



# St. Mary's Catholic Church



## Greenville, South Carolina

25 October 2015

Dear Friends in Christ,

Last week I wrote to you about the difference between doctrine and discipline, but in addition to that distinction, we must also distinguish several different types of doctrine in the Church. Catholic tradition identifies at least four levels of teaching authority, with each type calling for its own level of acceptance, and understanding the differences among these four kinds of teaching is essential to being a mature disciple of the Lord Jesus.

At the highest level of teaching, the Church proposes dogmas and solemn definitions based on divine revelation, and these require of us divine and Catholic faith. For example, the Church teaches that the Lord Jesus was conceived without a human father and is the incarnate or enfleshed Second Person of the Holy Trinity, the God-man, who suffered and died for us and rose from the dead. Another example is that the one, only, living and true God is a communion of three divine Persons: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. These examples are doctrines that must be believed by the divine gift of faith (*de fide credenda*), and the failure to believe such doctrines makes one a heretic and excludes one from communion with the Church.

At the second level of doctrine are the definitive truths of faith that must be held by faith (*de fide tenenda*) because they are proposed by the Church with the divine authority given to her by the Lord Jesus. Examples of this type of doctrine are that only baptized men may be ordained to the priesthood, that euthanasia is intrinsically immoral, and that abortion is murder. Failure to believe such doctrines excludes one from full communion with the Church.

The third level of doctrine is the ordinary authoritative teaching of the faith that requires religious assent of the intellect and will because the matter being taught is directly connected to divinely revealed truth. Examples of such doctrine are the teaching of the Church on medical ethics connected to new technology and the social teaching of the Church that emerged in the 19th century.

The last kind of doctrine is made up of prudential interventions of the Church in areas of public policy, and these call for the respectful attention of Catholics but not for the assent of faith or the assent of the intellect and will. For example, when bishops take a position on public policy concerning immigration, climate change, or capital punishment, these are prudential interventions derived from the Gospel, but reasonable people are free to disagree without damaging their communion with the Church.

Father Newman

# st. mary's catholic school

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# Calendar of Events

## Mass Schedule & Intentions

### Sunday, 25 October 2015

7.30 am ✱ Catherine "Kitty" Francis  
Norman  
9.00 am ✱ Cheryl Trimarco  
11.00 am Pro populo  
1.00 pm Spanish Mass

### Monday, 26 October 2015

7.00 am Rose Henderson

### Tuesday, 27 October 2015

7.00 am ✱ Grady Cole  
**No 12.00 noon Mass**

### Wednesday, 28 October 2015

7.00 am  
**No 12.00 noon Mass**

### Thursday, 29 October 2015

7.00 am ✱ Jean Dickensheets  
**No 12.00 noon Mass**

### Friday, 30 October 2015

7.00 am ✱ Rose J. Henderson

### Saturday, 31 October 2015

5.00 pm ✱ Deceased Members /  
Eassy Family

## Meetings & Events \*

### Sunday, 25 October 2015

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

### Monday, 26 October 2015

6.00 pm New Altar Server Training  
(church)  
6.30 pm Cub Scouts  
6.30 pm Baptism Class

### Tuesday, 27 October 2015

8.30 am Program of Catholic Studies (M)  
1.00 pm Senior Men's Club  
6.00 pm New Altar Server Training  
(church)

### Wednesday, 28 October 2015

#### No Holy Hour & Confessions this week

6.30 pm Religious Education  
6.30 pm Program of Catholic Studies (M)  
6.30 pm Program of Catholic Studies  
6.30 pm Introduction to Catholicism

### Thursday, 29 October 2015

2.30 pm Cenacles/Rosary  
3.30 pm Prayer Meeting  
6.30 pm Program of Catholic Studies (M)

### Friday, 30 October 2015

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, 31 October 2015

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

## Financial Report

### Weekend of 17/18 October

Needed	32,500
Received	35,857
Surplus	3,357

Poor Box	595
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World Mission Sunday	3,464
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### Offertory Year to Date

Needed	520,000
Received	514,678
Shortage	5,322

**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](mailto:jennifer.doiron@stmarysgvl.org).



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Greenville SC.

Visit us on the web at  
[www.stmarysgvl.org](http://www.stmarysgvl.org)

G - Gallivan Hall      M- McGrady Hall  
P - Pazdan Hall Dining Room

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

## PARISH NEWS

### Collections for 24/25 October

Support of the Parish &  
Parish Endowment Fund

### Special Collection on 24/25 October

A special collection for disaster relief will be taken the weekend of 24/25 October.

### Changes to Holy Hour & Confessions

Wednesday 21 October 2015 will be the last time Father Chalmers hears Confessions at St. Mary's. After that, only Father Newman will regularly hear Confessions on Saturday afternoon and during the Holy Hour on Wednesdays. Father Cruz hears Confessions on Sunday morning in Spanish in Sacred Heart Hall, beginning at 11.30 am.

And on the following Wednesdays, the Holy Hour and Confessions are canceled:

28 October 2015  
11 November 2015  
25 November 2015  
30 December 2015

### New Altar Server Training

A training session for all boys and young men who are interested in becoming altar servers at Saint Mary's is scheduled for Monday evening, 26 October from 6.00-7.30 pm. A back-up date of Tuesday 27 October from 6.00-7.30 pm is set for those who cannot make it on the 26th. Serving is open to all boys and young men who are at least ten years of age, from the fifth grade to college age. For more information, please contact Deacon John Heuser at 864.365.7845.

### Requiescat in pace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Harriet Healey McAfee 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.

### Sunday Morning Coffee & Doughnuts

Starting on Sunday 25 October 2015 please join us after the 9 am Mass in our new location in Pazdan Hall. We also need more volunteers. If you are willing to serve a few times each year on the Doughnut Team please contact John Paluszak at [jpaluszak@bellsouth.net](mailto:jpaluszak@bellsouth.net) or 864.497.4804.

### Cub Scout Popcorn Sale

The Cub Scout Popcorn Sale will be conducted after all the Masses on the weekend of 24/25 October. The scouts will have a table at both the parking lot and the Miller Square entrances of the church.

### The Program of Catholic Studies presents

## The Fourth Lateran Council & The Second Council of Lyon

presented by  
Timothy J. Nielsen



**THIS  
THURSDAY**  
(29 OCT)

6.30-8.00 pm  
In McGrady Hall  
(the undercroft)

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact T.J. Nielsen, Director of Christian Formation, at [timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org](mailto:timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org) or 864.679.4114.  
Podcasts available at <http://stmarysgvl.org/catechesis/program-catholic-studies-recordings/>

## Baptism Class

The next class is scheduled for Monday 26 October at 6.30 pm in Sacred Heart Hall. Pre-registration in the Church office is required. Contact T.J. Nielsen at 864.679.4114 or [timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org](mailto:timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org).

## 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, Paulina Cruz, Brett Gervais, Judy Byrum, Celine Brouillard, Michael Pinto, Jim Sponsler, Joseph Srp, Neal Campbell, IV, Rose and Anne Eassy, Marie-Therese Isidore and Thomas Thomason.

## 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.

## Bulletin Submissions

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

## Congratulations to

Jeffrey Joseph Reno and Danielle Nicole Gilbert who were married last weekend.

## Welcome Newcomers

We welcome the following new members to our parish family: Mr. & Mrs. Charles Scales, IV.

## Vespers at Prince of Peace

Each Sunday in October and through 22 November, Prince of Peace in Taylors is celebrating Solemn Vespers (Evening Prayer) in the church at 5.00 pm. This 30-35 minute service is a great way to join in the public prayer of the Church at the end of the day.

## 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

The Lord invites each of us to a weekly prayer hour with Him in the Blessed Sacrament. Contact Lisa Buss at [adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org) or call 864.508.7123 to schedule an hour. Choose an hour of your convenience or consider one of our EMPTY HOURS (\*) or one needing a prayer partner:

Monday 3 pm & 11 pm

Tuesday 1 am\* & 2 am\*

Thursday 1 pm

Friday 7 pm

Saturday 3 am

The Greenville Chapter of the American Guild of Organists

Presents



## THE ORGANISTS OF AUTUMN

Free Lunch Hour Recital Series

Wednesdays 12:15 - 12:45 PM

28 October

Jim Parham, organist

4 November

David Turner, organist  
and Tina Broussard, soprano

11 November

Robert Powell and Nancy Powell, organists

18 November

Chip Mays, organist

Trinity United Methodist Church

2703 Augusta Road  
Greenville, South Carolina, 29605

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

## Sunday Mornings for 3 & 4 Year Olds

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

## Religious Education Grades 1-8

Wednesday 6.30-7.30 pm

Touching Safety Program make-up session  
28 October from 6.00-6.30 pm.

## United Ministries Walk for the Homeless

St. Mary's Confirmation Class will participate in the United Ministries Transformation WALK Take A Step Change A Life on 25 October.

## First Communion Families

Wednesday 28 October at 6.30 pm

2nd Grade parents & students will pray the Rosary in Gallivan Hall

## Confirmation Retreat

Students in the Confirmation classes will have a retreat on Friday 30 October from 5.30-10.30 pm in Gallivan Hall. All students must attend.

Please keep everyone in your prayers.

# st. mary's Culture of Life

To equip the people of St. Mary's to help build a  
"Culture of life where all human life is protected, respected, and nurtured."

[www.40daysforlife.com/greenville](http://www.40daysforlife.com/greenville)

[www.facebook.com/40daysgreenville](https://www.facebook.com/40daysgreenville)

### Rosaries for Life

Remember to pray the rosary this fall every day during the **40 Days for Life** from 23 September - 1 November especially for the intention to close the Greenville Abortion Mill. [www.close themills.com](http://www.close themills.com)

**Please join St. Mary's Culture of Life to pray the rosary outside the columbarium every first Friday immediately after the 7.00 am Mass.**

### Life Chain

Life Chain is scheduled for Sunday 25 October, 2.30-3.30pm at Woodruff Road, Greenville. Please join others across the country for this peaceful, prayerful, public witness for the sanctity of human life. For signs and to find out where St. Mary's is assigned on the route, call Valerie Baronkin @ 864.297.8838.

### 40 Days for Life Closing Celebration

Saturday, 31 Oct., 9.30am Greenville Women's Clinic, Sanctity of Life Prayer. Music by Mason Costa. Call Jo Ann Gorman 864.248.0264 or Ingrid 864.329.0044.



### CHANGE THE LIFE OF A TEEN MOTHER AND HER BABY!

Make a difference & put your **CHANGE** where it belongs!

#### St. Mary's Baby Bottle Boomerang

This event is to benefit Birth Right of Greenville. Birthright believes:  
"It is the right of every pregnant woman to give birth, and the right of every child to be born."



**Return bottles on  
Oct. 24th/25th  
&  
Oct. 31st/Nov. 1st**

Please participate in any of these **"40 Days for Life"** events. Make it a family event to contribute to the cause and make a difference!

If you would also like to sign up and be a part of St. Mary's Culture of Life and get more information on what you can do, please contact one of us:  
Jackie Beauchemin / [jackie.beauchemin@sealedair.com](mailto:jackie.beauchemin@sealedair.com) ✱ Maureen Lesley / [molesley@gmail.com](mailto:molesley@gmail.com) ✱ Jennifer Cleveland / [jclevelandzoo@gmail.com](mailto:jclevelandzoo@gmail.com)



# ST. MARY'S WOMEN'S CLUB

## Monthly Meeting

We invite all women of the parish to join us for our Tuesday 10 November Monthly Meeting. Our topic will be Domestic Violence and our speaker will be Susan Strain. Refreshments will be served. We will pray the Rosary at 9.30 am at the statue of Mary located in the first floor lobby of Sacred Heart Hall. The meeting will follow beginning at 10.00 am. We invite everyone to attend the noon Mass following the meeting.

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### St. Mary's Catholic Church

## BLOOD DRIVE

### Sunday

## 1 November

## 8:30 am – 1:00 pm

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Please sign up in 15 minute time increments

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TBC Donor Card or a Photo ID required

## Technology Seminar

**“Emerging Technologies, Moral Implications, Impact on Mental Health, and Protections”**

**St. Mary's Church Campus**  
**Gallivan Hall**  
111 Hampton Ave, Greenville, SC 29601

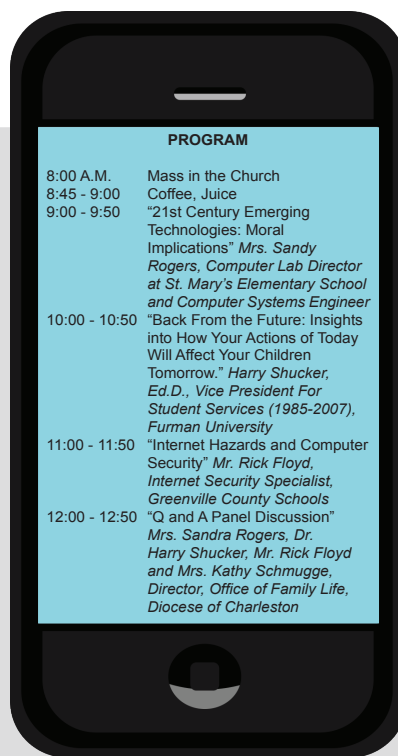
**Saturday 7 November**  
**8 am to 1 pm**

This seminar explores emerging technologies, their moral implications, and the way they affect our youth. The impact of high parental expectations, the age of immediacy, unchecked screen time, and screen addictions on mental health is explored. The importance of parental awareness and involvement is stressed along with the need for children to have religious and spiritual anchors. Suggestions for computer protectors will provide parents with guidance.

*Sponsored by the Family Commission of St. Mary's Catholic Women's Club, The Family Life Office of the Diocese of Charleston, and St. Mary's Catholic Church*

*To help us plan, please tell us if you will be attending (not required, but appreciated). There is no cost to attend. Either detach and return to: SMCWC, PO Box 1505, Greenville, SC 29602 or e-mail [veronica.yockey@juno.com](mailto:veronica.yockey@juno.com)*

**INTENT TO ATTEND THE TECHNOLOGY SEMINAR ON 7 NOVEMBER 2015**  
Number of people attending: \_\_\_\_\_



### PROGRAM

8:00 A.M. Mass in the Church  
8:45 - 9:00 Coffee, Juice  
9:00 - 9:50 "21st Century Emerging Technologies: Moral Implications" Mrs. Sandy Rogers, Computer Lab Director at St. Mary's Elementary School and Computer Systems Engineer  
10:00 - 10:50 "Back From the Future: Insights into How Your Actions of Today Will Affect Your Children Tomorrow." Harry Shucker, Ed.D., Vice President For Student Services (1985-2007), Furman University  
11:00 - 11:50 "Internet Hazards and Computer Security" Mr. Rick Floyd, Internet Security Specialist, Greenville County Schools  
12:00 - 12:50 "Q and A Panel Discussion" Mrs. Sandra Rogers, Dr. Harry Shucker, Mr. Rick Floyd and Mrs. Kathy Schmugge, Director, Office of Family Life, Diocese of Charleston



3.5" x 2.5"

Pope Francis has proclaimed 2015-2016 as the Holy Year of Mercy, beginning 8 December 2015. We are proud to offer the 'Our Lady of Mercy' stained-glass window located in the vestibule on the parking lot side of the church as this year's ornament.

A small supply of the 2014 ornament, 'Pray and Labor', is also available for purchase.

### 2015 ORNAMENT ORDER FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of **2015** Ornaments Ordered: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$16.00 each = \$  
Number of **2014** Ornaments Ordered: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$16.00 each = \$  
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Make check payable to: St. Mary's Catholic Women's Club  
Mail to: St. Mary's Catholic Women's Club, P.O. Box 1505, Greenville, SC 29602  
For questions, contact Loretta Mülle at [lmulle@att.net](mailto:lmulle@att.net) or 864-376-6235

Ornaments may be picked up at the Women's Club's Annual Christmas Bake Sale after all English Masses on 5 & 6 December 2015, in the Macalka Dining Room of Pazdan Hall.

**We invite you to join the members of the St. Mary's Catholic Women's Club in their mission to serve the church and community.**

**Contact Patty Naylor, Membership Chair, at [patnay@live.com](mailto:patnay@live.com) or 864.414.8919 for more information.**



Catholic Diocese of Charleston, SC

# I Have Called You By Name.

2015-2016 Seminarists

*Isaiah 43:1*



**Andrew Fryml**  
Third Theology  
Jesus, Our Risen Savior  
Spartanburg, SC



**Rhett Williams**  
Second Theology  
St. John the Baptist  
Charleston, SC



**Francisco  
Oñate-Vargas**  
Second Theology  
Our Lady of the Hills  
Columbia, SC



**Jimmy Touzeau**  
First Theology  
Holy Cross  
Pickens, SC



**Michael Cellars**  
Second Pre-Theology  
St. Mary of the Annunciation  
Charleston, SC



**William Frei**  
Graduate Year  
St. Mary, Help of Christians  
Aiken, SC



**Patrick Judd**  
Second College  
St. Mary, Help of Christians  
Aiken, SC



**Matthew Curley**  
First College  
St. Catherine of Sienna  
Lancaster, SC



**Matthew Bauer**  
First College  
Prince of Peace  
Taylors, SC



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## Radiothon

The Annual Radiothon for Catholic Radio in SC will air 29 & 30 October from 9 am - 6 pm on WCKI 1300 AM in the Upstate as well as online at CatholicRadioinSC.com.

For more information about how to help Catholic radio during Radiothon, representatives can be reached at 864.877.8458 or at the website.



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*Catholic Diocese of Charleston, SC*

Website: [www.charlestonvocations.com](http://www.charlestonvocations.com)  
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**2015 Men's Discernment Retreat**  
White Oak Conference Center, Winnsboro, SC  
**Oct. 30 to Nov. 1, 2015**  
**SIGN UP ONLINE:** <https://goo.gl/Kyw2kl>  
**OR VISIT** [www.CharlestonVocations.com](http://www.CharlestonVocations.com)

**I Have Called  
You By Name.**  
*Isaiah 43:1*

## Catholic Mothers' Conference

**Saturday 7 November, 8.15 am - 4.30 pm**  
**St. Ann Catholic Church in Charlotte**

All mothers are invited to attend the 2nd annual Mothering With Grace Conference! Come experience renewal in your vocation through inspiring talks, prayer, and Holy Mass! Featuring author Rachel Balducci with Sr. Gertrude Gillette, OSB, and celebrant Fr. Matthew Kauth. Admission \$40 (includes lunch). Advance registration required; Infants welcome. First 100 registrants receive a swag bag of free gifts! Visit [motheringwithgrace.org](http://motheringwithgrace.org) to reserve your seat today!

## Pilgrimage Opportunities



**POLAND**  
DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE

with Fr. Dwight Longenecker  
Our Lady of the Rosary Church

APRIL 18-26, 2016

For more information, visit the Divine Mercy Pilgrimage to Poland event page on the OLR website: [olrgreenville.com](http://olrgreenville.com).

### EXTRAORDINARY JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

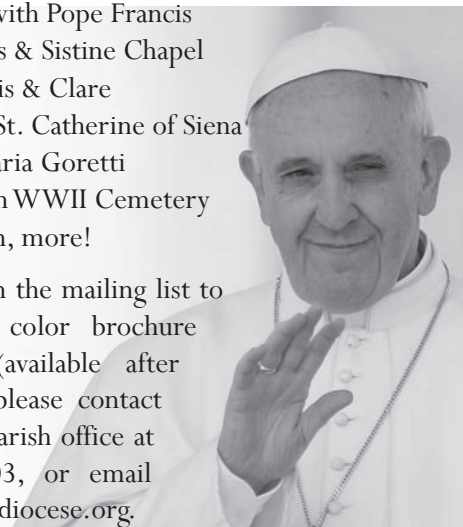
Diocese of Charlotte Official Pilgrimage  
to Rome, Siena, Assisi | 10-Days: October 12-21, 2016  
Under the Spiritual Direction of Fr. Kottar,

Pope Francis has proclaimed a Year of Mercy. Receive a plenary indulgence - Enter the Doors of Mercy with us: St. Peter's Basilica + Basilica of St. Mary Major + Basilica of St. John Lateran + St. Paul Outside the Walls

### HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE

- Papal Audience with Pope Francis
- Vatican Museums & Sistine Chapel
- Assisi - Ss. Francis & Clare
- Siena - home of St. Catherine of Siena
- Nettuno - St. Maria Goretti
- Anzio - American WWII Cemetery
- Plus much, much, more!

To be placed on the mailing list to receive your full color brochure and registration (available after January 1, 2016) please contact Jean Judge in the parish office at 704-487-7697 x103, or email [jmjudge@charlottediocese.org](mailto:jmjudge@charlottediocese.org).





# st. mary's catholic school

2015-2016  
The Year of Faith



## St. Mary's Catholic School

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## School Spotlight - Spirit Day

On Tuesday 13 October, St. Mary's School celebrated its first Spirit Day. Everyone enjoyed the chance to shed uniforms and sport their new St. Mary's Spirit t-shirts. During lunch, faculty and staff members treated the entire student body to cupcakes and doughnuts.

During the afternoon, students gathered to cheer on our Fall athletes. The school band played pep songs to set the mood for introducing the cross country and volleyball team members.

Students even had the opportunity to pick a new fight song for the school! The top songs written in music class by 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students were performed. The student body picked the 8th grade song, written by Samantha, Sara, and Anna, as our new school fight song. Listen to the performance on the [St. Mary's School Facebook page](#):

## Family Prayer Corner

### Prayer Tips from the Potluck, Pray, & Play:

One school family has made the commitment to read through the entire Bible together. The reading time changes each week based on busy schedules. When everyone is in the house, they take a few moments to sit down together and read aloud.

The Bible is God's love story with the people He has called to Himself. It begins with our first parents, Adam & Eve, continues with the tribe & nation of Israel, and includes baptized believers today. Reading the Bible helps us come to a deeper understanding of our relationship with God and our place in the community of believers.

Knowing Scripture is an essential part of a Christian's prayer life. Through Sacred Scripture, God teaches us the truths that we need to know for the sake of our salvation. As we read the Bible, we are listening to the words that He has given us to draw us closer to Himself.

It is important to remember that Scripture is God's living Word ~ when you read with your family, consider asking what stood out to each person, and see how God says something different to each one of us, even when we read the same passage.



### St. Mary's Fight Song

We are the mighty, fighting Ducks  
from Greenville, SC.

We are here to scream or cheer,  
straight to victory!

With heads held high we fly.  
Flying higher than the rest.

We're the best, God Bless  
old S-M-S!

[cheer] Go Ducks!



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.

## STUDY

### Fall Bible Study - *The Mercy of God*

Mondays until 9 November  
Sacred Heart Hall at St. Mary's

This Fall, LVG will explore the Mercy of God through reading the Book of Jonah and 1-3 John. Join us Mondays at 7pm

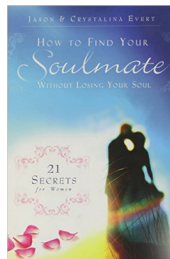


from 14 September - 9 November. The leaders include Claudia, Dan, Elizabeth, Jake, Lee, and Shana.

### Women's Book Study Tuesdays until 10 November

The Women's book study will be on Tuesday nights at 7pm at the Saint Francis Eastside Hospital - Entrance C (in the small conference room behind the guards on the first floor). We will be studying the book: *How to Find Your Soulmate Without Losing Your Soul*.

Everyone will need the book and to read the chapters in advance of the day we will discuss! Call Linni with questions: 864.884.4423.



### Diocese of Charleston Young Adult Ministry

Follow the  
Diocese of Charleston Young Adult Ministry  
on Facebook.

## RETREAT

6-8 November - Diocese of Charleston Young Adult Ministry Fall Retreat at Diakonia Retreat Center in Salem, SC. Details and registration are available on the Catholic Young Adults of South Carolina website.



## FELLOWSHIP

30 October - Bonfire Party: 7.30 pm at the rectory of Father Smith and Father Tomlinson.

## PRAYER

29 October - Women's Rosary Group: 7.30 pm. Join other women for an evening of appetizers, wine, and praying the rosary! Bring an appetizer to share! The location of the event is the home of Annie. To get the exact address, contact Annie at 864.316.2458.

## THEOLOGY ON TAP

Mondays  
16 Nov. - 7 Dec.  
Intersection  
of  
Faith and Politics

More details coming!



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