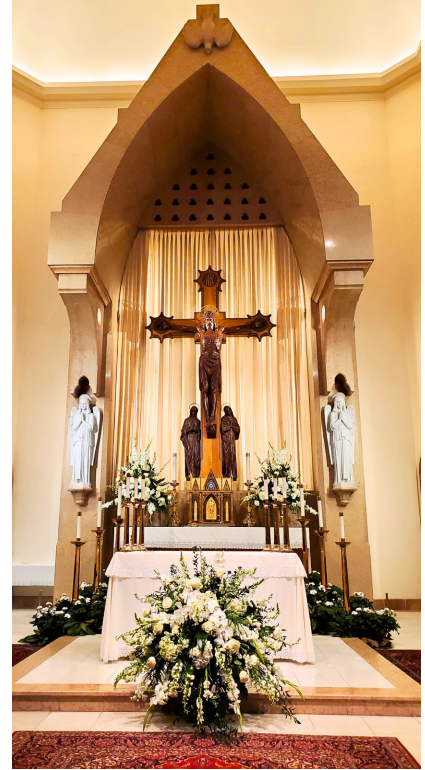




MARCH 31, 2024 ~ EASTER SUNDAY



Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting or are here for the first time! If you attend St. Joseph's regularly and consider this your parish, you may register online or stop by the parish office to fill out a registration card.

St. Joseph Catholic Church
3600 Devine Street, Columbia SC 29205

Parish Office Hours
Mon - Fri: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
3512 Devine Street, Columbia SC 29205
803.254.7646 | info@stjosephcolumbia.org
After Hours Medical Emergency Number - 803.609.0317
www.stjosephcolumbia.org

St. Joseph Catholic School
3700 Devine Street, Columbia SC 29205
803.254.6736 | www.stjosdevine.com

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil - 5:30 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:15 PM
**For the 10:30 AM ONLY Livestreaming on YouTube.
and Broadcast on 90.9FM*
*Nursery is available during the 8 AM and 10:30 AM Masses in the
Ministries & Administration Building for children 4 and under.*

Holy Days
Please check the bulletin or website for the schedule.

Daily Mass
Tuesday to Friday 7:30 AM
The Rosary precedes morning Mass.
First Saturday 8:30 AM

School Mass
Friday (Sept. - May) 8:15 AM

Reconciliation
Saturdays from 4 - 5 PM and by appointment

CLERGY OF PARISH

Rev. Msgr. Richard D. Harris, Pastor
msgrharris@stjosephcolumbia.org
Rev. Christopher Loester, Parochial Vicar
frchristopher@stjosephcolumbia.org

DIOCESE OF CHARLESTON

The Most Reverend Jacques Fabre-Jeune, CS.
14th Bishop of Charleston
<https://charlestondiocese.org>

GENERAL INFORMATION

OUR MISSION:

We, the people of God in the parish of St. Joseph, are constantly attempting to become a faith community of those who, believing in Jesus, proclaim God's kingdom and share the mystery of faith by worshipping the Father; enabling all members to grow in their relationship with each other through the Son; and witnessing our gifts through service to others in the Holy Spirit.

ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP:

The facilities and services of St. Joseph Church are available to active members. Three points determine active membership:

- Registration in the parish for a sufficient period and use of the envelope system and/or electronic giving in support of the parish;
- Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days;
- Volunteer and participate in Parish activities with time, talent, and resources as means permit.
- Join us! www.stjosephcolumbia.org/become-a-member-update-info

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Submit all announcements by Wednesday noon to info@stjosephcolumbia.org. Include name and phone number of contact person.

CHANGE OF NAME/ADDRESS/PHONE:

Please notify the Parish Office at info@stjosephcolumbia.org or 803.254.7646 of any change in your membership information.

PROTECTING OUR CHILDREN:

St. Joseph Church and School and the Diocese of Charleston are committed to the protection of children. All volunteers who work with children must complete Safe Environment Training and required Diocesan paperwork. If you would like to volunteer at St. Joseph's, please contact Jamie Vickrey at jamie@stjosephcolumbia.org. The following numbers are provided for your information:

Diocesan Victim Assistance Minister: 800.921.8122

Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services: 843.261.0431

SPECIAL NEEDS:

WHEELCHAIR SEATING

Available in the front row of the Church

RESERVED HANDICAP PARKING SPACES

There are 12 reserved spaces in the Ministries & Administration Building Parking Lot - Sundays only (for 8 AM - 10:30 AM Masses)

HEARING LOOP IN THE SANCTUARY:

In order to access the Loop, a hearing aid must be programmed for the "T" setting, which can be done by a hearing aid specialist. When in the Church, the user can go to the "T" setting on their device and will be connected to the speaker system via their hearing aid.

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM:

Parents must attend one baptism seminar before having their child baptized. Baptism Seminars are offered quarterly - Upcoming seminar dates: 4.14.24, 7.14.24 & 10.13.24

Sessions will be held from 1:30-3:30 PM in the Ministries & Administration Building. Registration is open for all sessions. Baptisms will be scheduled approximately two times per month. Contact Adam Fisher at adam@stjosephcolumbia.org or 864.747.5392 to register or for more information.

MARRIAGE:

Those contemplating marriage should contact the priest at least six months in advance of the wedding date. Contact Mindy McBurney at mindy@stjosephcolumbia.org or 803.254.7646 ext. 423 for more information.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please call the Parish Office at 803.254.7646 to request hospital visits and for individual anointing when anyone is seriously ill or having surgery.

BECOMING CATHOLIC - OCIA

(ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS): Individuals interested in becoming full members of the Catholic community participate in a process of Christian Initiation. Contact Adam Fisher at adam@stjosephcolumbia.org or 864.747.5392 for more information.

RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 PM and by appointment. *Church doors open at 3:00 PM. (Please note that we have purchased HEPA air purifiers for both parts of the confessional, in an effort to provide a safer environment for everyone.)*

WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, March 31

Easter Sunday Mass - The Resurrection of the Lord

8:00 am - † Martin Sterling

8:15 am - Nancy and Dave Haugland

10:30 am - † Salvatore DiMaria

10:45 am - Lois Simmons

12:15 pm - † Vicki & Don Wagner

Tuesday, April 2

7:30 am - † Joseph George Abdalla

† Mary Ellen O'Neill

Wednesday, April 3

7:30 am - † Donald Alessi, Jr.

Thursday, April 4

7:30 am - † Diane McDougall

† Fr. James Sauchelli

Friday, April 5

7:30 am - Charlotte Bennett

Saturday, April 6

8:30 am - † Jack D. Oliver, Sr.

5:30 pm - Parishioners of St. Joseph

Sunday, April 7

8:00 am - † Alberto Alvarez

10:30 am - † Gary McKinney

12:15 pm - † Robert Bradshaw

PRAYER INTENTIONS:

• Please pray for all those who are hospitalized and for those
• who are shut-ins, ill, or recuperating at home, especially;
• Alice Abdalla, Libba Anderson, Lucille Andrews, Patricia
• Atkins, Chuck Barnett, Tom Barry, Margaret Briggs, Mary
• Brockington, Dorothy Brown, Chris Charlton, Joanne Childs,
• Tom Chmura, Dianne Dawson, Lindsey DeBorde, Mary DeLay,
• Joe DeMichael, June Derrick, Joyce Dilleshaw, Therese Dionne,
• Katie Dukes, Paula Durocher, Paul Durrett, Katie Egan, Susan
• Faust, Jameson Finney, Freida Fixl, Sylvia Flynn, Tripp
• Furman, Marjorie Fusci, George Gallo, Olga Gallo, Kevin
• Gantt, Betty Gatipon, Laddie Gatling, Iris Gauthier, George
• Geckle, Richard Georgeson, Francly Goodrich, Karen Gray,
• Claire Hadfield, Kristine Handley, Jessika Johnson, Barbara
• Jezek, Bill Jones, Nadine Jordan, David Josten, James Josten,
• Mary Kahaly, Angie Kempson, James Kinard, John Kinard,
• William Kinney, Janice Lambka, Charlene Landry, A. Crosby
• Livingston, Lynn Mancino, Christina McKinney, Jared
• McLendon, Millie McQuitty, Hope Mosher, Mary Mulvihill,
• Christian Myers, Glenda Napier, Brenda Nauful, Carolyn Odle,
• Ellie O'Shea, Anita Owens Orf, Melissa Osborne, Virginia
• Ozgar, Mike Padua, Ruth Patterson, Stella Peoples, Maria
• Perez, Donna Peru, Brianne Rodriguez, John Rotureau, John
• Rushman, Anna Sakara, Bonnie Siegers, Lois Simmons, Jaime
• Simpson, Jr., Deacon Malcolm Skipper, Andrea Smith, Edna
• Soto, David Steele, Karen Steele, Maria Stewart, Betty Stork,
• Catherine Grace Stirling, Davis Bryan Stirling, Bettie Sturkie,
• Daniel Vallini, Sister Angelita Vazzano, Anthony Warren,
• Allan Winemiller, Neil Winter, Phyllis Yates

ALTAR FLOWERS

The Easter Flowers in the Church and Hall/Gym are in loving memory and honor of our loved ones and are given by the parishioners of St. Joseph. These loved ones will be remembered during the Easter Masses.

TABERNACLE VIGIL CANDLE

(3/23 - 4/5)

In memory of Steve Harper, given by his loving family.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

The beginning of the Divine Mercy Novena will be on Good Friday following Stations of the Cross at 12 PM. On each of the nine days, the novena asks prayers for a different group of souls in order to immerse them in the sea of His Mercy. To receive the grace of this novena one must go to confession within two weeks of Divine Mercy Sunday and receive Holy Communion on Divine Mercy Sunday. On Divine Mercy Sunday, April 7 there will be Adoration at 2 PM followed by the Devotion at 3 PM.



Msgr. Harris,
Fr. Christopher, and the
Staff of St. Joseph Church
wish you a Blessed Easter!

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

In observance of the Triduum and Easter, the Parish Office will be closed from 12:30 PM on Holy Thursday, March 28 until 8:30 AM on Tuesday, April 2. There will be no Adoration on 4/2.



OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY

is extended to the family of *James Le Blanc* (3.24.24), parishioner and husband of Sheila, father of Rene, Evanne, and Jennifer, father-in-law to Emanuela, Buddy, and Ethan; grandfather to Tristan, Xavier, Andre and Antonio.

May his soul rest in peace.

Congratulations to our Neophytes who were
received into full communion with the
Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil:

BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION

Anna Joseph
Thomas Lobtiz
Erica May
Nelson Rivera
Melanie Slattery
Chris Thomas

PROFESSION OF FAITH AND CONFIRMATION

William Castellow
Mike Field
Kayce Graupner
Anna Hoppmann
Andrew Kampe
Ali O'Toole
Andrew Strobolakos
Corey Young

Congratulations to those who received
the Sacrament of Confirmation at the Easter Vigil:

Peter Kelly
Chase Rogers
Patrick Slattery
Aleysia Soto
Matthew Soto



DIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS EVENT

About Town FRIDAY NIGHT



Welcoming Dr. Edward Sri

You are invited to St. Joseph School in Columbia for an evening with Dr. Edward Sri. He is a theologian, author and well-known Catholic speaker who presents to tens of thousands of people from around the world each year.

FRIDAY
April 5, 2024

3700 Devine Street
COLUMBIA, SC 29205

PROGRAM

7:00 p.m.

SEATING WILL BE FIRST COME,
FIRST SERVED.

No registration needed. **See you there!**

Contact catechesis@charlestondiocese.org

Dr. Edward Sri at St. Joseph's!

This is not a ticketed event. Seating will be first come, first served.

At St. Joseph's Parish Gym - 7 PM Friday, April 5

Diocesan Eucharistic Congress APRIL 5-6, 2024

About Town FRIDAY NIGHT

APRIL 5
ALL EVENTS - 7:00 PM

DR. EDWARD SRI
St. Joseph School Gym
3700 Devine St., Columbia

IVÁN DÍAZ
Our Lady of the Hills Church
120 Marydale Lane, Columbia

BISHOP JOSEPH ESPAILLAT
Basilica of St. Peter, Neglia Hall
1529 Assembly St., Columbia

EUCHARISTIC PRAISE
St. Martin de Porres Church
2229 Hampton St., Columbia

For the Life of the World Por la Vida del Mundo

SATURDAY

9:00 - 9:50 AM
Prayer & Welcome (Bilingual)
General Address (English)

10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Mass & Eucharistic Procession
Bishop Jacques Fabre-Jeune, CS, Celebrant

1:00 - 2:30 PM
Lunch Break

2:30 - 3:30 PM
English Keynote
Spanish Breakouts

- **Padre Gildardo Garcia:** La eucaristía memoria de vida (para enfatizar en la dimensión de memorial) recogiendo la historia de vida de un pueblo que peregrina o vive en diáspora
- **Padre Rafael Padron Hernandez, CRM:** La oración eucarística (para estar en sintonía con el año de la oración)
- **Hermana Guadalupe Flores, OLMV:** Convirtiéndonos en un Pueblo Eucarístico (Para recibir las gracias de un avivamiento eucarístico, preparar nuestros corazones y ser testimonio de un amor real a la Eucaristía)
- **Hermana Migdalia Flores, DC, TBD**
- **Hermana Martha Zuñiga Cruz, HCJS:** El pan compartido en un mundo con hambre, el compartir el pan con los pobres (hacer referencia a la sociedad de consumo)



ADORATION / ADORACIÓN
1:00 - 5:30 PM

3:30 - 4:30 PM

Spanish Keynote
English Breakouts

- **Father Michael Okere:** Eucharist: The Maker, the Maintainer, the Unifier of God's People
- **Father William Frei:** The Eucharist: The Bread of Angels
- **Sister Pamela Smith, SMCN, PhD:** TBD
- **Deacon Larry Deschaine, PhD:** Catholic Native Americans and their Relationship with the Eucharist: A Journey of Healing and Communion
- **Family Life Office:** The Eucharistic Family

4:30 - 5:30 PM

English & Spanish Breakouts

- **Father Jeffrey Kirby:** Discipleship and the Way of the Beatitudes
- **Father David Nerburn:** Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati and the Eucharist
- **Padre Santiago Guzmán Pizarro:** La Eucaristía en el Evangelio de San Juan
- **Diácono Bert Chavez:** Eucaristía y misión: Iglesia en salida, hacer juntos lo que no podemos solos, misión compartida)
- **Diácono Samuel Aguilar:** La Eucaristía, la comida para el camino: Cristo nos prepara para la siguiente etapa

5:30 - 6:00 PM

Vespers & Benediction
Bishop Jacques Fabre-Jeune, CS, Presider

Due to limited capacity, this will be a ticketed event.

St. Joseph's has a limited amount of tickets.

To request a ticket, please email

info@stjosephcolumbia.org.

After distributing the tickets we have, we will establish a waiting list as there is a slight chance of receiving additional tickets from the Diocese during the week of the event.

WITNESS & GROW

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Budgeted Goal for 2023-2024:
\$31,448.46

Weekly Collection: \$49,462.89

Upcoming Second Collections
Good Friday - Holy Land (3/29)
St. Vincent de Paul (3/30 - 3/31)

2024 SCCCW REVEREND WILLIAM F. PENTIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The South Carolina Council of Catholic Women *Reverend William F. Pentis Memorial Scholarship* was established in 2009 to honor Father Pentis, an Oratorian Father, who served as Moderator for the SCCCW, providing spiritual support for more than 30 years. His work with Council was a labor of love.

General Information: The SCCCW mission is to respond with Gospel values to the needs of the Church and society in the modern world. It strives to support, empower, and educate all Catholic women in spirituality, leadership and service. The scholarship was, therefore, created to encourage and promote such themes among Catholic females from SC who are graduating high school. This merit-based scholarship grants one \$1,500 award to its recipient.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Eligible students must be female South Carolina residents, who are graduating seniors planning to attend an institution of higher education (e.g., university, college, junior college, or technical school).
- Student must be a Catholic in good standing, and a letter of recommendation from an ecclesiastical body (e.g., priest, brother, deacon, or nun), a Director of Religious Education (DRE), or a Youth Minister is required.
- Student must be actively involved in school life and the community.

Submissions must be received by the deadline; no late applications will be considered.

Submissions MUST Include:

- A completed application signed by both the student and a guardian.
- A referral letter from a high school or home school official (i.e., principal, teacher, or guidance counselor).
- A high school transcript.
- A copy of the university/college/school acceptance letter—only ONE is required.
- A letter of recommendation from an ecclesiastical body, DRE, or Youth Minister—only ONE is required.
- Additional materials submitted (e.g., photos, press releases, extra letters, etc.) are not necessary and will not be considered.
- An essay not more than two typed pages on the topic, "What part will spirituality, leadership, and service play in my life in the future?"

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: APRIL 30, 2024

Please send complete submissions (i.e., application, transcript, essay, and all letters) to:
Elease Amos-Goodwin, President
12 Brighton Circle, Charleston, SC 29414

Applications MUST be postmarked on or before April 30, 2024 to be considered.



Giving the Lord Our Resounding Yes!

St. Martin de Porres Church

FRIDAY 6:30 PM
April 5, 2024

2229 Hampton Street
COLUMBIA, SC 29204

****No Charge** - Free Event featuring:**

- "The Eucharist: Orientation To Reality" - Venerable Henriette Delille
- "Building Up the Body of Christ" - Sister Thea Bowman
- Praise Dancers
- Catered Dinner & Social

PLEASE REGISTER: <https://bit.ly/about-town-praise>

Contact kmerritt@charlestdiocese.org

Visit stmartincolumbia.org

THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Week of April 01, 2024



Easter in Art: Mary Magdalene (Part 3 of 3)

Learn about the "apostle to the apostles" in this discussion with Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp. They take a look at a famous painting of Jesus's encounter with Mary Magdalene following the Resurrection.

GET INVOLVED

SENIOR LIFE PRESENTS:



Who: Open to all!

What: Cyber Security, Scott Cooke, SC Consumer Affairs

When: April 12 | 12 PM

Where: Donor Hall - Min & Admin Bldg

Lunch will be provided (Publix Subs)

RSVP by Friday, April 5 to reserve your space - Regina Spell at rspell909@gmail.com

\$5 donation per attendee would be appreciated to go towards lunch.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY NEEDS HELP!

If you have Wednesday mornings open from 8:15 - 11:45 AM and are comfortable with simple data input on a computer, the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry needs you! This volunteer opportunity consists of inputting basic information about incoming clients to the food pantry into a user-friendly computer software program. If you are interested, contact Steve Smoak at ssmoak12@icloud.com.

UPCOMING "I CARE I SHARE"

(4/6-7)

Donations for our food pantry can be placed in the Narthex of the Church. Special needs in the pantry are cereal, canned meats, canned fruits, and mac & cheese. Thanks for your support, both in prayers and contributions. For more information or questions, contact Steve Smoak at ssmoak12@icloud.com.



All school facilities will be closed from March 29 - April 7 for Easter Break. Classes will resume on Monday, April 8. We wish everyone a blessed and happy Easter!

PART-TIME POSITION AVAILABLE

Part-time Director of Communications: Responsibilities include managing external communications, such as school website, social media, and advertising; assist the principal in communicating internally with staff and school families; develop special projects like photo and video shoots, commercials, and promotional items; involved in planning, tracking, and collecting for the Annual Fund and PTO sponsorships; part of the school administration team.

Ideal candidates should possess strong writing, copy-editing, and organizational skills across multiple platforms and an understanding of digital marketing campaigns and website content design. Preferred applicants will have previous experience in communications, marketing, or development. The position hours will be between 20 and 30 hours a week.

Please submit a cover letter and resume to:

Donavan Yarnall Ed.S, Principal

(email preferred - dyarnall@stjosdevine.com)

or Saint Joseph Catholic School, 3700 Devine St., Columbia, SC 29205

Prisma Health Mobile Mammography

Prisma Health Mobile Mammography van is coming soon.

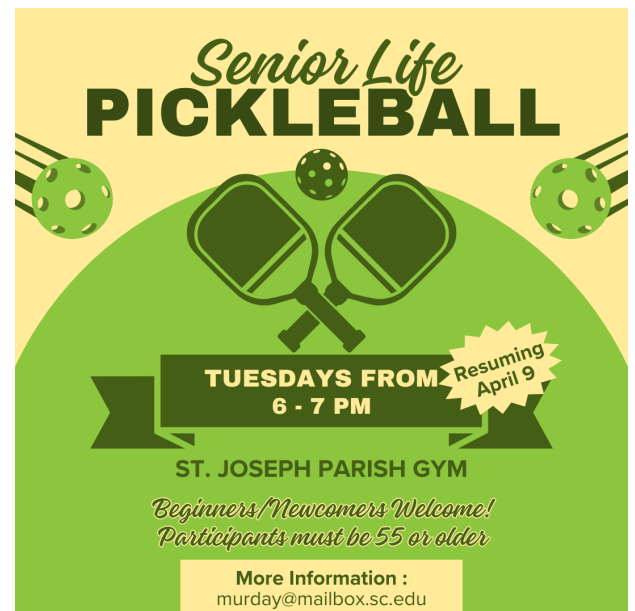
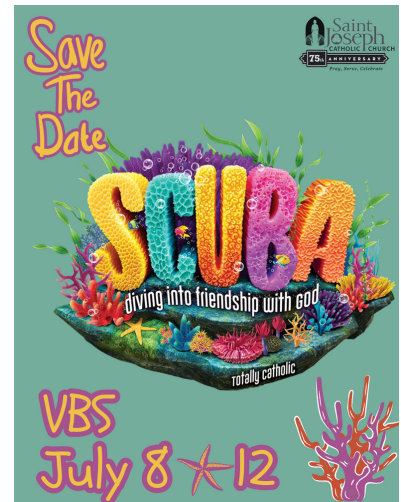
Mammography will be offered. Mammography is an x-ray of the breasts that can detect very small lumps three to five years before they can be felt (when they are most treatable). When detected early, breast cancer cure rates approach 100 percent.

The Mobile Mammography Unit will be at

St. Joseph Catholic School
April 29, 2024

To Schedule call 803 434-9100

Please bring your insurance card and Picture ID to your appointment



USC Student Nurses' **BABYSHOWER** for **BIRTHRIGHT**

*****Must register by APRIL 10, 2024 to attend**

Please call (803) 765-0165 to register***

LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE



April 14, 2024
Sunday, 1pm-3pm

1316 Richland St.
Columbia, SC 29201

You are invited to our **Spring Drive Through Baby Shower**
Stay in your vehicle but come to a joyful and spirited celebration
to provide pregnant moms and their babies with hope, needed items and friendship.

Questions? Contact Anita Campanelli (803) 765-0165
Anita@birthrightofcolumbia.org

Please drop off donations on
or **BEFORE March 31, 2024**

1316 Richland St.
Columbia, SC 29201

A joyful and spirited celebration to provide moms and their babies with **HOPE, LOVE & FRIENDSHIP.**

Needed items:

****Baby Girl Sleepers** (0-3mo's)****,** Outfits (0-3mo's),
Diaper Cream, Baby Shampoo & Lotion, Pacifiers,
Hooded Baby Towels, Baby Play Mats,
For Mom: Boppy Pillows, Leggings, Pampering Kits

Questions? Contact Anita Campanelli (803) 765-0165
Anita@birthrightofcolumbia.org

Donations Needed



Follow Birthright
on Social Media

 Facebook
Birthright of Columbia

 Instagram
birthright_of_columbia



"It is the right of every pregnant woman to give birth, and the right of every child to be born."