

OFFICE HOURS
Monday-Thursday
9:00 am-4:30 pm



CONFESSION

Tuesday: 5:45 pm-6:15 pm
Thursday 4:45 pm-5:15 pm
Saturday 3:30 pm-4:30 pm
Sunday 11:15 am-12:00 pm

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"I must become a great saint, my Jesus wants it."

St. Bernadette Soubirous

Rev. Fr. Francisco Oñate-Vargas

Pastor

January 12, 2025 The Baptism of the Lord



Prayer for Vocations/Oración por las Vocaciones

Merciful Father, give to your Church today many more holy priests after your own heart. May they be worthy representatives of Christ, who is the High Priest and the Good Shepherd. May they devote themselves to prayer and penance; be examples of humility and simplicity; shining models of holiness; tireless and powerful preachers of the Word of God; and zealous dispensers of your grace in the sacraments. **Holy Mary**, mother of all priests, help us, through your powerful intercession so that many more young men answer the call to serve this sublime vocation. **St Joseph**, Patron of the Universal Church, pray for all the priests Holy Saints of God, pray for all priests. Our Lady of Lourdes, Queen of the clergy, pray for all priests in the whole world! We ask this, through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, the Eternal High Priest, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. **Amen.**

Padre misericordioso, da hoy a tu Iglesia muchos más santos sacerdotes según tu corazón. Sacerdotes que sean dignos representantes de Cristo, quien es el Sumo Sacerdote y el Buen Pastor. Sacerdotes que se dediquen a la oración y a la penitencia; que sean ejemplos de humildad y sencillez; resplandecientes modelos de santidad; predicadores incansables de la Palabra de Dios; y fieles dispensadores de la gracia en los sacramentos. **Santa María**, madre de todos los sacerdotes, acudimos a ti, ayúdanos por tu poderosa intercesión para que mas jóvenes contesten el llamado a servir esta sublime vocación. **San José**, Patrono de la Iglesia Universal, ruega por todos los sacerdotes. Todos los Santos y Santas de Dios, rueguen por

todos los sacerdotes. Nuestra Señora de Lourdes, Reina del clero, ¡ruega por todos los sacerdotes del mundo entero! Te lo pedimos, Padre, por tu Hijo, nuestro Señor Jesucristo, El Sumo y Eterno Sacerdote, que contigo vive y reina en la unidad del Espíritu Santo, y es Dios, por los siglos de los siglos. **Amén.**

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 1/11

5:00 pm Fr. Francisco Oñate– Vargas

† **Anthony Skovria**

† **Lib Colcolough**

Sunday 1/12

9:30 am † Yvette Chalock

† **Antonio Ayala**

† **Rick Schosky**

12:30 pm (Spanish) Pro Populo

Monday 1/13

No Mass

Tuesday 1/14

6:30 pm (Spanish)

Wednesday 1/15

8:30 am Peace for Our Country

Thursday 1/16

5:30 pm † Paul A. Toomey

Friday 1/17

8:30 am Ronald Gadagno Sr.

Saturday 1/18

5:00 pm

Sunday 1/19

9:30 am Pro Populo

12:30 pm (Spanish) † Carlos Cortes

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Please pray for all our loved ones serving with the armed forces, especially Cody Piontek and Rear Admiral David Edward Ludwa and Evan Aleo.

Bulletin Ads

If you own a business, please consider advertising on the back of our bulletin. It helps defray the cost to the church for the bulletin and will hopefully benefit your business as well.



Knights of Columbus

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Book Club

With much prayer and consideration, book club will be postponed until further notice. Thank you for your support and participation.

– Daniel Mackin



Greenwood Catholic Women's Club

GCWC is open to all women of the parish 18 years and older. Meetings are on the second Wednesday of the month at 6:30 pm. Questions? Text or call Linda Powell @ 864-992-7077.

Wednesday, December 25, 2024

Attendance: 1,467 Contributions: \$13,237

Sunday, December 29, 2024

Attendance: 1,020

Contributions: \$11,466.72

Wednesday, January 1, 2025

Attendance: 503

Contributions: \$3,687.12

Sunday, January 5, 2025

Attendance: 1,206

Contribution: \$11, 122

(Totals do not include online donations)



Welcome Jodi Leonardi who is our new part-time Book Keeper. Thank you for sharing your time and talent with us!

An enormous **THANK YOU** to Susan Gabay who dedicated her time with us as our volunteered Book Keeper. Thank you for all you do.



Please Note!

Father Francisco will be out the following week to attend a priest convocation. Monday, January 20th through Friday, January 24th. **There will be no masses during that time.** Please keep him and all priests in your prayers.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK AND HOMEBOUND. YOU CAN FIND AN UPDATED PRAYER LIST ON OUR WEBSITE.



The Blessed Virgin Mary said many things to Bernadette at Lourdes. Our Lady told Bernadette to do penance saying, "Penance," three times, and told her to pray for sinners. She also told Bernadette that she could "not promise happiness in this world, but in the next," speaking of heaven.

Throughout the apparitions Bernadette asked for the apparition's name, but was refused. At the end of the visions, Our Lady unfolded her hands and spread them to her side and said, "I am the Immaculate Conception." This confirmed the Church's new teaching that Mary was conceived without original sin. She also told Bernadette things that were for herself alone, and she never told them to anyone.

Congratulations

Congratulations to the Lakelands Toros 2006/07 Boys Red Team on their recent win at the SC Presidents Cup in Florence, SC! Be sure to congratulate the following **parishioners** for their hard work: **Asheton Witt, Daniel Duran, Rome Wideman, and Joseph Sadurski**. Thank you for your prayers as these players and their families head to Texas in June to represent South Carolina in the regional finals. Saint Luigi Scrosoppi and Saint Pope John Paul II, pray for us!

Wesley Commons

Wesley Commons Mass will be held on Wednesday, January 15th at 10:30 am. Confessions will be after Mass.

"It is the duty of every man to uphold the dignity of every woman."

—*St. Therese of Lisieux - The Little Flower*

Columbarium

Our Lady of Lourdes has Columbarium niches available. The cost per niche is currently \$3000 and one niche can hold two urns (as long as both urns do not exceed the 12x12x12 space inside the niche). The fee includes a granite marker and applicable engraving costs. Niches can be reserved for the third columbarium. If you have any questions, please contact Michael Brown @ 864- 321- 8011.



Retrouvaille

You Can Help Your Marriage – Do you feel

alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties, sometimes misery, in their marriage. For confidential information about, or to register for, **the Fall program beginning with a weekend on January 24-26th in the Charlotte area**, contact Bill and Lyn Folsom at 727-343-6701 or email: 3062ac@helpourmarriage.org or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.org

CCD/OCIC Classes

Just a reminder that classes are cancelled on January 19th and will resume again on January 26th.



TMIY - That Man Is You

Men of Our Lady of Lourdes: Come join us at That Man Is You (TMIY). We meet most Friday mornings at 7:15 am in the Church Hall. The session runs from 7:15 to 8:15am which ends in time to attend 8:30 am Mass. **Quick Join Link:** <https://programs.paradisusdei.org/joinBD27FC>

January 31: St. Augustine: A Saint For Our Time

Presenter: Andrew Swafford

- **The Family Is Not An End In Itself**
- **The Old Testament Is To Be Read Spiritually, Not Literally**
- **Witnesses To The Truth Can Open Minds and Hearts**
- **Come Face-To-Face With Ourselves In Prayer**
- **Reintegrate Our Divided Selves**
- **Your Story Matters**

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults)

At OLOL this Order is a series of classes on the Catholic Catechism and Rites that culminate at the Easter Vigil when individuals are fully welcomed into the Catholic Church through the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Communion). **The next date for the OCIA is Sunday, January 12 and the topic that will be discussed is " EUCHARIST."**

For parishioners and visitors considering donating online, please scan the QR code to the left. God bless you for your generosity!



Acts of the Apostles

The Acts of the Apostles is the story of how a few Christians empowered by the Holy Spirit were chosen to bring Christ and the Good News to the ends of the earth. Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom is a bible study that traces how the gospel witness spread outward in waves from Jerusalem and reveals how the seeds of Church structure and authority took root. It shows how the joys and struggles of the early Christians in living the life of Christ apply to us today. This 20-session study **will begin Monday, January 27, at 6:30pm and Thursday, January 30, at 10:00 am. The last day for registration is Monday, January 13.**

SHE

SHE, " She Shall Be Called Woman" All women are invited to attend the upcoming spring session of SHE. **The start date is Friday January 24, 2025(10:00 am to 11:30),** here at Our Lady of Lourdes church. The topic for this 9 week series is ; " The 10 Virtues of Mary ". The morning includes light refreshments, a 20 minute video, followed by group discussion. There is no charge to attend these spirited and inspirational gatherings. Start your new year right, be inspired, make new friendships, grow in your faith. ATTEND SHE! For more information: email or text: Debbie Fitzpatrick (leoboone@aol.com), 209 200 1842. Or Sandy Ranly (ssranly1@gmail.com) 803 331-9890.



12 de enero 2025 Fiesta del Bautismo del Señor

HORARIO DE OFICINA PARA LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA:

Lunes a Jueves de 9:00 am a 4:30 pm

Preguntar por Letisia Hernández para asistencia en **Español**.

ADORACIÓN AL SANTISIMO SACRAMENTO

Viernes a las 7:00 pm. “NO esperes que te olvide,
NO olvides que te espero”

MISA Y ADORACIÓN DISPONIBLES EN YOUTUBE

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SACRAMENTOS

♦ BAUTISMO



Para bautizar en esta parroquia: **El bebé debe tener menos de seis (6) años**. Al menos uno de los padres debe de ser católico practicante, asistir regularmente a la Misa, y estar registrado en la parroquia al menos **TRES MESES** antes de solicitar la fecha para el bautismo. Padres y padrinos deben de asistir a las pláticas Pre-Bautismales. **Los padrinos deben estar solteros o casados en la Iglesia Católica**. Solo las personas que hayan solicitado el bautismo en la oficina y que hayan completado los formularios requeridos podrán asistir a las clases Pre-Bautismales. **Las proxima platicas de bautismo : 20 de enero a las 7 pm**

♦ MATRIMONIO



La Diócesis de Charleston requiere una preparación mínima de **SEIS MESES** para recibir el Sacramento del Matrimonio.

♦ MISA PARA QUINCEAÑERAS

Se requiere una preparación mínima de **SEIS MESES**.



SANTO ROSARIO

Domingos a las 11:40 am.

VIRGEN PEREGRINA DE GUADALUPE

Las familias que gusten llevar a casa la imagen de la Virgen por una semana contactar a Oscar Jiménez (864) 941-6831.



GRUPOS DE ORACIÓN

♦ **Cristo Renueva Su Parroquia de Mujeres:**

Miercoles 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm. Contactar a Betza Ortega.

♦ **Cristo Renueva Su Parroquia de Hombres:**

Miercoles 6:30 pm – 9 pm. Contactar a Antonio Abrego.

♦ **Misioneros de Nuestra Señora de Lourdes:**

Lunes 7 pm – 10 pm. Contactar a Oscar Jimenez (864) 941-6831.

♦ **Verbum Dei:**

Jueves 6:00 pm – 8 pm. Contactar a Aideé Manzano (864) 538-4090.



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♦ **Ministros Extraordinarios de la Sagrada Comunión:**

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♦ **Catequesis para Jóvenes Adultos:** Rosalie Merrow 864-992-1979.



Week at a Glance

Sunday, Jan 12			6PM-7:30PM	CRSP W	5th gr
10:30AM & 1:30PM	CCD Classes	Hall	7PM-8PM	Rosalie's HS Class	6th gr
6PM-7:30PM	OCIA	8th gr			
			Thursday, Jan 16		
Monday, Jan 13			6PM-9PM	Daniel Duran : Team	Gym
6PM	Cub Scouts				
6:30PM-8PM	Boy Scouts		Friday, Jan 17		
7PM-9PM	Oscar's Prayer Group	Chapel	7PM	Armata Bianca	Church
Tuesday, Jan 14			Saturday, Jan 18		
6PM-9PM	Daniel Duran: Team	Gym		Fabric Sale	Gym
7PM-9PM	Sp. OCIA	Hall			
			Sunday, Jan 19		
Wednesday, Jan 15			10:30AM & 1:30PM	NO CCD/OCIC Classes	Hall
6:30PM-8PM	EDGE	Gym	6PM-7:30PM	OCIA	8th gr

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