



# St. Mary's Catholic Church



Greenville, South Carolina

3 July 2016

Dear Friends in Christ,

The Fourth Principle of Evangelical Catholicism states that “Through Word and Sacrament we are drawn by grace into a transforming union with the Lord Jesus, and having been justified by faith we are called to sanctification and equipped by the Holy Spirit for the good works of the new creation. We must, therefore, learn to live as faithful disciples and to reject whatever is contrary to the Gospel, which is the Good News of the Father’s mercy and love revealed in the life, death, and Resurrection of Jesus Christ.”

When Protestants want to explain what they perceive as the primary mistake in Catholic teaching on salvation, they often charge that we believe in “works righteousness,” by which they mean that Catholics falsely believe we can earn the favor of God and be rewarded with eternal salvation by doing good works as opposed to being justified by faith. But to frame the conversation in this way presents a false choice between faith and works because we are not saved by either faith or works; rather, we are saved only by Jesus Christ, and his work of salvation is pure grace – the free and unmerited favor of God. The question, then, is how Christ extends to us this offer of salvation by grace and how we respond to that offer. To answer this question we must first acknowledge that all grace is mediated, meaning that God’s grace is given to us through instruments that correspond to our nature: words that we can hear and read, food that we can eat, the touch of human hands that we can feel. This is what it means to say that “through Word and Sacrament we are drawn by grace into a transforming union with the Lord Jesus.”

The fourth principle goes on to insist that having been justified by faith, we are then called to holiness of life – a call for which we are equipped by the gifts of the Holy Spirit. This is what the Lord Jesus teaches us in the Sermon on the Mount: “Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the Kingdom of Heaven, but the one who does the will of my Father...” And what is the will of Our Father? We are commanded to feed the hungry, to give drink to the thirsty, to welcome the immigrant, to clothe the naked, to visit the sick and imprisoned. Those who do these things will be welcomed into the kingdom prepared from the foundation of the world, while those who do not do these things will be cast away into eternal punishment. (cf. Matthew 25.31-46)

This is not works righteousness; this is living by grace through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. Only because we have first received God’s gift of faith in Jesus Christ (justification), do we strive to live the life of the new creation in Jesus Christ (sanctification) so that we may inherit everlasting life in Jesus Christ (glorification). Justification must lead to sanctification which is made perfect in glorification; only together do these three moments of grace constitute what we mean by salvation: sharing by the grace of adoption the life and glory of the Triune God by our communion with the Lord Jesus Christ.

Father Newman

# Calendar of Events

## Mass Schedule & Intentions

### Sunday, 3 July 2016

7.30 am ✕ Nelli Restrepo  
9.00 am ✕ Emily Rose Gomes  
11.00 am Pro populo  
1.00 pm Spanish Mass

### Monday, 4 July 2016

#### Independence Day

No Mass

### Tuesday, 5 July 2016

7.00 am Jacob Sebastian Grabosky  
No 12.00 noon Mass

### Wednesday, 6 July 2016

7.00 am ✕ Jeri Stubblefield  
6.30 pm Anglican Use Mass  
No 12.00 noon Mass

### Thursday, 7 July 2016

7.00 am Susan K. Simon  
No 12.00 noon Mass

### Friday, 8 July 2016

7.00 am ✕ Marie Deitz

### Saturday, 9 July 2016

5.00 pm Christine & Alfred Smith

## Meetings & Events \*

### Sunday, 3 July 2016

No coffee & doughnuts this week  
No Nursery during July  
9.00 am Scripture Study

### Monday, 4 July 2016

6.30 pm Boy Scouts

### Tuesday, 5 July 2016

1.00 pm Senior Men's Club

### Wednesday, 6 July 2016

No Holy Hour & Confessions  
until 3 August

### Thursday, 7 July 2016

2.00-4.00 pm St. Mary's Prayer Group

### Friday, 8 July 2016

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

### Saturday, 9 July 2016

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

## Financial Report

### Weekend of 25/26 June

Needed	32,500
Received	29,991
Shortage	2,509

Poor Box	569
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Peter's Pence	4,244
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### Offertory Year to Date

Needed	1,690,000
Received	1,691,055
Surplus	1,055

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



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St. Mary's Catholic Church  
Greenville SC.

G - Gallivan Hall  
P - Pazdan Hall Dining Room

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

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



The Center for Evangelical Catholicism

# The Prophet & The Messiah

Catholicism and the Challenge of Islam

August 26 & 27, 2016

St. Mary's Catholic Church – Greenville, South Carolina



## Featuring Speakers



### Daniel Ali

Convert from Islam, Kurdish-American Evangelist and Author



### Rev. Joseph Alobaidi, O.P.

Professor of Sacred Scripture at Dominican House of Studies in Washington, D.C.



### Robert R. Reilly

Author and Director of the Westminster Institute



### Timothy Nielsen

Director of the Center for Evangelical Catholicism

## Learn About...

What do Muslims believe?

How similar are Christianity and Islam?

Where did radical Islam come from?

What are the prospects for true dialogue and ecumenism?

**Cost: \$50**

Includes registration, Friday evening program, breakfast, and light lunch

Register Online at [WWW.EVANGELICALCATHOLICISM.COM](http://WWW.EVANGELICALCATHOLICISM.COM)

## Requiescat in pace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Fr. Eugene Leonard (retired priest of the Diocese of Charleston) who died recently. We extend our prayers and sympathy to his family and friends.

## Prayer For The Faithful Departed

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

## Prayer Requests

Please pray for all those who are hospitalized and for all those who are shut-ins, ill or recuperating at home, especially Alan Howard, Alice Howard, Ronald Labbe, Andrew Brett, Paulina Cruz, Brett Gervais, Judy Byrum, Michael Pinto, Joseph & Sandy Srp, Marie-Therese Isidore, Thomas Thomason, Carlton Carpenter, Jim Barber, Jordan A. Upham, Dave Gibbons, Irene Karandisevsky and John Hever.

## Welcome Newcomers

We welcome the following new members to our parish family: Ms. Linda Samuels, Dr. & Mrs. John Travan, Mr. & Mrs. Howard Coughlin, Mr. & Mrs. Bryan Elmore, Mr. & Mrs. Peter Frank and Mr. & Ms. Rolando Pedroza.

## Caritas Counseling Services, LLC

Counseling services available at St. Mary's. Contact Dorothy Whalen at [dorothy.whalen@stmarysgvl.org](mailto:dorothy.whalen@stmarysgvl.org) or 864.679.4122.

## Evensong in the Anglican Tradition

Sunday 10 July at 5 pm

After the Holy Eucharist, the most important form of Christian prayer is the Liturgy of the Hours, also called the Divine Office. In the Roman form of the Divine Office there are two liturgical Hours for the evening: Vespers and Compline. In the 16th century Book of Common Prayer, these two Hours were combined into one celebration called Evensong, and this beautiful way of praying is part of the Anglican patrimony preserved in the Catholic Church by the Personal Ordinariates for Catholics from the Anglican tradition. The Community of St. Anselm's is offering this splendid opportunity of liturgical prayer to everyone at St. Mary's and in the wider community. Please join us at 5 pm and bring a friend for Evensong.

## PARISH NEWS

### Collection for 2/3 July

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

*St. Mary's is sustained by the generosity of our parishioners.*

*Thank you for your generosity and support.*

### Summer Church Office Hours

Until 5 August

Monday - Thursday 9 am - 4 pm

Friday 9 am - 12 noon

The church office will be closed on Monday 4 July for Independence Day.

### Summer Liturgical Schedule Changes

There will be no noon Mass on weekdays in July.

There will be no Holy Hour and Confessions on any Wednesday in July.

### Nursery Closure

The nursery will be closed all of July.

### Congratulations to

Deacon George Tierney on the 30 year anniversary of his diaconal ordination on 28 June.

### Bulletin Submissions

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

### Mass Intentions

Open dates are available for Mass intentions in August as well as the rest of 2016. If you would like to schedule a Mass intention, please contact Vickie Acosta in the church office at 864.271.8422 or [vickie.acosta@stmarysgvl.org](mailto:vickie.acosta@stmarysgvl.org).







# CHARLESTON VOCATIONS

*Catholic Diocese of Charleston, SC*



If you are discerning a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life, contact the Vocations Office.

From the Diocesan Vocations Prayer Card

*Please pray for the seminarians listed on each day of the month.*

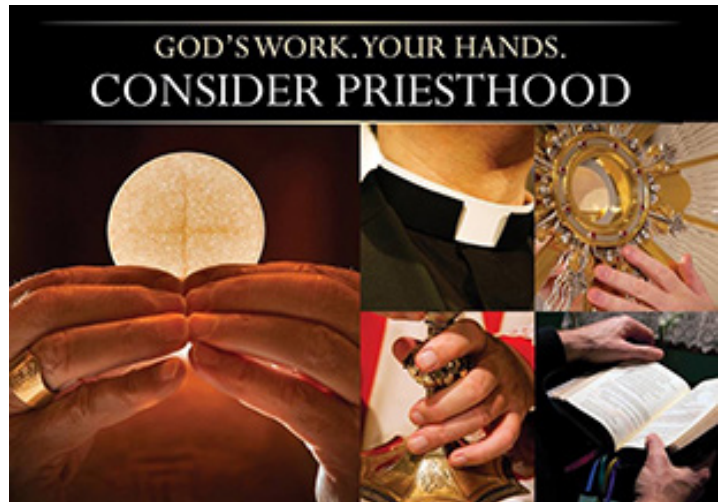
- 1<sup>st</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> All newly ordained priests
- 2<sup>nd</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> Andrew Fryml
- 3<sup>rd</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> Rhett Williams
- 4<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> Francisco Oñate-Vargas
- 5<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> Jimmy Touzeau
- 6<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> Michael Cellars
- 7<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> William Frei
- 8<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> Patrick Judd
- 9<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> Matthew Curley
- 10<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> Matthew Bauer
- 11<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> All priests serving in our diocese
- 12<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> All women religious in our diocese
- 13<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> All deacons & religious brothers
- 14<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> All men called to the priesthood
- 15<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> Bishop Robert Guglielmone

## *Prayer for Vocations*

Loving and gracious God, Father of all, you bless your people in every time and season and provide for their needs through your providential care. Your Church is continually in need of priests, sisters and brothers to offer themselves in the service of the Gospel by lives of dedicated love.

Open the hearts of your sons and daughters to listen to your call in their lives. Give them the gift of understanding to discern your invitation to serve you and your Church. Give them the gift of courage to follow your call. May they have the spirit of young Samuel who found fulfillment in his life when he said to you, "Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening."











We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Redeemer. Amen.



Catholic Diocese of Charleston, SC

## I Have Called You By Name.

2015-2016 Seminarians *Isaiah 43:1*

 <b>Andrew Fryml</b> <small>Third Theology Jesus, Our Bread, Savior Spartanburg, SC</small>	 <b>Rhett Williams</b> <small>Second Theology St. John the Baptist Charleston, SC</small>	 <b>Francisco Oñate-Vargas</b> <small>Second Theology Our Lady of the Hills Columbia, SC</small>	 <b>Jimmy Touzeau</b> <small>First Theology Holy Cross Pickens, SC</small>	 <b>Michael Cellars</b> <small>Second Pro-Theology St. Mary of the Annunciation Charleston, SC</small>
 <b>William Frei</b> <small>Graduate Year St. Mary, Help of Christians Aiken, SC</small>	 <b>Patrick Judd</b> <small>Second College St. Mary, Help of Christians Aiken, SC</small>	 <b>Matthew Curley</b> <small>First College St. Catherine of Siena Lancaster, SC</small>	 <b>Matthew Bauer</b> <small>First College Prince of Peace Taylors, SC</small>	 <b>Are You Called?</b>



## St. Mary's Catholic School

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## School Office Hours for Summer

Until 7 August  
Monday through Thursday  
9.00 am - 2.00 pm

A lot goes into keeping our school buildings beautiful and safe; most of that work takes place over the summer. Before visiting the School Office, please call ahead to ensure that it is open: 864.271.3870. Thank you for your patience.

**Private tours are available by appointment.**

**For more information, please contact Nelle Palms, Director of Admissions, at 864.679.4117 or [nelle.palms@stmarysgvl.org](mailto:nelle.palms@stmarysgvl.org).**

## An Introduction to Catholicism



What is Catholicism?

Is the Catholic Faith in the Bible?

Did the Lord Jesus found the Catholic Church?

Our course called *An Introduction to Catholicism* is designed to answer these and many other questions about the origins of Catholic Christianity and the shape of Christian faith and life within the Catholic Church.

The classes meet on Wednesday evenings from 6.30 to 8.00 pm from Labor Day through Easter, and all are invited to come and discover what it means to be a disciple of the Lord Jesus in His holy Catholic Church.

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.

## Safe Environment

St. Mary's, along with the Diocese of Charleston (the "Diocese") and the Catholic Church, is committed to ensuring that all programs, ministries and operations affiliated with the Parish are conducted in a Safe Environment. Prior to serving as a volunteer with children at the church or school, parishioners and/or parents must fulfill several requirements outlined by the Diocese before they are allowed to serve.

### Prior to involvement, a volunteer must:

- Attend Safe Environment Training (VIRTUS class) in SC;
- Complete Background Screening Form (including driver & credit screens, if needed);
- Read & sign the Diocesan Code of Conduct; and
- Read & sign the Diocesan Abuse Policy.

Forms can be found on the parish website at [stmarysgvl.org/our-parish/virtus-classes-background-checks/](http://stmarysgvl.org/our-parish/virtus-classes-background-checks/)

All forms and VIRTUS certificate should be returned to the Safe Environment Coordinator.

### Safe Environment Coordinators:

Church	School
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# LIVING

*the Joy of Love*

Join **Christopher West** for a hope-filled presentation on God's plan for the family seen through the lenses of St. John Paul II's Theology of the Body and Pope Francis's *Joy of Love*.



## LIVING THE JOY OF LOVE

### Featured Presenters



**Christopher West**, best-selling author and world-renowned presenter of Catholic teaching on marriage and the family, is Founder and President of The Cor Project.



**Jason Clark**, Executive Vice President of The Cor Project, has led worship around the country for numerous parishes, conferences, retreats and pilgrimages for 25 years.



**Mike Mangione** is a nationally touring Americana musician and host of the podcast **Time & the Mystery** on the intersection of faith, art and culture.

PLUS: High School and Middle School Sessions led by **Marcus Guevara (ThirstingforTruth.com)**.

## INFORMATION

**Saturday, July 16**  
**9 a.m. - 4 p.m.**

**Precious Blood of Christ Catholic Church**  
**1633 Waverly Road**  
**Pawleys Island, SC 29585**

### SUGGESTED DONATION:

**\$20 Individual \$30 Couples \$50 Family**  
**Registration:** <http://sccatholic.org/living-joy-love>

- Learn what St. John Paul II called the three "infallible and indispensable" means for a fruitful marriage.
- Experience how God's plan for marriage and family life illuminates the entire biblical story.
- Learn how to combat the distortions of family life that are becoming more and more widespread in our world today.
- Find true hope and healing for the wounds inflicting marriages and family life today.

**Lunch will be provided.**

For more information, contact the **Diocese of Charleston Office of Family Life** at 803-547-5063, [familylife@catholic-doc.org](mailto:familylife@catholic-doc.org) or **Tara Joseph** at 843-833-5479, [tobjuly16@gmail.com](mailto:tobjuly16@gmail.com)



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# Carowinds

## Carolina's Catholic

### Family Day

**Sunday, September 11, 2016**

Park Hours 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Join us for the 4th Annual Catholic Family Day at Carowinds.

\$50 per person (ages 3 and up)

Package includes Admission to Carowinds, Parking, Mass in the Theater from 10:30-11:45 and all you can eat picnic lunch 12:00-1:30. The meal will have an abundance of fried chicken, all beef hot dogs, vegetarian selection, beans, chips, drinks and cookies.

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\$50.00 per person x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_  
Season Pass Meals \$15.00 per person x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_  
Vegetarian Meals Needed \_\_\_\_\_

Complete the order form and mail to:  
Diocese of Charleston  
901 Orange Grove Road  
Charleston, SC 29407  
Attn: Youth Ministry

Make Checks Payable To: Diocese of Charleston  
Deadline for ordering tickets is August 26, 2016

For more information visit [www.sccatholic.org/youth-and-young-adult-ministry](http://www.sccatholic.org/youth-and-young-adult-ministry)  
Questions? E-mail [Jerry@catholic-doc.org](mailto:Jerry@catholic-doc.org) (Director, Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry)



## Family Honor Pilgrimage to Poland

28 March - 6 April 2017

You are invited to join Family Honor's Pilgrimage to Poland. This pilgrimage will kick off a Year of Thanksgiving to our Lord as Family Honor approaches our 30th anniversary of serving families (in 2018). We chose Poland because a significant portion of Family Honor's mission and philosophy is grounded in the writings of Saint Pope John Paul II and the Theology of the Body. This pilgrimage will take us to some of the sites that were significant in John Paul II's life in Poland, along with other sites of historical and spiritual significance in the life of St. Faustina and St. Maximillian Kolbe. Spiritual Director for the Family Honor Pilgrimage will be Rev. James L. LeBlanc, pastor of St. Andrew Catholic Church in Myrtle Beach and Vicar for Family Life for the Diocese of Charleston, SC. For pilgrimage details and the Registration Form, go to: FamilyHonor.org and click the Pilgrimage tab. Or, contact Canterbury Pilgrimages at 1.800.653.0017 or the Family Honor office at 803.929.0858. We encourage you to register soon. Space is limited.

## Natural Family Planning

A free, introductory session of the Creighton Model Fertility Care System, a modern, effective method of NFP, will be held on Thursday 14 July at 7.00 pm at St. Francis Hospital - Eastside in Greenville in Classroom 301. To register to attend, please contact Nancy McGrath, RN, CFCP at NaProNurse@aol.com or 864.292.0475.

## Coaching Opportunities

St. Joseph's Catholic School is seeking qualified applicants for the following coaching positions:

Head Varsity Boys Tennis Coach  
Head Varsity Girls Track and Field Coach  
Assistant Varsity Boys Lacrosse Coach  
Assistant Varsity Girls Lacrosse Coach  
Assistant Middle School Football Coach

All five openings are part-time, coaching-only paid positions. Candidates should have previous coaching experience and embrace the mission and philosophy of the school. For this position, email resumes to SJCS Athletic Director, RJ Beach, at rbeach@sjcatholicschool.org.

## 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

*"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest."* (Mt 11.28). To share an hour with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament, contact Lisa Buss at adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org or call 864.508.7123 Choose an hour of your convenience or consider one of our EMPTY HOURS (\*) or one needing a prayer partner:

Sunday 11 am*	Thursday 1 am*
Tuesday 1 am*	Friday 4 am*
Wednesday 3 am* & 9 am	Saturday 1 pm



**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.**

**7 July - Book Study: *Screwtape Letters*:** 7 pm at Croghan Hall on Prince of Peace campus (1209 Brushy Creek Rd, Taylors, SC 29687). Come read and discuss it in an 8-week long small group led by Nicole R.

**8 July - Monthly Happy Hour:** 6 pm at Pour Taproom (7 Falls Park Dr, Greenville, SC 29601).

**17 July - Monthly Meal (Dinner):** 7 pm at Yard House (1025 Woodruff Rd, Greenville, SC 29607).

**23 July - Game Night, 2nd Edition.** 6.30 pm at private home near Five Forks. Contact LVGreenville@gmail.com or 864.266.8843 for directions.

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