

**OFFERTORY**

Offertory Budget.....	1,500,000.00
YTD Actual .....	437,063.93
Weekly Budget .....	28,846.15
Offertory -- 10-19-08 .....	25,008.91
Parish Debt (as of 9-3-08) .....	202,701.98
World Mission Sunday .....	2,546.50

**“Pride in Our Past - Faith in Our Future”**

Pledged .....	3,118,479.71
Received .....	1,556,239.71

*We fulfill the commandment to love our neighbor when we exercise good stewardship — joyfully sharing our gifts of life, abilities, and resources to meet our neighbor’s need.*

**TRIBUTES**



**The flowers on the Main Altar** this weekend are in loving memory of Carl Niggel and in honor of Lucille Niggel in remembrance of their wedding anniversary and are given by Mary

Key & Bill, Karen, Reneé & Nancy.

**THE BOOK OF THE NAMES OF THE DEAD**

The Church has a long tradition of remembering - to the love and mercy of God - those who have died. We do this in a special way on the Feast of All Souls Day (Sunday, November 2) and throughout the month of November. *The Book of the Names of the Dead*, has been placed in the Church so that you may record the names of deceased family members and friends. All names written in *the Book* will be remembered in prayer. This book will be placed on a special altar during November for private prayer.

**FLU SHOTS**

Tri-County Home Health Care will be giving Flu Shots at St. Joseph on Tuesday, October 28 from 8:00 to 11:00 AM in the Pastoral Life Center, lower level. The fee for non-Medicare is \$25.00. For information, call 540-1901.

**ATTENTION**

**Daylight Savings Time Ends** on Sunday, November 2.



Remember to turn your clocks back an hour before going to bed Saturday night. Hooray for an extra hour of sleep!

**OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY**

is extended to the families of **Kate Bockman, Genevieve Linton, and Frances Naccash**. May their souls rest in peace.

*Please Pray for the Sick of the Parish*

**SCHOOL NEWS**



Dear Parish Friends,

Fall is really here! This week, the school will be closed on Wednesday, October 29, so that the teachers can attend an in-service on Understanding by Design, presented by its creator Mr. Jay McTighe at Cardinal Newman School. Extended Care will be open.

- Oct. 30 Report cards go home to parents.  
Fall Carnival event.
- Oct. 31 8:15 AM Mass.  
Have a safe and happy Halloween!
- Nov. 3 School closed for Parent-Teacher Conferences;  
**Extended Care Closed.**

**HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY NEWS**

[www.cym1.com](http://www.cym1.com)

This afternoon we will be collecting canned foods in Shandon. We ask that youth meet us at 1:15 PM in front of Hand Middle School on Woodrow Street. Students may be picked up at 3:30 PM at St. Joseph Church.

All high school youth are invited to join us in the Parish Hall/Gym next Sunday, November 2 for **Youth Group** from 11:45 AM to 1:00 PM.

**Our Young Ladies Faith Sharing Group** will meet again Wednesday, November 5 from 6:15 to 7:30 PM in the Parish Hall/Gym.

For more information on any of our activities, call John Waters at 238-6131.

**PROTECTING GOD’S CHILDREN  
(VIRTUS) TRAINING CLASSES**

St. Joseph will offer VIRTUS training sessions from 6:00 to 8:30 PM on : Monday, October 27 & Tuesday, October 28

in Class Room B in the Rowland Education Building

Participants must register online at [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org). Please contact John Waters at 540-1920 for more information or help with registration.

**ST. JOSEPH ANNUAL  
MASS OF REMEMBRANCE**

On Monday, November 3 at 6:00 PM we will honor our parishioners who have died this past year. A reception in the Parish Hall/Gym will follow the Mass, sponsored by St. Joseph’s Women’s Society and Knights of Columbus Council.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Classes continue on Wednesdays, from 6:15 to 7:30 PM.

### PARISH DINNERS

A hot meal will be available from 5:15 PM – 6:15 PM in the Parish Hall/Gym on Religious Education Wednesdays. The cost for dinners will be \$5.00 / adult, \$3.00 / child under 12 or \$12.00 / family. This week's menu: sloppy joes, mashed potatoes, peas, rolls, dessert and beverages.

### PROGRAM FOR ENGAGED COUPLES

*God's Plan for a Joy-Filled Marriage* will be offered on Saturday, November 15 in the Rowland Education Building Room C from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Lunch will be provided. *God's Plan* is a marriage preparation supplement that offers engaged couples a compelling presentation of God's glorious plan for marital love. It is based on the "new language" of Pope John Paul II's Theology of the Body and explores the "whys" behind the "whats" of Catholic teaching in a non-threatening and convincing manner. The cost is \$100 but scholarships are available. For more information or to register, call Nettie Taylor at 540-1906 or e-mail [stjoedre@aol.com](mailto:stjoedre@aol.com)

**This program is required for all couples planning to be married at St. Joseph.**

### FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP

*Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship: A Call to Political Responsibility from the Catholic Bishops of the United States* is a document issued by the bishops in November, 2007. This document suggests key issues for our prayerful reflection as we prepare to fulfill our responsibilities as voters in the national election on November 4. The full text is available at [www.usccb.org/faithfulcitizenship/FCStatement.pdf](http://www.usccb.org/faithfulcitizenship/FCStatement.pdf); for additional resources for families, groups and individuals go to [www.faithfulcitizenship.org](http://www.faithfulcitizenship.org).



### WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

We extend a warm welcome  
to the newest parishioners of  
St. Joseph Church:

Mr. & Mrs. Raymond August  
Mr. William Costello  
Mrs. Vivian Decker  
Mr. William Dissen  
Mr. & Mrs. Jason Gibson  
Mr. & Mrs. Mark Grover  
Miss Hayleigh Martin  
Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Nelson  
Mr. & Mrs. Alberto Sáenz  
Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Shalkham

## MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

### Sunday, October 26

8:15 AM Mr. Michael Tyler +  
10:30 AM Mr. William F. Buckley, Jr. +  
12:15 PM Parishioners of St. Joseph  
5:30 PM Bernice Elias & Cass McCarter +

### Monday, October 27

7:30 AM Rosary

### Tuesday, October 28

7:30 AM Harriet & Norbert Josten +  
5:30 PM No Mass

### Wednesday, October 29

7:30 AM Mr. Todd Chondra +

### Thursday, October 30

7:30 AM Mr. Charles Nelson +

### Friday, October 31

7:30 AM Mrs. Marge McAndrews (I)  
8:15 AM Mr. Bert Sandifer +

### Saturday, November 1

10:00 AM Miss Kate Bockman +  
5:30 PM Mrs. Lou Ellen Taylor (I)

### Sunday, November 2

8:15 AM Fr. Lee A. Selzer +  
10:30 AM Mrs. Virginia Bachem +  
12:15 PM Miss Bethany Herrera (I)  
5:30 PM Parishioners of St. Joseph

## NOTES FROM THE PASTOR

**Priests Retreat** - All of the Diocesan Priests will be at their Annual Priests Retreat, from Monday, October 27 to Thursday, October 30 at Kanuga Retreat Center in Hendersonville, NC.

**Fr. Bernard** has agreed to take the morning Masses on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. There will be NO Mass at 5:30 PM on Tuesday, October 28. There will be NO Exposition or Benediction on Tuesday, October 28 at 5:00 PM. Please keep the priests of our Diocese in your prayers.

**All Saints Day, Saturday, November 1** in NOT a Holy Day of Obligation this year. Therefore, there will be only one All Saints Day Mass - at 10:00 AM.

## I CARE, I SHARE

The St. Vincent de Paul Society's monthly "I Care, I Share" collection is next weekend (Nov. 1 & 2.) There is a great need for: **canned meats, peanut butter, canned fruits & vegetables**, or any other dry or canned food items. Thank you for your support.

**LEARNING CORNER**

*ITEMS TO BE BLESSED*

If you have **an item** that you would like for the **pastor to bless** (bible, rosary, medal, etc...), please bring the item to the Parish Office. Please be prepared to leave your item with the assistant to the pastor. After the item is blessed, you will receive a phone call (usually within 24 hours) letting you know that you may pick-up your blessed item.

**SPECIAL BULLETIN DEADLINE  
FOR INSERTS & FLYERS**

All flyers or inserts to be considered for inclusion in the bulletins of **November 16 or 23** must be received by Monday, **November 3** in "camera ready" form.

**Reminder:** the bulletin deadline is **Tuesday at 4:30 PM**. Please submit typed notices to the office or e-mail to [StJoeTSC@aol.com](mailto:StJoeTSC@aol.com). A contact person and phone number must be included with each notice.

**WORLD PRIEST DAY & PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY**

Today is World Priest Day and Priesthood Sunday. Please pray for our priests and seminarians. Thank you Father Harris for all the care you give to the church and school.

**WORLD PRIEST DAY PRAYER**

*Heavenly Father,*

*We (I) come before you today  
to ask your blessing on our brothers,*

*Whom you have called to the Sacrament of Holy Orders.*

*Lord Jesus,*

*We (I) ask that you support them with your presence  
And fill them with grace to serve You faithfully.*

*Gracious Spirit,*

*Unite us in service with those whom you have called.  
Open our hearts to encourage our brothers and sons  
to pursue your calling,*

*And open their hearts to hear Your call  
to this most Holy Sacrament. Amen.*

**PARISH RETREAT AT SEABROOK**

Those making the parish retreat at Seabrook Island will leave St. Joseph Church by bus at 12:00 Noon on November 4 and return November 6 at 4:00 PM.

**SEMINARIAN OF THE WEEK**

Please remember in your prayers seminarian

**Mr. David Nerbun**

Pontifical North American College

00120 Vatican City State

Europe

**KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS NEWS**

- Nov. 1 Charity fundraiser, USC Home football game
- Nov. 6 Regular Business Meeting, 7:30 PM, Parish House, First Degree
- Nov. 8 Charity fundraiser, USC Home football game
- Nov. 20 Family Night, 7:00 PM, Parish House
- Nov. 27 Feed Homeless Thanksgiving Dinner, Carolina Coliseum at 11:00 AM.

For further information, please contact Sam Kopack, 783-4056 or e-mail: [KSKopack@aol.com](mailto:KSKopack@aol.com)

**CARDINAL NEWMAN OPEN HOUSE**

**Cardinal Newman School**, 4701 Forest Drive, is a place where today's students become tomorrow's leaders. The School offers a challenging college preparatory curriculum in the Catholic tradition for students in grades 7 - 12.

**Cardinal Newman School is hosting Open House on:**

**Tuesday, November 11 6:00 – 8:00 PM**

**Wednesday, November 12 8:00 – 10:00 AM**

**Thursday, November 13 6:00 – 8:00 PM**

Campus tours; displays featuring the academic departments, extra curricular activities and athletics; a video presentation; and, light refreshments will be available. Explore the opportunities Cardinal Newman School has to offer. For more information, please contact Admissions at 782-2814 ext. 11 or [www.cnhs.org](http://www.cnhs.org).

**ST. JOSEPH WOMEN'S SOCIETY**

St. Joseph Women's Society **Day Guild** will meet Tuesday, Nov. 4 at 10:00 AM in the St. Francis de Sales House. Call Doris Woest at 782-2491 for information.

St. Joseph Women's Society **Evening Guild** will meet Thursday, Nov. 6 at 7:15 PM in the Pastoral Life Center, lower level. Call Cathy Rollings at 782-3974 for information.

**All ladies are welcome to join us.**

**RECEPTION FOR WAYNE COCKFIELD**

Following the talk by Wayne Cockfield at 6:30 PM on October 29 a reception will be held in the Parish Hall/Gym sponsored by: the South Carolina Citizens for Life, and St. Joseph's St. Gianna Guild, Men's Prayer Group, Senior Life Ministry, and K of C Council 12554. All are invited to meet Wayne following his talk.

**THANKSGIVING SATURDAY GARAGE SALE**

Save the date of November 29 for our annual St. Joseph's Garage Sale. Because of your donations and participation last year's sale was very successful. Proceeds will go to St. Joseph School tuition scholarships and to assist in funding adult Catholic education.