



# St. Mary's Catholic Church



Greenville, South Carolina

5 November 2017

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

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# Calendar of Events

## Mass Schedule & Intentions

### Sunday, 5 November 2017

7.30 am ✘ Deceased Members /  
Farina Family  
9.00 am Fr. Jay Scott Newman  
11.00 am Pro populo  
1.00 pm Spanish Mass

### Monday, 6 November 2017

7.00 am ✘ Emily Rose Gomes

### Tuesday, 7 November 2017

7.00 am ✘ Carlos Jose Restrepo  
12.00 noon ✘ Peter R. Faber

### Wednesday, 8 November 2017

7.00 am Ana Maria Restrepo  
12.00 noon ✘ Paul Michael Roman

### Thursday, 9 November 2017

7.00 am ✘ Lioba Del Valle  
12.00 noon ✘ Edward Littlejohn

### Friday, 10 November 2017

7.00 am Vickie Acosta

### Saturday, 11 November 2017

5.00 pm ✘ The Norungolo Family

## Meetings & Events \*

### Sunday, 5 November 2017

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

### Monday, 6 November 2017

6.30 pm Cub Scouts  
7.00 pm Boy Scouts (M)

### Tuesday, 7 November 2017

8.30 am Program of Catholic Studies (M)

### Wednesday, 8 November 2017

5.00-6.00 pm Holy Hour &  
Confessions (church)  
6.30-7.30 pm Religious Education  
6.30 pm Introduction to Catholicism (M)  
6.30 pm Program of Catholic Studies

### Thursday, 9 November 2017

### Friday, 10 November 2017

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, 11 November 2017

8.00-9.00 am Rosary - Grove Rd abortion clinic  
12.00 noon Senior Fellowship Luncheon  
3.30-4.30 pm Confessions (church)

## Financial Report

### Weekend of 28/29 October

Needed	33,800
Received	34,553
Surplus	753

Poor Box	282
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### Offertory Year to Date

Needed	608,400
Received	607,686
Shortage	714

**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 - Gullivan Hall      M- McGrady Hall  
P - Pazdan Hall Dining Room

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

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[www.stmarysgvl.org](http://www.stmarysgvl.org)

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

# In Concert at St. Mary's Church

# Dr. Adam Pajan

ORGANIST

with

Concordiae: Singers of Ecclesiastical Music  
and the St. Mary's Schola Cantorum



Five Mystical Songs  
Ralph Vaughan-Williams

Like As the Hart  
Herbert Howells

Kyrie  
Louis Vierne

Sunday, November 19, 2017  
4:00 P.M.

## Requiescat in pace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Lee Heap (father of Kylee Heap) 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 Ronald Labbe, Paulina Cruz, Brett Gervais, Judy Byrum, Michael Pinto, Joseph & Sandy Srp, Marie-Therese Isidore, Thomas Thomason, Carlton Carpenter, Jim Barber, Jordan A. Upham, John Hever, Alfred Smith, Mauren Lukovic, Christine Tancrell, Dcn. John & Irene Karandisevsky, Ted Karalekas, Lenore Cole, Celsea Patry, Mary Hunter Wylie Gibbs, John Tyler, Hunter Conant, Florence Mooney, Jimmy Tierney, Louis Brouillard, Claude Trépanier, Sr Colombe Gobeil, Anna Deehan, Carly Burkhardt, Roland Gomes and Alma Furman.

## 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.”

## 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.

## Caritas Counseling Services, LLC

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

# PARISH NEWS

## Collection for 4/5 November

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.*

## Time Change Reminder



Daylight Savings Time ends on Sunday 5 November. Remember to set your clocks back 1 hour.

## 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 inside the church on Tuesday 7 November from 6.45-7.45 pm. Serving is open to all boys and young men between the age of 10 and college age. For more information, please contact Deacon Nestor Acosta at 864.679.4118.

## St. Mary's Senior Fellowship

Please join us Saturday 11 November at **12.00 noon** in Sacred Heart Hall. Bring your favorite dish or dessert to share. For more information, contact Alice Ramos at 864.430.7276 or [alicer ofs@gmail.com](mailto:alicer ofs@gmail.com).



## Congratulations to

Justin Andrew Mohr and Mary Joy Lepak  
who were married last week.

## Mass Intentions

If you would like to schedule a Mass intention, contact Vickie Acosta at 271.8422 or [vickie.acosta@stmarysgvl.org](mailto:vickie.acosta@stmarysgvl.org).



Join us in Pazdan Hall after the  
9.00 am Mass for doughnuts

5 & 12 November

# St. Mary's Council of Catholic Women 2017 Ornament Order Form

## The Epiphany

Location: The first window on the left side of the church,  
entering from W. Washington Street.



Size: 1.77" width x 4.63" height

Left side: St. Mary's Catholic Church  
Right side: Greenville, South Carolina  
Bottom: 2017  
Back: Matthew 2:1-12

Ornaments may be picked up at the Women's Council's Annual Christmas Bake Sale on December 2nd and 3rd, in the Dining Room of Pazdan Hall.

### ST. MARY'S COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN:

Sisters in faith who share the Gospel;  
who serve the parish, community and world;  
and who mold strong Catholic women.

All women of the parish are invited to join. Contact Kim Adams, Membership Chair at [craigandkim@aol.com](mailto:craigandkim@aol.com).

#### Follow us:

[www.stmaryscwc.wordpress.com](http://www.stmaryscwc.wordpress.com)

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#### Keep For Your Record:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Ornaments \_\_\_\_ x \$17.00 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Paid by:  check  cash

**For ornament questions contact:** Loretta Mulle at [lmulle@att.net](mailto:lmulle@att.net) or 864.376.6235.

Cut along dotted line below and submit order form with payment. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

### SMCCW 2017 ORNAMENT ORDER FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Ornaments Ordered: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$17.00 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Paid by  check  cash (If mailing, checks only)

**Make check payable to:** St. Mary's Council of Catholic Women

**Mail to:** St. Mary's Council of Catholic Women, P.O. Box 1505, Greenville, SC 29602

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

## Sunday Mornings for 3 & 4 Year Olds

Meets at 9.00 am in the  
K4 classroom of Sacred Heart Hall.

## Religious Education Grades 1-8

Classes meet on Wednesday from 6.30-7.30 pm.

### Welcome Newcomers

We welcome the following new members to our parish family: Mr Frank Gunther, Mrs Anne Melican and Mr & Mrs William Otter, Jr.

### Baptism Class

Prior to having a child baptized at St. Mary's, you must have been registered in the parish for at least six months, attending Sunday Mass each week, using the stewardship envelopes, and participating in the life of the parish. Baptisms take place on Saturdays at 6.15 pm after the 5.00 pm Mass. Attending a Baptism Preparation Class is required and may be attended prior to the birth of your child. The next class is scheduled for Monday 4 December at 6.30 pm in Sacred Heart Hall. Pre-registration in the church office is required. For questions, contact T.J. Nielsen at 864.679.4114 or [timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org](mailto:timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org).

### 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.



Catholic Radio in South Carolina

WCKI 1300 AM

For programming information, visit  
[CatholicRadioinSC.com](http://CatholicRadioinSC.com)

## Formed.org

Online resources are available to every member of our parish through a new program called Formed. This website includes a variety of free resources, including books, movies, podcasts, etc. for people of all ages. Go to [Formed.org](http://Formed.org). Register using our parish code: **8B7VRM** to get access to the resources. If you have questions, please contact Timothy Nielsen at [timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org](mailto:timothy.nielsen@stmarysgvl.org).

## Knights of Columbus

### Monsignor Charles J. Baum Council #13112

#### Essay Contest for St Mary's Parish 8th Graders

The Council will hold its annual Knights of Columbus Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest for St. Mary's Parish 8th Graders. The theme of the Essay Contest is "Going to the Peripheries." Essay Contest Forms are available by contacting John McGrath at 864.292.0475 by 14 November. Essays must be received by 20 November.

#### Poster Contest

The Council is holding the Knights of Columbus Alcohol/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 30 November. For more information, please contact John McGrath at 864.292.0475.

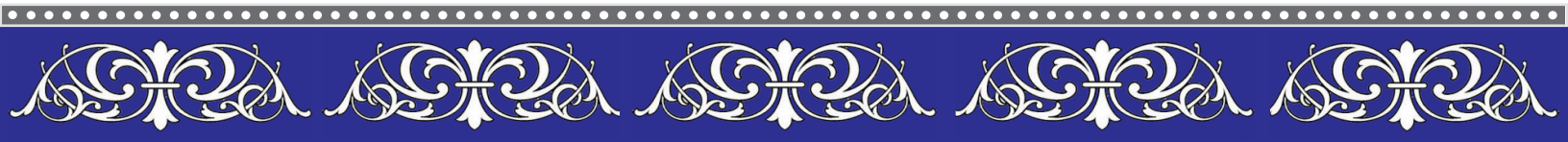
## Council of Catholic Women

### November Meeting

If you are interested in learning about the Human Trafficking of Children and Spiritual Care volunteer needs, we invite you to join us for our next meeting on Tuesday 14 November in the Msgr. Gwynn room on the 1st floor of Sacred Heart Hall. We pray the Rosary at 10.00 am, followed by refreshments. Our speaker is from the Rivers of Justice Ministry and will begin at 11.00 am with a talk on the Human Trafficking of Children. Also, a short Spiritual Care Volunteers presentation will be given by Bon Secours St. Francis Director of Spiritual Care, Father Jim Nero and Chaplain, Adrian Duckett.

### Sewing Ministry

Would you like to help make pillowcases for the children at the Greenville Children's Hospital? Even if you do not like to sew there are jobs that do not require a stitch that need to be done to make these pillowcases possible! Join the ladies of the Sewing Ministry on 21 and 28 November from 10.00 am - 12.00 pm at the Sew Creative Sewing Studio, 1901-B Laurens Rd., Greenville. Contact Kim Adams at 407.756.2255 or [craigandkim@aol.com](mailto:craigandkim@aol.com) for questions.



# EVENSONG

in the Anglican Tradition

Sunday  
November 25, 2017

5PM

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The Schola Cantorum  
of St. Mary's Church

Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis  
by Frank Schiavone

Anthem: My Eyes for Beauty Pine  
by Aden Clarke

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Fr. Jonathan Duncan, Officiant

Aden Clarke, Choirmaster  
Dr. David Rhyne, Organist



## Byzantine Greek Catholic Liturgy

On Sunday 12 November at 5.00 pm, a Divine Liturgy (Mass) in the Byzantine Rite, in English, will be celebrated at St. Rafka Maronite Catholic Church, 1215 S. Highway 14, Greer, SC. Fr. Joseph Matlak, administrator of St. Basil the Great Mission in Charlotte, NC, will celebrate the Liturgy. Join us for prayer and fellowship afterwards! Call or email the Church Office for more details: 864.469.9119 or [secretary@saintrafka.org](mailto:secretary@saintrafka.org).

## 2017 Radiothon

The Annual Radiothon for Catholic Radio in SC will be broadcast on 9 & 10 November on WCKI 1300 AM in the Upstate and online at [CatholicRadioInSC.com](http://CatholicRadioInSC.com). Radiothon gives listeners a chance to participate in the New Evangelization through their support of Catholic Radio Broadcasting. For more information about how to pledge your assistance to Catholic Radio during Radiothon, representatives can be reached at 864.877.8458 or donations can be accepted securely online at [CatholicRadioInSC.com](http://CatholicRadioInSC.com).

## 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 9 November at 7.00 pm at St. Francis Hospital - Eastside in Greenville in Classroom 301. To register, please contact Nancy McGrath, RN, CFPCP at [NaProNurse@aol.com](mailto:NaProNurse@aol.com) or 864.292.0475.

## 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

*"You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in Thee."* ~ St. Augustine. Come REST with the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Contact Lisa Buss at [adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto: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 8 am & 4 pm  
Tuesday 11 am  
Wednesday 12 pm  
Saturday 12 am & 9 pm

CS Lewis, Charles Dickens,  
and Flannery O'Connor  
walk into a bar...

## Authors & Faith

Mondays at 7p  
30 Oct thru 20 Nov  
Upstate Craft Beer Co.

Presented by Lucis Via: Catholic Young Adults  
of Greenville, a ministry serving ages 18-39yo.  
Questions? Call Sarah M. at 864.421.4567.

Join us for a speaker series on  
**Authors & Faith, a Theology on Tap event featuring:**

6 November Fr. Jonathan Duncan on C.S. Lewis  
13 November Brandon Boesch on Flannery O'Connor  
20 November Joseph Pearce on J.R.R. Tolkien

Each week we'll discuss the life and faith of the author, learn about their worldview, examine our own humanity, and understand why the speaker is passionate about this author. A bonus week will take place on Friday, 15 December at Prince of Peace Catholic Church with Nathan Barontini speaking about the Three Advents of Christ in Dante.

All events are at Upstate Craft Beer Co. (400 Augusta Street). Arrive by 7.00 pm to enjoy food and drink. Socialize. And, settle in for a great speaker to start at 7.30 pm.

To learn more, contact Sarah M at 864.421.4567.

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