



St Mary's Catholic Church



Greenville, South Carolina

21 October 2018

Dear Friends in Christ,

During the Summer of Shame, Catholics around the world learned that for many decades too many bishops and priests had failed to live as faithful Christians and had abused those entrusted to their care. The despicable crimes of these wolves in shepherd's clothing were also a violation of the solemn promises of their Baptism and Ordination, and so not only did these clerics harm the innocent in terrible ways, they also committed the sin of sacrilege and gave scandal to the entire Church, making it more difficult for many people to experience the joy of the Gospel and find in the Church the means of living in a life-giving friendship with the Lord Jesus. Moreover, we also learned that too many bishops were guilty of covering up these sins and crimes and of making it harder for the victims to find healing and peace. Put most simply, these last four months have been a catastrophe for the Catholic Church, and learning about these crimes and the failure of our most senior bishops to respond to them appropriately has shaken the confidence of many Catholics, myself included, in the capacity of the men who now govern the Church to lead us through reformation and purification to a renewal of the Church in our time. So what should we do?

First, we must not leave Jesus because of Judas. Treachery, sloth, cowardice, greed, mendacity, worldly ambition, and vainglory were present among the Apostles from the beginning, and the New Testament is astonishingly candid about the moral failures of the Twelve. But despite Judas having killed himself in despair, the Paschal Mystery was still accomplished in the passion, death, and Resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and after Pentecost the frightened and confused disciples became bold witnesses to the truth of the Gospel. The scandalous crimes and personal immorality of bishops and priests should always disappoint us, but they should never surprise us. And even more, the human failures of bishops and priests must never cause us to doubt that Jesus Christ is Lord and that he founded his Church to be the communion of his disciples until the Last Day. To be with Jesus is to be in his Church, and there are no solitary Christians.

Second, we must pray and work for the reformation of the Church which begins with the reformation of our own lives. Let each of us make a new decision to follow the Lord Jesus in the Way of the Cross and a new commitment to let go of anything and everything in our lives that is contrary to the Gospel. How? By going to Mass every Sunday and every day when possible, by going to Confession whenever needed and at least once each year, by praying every day - especially with Holy Scripture and in the Liturgy of the Hours, by serving those in need, by seeking fellowship with other Christians, and by being wary of anything that tempts one to infidelity to the promises of Baptism and, as appropriate, of Marriage or Ordination. There are positive signs both in Rome and among the bishops of the United States that measures of real reform are coming, but we must look first to ourselves and not to others for a deeper conversion to Christ who is the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

Father Newman



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OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

September 2018

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

World Mission Sunday is celebrated in the universal Church on October 21, 2018. It is an important time for all the faithful to remember that the heart and soul of the Church is preaching and teaching the Gospel of Christ to all the people of the world.

I invite all of you in our diocese to recognize World Mission Sunday as a time to remember our missionary call to advance Jesus' message of redemption, peace and unity with Him.

I encourage you to be a voice for mission through your prayers and through the help that you give in support of the priests, religious, and lay pastoral leaders who work tirelessly proclaiming the Gospel. There are over 1,100 mission dioceses serving the poor in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands and parts of Latin America and Europe.

Pope Francis reminds us that "Missions revitalizes faith". May your commitment to the Lord's continuing mission renew your faith and be a blessing in your life. May you know of my personal gratitude for your generous response on this unique day for the entire Church.

In the Lord's Peace,

Most Reverend Robert E. Guglielmo
Bishop of Charleston

Calendar of Events

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Sunday, 21 October 2018

7.30 am ✕ Christopher Hennion
9.00 am Bart Canfield
11.00 am Pro populo
1.00 pm Spanish Mass

Monday, 22 October 2018

7.00 am ✕ Valerie Anne Grabosky
12.00 pm ✕ Funeral - Frances Kuebler
4.00 pm ✕ Funeral - Kathryn Burkhardt

Tuesday, 23 October 2018

7.00 am ✕ Tim Jett
Priest Retreat - No noon Mass

Wednesday, 24 October 2018

7.00 am ✕ Jeanne Pfeiffer
Priest Retreat - No noon Mass

Thursday, 25 October 2018

7.00 am Vicki and Monica
Priest Retreat - No noon Mass

Friday, 26 October 2018

7.00 am ✕ Rose Henderson

Saturday, 27 October 2018

5.00 pm ✕ Frank & Frances Watkins

Meetings & Events *

Sunday, 21 October 2018

K of C Breakfast: After all morning Masses (P)
No 3 & 4 Year Olds class this week
Nursery: During 9.00 am Mass
9.00 am Scripture Study
6.00 pm Women of Grace
6.00 pm High School Youth Group (M)

Monday, 22 October 2018

7.00 pm Boy Scouts (M)

Tuesday, 23 October 2018

8.30 am Program of Catholic Studies
6.30 pm Altar Server Training (church)

Wednesday, 24 October 2018

No Holy Hour & Confessions

6.30-7.30 pm Religious Education
6.30 pm Introduction to Catholicism
6.30 pm Program of Catholic Studies

Thursday, 25 October 2018

Friday, 26 October 2018

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, 27 October 2018

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

Financial Report

Weekend of 13/14 October

Needed	34,500
Received	38,989
Surplus	4,489

Poor Box	192
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Offertory Year to Date

Needed	552,000
Received	544,322
Shortage	7,678

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.



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'Like' us on Facebook at
St Mary's Catholic Church
Greenville SC.

G - Gallivan Hall M - McGrady 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

st mary's catholic school

TRADITION



VIRTUE



EXCELLENCE



Open House

5-9 November

Call to schedule your school tour: 864.679.4117

Grades K3-8



✿ SACS Accredited
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Ribbon School



101 Hampton Avenue, Greenville, SC 29601



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Requiescat in pace

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Kathryn Burkhardt and Frances Kuebler (mother of Marilyn Reichert), who died recently. We extend our prayers and sympathy to their 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.

Knights of Columbus Breakfast



The KofC Monthly Breakfast is scheduled for Sunday 21 October in the Pazdan Hall Dining Room after all the morning Masses. All are welcome to share breakfast with the parish family.

Birthright Baby Bottles



Birthright of Greenville, a local pregnancy center offering loving alternatives to abortion, will be handing out baby bottles after each Mass on the weekend of 20/21 October. We ask that you place donations in the bottle and bring it back to church the weekend of 27/28 October.

Prayer Requests

Please pray for all those who are hospitalized and for all those who are shut-ins, ill or recuperating at home, especially Paulina Cruz, Brett Gervais, Judy Byrum, Michael Pinto, Joseph & Sandy Srp, Marie-Therese Isidore, Carlton Carpenter, Jim Barber, John Hever, Alfred Smith, Mauren Lukovic, Christine Tancrell, Dcn. John & Irene Karandisevsky, Lenore Cole, Celsea Patry, John Tyler, Hunter Conant, Carly Burkhardt, Alma Furman, Anne Alexander, Ruth O'Rourke, Rafael Marquez, Lori Wylie, Kenneth & Nancy Tessier, Kevin N. Brown, Arthur & Patricia O'Leary, Robert Brown and Ann Pinto.



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

28 October

PARISH NEWS

Collection for 20/21 October

Support of the Parish & World Mission Sunday

*St Mary's is sustained by
the generosity of our parishioners.
Thank you for your generosity and support.*

Change to Liturgical Schedule due to Priest's Retreat

All of the diocesan priests will be at their Annual Priests' Retreat from 22-25 October.

The noon Masses will not be celebrated this week. The Holy Hour and Confessions are canceled for Wednesday 24 October.

All Souls' Day, 2 November

Friday 2 November is the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed or All Souls' Day. On that day we pray for the souls of the just who are being prepared for the glorious vision of God, and in your stewardship envelopes you'll find an envelope for All Souls' Day with lines on one side for writing the names of your beloved dead whom you would like remembered at the altar during November. Please complete that envelope and drop it in any collection during October.

Bulletin Submissions

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

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.

Mass Intentions

If you would like to schedule a Mass intention, contact Vickie Acosta in the parish office at 864.271.8422 or vickie.acosta@stmarysgvl.org.

Baptism Class



Prior to having a child baptized at Saint 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 29 October 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.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sunday Mornings for 3 & 4 Year Olds

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

Religious Education Grades 1-8

Classes meet on Wednesday 6.30–7.30 pm

No classes on 31 October

First Communion Families

This Wednesday, 24 October at 6.30 pm the First Communion class and their parents will pray the rosary in Gallivan Hall.

Confirmation Retreat

Students in the Confirmation Classes will have a retreat this Friday 26 October from 5.30 – 10.30 pm in Gallivan Hall. All students must attend.

Daily Mass Readings

For the daily Mass readings, visit <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/>

New Altar Server Training

A training session for all boys and young men who are interested in becoming altar servers at St Mary's is scheduled inside the church for Tuesday evening, 23 October from 6.30-7.30 pm. Serving is open to all boys and young men between the age of 10 and college age. For more information, please see the St Mary's website at: stmarysgvl.org/ourparish/parish-organizations or contact Deacon Nestor Acosta at 864.679.4118.

St Mary's Catholic Fellowship

Want to Develop Community & Cultivate Friendships? Read on and Sign Up! The Catholic Fellowship program at St Mary's provides an opportunity for parishioners to meet, visit and get to know each other while enjoying a tasty dinner! Participants agree that it is a great way to develop community and cultivate close friendships. It is administered by volunteers. The program is open to all members of the parish as well as friends from other parishes. Three to four dinners are held per year. Dinners are typically held in homes of parishioners, although halls or clubhouses may be used. Send a message to StMCatholicFellowship@gmail.com or text 864.616.2739 to get a copy of the guidelines or to join. Don't wait! The next dinner is scheduled for 10 November.

St Mary's Council of Catholic Women Sewing Ministry

The ladies will meet on 23 October from 10.00 am - 12.00 pm at the Sew Creative Sewing Studio, 1901-B Laurens Rd., Greenville. They will be working on making pillowcase dresses to send to a Catholic orphanage in Haiti along with the original pillowcases for the Greenville Children's Hospital. Bring a pair of sharp scissors or a rotary cutter. If you don't like to sew there are many other ways to help including cutting and ironing. Please join us! Contact Rita Brown for questions as 864.420.5286 or ritamb@aol.com.

Pillars of Christ

Pillars of Christ is a men's ministry led by a group of St. Mary's men who are on fire with the love of Christ and His Church. The group meets on Friday mornings from 6.15–8.00 am for prayer in the church and then in Sacred Heart Hall for study. For more information, contact Deacon John Heuser at 864.679.4113 or john.heuser@stmarysgvl.org.



st. mary's catholic school

2018-2019
The Year of Faith



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Leaders visit 1st Grade



Mrs Janice Carpin's 1st grade class recently invited Mr Zimmerman and Father Duncan to their classroom to answer questions about school and church leaders. As a part of their social studies

curriculum, the class is learning all about different types of leaders and what they do for our community.

5th Grade Escape Room

Students in Mrs Layton's 5th grade class escaped from zombies! Through a series of mathematical clues, students had to solve their way out of the escape room.



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Cross Country Team

Congratulations to Coach Pope and all of his cross country runners! The Ducks are CMSC Champions with Ryan R, Tommy S, and Harrison Z being named all to the All Conference team. The Lady Ducks placed 3rd with Ellie M being named to the All Conference team! Nice running to all. We are so proud of your dedication!

6th Marian Eucharistic Conference
November 10 - 11, 2018

Mary, Mother of the Eucharist



Fr. Frank Pavone



Fr. Bill Casey



Fr. Brian Mullaly, OP



Doug Barry



Dr. John Bruchalski
Former Abortionist
Pro-life M.D., OB/GYN



Jeff Cavins



Our Lady of Guadalupe

Hilton Hotel

45 West Orchard Park Drive,
Greenville, SC 29615

General Admission: \$80
Youth: \$ 40

Saturday and Sunday buffet lunches are included. All are required to register by October 27

The Most Reverent
Robert E. Guglielmo
Bishop of Charleston
Celebrant / Homilist



Saturday, Nov. 10

Doors open: 7:30 am

Mass: 8:30 am,

Talks,
Buffet Lunch,
Confessions



Sunday, Nov. 11

Doors open: 7:50 am

Mass: 8:30 am,

Talks,
Buffet Lunch,
Confessions

For more information, please call (864)354-7160
or go to www.meconferencesc.net

Registration after Oct. 27, \$ 90

GREENVILLE DEANERY & OTHER NEWS

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

Be still and know that I am God. (Psalm 46.10) Contact Lisa Buss at adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org or 864.508.7123.

Urgent needs:
Wednesday 11 pm

Co-adorer needs:
Sunday 11 am

Natural Family Planning

Learn about yourself and your fertility. Attend an Introductory Session to Natural Family Planning with the Creighton Model FertilityCare System at 7 pm on Thursday 8 November at St Francis Hospital – Eastside in Greenville in Classroom 301. This is a no cost, no obligation information session about a woman's / couple's fertility and the modern, effective, Church-approved method which allows a couple to accommodate the practice of chastity and responsible parenthood within marriage. It is also very effective for identifying biomarkers related to infertility and frequent miscarriage as well as PMS. For further information, please call Nancy McGrath at (H) 292.0475, (C) 864.270.3655, or email: NaProNurse@aol.com.

40 Days for Life Closing Celebration 3 November at 9.30 am

Representative from St Clare's Home will provide the latest update. Prayer Warriors will share their testimonies from the current campaign. Park at Grove Road Baptist Church.



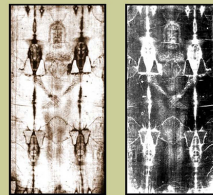
Italian Art & History Seminar Pilgrimage 3-17 June 2019

Florence, Ravenna, Venice
with optional 4 days in Rome

Led by Fr Longenecker, Jim Craft and Joseph Pearce

For information & registration, please contact the parish office of the Our Lady of the Rosary at 864.422.1648 or visit <https://www.catholicheritagetours.com/fdlis>.

Nov 27, 2018



SHROUD OF TURIN
SHROUD OF JESUS OF NAZARETH
CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST
TURIN, ITALY

WAS RADIOCARBON DATING
WRONG?

WHAT ABOUT NEW TECHNOLOGY?

Nov 28, 2018



EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES
Monstrance in Lanciano, Italy
8th Century A.D.
EUCCHARISTIC SANCTUARY OF
THE BASILICA OF LANCIANO

WHAT IS A EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLE?
IS THERE SCIENTIFIC EVIDENCE
FOR THEM?

SACRED CLOTHS OF THE PASSION AND EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES

MR. RICHARD BERNATCHEZ
CO-FOUNDER OF FAITH BASED COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Bernatchez holds a Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering, a Master's degree in Engineering Administration, and is a registered Professional Engineer. Both Dick and his wife participated in both the 2014 St. Louis, MO and 2017 Pasco, WA International Conferences on the Shroud of Turin and he has done considerable research on the topics.

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOL
FR. FRIEND HALL
1200 CORNELIA ROAD, ANDERSON, SC 29621

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SACRED CLOTHS OF THE PASSION

Tues 11/27
3:00 pm Exhibit Opens for Parish Viewing
7:00 pm Sacred Cloths Presentation

EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES

Wed 11/28
9:15 am Sacred Cloths Exhibit Opens after 8:30 am Mass
9:30 – 11:00 am Sacred Cloths Presentation
3:00 pm Eucharistic Miracles Exhibit Opens for Parish Viewing
7:00 pm Eucharistic Miracles Presentation

TIME PERMITTING, THE EXHIBITS CAN BE VIEWED
AFTER THE EVENING PRESENTATIONS

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