

St Mary's Catholic Church

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28 October 2018

Dear Friends in Christ,

In 2020 the Diocese of Charleston will be 200 years old, and in 2022 St Mary's Church will be 170 years old. Both of these milestones will be celebrated in a variety of ways, including a combined capital campaign. The diocesan Bicentennial Campaign, which will run over five years, seeks to raise a total of \$60 million which will be divided 50/50 between the diocese and all of the parishes, and the amount which St Mary's needs to raise for the diocese is \$1 million. None of this money will go towards lawsuits or settlements related to the misconduct of clergy, and all of it will be spent on the essential ministries of the Church - Catholic schools, the education of future priests, social ministries of many kinds, and the direct service of the poor.

At the same time as the diocesan campaign, St Mary's will be running a five-year parish campaign called Forward in Faith, and our goal is \$6 million to pay for four major projects for our campus. We need to build a two-story annex next to the church along Washington Street that will provide indoor rest rooms for the church along with handicapped accessible confessionals, a nursery, and a practice room for our musicians which will connect directly to the choir loft. We also need to make major improvements to the side of Gallivan Hall and cover the sidewalk where children enter and exit vehicles for school and religious eduction, and it is past time to expand the church office building by enclosing the small space within the garden wall to provide room for our growing print shop and expanded facilities for our staff. And last but not least, it will soon be time to update the church interior by installing new pews and kneelers, replacing the rotting wood wainscoting throughout the building, patching and painting all of the plaster, and refurbishing the organ.

These two campaigns combined mean that in the next five years we seek to raise \$7 million, and for many months our parish Finance Council has provided steady guidance in preparation for this moment. The two campaigns will run together from 2019 to the end of 2023, and the projects we need to fund will be accomplished as the funds become available. It is my desire that we not incur any debt during the construction of these badly needed improvements, and I ask you now to begin thinking about the sacrificial commitment you will make to turn these plans into realities.

On Tuesday 4 December we will have a parish Town Hall Meeting in Gallivan Hall at 6.30 pm, and I will explain in detail what each of these projects means to our congregation and how we intend to accomplish them. I will also gladly answer any questions you may have about this plan or anything else in the life of the Church. Please plan now to join us for the Town Hall Meeting on December 4th, and watch for more information soon on how we move Forward in Faith.

Father Newman

Indulgences for the Souls in Purgatory

"It is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins" (2 Maccabees 12.46)

A partial indulgence, applicable only to the Souls in Purgatory, can be obtained when the Eternal Rest *(Requiem aeternam)* is prayed. This can be prayed all year, but especially during the month of November.

1-8 November

A plenary indulgence is granted each and every day from 1-8 November for visiting a cemetery and praying there for the departed. These indulgences are applicable only to the Souls in Purgatory. On other days of the year the indulgence is partial.

2 November - All Souls' Day

A plenary indulgence, applicable only the Souls in Purgatory, is granted when you devoutly visit a church or a public oratory on 2 November and recite an Our Father and the Creed.

The normal conditions for receiving a plenary indulgence are:

•Pray for the intentions of the pope (ex. an Our Father and a Hail Mary)

- •Make a sacramental confession within 20 days
- •Worthily receive Holy Communion (ideally on the same day if you can get to Mass)
- •Be free from all attachment to sin, even venial sin

One sacramental Confession suffices for several plenary indulgences, but a separate Holy Communion and a separate prayer for the Holy Father's intentions are required for each plenary indulgence.

If you are not correctly disposed or if you don't fulfill the prescribed works and/or the conditions then the indulgence will be partial and not plenary.

You can acquire one plenary indulgence a day.

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

Calendar of Events

Mass Schedule & Intentions	Meetings & Events *
Sunday, 28 October 2018	Sunday, 28 October 2018
 7.30 am Sister M. Susanne Dziedzic, CSSF 9.00 am ★ Grady Cole 11.00 am Pro populo 1.00 pm Spanish Mass 	9.00 am3 & 4 Year Olds (K4 classroom of Sacred Heart Hall)Nursery: During 9.00 am Mass Coffee & doughnuts: After 9.00 am Mass (P) 9.00 am9.00 amScripture Study High School Youth Group (M)
Monday, 29 October 2018	Monday, 29 October 2018
7.00 am ♣ Peter R. Faber	6.30 pmBaptism Class7.00 pmBoy Scouts (M)
Tuesday, 30 October 2018	Tuesday, 30 October 2018
7.00 am✤Souls in Purgatory12.00 noonBart Canfield	8.30 am Program of Catholic Studies
Wednesday, 31 October 2018	Wednesday, 31 October 2018
7.00 am ✤ John Donnelly 12.00 noon ✤ Sherrie Osbourne	5.00-6.00 pm Holy Hour & Confessions (church) No Faith Formation classes for children or adults
Thursday, 1 November 2018	Thursday, 1 November 2018
All Saints7.00 am✤Manuel Jose Soto12.00 noon♣Emily Rose Gomes7.00 pmPro populo	
Friday, 2 November 2018	Friday, 2 November 2018
All Souls7.00 amVanessa Acosta Babb7.00 pmSpanish Mass	6.15 amMorning Prayer (church)6.30-8.00 amPillars of Christ10.00 amScripture Study Class3.30-5.00 pmYouth Choir Practice
Saturday, 3 November 2018	Saturday, 3 November 2018
5.00 pm 🛛 🕈 Nelli Restrepo	8.00-9.00 am Rosary - Grove Rd

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abortion clinic3.30-4.30 pmConfessions (church)

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

Financial Report

Weekend of 20/21 October

Offertory Year to Date

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.

Facebook

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

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12,151

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World Mission

st mary's catholic school



VIRTUE

EXCELLENCE



Open House 5-9 November

Call to schedule your school tour: 864.679.4117

Grades K3-8



*SACS Accredited *National Blue Ribbon School



101 Hampton Avenue, Greenville, SC 29601 smsgvl.org



Thursday 1 November Solemnity of All Saints A Holy Day of Obligation

Mass at 7 am, 12 noon & 7 pm

Friday 2 November Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

Mass at 7 am & 7.00 pm (Spanish)

Requiescat in pace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Bill Rippon, 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.



Birthright Baby Bottles

Return your baby bottle this weekend, 27/28 October, for Birthright of Greenville, a local pregnancy center offering loving alternatives to abortion. After this weekend, please send donations to Birthright at 110-F East Butler Road Mauldin, South Carolina, 29662.

Congratulations to

Tyler Matthew Visin and Amber Margaret Carruthers who were married last week.

St Mary's Senior Fellowship Saturday 10 November at 12 noon



Come join us in Sacred Heart Hall for an early Thanksgiving dinner. Turkey, dressing and gravy provided. Bring a side or dessert to share. Contact Alice Ramos at 864.430.7276 or

Dee Goughneour at 864.297.8428 for more information.

PARISH NEWS

Collection for 27/28 October

Support of the Parish & Bishop's Appeal

Collection for 1 November

Support of the Parish

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

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 the collection this weekend.

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, 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, Ann Pinto and John Hever.



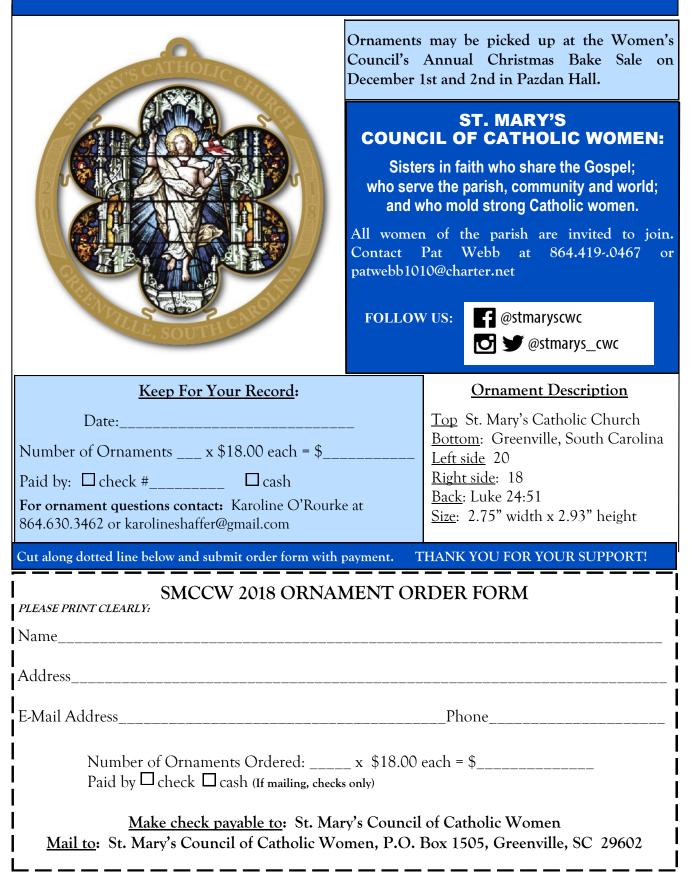
Join us in Pazdan Hall after the 9.00 am Mass for doughnuts

28 October

St. Mary's Council of Catholic Women 2018 Ornament Order Form

The Resurrection of Jesus Christ

Location: Altar window, top portion



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.

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. 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.

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

No classes on 31 October

Daily Mass Readings

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

Welcome Newcomers

We welcome the following new members to our parish family: Mr Garon Lee, Mr & Mrs John Esper, Ms Martha Chambers, Ms Ashley Grodecki, Mr Michael Bell, Ms Veronica Elrod, Ms Mary Scheidly, Mrs Amanda Box and Mr Ronald Esposito.

Bulletin Submissions

The deadline for items is $\underline{12}$ 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.

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.

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.



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2018-2019 The Year of Faith



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Book Fair

Help St Mary's School library by shopping our Scholastic book fair online. Visit **www.scholastic.com/bf/stmarysschoolgvl**, and help



support St. Mary's School Library! A percentage of all our Scholastic Book Fair purchases will benefit St. Mary's School Library Online shopping will be available from 1-14 November. Shipping will be free! Mrs Nichols will contact you to pick up your books from the School library when they arrive. If you have any questions, please feel free to

email Brenda Nichols at brenda.nichols@stmarysgvl.org.

Dragons Love Tacos

Our Lady of the Rosary's third and fourth grade classes joined us in Gallivan Hall for South Carolina Children's Theater's production of Dragons Love Tacos.

It was a delight to discover that the Pink Dragon, Mia Hartley Phillips, is a 1983 St. Mary's Alumni. She jokingly said that she still has scars on her knees from playing kickball on the blacktop before Francis Field was added to campus.





St Mary's 6th Grade class at Symmes Chapel on their annual Camp Greenville field trip.

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6th Marian Eucharistic Conference November 10 - 11, 2018

Fr. Frank Pavone



Fr. Brian Mullaly, OP



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

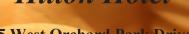


Doug Barry



Jeff Cavins

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. Guglielmone

Bishop of Charleston

Celebrant / Homilist



Mary, Mother of the Eucharist



Our Lady of Guadalupe

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

$\mathcal{P}_{ ext{erpetual}}$ $\mathcal{T}_{ ext{ucharistic}}$ $\mathcal{A}_{ ext{doration}}$ 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.

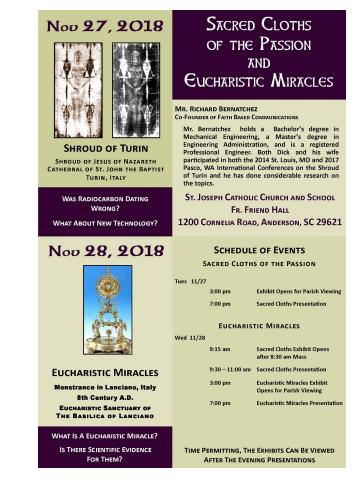
All hours are available. Urgent needs are:Sunday 11 amTuesday 4 amMonday 4 pmWednesday 11 pm

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 infomation, 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.

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