuso.

Knights of Columbus Poster Contest

Monsignor Charles J. Baum Council #13112 is holding the Knights of Columbus Alcohol Awareness and Abuse and Drug Awareness and Abuse Poster Contest. The contest is for Boys and Girls 8-11 and 12-14. The youth select to make a poster for either Alcohol Awareness and Abuse or Drug Awareness and Abuse. Posters must be 11" x 17" and include a slogan, visual image and completed entry form. The deadline is 20 November. For more information, please contact Mr. John McGrath at 864.292.0475.

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.

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.

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.

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



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

Holy Hour for Vocations

Prince of Peace in Taylors will be having a Holy Hour for Vocation on Friday 7 November at 7 pm to pray for vocation to the priesthood and for the sanctification of the clergy.

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



Catholic Radio in South Carolina

WCKI 1300 AM

catholicradioinsc.com

Sponsor a Child Before Christmas

Project San Pedro is a child sponsorship program of the Diocese of Charleston in partnership with the Sisters of Bethany and the Diocese of Sololá in Guatemala. We collaborate with the local parishes in Guatemala where the needs are great. For only \$25.00 a month, you or your church group can sponsor one child. Project San Pedro is set up to insure that children, who often end their education prematurely to help support their families, are able to complete school. They are given financial assistance to pay for school, are given nutritional supplements, healthcare and clothing allowances. We have now over 100 children without sponsor.

For more information, please visit our website at sccatholic.org/international-ministries, Project San Pedro, to sign up and sponsor a child today.

Natural Family Planning

A free, introductory session of the Creighton Model FertilityCare System, a modern, effective method of NFP, will be held on Thursday 13 November at 7.00 pm at St. Francis Hospital - Eastside in Greenville. To register to attend, please contact Nancy McGrath, RN, CFCP at 864.292.0475 or NaProNurse@aol.com.

**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.**

Can't attend our bookfair at Barnes & Noble?

Visit **BN.COM/bookfairs** to support us online from 11/07/14 to 11/19/14

by entering **Bookfair ID #11489150** at checkout.

A percentage of your Barnes & Noble purchases will benefit St. Mary's School Library.



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The Shops at Greenridge

Bookfair ID #11489150

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magazine subscriptions, video games, purchases made at Cafés
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See **BN.COM/bookfairs** for more details and to shop online.

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SAINT MARY'S SCHOOL

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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 are excited to announce that the proceeds from the 2015 event will go towards upgrading our fire reporting system. The current system has given us years of faithful service, but it is time for an upgrade. Plan to attend, on Friday 29 May, our biggest fundraiser of the year! It will be an event you don't want to miss.

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.

Upcoming Events

3-21 November - Food Drive for Poor Clare Monastery

7-14 November - Book Fair @ Barnes & Noble

18 November - Confirmation

26-28 November - Thanksgiving Break

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 Ducks Basketball

(Home games in bold)

		Girls	Boys
13 November	Greenville Hurricanes		5.15 pm
24 November	Lead Charter @ Greenville First Baptist	4.30 pm	5.30 pm
2 December	Hampton Park	4.00 pm	5.15 pm
4 December	Spartanburg Prep	4.30 pm	5.45 pm



----- Tradition - Virtue - Excellence -----





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

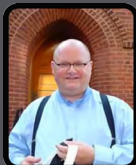
Men's Book Study Tuesdays

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

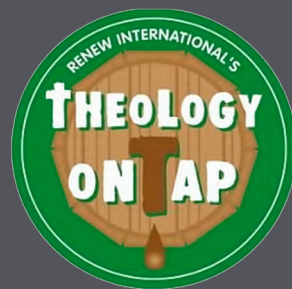
7 November - Monthly Happy Hour at Barley's Taproom & Pizzeria (25 W. Washington St., Greenville, SC 29601). Contacts: Dan & Victoria Burnos at 770.366.3246 (Victoria) or 412.651.5333 (Dan).

Theology on Tap Fall Series



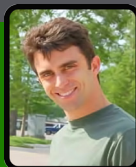
27 October
Recover the Unity

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



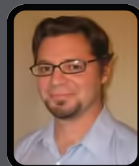
10 November
Reviving the Spirit

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!"

5 December - Christmas Party at Fitzpatrick's Irish Pub (1565 Laurens Rd, Greenville, SC 29607) at 7.30 pm. RSVP on the Facebook event.

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