

#### A Parish Family of the Roman **Catholic Diocese of Charleston**

Most Revd Robert Guglielmone, Bishop of Charleston

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#### **Our Mission**

To share the fullness of the Gospel to all we encounter in our lives by equipping disciples to create and strengthen a personal relationship with Christ. By the grace of God, we are called to strive for personal holiness, participate fully in the vibrant life of the Church's Tradition and transform the world.

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**Welcome! Are you new?** We are pleased that you have come to Prince of Peace and hope that you will soon call this faith community your home! Please pick up a blue Welcome Card in the narthex and drop it in the collection basket.



## An Extraordinary Parish for Ordinary People

The prefect of the Congregation for Divine Worship, Robert Cardinal Sarah, has written a powerful book that I am convinced will be one day considered a modern spiritual classic. *The Power of Silence: Against the Dictatorship of Noise* is more than just a plea for more quiet time in our lives: it is a rich theological meditation on themes as varied as the silence of God in the face of genocide and the absence of engagement when under attack by others. I want to share you with some salient quotes from a recent interview he gave about the book.

What the Church needs most today is not an administrative reform, another pastoral program, a structural change. The program already exists: it is the one we have always had, drawn from the Gospel and from living Tradition. It is centered on Christ Himself, whom we must know, love and imitate in order to live in Him and through Him, to transform our world which is being degraded because human beings live as though God did not exist.

We are the victims of the superficiality, selfishness and worldly spirit that are spread by our media-driven society. We get lost in struggles for influence, in conflicts between persons, in a narcissistic, vain activism. We swell with pride and pretention, prisoners of a will to power. For the sake of titles, professional or ecclesiastical duties, we accept vile compromises.

God is silence, and the devil is noisy. From the beginning, Satan has sought to mask his lies beneath a deceptive, resonant agitation. The Christian owes it to himself not to be of the world. It is up to him to turn away from the noises of the world, from its rumors that run headlong in order to turn better toward what is essential: God.

Our busy, ultra-technological age has made us even sicker. Noise has become like a drug on which our contemporaries are dependent. With its festive appearance, noise is a whirlwind that avoids looking oneself in the face and confronting the interior emptiness. It is a diabolical lie. The awakening can only be brutal.

Silence teaches us a major rule of the spiritual life: familiarity does not foster intimacy; on the contrary, a proper distance is a condition for communion. It is by way of adoration that humanity walks toward love. Sacred silence opens the way to mystical silence, full of loving intimacy. Under the yoke of secular reason, we have forgotten that the sacred and worship are the only entrances to the spiritual life.

As we depart on our vacations and slip into the dog days of summer, it's time for us to experience the silence of God, even in the midst of our ordinary world.

fr. Christopier E. Smit

## Prayerfully consider donating the following:



sanctuary lamp \$20 donated by Ray and Ginger Calabro in memory of Janet Tomlinson DeGrouchy



flowers \$200





bread & wine \$20

**music \$300** 

# **Prince of Peace Community Calendar**



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sunday, 28 may ascension of the lord (OF year A) external solemnity of the ascension (EF)	<b>monday, 29 may</b> easter weekday (OF) st mary magdalene of pazzi (EF)	tuesday, 30 may easter weekday (OF) sts felix I & joan of arc (EF)
8a Mass McCabe Family Members (FCS) 10a Noah Sadowski-L (FRT) 12n EF Mass Kym Turpin-L (FRT) 6p Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS)	7p Novena	7a Mass Janet Tomlinson DeGrouchy+(FCS)
reading @ the ranch 1.30p men's basketball 8.30p pac	svdp 10.30 st francis house boy scouts 6p croghan hall legion of mary 6.30p pop ed ctr mom's group 7.30p middle school bldg.	men's bible 7p middle school bldg
wednesday, 31 may the visitation of the blessed virgin mary (OF) queenship of the blessed virgin mary (EF)	thursday, l june st justin (OF) st angela merici (EF)	friday, 2 june sts marcellinus and peter (OF & EF) st erasmus (EF)
7a Mass Bob Chambers+(FCS) 5p Confessions (FCS, FRT)	7a Mass President Donald Trump-L (FRT)	7a Mass President Donald Trump-L (FRT)
choir 3p croghan hall reading @ the ranch 7.30p	aoh 5.30p k of c building	knights exemplification set up 4p croghan, pac & middle school
saturday, 3 june st charles Iwanga and companions (OF) vigil of pentecost (EF)	sunday, 4 june pentecost sunday (OF year A & EF)	prayer requests
9a Mass Sister Helen Chatterton+(FCS) 3.30p Confessions (FCS, FRT) 5p Mass Irene Staebell+(FCS)	8a Mass George Wargo, Sr (FCS) 10a Mass Jacob Sadowski-L (FRT) 12p EF Mass Peter Barnett-L (FRT) 6p Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS)	All those serving our country, Gena Cunning ham, Lee Heap, Julie Mallory, Bridgitte Gurnells, Parker Longbottom, Wrenn Calcutt, Jin Bannister, Stephen Wiltberger, Lillie Nesbit Kevin Stainton, Doris Pratt, Ron Schichte Sarah Williams, Kenneth Price, Helen Pihokke Kevin McGavin, Bonita Love, Irene Milbrand
knights exemplification 8a croghan, pac & middle school	reading @ the ranch 1.30p potluck 1.30 pac men's basketball 8.30p pac	
Congratulations to Alice Ann DeBruin daughter of Aaron & Cindy DeBruin who was baptized on Saturday, 13 May 2017		Charles Campbell, Amelia Rock, John Pull- Joan Rohaley, Ed Smith, Jackie Andrejack, Mil- McGrady, June Monaghan, Beverly Ryan, Lo Smith, Bryan Warga, Leslie Ziminsky, Ger Hillis, Juliet Emanuel, Shannon Harkins, E Meister, John Warga, Aaron King, and Kare
In your kindness you are asked to pr ter Helen Chatterton (former sister rest and may the Lord's consolation English Mass said for her on Saturday made to Sisters of St Francis, Office 1001 14th St. NW, Suite 100, Roche	at POP). May God grant her eternal be with her family. There will be a v, 3 June at 9a. Memorials may be of Development at Assisi Heights,	Bucknern.  *We will leave names on the prayer list for two weeks; if you would like to keep you name or the name of a loved one on the list please contact the Parish Office.



## Happenings & Needs

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#### parish office closed

The parish office will be closed Monday, 29 May, in observance of Memorial Day.

#### office volunteers

If you would like to volunteer in the office while the Parish Secretary is away, please call Maria at 331.3901 or email

maria.rauch@princeofpeacetaylors.org

#### holy family society update

Your generosity in donations to our foster closet has been so overwhelming that our small storage unit is now overflowing!! Our needs now are for storage (shelves and clear bins), diapers and lovies/blankets. If you are interested in helping us expand our ministry and find a larger space, consider a regular monthly donation to assist with the cost of a larger facility. More details are available on our website. For more information contact us at

fostercloset@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

### pilgrimage with Msgr. Brovey

Msgr Brovey will be leading a pilgrimage to Rome on 26 February-9 March 2018 visiting Assisi, Florence, Orvieto and 5 days in Rome. Cost is \$3998 which includes round-trip airfare from CHS, first class hotels, and guides. Early bird discounts are available. Please email Msgr Brovey for brochure:

rector@charlestoncathedral.com

#### ladies lunch bunch

The Ladies Lunch Bunch will meet at Yellow Ginger Asian Restaurant, 2100 Poinsette Hwy (close to Lowes) on Tuesday, 13 June at 11.30a. Please RSVP to Dorothea Jones at 268.3354.

#### men's breakfast

All men of the parish and their friends are invited to join us for breakfast and fellowship on Thursday, I June. We gather at 8a at Bikas on Wade Hampton Blvd. For more information, call Tony Scachetti at 268.8563.

#### adoration

Our Guild of St. Thomas Aquinas seeks adorers for the following hours in need (\*urgent needs):

Tuesday 8a & 6p Wednesday 2a\* Thursday 8p Friday 1a\*, 4p & 6p\* Saturday 9a\*, 8p\* and 10p Sunday 9a

Contact Lisa Buss at 864.508.7123 or

adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org with questions.

### baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their children must attend a Baptism Class. The next class is offered on Tuesday, 13 June, at 6.30p in Croghan Hall Conference Room. Contact Gus Suarez 864.420.0497 to register.

#### marriage encounter weekend

A marriage can never be too good! Worldwide Marriage Encounter is designed to deepen and enrich the joys a couple share together, whether they have been married for only a short time, or for many years. Sign up early for an upcoming weekend getaway:

7-9 July in Greenville (St. Mary's) or 13-15 October in Myrtle Beach

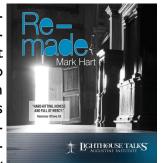
Learn more at <u>scmarriagematters.org</u>. Call 803.810.9602 or email <u>applications@scmarriagematters.org</u> to apply.

### lighthouse media

CD'S are available in the narthex and cost \$4 each or 3 for \$10. Please put money in black box beside CD holder.

**suggested title:** Re-made

When people decide to follow Christ, they often experience conversion. In fact many of the saints refer to continuous conversion throughout their lives. In this talk, Mark Hart tells the story of his conversion and encourages us to be made new in Christ.



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#### summer opportunities for children

art camp is available either 12-16 June or 19-23 June for students entering K5-8th grade with Marilyn Alber. Classes are 2 hours daily (Monday-Friday) and include demonstrations along with individual instruction on different media, including pencil, charcoal, pastels, watercolor and acrylics. Fees are \$160 for a week. Materials are provided. Classes will be on campus in the PAC-Art Room. Deadline for registration is Monday, 29 May. Forms are available at the school office. Questions? Contact <a href="mailto:mmalber@att.net">mmalber@att.net</a>.

dribble for destiny is 10-13 July for ages 6-13. Camp includes ball dribbling, passing, shooting, ball handling, contests, daily devotions, videos, snacks and full court play. An awards ceremony is 13 July at 11a. Cost is \$95 and includes a t-shirt or ball. Registration forms are in the parish office and on the website.

**vacation bible school** is 23-28 July with Totus Tuus from the Diocese of Charlotte.

- Grade school program runs Monday-Friday, 9a-2:30p (students bring bag lunches from home)
- Junior and Senior High School program runs from Sunday to Thursday, 7-9p.

Cost is \$20 per child, with a family maximum cost of \$40. All registration forms are due no later than 9 June. Call Maria Barontini at 864.331.3919 for forms and additional information.

free basketball clinic Basketball Clinic is for rising K-5-8th grade boys and girls. Prince of Peace Church League Coaches will be offering free basketball clinics (open to all levels) for any child interested in Church league basketball in the Fall or anyone who just wants to be introduced to basketball. The clinics will start Tuesday, 18 July, in the PAC from 5.30-6.30p for rising K-5-3rd graders and on Thursday, 20 July, 5.30-6.30p for rising 4th-8th graders. The clinics will continue on Tuesdays, 1, 8, & 15 august and Thursdays, 27 July, 3 & 10 August.

#### adult volleyball

Practice will begin Monday, 31 July, from 7-9p. Games will start after Labor Day, 11 Sept, and run through mid-November. For more information contact Johanna Best at <a href="mailto:1998best@gmail.com">1998best@gmail.com</a>.

14 may collection		
envelopes # 387	\$15,217	
loose cash	\$3,018	
electronic deposits # 72	\$6,600	
total for 14 may	\$24,834	

weekly budget needed \$25,000

surplus/(shortfall) \$166

donations to Society of St. Vincent de Paul \$1,264

#### welcome new parishioners

We're thrilled you're part of our parish family: Matthew and Vincey Oberholtzer and Family.

#### pop t-shirts

Spring is here and the weather is finally getting warmer. Celebrate by wearing a Prince of Peace t-shirt. We have a few orders waiting to be picked up! Suggested donation for a shirt: \$8! New orders are available by contacting Angela at 864.331.3903 or angela.calabro@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

#### please

Please, when donating items and placing them in the bin, clearly mark who the items are for.

#### birthright baby bottle boomerang

Please return Birthright baby bottles on Father's Day, 18 June, even if they are empty. Your donation will help provide loving support and practical assistance to women facing unexpected pregnancies. Helping the mom saves the baby!

### prayer shawl ministry

The ministry provides shawls and lap quilts to ill or injured parishioners and the community. for more information call Jeanette Kripinski at 864.801.3078.

#### rachel's vineyard retreat

Rachel's Vineyard Retreats bring spiritual healing and strengthening of faith to individuals who have had or participated in an abortion. The retreat is a journey to healing, peace, and reconciliation. The next retreat is 7-9 July in Charleston, SC. For more information and registration call Christy 803.554.6088 or Kathy 803.546.6010 or <a href="mailto:grace4healing@gmail.com">grace4healing@gmail.com</a>, or <a href="mailto:rachelsvinyard.org">rachelsvinyard.org</a>.



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