

A Parish Family of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charleston

Most Revd Robert Guglielmone, Bishop of Charleston

### parish clergy

Fr Christopher Smith, STD Pastor

Fr Richard Tomlinson, STD Paro<u>chial Vicar</u>

Fr Francisco Cruz, Assisting Priest

Deacon Robert Smith

### masses

Sunday 8a Quiet Mass 10a Solemn Mass 12p Latin Mass in EF 6p Sung Mass

Saturday 5p Anticipated Mass 7p Spanish Mass

Weekday Masses M, T, R, F 7a Wednesday 8.30a M-F 12N EF Mass Saturday 8a EF Mass

#### confessions

Wednesday 5-6p Saturday 3.30-4.30p

after office hours emergencies:

Call 1.866.456.2956



## PRINCE of PEACE

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6 november 2016 thirty-second sunday in ordinary time (OF year C) resumed fifth sunday after epiphany (EF)

Several years ago, Prince of Peace was the beneficiary of several large donations. We have used those donations for a number of purposes. They have helped fund projects of Phase I of the Master Plan. They have also allowed us to pay off the debt on the church, purchase the 8 acres of land next to the parish which had come due, provide space for our St Vincent de Paul Chapter, help pay for the modular building, demolish the old rectory and to contribute to part of the building of the first phase of the new school. We have been able to accomplish an incredible number of things with the money provided by incredibly generous souls who made large donations or left Prince of Peace substantial amounts of money in their wills, because they believed in our parish and what we could accomplish.

While all of those projects were going on, however, some significant maintenance projects – mainly involving roofs and HVAC – came barreling down on us that we absolutely had to address. Because of these necessary expenses, the generous funds which we had a few years ago are now quite depleted.

To finish the school building and pay for it, we have asked the diocese for a small bridge loan so that we do not allow our reserves to drop below \$200,000. Funds from the POP Art party will help us to pay that off as quickly as we can. This means that, of the projects included in Part I of our Master Plan, we will not begin construction of a new parish administration building this fiscal year.

We would like for you to consider how Prince of Peace figures in your last will and testament, and how significant donations can make an incredible impact on our future. We have been able to do a lot of capital projects without asking for contributions from the parish. However, the depletion of these donations means that we are now left with merely our reserve and the donations that come from the offertory each week.

When we were paying off the debt on the church, many people switched their giving from weekly offertory to debt reduction, instead of giving twice. Because of that, much maintenance was deferred which came home to roost in the last two years, and programming, ministries and staff were reduced to the bare minimum. Now is the time to reassess our stewardship. In the bulletin each week, we post as our goal \$25,000 a week. That is a goal that would allow us to do much of what we think a parish of this size needs to do to function well. We are far below that goal most of that time. That requires careful attention to expenses, but what it also means is that if we continue to go below our goal much of what some people have come to think of as the services common to our parish will have to be eliminated or drastically reduced.

I would like to ask all of you who call Prince of Peace your spiritual home to ask how you are giving your ten percent, your tithe, and how your parish fits into it. If you have specific questions about what our operations look like and why money is spent as it is, please do not make assumptions or listen to scurrilous gossip. Ask. Chris Bourne is in the office during the week and will be glad to answer questions and help you see the great value your continued support brings our parish.

God loves a cheerful giver, and when we give sacrificially and happily, confident that our investment in our parish is sound, amazing things can happen! Thank you for all you do.

Fr Smith

# prayer & worship

### veterans day-II november 2016

prayer for veterans We ask for blessings on all those who have served their country in the armed forces. We ask for healing for the veterans who have been wounded, in body and soul, in conflicts around the globe. We pray especially for the young men and women, in the thousands, who are coming home with injured bodies and traumatized spirits. Bring solace to them, O Lord; may we pray for them when they cannot pray. We ask for, echoing St John Paul II, to end wars and the dawning of a new era of peace, as a way to honor all the veterans of past wars.

Have mercy on all our veterans. Bring peace to their hearts and peace to the region they fought in. Bless all the soldiers who served in noncombative posts; may their calling to service continue in their lives in many positive ways.

Give us all the creative vision to see a world which has grown weary with fighting, move to affirming the life of every human being and so moves beyond war. Hear our prayer, O Prince of Peace, hear our prayer. Amen.

prayer for deceased veterans O God, by whose mercy the faithful departed find rest, look kindly on Your departed veterans who gave their lives in the service of their country. Grant that through the passion, death, and resurrection of Your son they may share in the joy of Your heavenly kingdom and rejoice in You with Your saints forever. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

guild of st thomas aquinas To share a weekly hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, please contact Lisa Buss at 864.508.7123 or

adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org

Hours in need of an adorer:

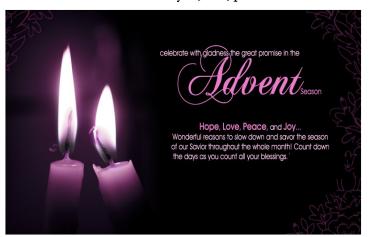
Monday 11a,12p\* & 11p

Tuesday 11a

Wednesday 2a\*,9a\*,11a, & 2p

Thursday 1p

Saturday 89 & 9p



best advent ever Imagine if everyone in our parish slowed down to focus on what really matters this Advent. Our parish is invited to join *Best Advent Ever: Rediscover Christmas*. It's a free email program beginning 27 November, the first Sunday of Advent, and continuing through 26 December. Participants will receive daily emails with short, inspirational videos, practical tips, and free Christmas music. Go to

info@dynamiccatholic.com to register.



## christian formation

first sunday holy hour Please join the St Rafka Maronite community as they gather for a holy hour on the first Sunday of the month (today) at 3p. During the holy hour, the Blessed Sacrament is exposed, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed, confessions are heard and there is Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at the conclusion.

men's bible study Come learn more about our faith and meet men from our parish. We are not experts, just men who enjoy learning together. All are welcome. Tuesday night at 7p in the middle school. Contact Michael Thompson at 449.7845.

are you interested in learning more about the catholic faith? Our Introduction to Roman Catholicism class is for you! If you are a non-Christian, non -Catholic Christian, or a Catholic who wants to delve deeper into their Faith, you are welcome! Classes are on Tuesdays, at 7p in Croghan Hall.

vatican II: the challenge and the promise Fr Smith will be teaching a class on the history and the documents of the Second Vatican Council. Join us for this 7-week study at 7p on Thursday nights in Croghan Hall beginning 29 September. No sign up is necessary.

10 November-Fifty-One Years After the Council: Now What?

The text being used is *The Second Vatican Council The Four Constitutions* which can be purchased at St. Benedict's Catholic Bookstore or online at

https://realcatholicstuff.com/products/the-second-vatican-council-the-four-constitutions

**baptism class** Parents desiring Baptism for their children must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Tuesday, 8 November, at 6.30p in Croghan Hall Conference Room. Contact Gus Suarez to register at 864.420.0497.

**village dinners** Wednesday evening Village Dinners will be Wednesdays from 5-7p in the PAC. Please bring a dish to share if possible and come get to know your parish family!

vespers On the Sundays of November, we will celebrate Solemn Vespers, or Evening Prayer, in the Church at 5p. This 30-35 minute service is a great way to join in the public prayer of the Church at the end of the day. We invite all of our servers and their families to join us these Sundays for Vespers. We will need a Thurifer, Crucifer, 2 Acolytes and an MC for Vespers.

lighthouse media CD'S Cost \$4 each or 3 for \$10. Please put money in black box beside CD holder. This week: Mary: Handmaid of the Lord

St Teresa of Calcutta is known throughout the world as a woman who was totally committed to the Gospel. In this inspiring talk, she shares her insights on the Blessed Virgin Mary as a model of womanhood and perfect discipleship. She shows us that we, too, can do the will of God by saying "Yes" to the Lord in the big and little things in our lives; nothing is too insignificant.

friends of st josemaria recollections A recollection is a two hour silent retreat whose purpose is to help lay men and women sanctify their ordinary life in and through their work, family, and recreational activities. The evening consists of a meditation by a priest familiar with the Spirit of the Prelature Opus Dei, a talk on living the Christian virtues with time for spiritual reading, and an examination of conscience in front of the Blessed Sacrament. There is also the opportunity for the Sacrament of Confession. The evening closes with an optional time for fellowship, light snacks, and refreshments.

For Women: Morning of Recollection, Saturday, 9a-11a (English), 19 November, 21 January (2017), 18 February, 20 May

For Men: Evening of Recollection, Thursday, 7p-9p (English), 17 November, 19 January (2017), 16 February, 18 May

coming soon We will be holding an Advent family Night on 30 November 2016. This will be in conjunction with Village Dinner on Wednesday night. Join us for the pot-luck dinner (bring a dish to share) and we will make advent wreaths together along with crafts and activities for the children. This event is open to everyone in the Parish. The cost for making an advent wreath is \$10 per household. The church will purchase wreath forms and candles at a bulk discount. We ask that you bring your own greenery for decorating. Please email Maria Barontini at

maria.barontini@princeofpeacetaylors.org by 18 November, if you would like to participate so she can order the correct number of wreaths. Also we will need volunteers to help with this event (perfect opportunity for our confirmation students to get some parish hours!) please email Maria Barontini if you are interested in assisting.

## fellowship & outreach

christmas trees If you, your business or ministry would like to contribute for a Christmas tree,

lights, etc., please send in a check to Maria in the Parish Office and clearly mark Christmas tree on the envelope and check. The trees are \$125 and are 12ft trees. We need 8 of these to be used in the Church and 2-8ft trees to be used in the Parish Office and the Chapel. The sponsors of these trees will be listed on the front page of the bulletin.



christmas flowers If you, your ministry or business



would like to donate flowers on Christmas, please use the Christmas flower envelope that is in your bi-monthly envelopes. There are spaces to write names in memory or honor of someone. Please print clearly the names you write on the envelope. The

list of names will be inserted in the Christmas bulletin.

**svdp news** SVDP news: 2015/2016 Annual Report, Total Income: \$97,528.00 Total Expenses: \$95,311.00.

People served 2015/2016 Fiscal Year

Financial: Families: 772; Individuals: 2074;

Pantry: Families: 724; Individuals: 2076; Bags of Food: 995;

Pantry Items received from POP student: 3709 plus: \$1054;

POP Parishioner Families received: 115 bags of food and \$ 19,087.00 in Financial Assistance.

Thank you for all the donations received from various PoP families, POPCS students, RE students, KofC, Scouts and many individuals and groups. If you know of a Family in need of assistance, Please let us know by contacting SVDP at 331-3937.

ladies lunch bunch The Ladies Lunch Bunch will meet at The Hibachi Grill on Wade Hampton on Tuesday, 8 November, at 11.30a. Please RSVP to Dorothea Jones at 268.3354.

kingstree Prince of Peace Christmas collection for the children of Kingstree ages 5-11 will be winter hats, gloves and scarves for boys and girls, body wash for boys and bubble bath for the girls. We will collect from 30 October –13 November. Please put in the brown wood bin in the Narthex. Thank you for your generosity.

altar server training Altar Server training for veteran servers will be today, 6 November at 3.30p.

offertory collection		
30 oct 2016		
Envelopes # 403	\$12,650	
Loose Cash	\$3,757	
Total Sunday Offertory	\$16,407	
Electronic Deposits # 28	\$2,937	
Total Offertory	\$19,344	
Weekly Budgeted Need	\$25,000	
Weekly Surplus/Shortfall	\$5,656	
SVDP	\$671	

parish office The Parish Office will be closed Tuesday, 8 November, for Staff Formation that is required by the Diocese.

welcome new parishioners Ruth Kaup; Steven & Cheryl Scott; Lawrence & Susan Murphy; Christopher & Jessica Wallace and Family.

conclusion of the jubilee of mercy According to instructions from the Holy See, the Jubilee will conclude in the cathedral church on the Solemnity of Christ the King, Sunday, 20 November 2016. But in the parish



churches with Holy Doors, the Jubilee will conclude the previous week on Sunday, 13 November, 2016. Accordingly, the Holy Door at St Mary's - the pilgrimage church for the Greenville Deanery - will close on Sunday, 13 November 2016.

virtus class The next Virtus class is Saturday, 17 November, in Croghan Hall, from 6-9p. To register go to virtus.org.

prince of peace t-shirts If you would like to purchase a Prince of Peace T-shirt, or you have pre-ordered T-shirts and have not picked them up, please contact Angela at <a href="mailto:angela.calabro@princeofpeacetaylors.org">angela.calabro@princeofpeacetaylors.org</a> or 331-3903 to schedule a time to do so.

## Congratulations to

Alicia Moreau and Korri Henson, who came into the church on Wednesday, 26 October. And to Brian Henson who was confirmed.

Also congrats to Brigitta Sophia DiCarlo, daughter of Anthony & Jessica DiCarlo who was baptized on Saturday, 22 October.

## prince of peace community calendar

Fr Christopher Smith=FCS Fr Richard Tomlinson=FRT Fr Francisco Cruz=FFC OF=Ordinary Form EF=Extraordinary Form (Latin)

sunday 6 nov thirty-second sunday in ordinary time (OF year C) resumed 5th sunday after epiphany (EF)	monday 7 nov weekday (OF) feria (EF)	tuesday 8 nov weekday (OF) feria (EF)
2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15; 2 Thes 2:16-3:5; Lk 20:27-38 8a Mass Michael Sullivan-L (FRT) 10a Mass Knights of Columbus (FCS) 12p EF Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS) 3.30p Altar Server Training 5p Vespers 6p Mass Carol Seay+(FCS)	Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24:1b-2-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6 7a Mass Pat Merrill+(FRT) 12p EF Mass Mary J Keat+(FRT) 7p Novena	Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37:3-4, 18, and 23, 27, and 29; Lk 17:7-10  7a Mass Dino Barontini-L (FRT) 12p EF Mass Justins Morales+(FCS)
religious ed 8.45a school buildings basketball 1p pac potluck 1.30p croghan hall cyo 7p croghan hall svdp in narthex	svdp 10.30a st francis house boy scouts 6p croghan hall legion of mary 6.30p pop ed ctr volleyball 6.30p pac mom's group 7p middle school	staff formation croghan hall basketball 6p pac intro to roman catholicism 7p croghan hall columbiettes 6.30p k of c building baptism class 6.30p croghan conf room
wednesday 9 nov dedication of the lateran basilica (OF) dedication of the archbasilica of our holy savior (EF)	thursday st leo the great (OF) st andrew avellino (EF)	friday II nov st martin of tours (OF & EF)
Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22 8.30a Mass Richard Kalata+(FCS) 12p EF Mass Rev Patrick Cooper-L (FRT) 5p Confessions (FCS & FRT)	Phlm 7-20; Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Lk 17:20-25 7a Mass Jocelyn Himes+(FCS) 12p EF Mass Paul O'Brien+(FRT)	2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18; Lk 17:26-37 7a Mass Tom O'Donnell+(FCS) 12p EF Mass Carl Ferris-L (FCS)
choir 3p croghan & church village dinner 5p pac prayer meeting 7p k of c building	ward I music ip church choir 3p croghan hall basketball 6p pac vatican II 7p croghan hall k of c 7p k of c bldg	homeschool 12p croghan hall drama 3p croghan hall treble schola 3p church basketball 6p pac please pray for Ashley Jones, Judy Whitehead
saturday 12 nov st josaphat (OF) st martin I (EF)	sunday I3 nov thirty-third sunday in ordinary time (OF year C) resumed sixth sunday after epiphany (EF)	Gena Cunningham, Elizabeth Murphy, Julie Mallory Ted Fremont, Marie Wareing, Stephen Muller, Mi- chael Remion, Jerry Welte, Katie Nardi, Marie Ro bichaud, Sandra Zamora, Ron Labbe, Jada Reno
3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 18:1-8 8a EF Mass Ruth Hartman+(FCS) 3.30p Confessions (FCS & FRT) 5p Mass Denise L Sullivan-L (FCS) 7p Spanish Mass (FFC)	Mal 3:19-20a; Ps 98:5-9; 2 Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19 8a Mass Kathy Cook+(FCS) 10a Mass Deceased Members of the Perone Family (FCS) 12p EF Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS) 5p Vespers 6p Mass Carmen Gloria Cardona+(FCS)	Haynes, Sharon Fisher, Janelle Hunt, Bridgitte Gun- nells, Rev Vincent Salamoni, Parker Longbottom Wrenn Calcutt, Jim Bannister, Stephen Wiltberger Lillie Nesbitt, William Cash, Ingrid Vest, Jack Reyes Kevin Stainton and Genevieve Cherrett, Tom Donohue, Doris Pratt, Ron Schichtel, Geri Jender Sarah Williams, Kenneth Price, Helen Pihokker Jean Chow, William Hannan, Ford Sweeney, Roland Mohesky, Kevin McGavin, Bonita Love, Heler Schwartz, Joan Rohaley, Ann Gardiner, Pat Stewart
catechist in-service 9a croghan hall couples for christ 6p croghan hall advent wreaths in narthex	religious ed 8.45a school buildings basketball 1p pac cyo 7p croghan hall advent wreaths in narthex	Ed Smith, Jackie Andrejack, Erica Lewis, Mike McGrady, June Monaghan, Beverly Ryan, JoAnne Ficco Pete, Betty Fallat, Dana Marie Theisen, Anne Atherley, Donald Davet, Bob Chambers, Zane Espinosa. Gloria Daly, Roger Tinsley, and Gary Little.  *We will leave names on the prayer list for two weeks:
Congra	tulations to	if you would like to keep your name or the name of a loved one on the list, please contact the Parish Office.
Ryan O'Malley (	and Chetsea Young day, 5 November 2016	please pray for all those serving overseas: Ryan Curry Dustin Shane, James Hock and Tyler Weekley. *if you have a family member you wish to add, please contact the Parish Office

### new\_parishioners

welcome! Please pick up an Information Packet and register as part of our parish family. Various facilities and services are available to our active members, including use of the church for baptisms, weddings, and other sacramental events, as well as parishioner status parochial in schools.

active membership Active membership is determined by the following criteria: being properly registered for a sufficient period of time; faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days; use of the envelope system in regular support of the parish.

sacraments Baptisms, Weddings and Funeral Masses may be celebrated in the Ordinary Form (English) or the Extraordinary Form (Latin).

baptism Call Gus Suarez for information about the Baptismal Preparation Class. Baptisms are usually celebrated on the 1st Saturdays of the month at 10:30a. You can call Gus at 420.0497 or e-mail him at:

oaptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org

<mark>rcia</mark> Contact Sean Chapman at rcia@princeofpeacetaylors.org information about adults becoming Catholic.

marriage preparation Call Stephanie Lasitter at least 6 months in advance of proposed wedding date about Marriage Preparation Classes and requirements for the Sacrament of Marriage.

anointing of the sick Call the parish office to receive this Sacrament prior to surgery or when gravely ill.

after office hours emergencies: Call 1.866.456.2956.

parish office

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Marty Yigdall 423.6541

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Jean Casey 268.7554

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St. Vincent de Paul Society 331.3937

prayer shawl ministry

Jeanette Kripinski 801.3078

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Brandon Calhoun 423.6600

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lvgreenville@gmail.com

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The mission of Prince of Peace is 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.