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St. Joseph's
Catholic Church
CATHOLIC CHURCH

December 6, 2020 | 2nd Sunday of Advent

Parish Financial Report

**Weekly Budgeted
Offertory Goal for
2020-2021**
\$30,615.89

Weekly Collection
\$21,449.55

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Intentions and to
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Intention

In Memoriam

**Please Pray for the
Homebound/Sick of the**

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*Order of Worship will be
available on our website after
3 PM today, 12/4.*

Mass Times for This Weekend (December 5-6)

Saturday Vigil 5:30 PM

(Church - max capacity 80 -
Parishioners will be directed to
the gymnasium for overflow
seating to view Mass via
simulcast.)

Sunday 8 AM

(Church - max capacity 80 -
Parishioners will be directed to
the gymnasium for overflow
seating to view Mass via
simulcast.)

Sunday 10:30 AM

(Church - max capacity 48
(due to choir) - Parishioners
will be directed to the
gymnasium for overflow
seating to view Mass via
simulcast.) Livestreaming
on [Facebook/YouTube](#),
Broadcast 90.9 FM.

Sunday 12:15 PM

(Church - max capacity 80 -
Parishioners will be directed to



Join Us for Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays

Can You Spend an Hour with God?

Parishioners are invited to come and adore
our Lord. Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament is in the Church on Tuesdays,
immediately following daily Mass from
8:00 AM until 12:00PM

***(Please note new change in time of
Benediction).***

If you are interested, you may schedule
your time by clicking the link below.

[Click Here for the Signup
Schedule](#)

**Volunteers Needed for
Masses!**

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simulcast.)
Daily Mass (T-F at 7:30 AM)
 (Church - Livestreaming
 Facebook/YouTube)

When attending Mass in the Church:

We ask that you please sit after the liturgical procession exits the Nave. Following the completion of the organ postlude an usher will dismiss each row.

Please exit using the side aisles.

We appreciate your cooperation and support as we continue to do our best to keep our parish family safe.

Advent and Christmas Mass Schedule

As of now, we are planning to

As parishioners, we are asked to give our time, treasure, and talent to our Church, and we are in need of your time! We need volunteers to assist with the entrance and seating of parishioners at all weekend Masses. Those who volunteer will be given guaranteed seating for that Mass for up to 3 additional family members (*please note: for the 10:30 AM Mass, volunteers are guaranteed seating for 2 additional family members*). Volunteers will need to arrive 45 mins prior to Mass starting.

5:30 PM- Church Mass (arrival time at 4:45 PM)

8:00 AM - Church Mass (arrival time at 7:15 AM)

10:30 AM - Church Mass (arrival time at 9:45 AM)

12:15 PM - Gym Mass (arrival time at 11:30 AM)

If you are interested or for more information, please contact Dan Wagner

dan@stjosephcolumbia.org or
 call the Church Office at
 803.254.7646.

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Christmas. Please note that if there are any changes in the Diocese, state or federal recommendations, we will update this schedule.

Christmas Eve 4:00 PM in Church, simulcast for overflow in Gym.

Christmas Eve 6:30 PM in Church, simulcast for overflow in Gym. Also livestreamed to our Facebook page and YouTube channel.

Christmas Eve 10:00 PM in Church, simulcast for overflow in Gym. Also livestreamed to our Facebook page and YouTube channel.

Christmas Day 9:00 AM in Church, simulcast for overflow in Gym. Also livestreamed to our Facebook page and YouTube channel.

Christmas Day 11:00 AM in Church, simulcast for overflow in Gym.

Reminder! Return Filled Grocery Bags this weekend (12/5-6)

*Advent Food Drive
benefitting the St. Vincent de Paul Society Food Pantry*

Return filled bags (before Masses) to the alcove in the Narthex of the Church.

Items needed: Peanut Butter, Canned Meat (chicken, tuna, ham, spam), Canned fruit & veggies, pasta sauce in cans or plastic bottles (no glass), Noodles/Pasta, Dry Cereals, Rice, Beans



**Academic Scholarship Opportunity!
for Incoming 7th and 9th**

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ranging from \$2,000 - \$4,000 will be awarded.

To apply: Complete an admissions application and register for one of the two testing dates. (cnhs.org)

Saturday, December 5 or
December 12
9:00 AM

The 90-minute test will take place at Cardinal Newman, 2945 Alpine Road. Masks/face coverings are required.

Social distancing rules will be enforced.

Important Confirmation News:

Attention: Parents/
Guardians of all students
in the 8th and 9th grades
that are seeking
Confirmation during our
next formation cycle:
Please take some time over the
next few days to visit the

Diocesan Sponsored Upcoming Events

1.) Free Virtual Retreat with Fr. David Nerbun: Intimacy with another through the Other: Dec 12 from 9-12. To register please email familylife@charlestandiocese.org or call 803.547.5063.

2.) Christ gave us a great gift of Himself on Christmas. He calls us to give of ourselves to everyone, especially our spouse. Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and learn

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is posted there in the Confirmation section. It will answer questions about the way the program will move forward in the next year, as well as provide links to the official registration form, and other important information.

<https://www.stjosephcolumbia.org/sacraments>

today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on Jan 29-31, 2021 in North Myrtle Beach, SC and Apr 15-May 6, 2021 in VIRTUAL 3RE, SC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://SCMarriageMatters.org> or contact us at applications@scmarriagematters.org or 803.810.9602.

Sneaker Sunday - Dec. 12/13

Tennis Shoes, Athletic Shoes, Sneakers – whatever you call them, we need them! Please bring your gift of new shoes to the Church on the weekend of December 12 & 13 and leave them in the Narthex. You may also bring your gift of new shoes to the Church Office any time before **Sneaker Sunday**.

Sizes most in need:

Men's: 9 – 10 – 11 – 12

Women's: 8 – 9 – 10

(Catholic Charities distributes about 3x as many men's shoes as women's, so men's shoes, in sizes 11 & 12, are the greatest need.)

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FORMED

Daily Reflections and Enrichment for Advent

Sign up at FORMED.org/advent



This Advent join us for a journey on The Road to Bethlehem, an opt-in digital discipleship program designed to guide you through this important season of preparation.

The Road to Bethlehem includes:

- daily Advent reflections by Dr. Tim Gray;
- weekly videos, audio talks, and book excerpts on FORMED related to the weekly theme;
- email reminders every morning;
- Brother Francis Advent reflections for kids; and
- a weekly action item to help you put the Advent message into practice.

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Saint Joseph Catholic School will host Prisma Health Mobile Mammography

Our school nurse has arranged for the Prisma Health Mobile Mammography Unit to visit our parish and provide this life saving service for our community. When detected early, breast cancer cure rates approach 100 percent. We know that many people have been unable to attend their yearly screenings due to COVID-19. We hope this opportunity provides a safe and convenient way to schedule your screening.

The Mobile Mammography Unit will be at

St. Joseph Catholic Church
(in the MAB parking lot)

January 19, 2021

8:00 am-4:30 pm

School Nurse Jessica Eadon (803) 254-6736

***To register and schedule your appt,
call 803 296-8888 or 800 221-9724**

**You will need to bring your insurance card and
picture ID**

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