

APRIL 9, 2023 ~ 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

MASKS OPTIONAL

**For the 10:30 AM and 12:15 PM Masses ONLY - seating will be provided in the gymnasium for those who would like to be spaced apart, and for cry room overflow.*

Livestreaming on YouTube.

10:30 AM Mass is also broadcast on 90.9FM.

Holy Days

Please check the bulletin or website for 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

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 PM and by appointment

CLERGY OF PARISH

Rev. Msgr. Richard D. Harris, Pastor
msgrharris@stjosephcolumbia.org

Rev. William Frei, Parochial Vicar
wfrei@stjosephcolumbia.org

DIOCESE OF CHARLESTON

The Most Reverend Jacques Fabre-Jeune, CS.
14th Bishop of Charleston
<https://charlestdiocese.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 of time 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.

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Submit all announcements by Wednesday 12:30 PM 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: 4.23.23, 7.16.23, 10.15.23

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.

RCIA (Rite 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 803.254.7646 ext. 417 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, April 9 - Easter Sunday

8:00 AM - All grandchildren of Mary Sue Barnum

8:15 AM (*in the Gym*) - † Don and Vicki Wagner

10:30 AM - † Manuel Alonzo

12:15 PM - † George and Emily Allowos

Tuesday, April 11

7:30 AM - † William and Eleanor Quinn
Kim Pruitt

Wednesday, April 12

7:30 AM - † Mae M. Bond

Thursday, April 13

7:30 AM - † Malia Myers

† Ann and Bob Collins

Friday, April 14

7:30 AM - † Lloyd Gunn

Saturday, April 15

5:30 PM - † Ian Roof

Sunday, April 16 - Divine Mercy Sunday

8:00 AM - Bob Nerbun

10:30 AM - Parishioners of St. Joseph

12:15 PM - † Robert Lee Horne, Jr.



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

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 (4/8 - 4/21)

In memory of Daniel Francis Barnum
given by his grandmother, Mary Sue Barnum.

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, Al Alvarez, Dorothy Ardoin, Patricia Atkins,
- Chuck Barnett, Margaret Briggs, Mary Brockington, Dorothy
- Brown, Joanne Childs, Dianne Dawson, Mary DeLay, Joe
- DeMichael, Katie Dukes, Susan Faust, Jameson Finney, Sylvia
- Flynn, Tripp Furman, Marjorie Fusci, George Gallo, Olga Gallo,
- Kevin Gantt, Betty Gatipon, Laddie Gatling, Iris Gauthier,
- George Geckle, Richard Georgeson, Frances Goodrich, Jim
- Hattler, John Hoefer, Jessika Johnson, Bill Jones, Mary Kahaly,
- James Kinard, John Kinard, William Kinney, Agnes Kuhs,
- Janice Lambka, Charlene Landry, Crosby Livingston, Lynn
- Mancino, Christina McKinney, Leslie Michael, Mitch Michaelis,
- Hope Mosher, Mary Mulvihill, Glenda Napier, Brenda Nauful,
- Ellie O'Shea, Anita Owen-Orf, Virginia Ozgar, Mike Padua,
- Ruth Patterson, Joe Pazdan, Stella Peeples, Maria Perez, Donna
- Peru, Jane Rando, Brianne Rodriguez, John Rushman, Bonnie
- Siegers, Andrea Smith, Edna Soto, David Steele, Karen Steele,
- Maria Stewart, Betty Stork, Catherine Grace Stirling, Davis
- Bryan Stirling, Bettie Sturkie, Ben Terry, Mirtha Vallini,
- Anthony Warren, Neil Winter

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

The beginning of the Divine Mercy Novena started 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 16, there will be Adoration at 2 PM followed by the Devotion at 3 PM.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY

is extended to the families of
Michael Peterson (3.22.23), son of Sophie Thompson,
Sandy Alicea (3.26.23), parishioner,
Susan Britting (3.27.23), mother of Frank Britting
John Bumstead (3.30.23) - parishioner, husband of Joan (deceased),
and father of Cindy.
May their souls rest in peace.

NO ADORATION - (4/11)

Due to resetting the Adoration Chapel, after the Easter Mass in the gym, there will be no adoration on Tuesday, April 4.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

In observance of the Triduum and Easter, the parish office will close at 12:30 PM on Holy Thursday, April 6. The office will re-open at 8:30 AM on Tuesday, April 11.



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

BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION

Melinda Evans

Aeriel Lee

Sarah Rojas-Franco

Blaine Stackhouse

PROFESSION OF FAITH AND CONFIRMATION

Layton Barela

Jackie Higgins

Jamie Sanders

Michelle Tillman

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

Evan Schifko

EASTER PRAYER

He is Risen! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Christians, to the Paschal Victim
Offer your thankful praises!
A Lamb the sheep redeems;
Christ, who only is sinless,
Reconciles sinners to the Father.
Death and life have contended in that combat stupendous:
The Prince of life, who died, reigns immortal.
Speak, Mary, declaring
What you saw, wayfaring.
"The tomb of Christ, who is living,
The glory of Jesus' resurrection;
bright angels attesting,
The shroud and napkin resting.
Yes, Christ my hope is arisen;
to Galilee he goes before you."
Christ indeed from death is risen,
our new life obtaining.
Have mercy, victor King, ever reigning!
Amen. Alleluia.

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Budgeted Goal for 2022-2023:
\$31,057.69

Weekly Collection: \$35,141.77

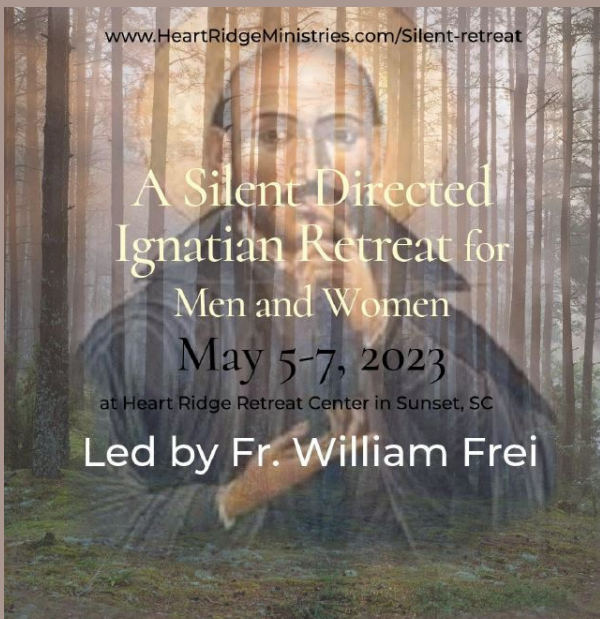


NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Revival**

*"I hunger for the bread of God, the flesh of Jesus Christ ...;
I long to drink of his blood, the gift of unending love."*
St. Ignatius of Antioch

IGNATIAN SILENT RETREAT LED BY FR. WILLIAM FREI | MAY 5-7

Join us at the Heart Ridge Retreat Center in Sunset, SC for 3 days and 2 nights of a directed silent retreat. There will be sessions led by Fr. Frei as well as Mass and Confession, but most of the time will be spent in silence so that the retreatants can spend time discerning, praying, and resting in God's care. All food and comfortable lodging provided at the beautiful mountain retreat center. For more information www.heartridgeministries.com/silent-retreat.html



www.HeartRidgeMinistries.com/Silent-retreat

A Silent Directed
Ignatian Retreat for
Men and Women
May 5-7, 2023

at Heart Ridge Retreat Center in Sunset, SC

Led by Fr. William Frei

Come to the beauty of the mountains and have a time of reflection, rest, and discernment. Mass, Confession, and meditations will be led by Fr. Frei. All food and comfortable lodging provided.



SAVE THE DATE
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
THIS SUMMER | JULY 10-14

COMING THIS FALL!



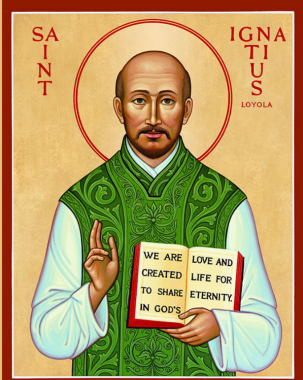
NURSERY OPEN

*except on Easter Sunday

We are excited to offer our Parish Families a Church Nursery!
During our 10:30 AM Mass,
a Nursery will be available for
children 4 and under.
The Nursery is located in our
Ministries & Administration Building.

For questions, contact Mindy McBurney at
mindy@stjosephcolumbia.org.





SAINT IGNATIUS LOYOLA

Join us for a **Women's Easter Retreat on the Spiritual Exercises**

April 12
April 19
April 26
May 3
May 10
May 17

WE ARE LOVE AND
CREATED LIFE FOR
TO SHARE ETERNITY
IN GOD'S

WOMEN'S EASTER RETREAT ON THE SPIRITUAL EXERCISES WITH FATHER FREI

Fr. Frei will lead a women's retreat based on the Spiritual Exercises. The "retreat" will primarily be done individually. Participants will commit to spending 5-60 minutes each day in mental prayer. Journaling briefly afterward is highly encouraged. Each Wednesday during Easter Fr. Frei will offer a talk explaining the prayer passages for the upcoming week and how to use them to form the content of the participants' retreat.

April 12, 19, 26, May 3, 10 & 17

The Wednesday meetings will be from 7- 8 PM in the Senior Center - Ministries & Administration Building.

Confession will be offered from 8 PM to 8:15 PM.

For more information, please email Emily Glasgow at glasgowemilya@gmail.com or to register, go to <https://tinyurl.com/stjoswomenseasterretreat>

NEWS FROM SENIOR LIFE MINISTRY

- Senior Life Ministry invites parishioners who want to play Bridge (on Mondays at the Ministries Building) to call Teri Kuhs at 803.360.1447 for more information.
- Senior Life Ministry Board Positions OPEN - Activities, Telephone, Director of Mah Jong
If you are interested in helping plan activities for the Seniors of our parish, please contact Regina Spell at rspell909@gmail.com.
- 5/4/23 - Lunch & Learn - Scams & Identity Theft
- Pilgrimage to EWTN - May 29 - June 1



Saint Joseph Catholic School will be closed from noon on Thursday, April 6 through Sunday, April 16 for Spring Break. Classes resume Monday, April 17.

We wish everyone a blessed and joyful Easter!

ENROLLMENT IS NOW OPEN!

Enrollment is now open for grades 4K-6 for the 2023-2024 school year! Go to our website - www.stjosdevine.com - to apply, take a virtual tour, contact us for more information, or request an in-person tour of the school. You can also call us at 803.254.6736 to schedule a tour and find out more about our wonderful parish school. Be sure to check us out on Instagram - @stjoescola - and Facebook - St. Joseph Catholic School, Columbia, S.C.- to get a taste of what it's like to be a saint at St. Joe's! #ichosestjoes



HIRING

CATHOLIC RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COORDINATOR

SHAW AIR FORCE BASE

1099 CONTRACT | 20 HOURS PER WEEK | SUMTER, SC

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COORDINATOR AT SHAW AIR FORCE BASE

- A minimum of 2 hours during all Religious Education classes, between the hours of 9 AM EST and 7 PM EST, on each RE Sunday for the duration of the period of performance
- No more than 20 hours of work each week including weekday office hours (during normal Shaw AFB duty hours)
- The rate will be \$1,000 per month

For more information, contact Michael Aldeguer at info@sawyerglobal.com or at 407.602.7780, ext.1.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR ST. JOSEPH CHURCH FAMILIES

Luker-Meyer Scholarship

For St. Joseph School Students

Victor S. Raj, MD Scholarship

For St. Joseph School and Cardinal Newman School Students 4th-12th grade

For more information and to apply, go to:

www.stjosephcolumbia.org/scholarships

St. Joseph's Senior Life
presents...

Pilgrimage to

EWTN

May 29 - June 1

Price
\$695
/Person

Limited to 30

Highlights Include

- ✓ Mass at EWTN studios
- ✓ Live show at EWTN
- ✓ Mass at the Shrine of the Blessed Sacrament
- ✓ Tours and talks with the Friars
- ✓ Visit to Ave Maria Grotto & St. Bernard Monastery

Departure on 5/29 at 9 AM

Parking lot of Ministries & Administration
Building | 3512 Devine Street



Tour includes motorcoach transportation, three nights at the Hampton Inn in Irondale, AL (double occupancy) lunch and dinner on day 2 and 3.

Send your \$200 deposit to St Joseph Senior Life, 3512 Devine Street, Columbia, SC 29205 or drop off at the Ministries Building by April 20 to reserve your space.

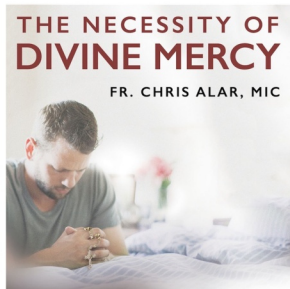
THIS WEEK ON **FORMED**

Week of April 09, 2023



Divine Mercy Chaplet | Franciscan Friars of the Renewal

Consider praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy in a new way with the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal. This video on FORMED includes breathtaking footage of Catholics across the world performing works of mercy and asking God to have mercy on us.



The Necessity of Divine Mercy by Fr. Chris Alar

Fr. Chris Alar, MIC, reveals the urgency to live and share the powerful message of Divine Mercy. He explains the basics of the Divine Mercy feast, image, novena, chaplet, and hour of mercy, and how to incorporate them into your spiritual life.



Misery Meets Mercy: Saint Faustina

St. Faustina is known as the "secretary of Divine Mercy" because of the revelations of the Lord to her about His unfathomable mercy. Join Dr. Ben Akers and Fr. Mateusz as they discuss her proclamation of the message of Divine Mercy.

Our parish has a FORMED subscription.
Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.