



# prince of peace

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

Most Revd  
Robert Guglielmo  
Bishop of Charleston

## parish clergy

Fr Christopher Smith,  
STD  
Administrator

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  
Monday-No Mass  
Tuesday & Thursday 7a  
Wednesday 8.30a  
Friday 7a & 12N EF Mass

## confessions

Wednesdays 5-6p  
Saturday 3.30p-4.30p

after office hours  
emergencies:

Call 1.866.456.2956.

4 January 2015

the epiphany of the Lord (OF year B & EF)  
holy name of Jesus (EF)





## prayer & worship

**epiphany chalk:** The "chalking of the door" or "blessing of the doorway" on the Feast of the Epiphany is a popular pious custom throughout the Christian world. Family and friends gather at the main entrances to their homes and ask God's blessing on their dwellings, on all who live or visit there, and protection from all evil spirits.

With chalk that has been blessed at Mass, an inscription is written on the lintel above the front door. It is made with chalk, a product of clay, to recall the human nature taken by God's eternal Word in the Mystery of the Incarnation. The inscription is made above the door so that all who enter and depart this year may enjoy God's blessing.

The four digits designating the new year appear at the beginning and end of the line. Since Epiphany comes so near the beginning of the new year, the numbers represent an annual renewal of God's blessing.

The letters have two meanings. They are the initials of the traditional names of the Magi: Caspar, Melchior and Balthasar. These initials over the doorway serve to remind us of Who the Magi saw and adored in the manger, and they remind us to pay the Christ Child homage as well. The letters also abbreviate the Latin words "Christmas Mansionem Benedicat." "May Christ bless this house." The crosses represent Christ, whom we invoke, and the saintless of the Magi who traveled from afar to adore the new born king.

**special donations:** If you would like to donate bread and wine, a sanctuary lamp, flowers or sacred music in honor or memory of someone, please pick up a donation envelope in the Narthex. Envelopes can be dropped in the collection basket or returned to Maria Rauch in the Parish Office. Please note that no flowers are used during Advent or Lent.

### epiphany blessing of your home

All make the sign of the cross.

**Leader:** Peace be to this house and to all dwell here in the name of the Lord.

**All:** Blessed be God forever.

**Read:** John 1:1-14 and then PRAY together the Our Father

Take the blessed chalk and write the following inscription above the main entrance door:

## 20+C+M+B+15

**All:** Lord God of Heaven and earth, you revealed your only begotten Son to every nation by the guidance of a star. Bless this house and all who inhabit it. May we be blessed with health, goodness of heart, gentleness and the keeping of your law. Fill us with the light of Christ, that our love for each other may go out to all. Father, bless all who gather here. Send your holy angel to defend us and fill with grace all who enter this door. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

### guild of st thomas aquinas:

Please contact Tom O'Donnell at 864.610.0588 if you would like to take one of these hours. Great graces and blessings flow from the adoration of Our LORD. Come, let us adore Him! Hours in need of an adorer:

Sunday 4p  
Monday 2a  
Wednesday 2a, 3p & 11p  
Thursday 1a  
Friday 4a & 12p  
Saturday 3a

"Today solemn exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is the grace and need of our time. Society will be restored and renewed when all its members group themselves around our Emmanuel."  
- St. Peter Julian Eymard



sanctuary lamp \$20

Please donate!



altar flowers \$200

Please donate!



bread & wine \$20

Please donate!



choral music \$300

Please donate!



**sc citizens for life** will host the Proudly Pro-Life Weekend, 9-10 January in Columbia, SC. Proudly Pro-Life Dinner is Friday, 9 January with featured speaker Melissa Ohden. Melissa was aborted at seven months and lived to tell about it. Tickets are \$30. Doors open at 6p, beginning with a silent auction; Dinner served at 7p. Stand up for Life March & Rally Saturday, 10 January at the State House plaza, Gervais Street side. Music provided by Joyful Sound, North Greenville University. Come show your support for the inalienable right to life. For ticket information contact [sccl@sclife.org](mailto:sccl@sclife.org) or 803.252.5433.

**baptism class:** Parents desiring baptism for their children must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Thursday, 8 January at 6.30p in Croghan Hall Conference Room. Contact Gus Suarez to register at 234-7415.

**prince of peace catholic school admissions  
a 2014 national blue ribbon school of excellence**

**2015 admissions open house:**

Sunday, January 25th, 2:00 PM in Croghan Hall at Prince of Peace Church. New applications accepted starting Monday, January 26th for limited openings in K4 to 8th Grade.

For more information, call Mrs. Jennifer Simpson at 864.331.3911, or check out our website at:

[www.popcatholicschool.org](http://www.popcatholicschool.org).

**beginning september 2014**, the Diocese of Charleston entered into a year long effort to establish a Strategic Growth Plan to revitalize and strengthen the Catholic schools in the Diocese. Envisioned by Bishop Guglielmo, the strategic planning process is being facilitated by Dr. Regina Haney of the National Catholic Educational Associate and Dr. Erik Goldschmidt of the Institute of School & Parish Development (ISPD).

The Strategic Growth Plan will be formulated around four key planning areas related to Catholic schools: (1) Mission and Catholic Identity; (2) Academic Excellence; (3) Governance and Leadership; and (4) Operational Vitality.

The facilitators of the Strategic Growth Planning process are seeking to learn about public perceptions of Catholic schools in the Diocese of Charleston. I invite you to complete a brief online survey. Your thoughtful input will invaluablely enrich and inform the planning process and thus help to ensure a vital future for the Catholic schools in the Diocese of Charleston. Please forward this invitation to others so that we can include as many voices as possible. The survey will close at midnight on January 4, 2015. The survey can be found at:

<http://sccatholic.org/school-survey>

Thank you and God bless!

Sandra Leatherwood, Director of Catholic Education

**lighthouse media:** CD'S cost \$3. Please put money in black box beside CD holder.

This week – *The Second Greatest Story Ever Told*

In this vastly popular talk, Fr Gaitley describes the “second greatest story ever told”- a story that encompasses Divine Mercy, the life of Blessed Pope John Paul II, and the crucial role that Marian Consecration can play in your life. Fr Michael Gaitley is a priest in the Congregation of Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception and the director of the Association of Marian Helpers, a spiritual benefit society with more than one million members.

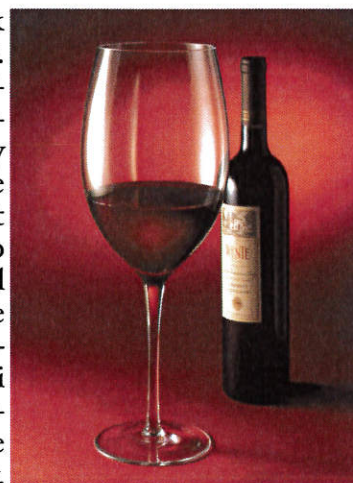
**first holy communion families** On Friday, 5 December, Baptismal Certificates and First Communion Fees (\$45) were due. Please turn these items in as soon as possible to the Parish Office or place in the offertory in an envelope marked “First Holy Communion-Lara Pennell”. For more information regarding First Holy Communion at POP please go to [http://www.princeofpeacetaylors.net/?page\\_id=2007](http://www.princeofpeacetaylors.net/?page_id=2007)

**religious education classes** resume this Wednesday, 7 January.

**cyo** Cyo resumes this Sunday, 4 January with the Progressive Dinner.



**afternoons@peace** will break for the remainder of the year. Join us for first Sunday LECTIO DI “VINO” at afternoons@peace on 4 January from 4.30p-6p! Bring a bottle of wine and enjoy the ancient Benedictine practice of Lectio Divina. afternoons@peace will begin a new monthly schedule beginning 4 January: 1st Sunday of the Month: Lectio Di “vino” Sunday (childcare provided), 2nd Sunday of the Month: Family Social Sunday, 3rd Sunday of the Month: Lectio Di “vino” Sunday (childcare provided), 4th Sunday of the Month: Potluck & Family Rosary. Join us for afternoons@peace each Sunday from 4.30-6p in Croghan Hall and help build up the community of our beautiful parish!





## fellowship & outreach

**birthright of greenville** is so very grateful for the generous support from Prince of Peace. Your parish's contribution to our annual Baby Bottle Campaign so far this year is \$2,397.11. Thank you for your commitment to helping us continue to provide loving alternatives to abortion, and helping save babies...one life at a time.

**men's breakfast:** All men of the parish and their friends are invited to join us for breakfast and fellowship on Thursday, 8 January. We gather at 8a at Denny's on Wade Hampton Blvd. For more information, call Tony Scachetti at 268.8563.

**greenville literacy association's greer learning center** is in need of volunteer tutors for adult classes. Volunteers teach adult students working on GED test preparation and, of particular need at this time, teach non-English speaking adults to learn English as a Second Language. The Greer Learning Center is located in the J Harley Bonds Resource Center at 505 North Main Street. For more information, call Jennifer Machuca at 848.5370 or email [machuca@greenvillegreer.org](mailto:machuca@greenvillegreer.org).

**january natural family planning intros:** The new year means new opportunities to learn about natural family planning. Whether you are engaged to be married this year, are already, or even a single woman with women's health issues, we have a class for you. Couples can plan and space their children with ease using modern, highly effective methods of family planning that are 100 % natural. NFP also offers couples who are experiencing infertility, the hope of achieving pregnancy while following the teachings of the Church and real solutions to women's health issues. Want more information or need to register, please contact Kelli Ball at: [kellihsball@gmail.com](mailto:kellihsball@gmail.com) or 803.807.0158.

**ladies lunch bunch** will meet on Tuesday, 13 January at 11.30a at the Italian Garden, 2716 Wade Hampton Blvd.

**all souls pictures and candles:** If you had a candle on the St Joseph's altar for a loved one who died this year, you may now pick it up in the Parish Office. If you put a picture of a loved one on the Board of Remembrance you may also pick it up in the Parish Office. Any pictures that are left will be kept in a file and rehung on the board next year.

offertory collection  
21 December 2014

Envelopes # 439	\$15,389
Electronic Deposits # 69	\$6,254
Loose	\$ 3,281
Total Current offertory	\$ 24,924
Total Weekly Collection	\$ 24,924
Weekly Offertory Goal	\$ 25,000
SUDP	\$ 962
Fiscal YTD vs Last Year	2.18%

Due to the early deadline for the bulletin, the collection for 28 December and 4 January will be in 11 January Bulletin.

**welcome to new parishioners** Steven & Christine Sanfilippo and their son Nicholas.

**k of c free throw championship:** All boys & girls ages 9 to 14 are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship. The local competition will be held in the PAC on Sunday, 25 January during practice.

The Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship is sponsored annually, with winners progressing through local, district, and state competitions. All contestants on the local level are recognized for their participation. Participants are required to furnish proof of age and written parental consent. For entry forms or additional information contact:

[dcervetti@yahoo.com](mailto:dcervetti@yahoo.com).

### st. joseph's catholic school admissions testing high school applicants

Priority admissions testing for fall 2015 enrollment is either Saturday, 10 January 2015 or Saturday, 7 February 2015. A completed application must be on file in the school office prior to testing. For more information, visit:

[www.sjcatholicsschool.org/admissions](http://www.sjcatholicsschool.org/admissions).

**if you would like to submit to the bulletin** please e-mail your announcement to our Parish bulletin e-mail account at:

[bulletin submissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:bulletin submissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org) All announcements must be received no later than 2 weeks prior to the date you would like the announcement to be in the bulletin. Thank you for your cooperation.

**nursery** is available during Sunday's 10a Mass and is for children ages 2-4. The nursery is held in the school building in room 4. Please remember that parents are asked to volunteer as well throughout the year. If you have any questions, please contact Kim Drake at 864.275.4778.



# Prince of Peace Community calendar

Fr Christopher Smith = FCS Fr Francisco Cruz = FFC Fr Jim Moran = FJM OF= Ordinary Form (English) EF = Extraordinary Form

<b>sunday</b> the epiphany of the Lord (OF year B) holy name of Jesus (EF)	<b>4 jan</b> <b>monday</b> st john neumann (OF) st telesphorus (EF)	<b>5 jan</b> <b>tuesday</b> st andré bessette (OF) epiphany of the lord (EF)	<b>6 jan</b>
<b>Is 60:1-6; Ps 72; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12</b> 8a Mass Bill-L & Therese Fairchok+ (FCS) 10a Mass Fr Ignatius McCormack-L(FCS) 12p EF Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS) 6p Mass Mary Ann Mannino+ (FFC)	<b>I Jn 3:22—4:6; Ps 2; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25</b> 7p Miraculous Medal Novena	<b>I Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72; Mk 6:34-44</b> 7a Mass (FFC) 12P Christa Merola+(FCS)	
<i>basketball 11a-3p &amp; 6p-10p</i> <i>squires 1p k of c building</i> <i>legion of mary 2.30p school</i> <i>girl scouts 3p k of c building</i> <i>aftermoons@peace 4.30p croghan hall &amp; pac</i> <i>cyo 7p croghan hall</i>	<i>svdp 10.30a</i> <i>beta club 3.15p croghan hall</i> <i>boy scouts 6p croghan hall</i>	<i>drama 3p croghan hall</i> <i>soccer practice 3.30 pac</i> <i>basketball 6p pac</i> <i>columbiettes 6.30p k of c building</i> <i>review board mtg 6.30p croghan offices</i> <i>sab mtg 7p school</i> <i>rcia 7p croghan hall</i>	
<b>wednesday</b> st raymond of penafort (OF) feria after epiphany (EF)	<b>7 jan</b> <b>thursday</b> christmas weekday (OF) feria after epiphany (EF)	<b>8 jan</b> <b>friday</b> christmas weekday (OF) feria in after epiphany (EF)	<b>9 jan</b>
<b>I Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72; Mk 6:45-52</b> 8.30a Connie Hampshire+(FCS) 5p confession	<b>I Jn 4:19—5:4; Ps 72; Lk 4:14-22a</b> 7a Mass Ronald Oscher+(FCS)	<b>I Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147; Lk 5:12-16</b> 7a Mass Leo Hueckelhoven+(FFC) 12p EF Mass Martine Kelly+(FCS)	
<i>choir 3p croghan hall</i> <i>jr choir 3.30 church</i> <i>basketball 3.30-5p</i> <i>re 6.30p pac &amp; school</i> <i>basketball 8p pac</i> <i>choir 7p church</i>	<i>school choir 3p croghan hall</i> <i>soccer 3.30p pac</i> <i>basketball 6p pac</i> <i>baptism class 6.30p croghan office</i> <i>spanish bible study 7p croghan hall</i> <i>k of c 7p k of c building</i>	<i>pto mtg 1p k of c building</i> <i>drama 3p croghan hall</i> <i>girl scouts 3.30p croghan office</i> <i>basketball 3.30p pac</i>	
<b>saturday</b> christmas weekday (OF) saturday of our lady (EF)	<b>10 jan</b> <b>sunday</b> the baptism of the Lord (OF year B) the holy family (EF)	<b>11 jan</b>	
<b>I Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149; Jn 3:22-30</b> 3.30p Confessions (FCS & FFC) 5p Mass James & Katherine Murray+(FCS) 7p Spanish Mass Terry Rainey+ (FFC)	<b>Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11; Ps 29</b> 8a Mass Chuck Ashworth-L(FCS) 10a Mass Phillip & Christina Nemschick-L(FCS) 12p EF Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS) 6p Mass Aggie Albright Johnston+(FFC)	please pray for... William Deily, Ruth Hunter, Ashley Jones, Judy Whitehead, Gena Cunningham, Elizabeth Murphy, Julie Mallory, Ted Fremont, Marie Wareing, Stephen Muller, Michael Remion, Jerry Welte, Katie Nardi, Marie Robichaud, Sandra Zamora, Ron Labbe, Jada Rene Haynes, Deacon Bob & Lois Smith, Jason O'Connell, Sharon Fisher, Jennifer Long Auld, Sandra Araujo, Debby Fernandes, Janelle Hunt, Bridgitte Gunnells, Rev Vincent Salamoni, Tom O'Donnell, Brandy Greene, George Kavran, Jackie Andrejack, Bud Tallarico, Parker Longbottom, Wrenn Calcutt, Alvin & Micky Goza, Jim Banister, Stephen Wiltberger, Lillie Nesbitt, Victor Julio Cahua, William Cash, Tommy Donovan, Ingrid Vest, Carlos Jimenez, Jr, Chuck Ashworth, Jack Reyes, Kevin Stainton and Bill Gardiner, Kevin Sanda, Bill Sloka and Genevieve Cherrett.	
<i>basketball 9a pac</i>	<i>basketball 11a-3p &amp; 6p-10p</i> <i>cub scouts 2.30p k of c building</i> <i>legion of mary 2.30p school</i> <i>aftermoons@peace 4.30p croghan &amp; pac</i> <i>cyo 7p croghan hall</i>		

*Epiphany Masses*  
 Tuesday, 6 January 7a OF & 12p EF

\*We will leave names on the prayer list for two weeks; if you would like to keep your name or the name of a loved one on the list, please contact the Parish Office.

please pray for all those serving overseas and in our military: Katie Harkins, Ryan Curry, Dustin Shane, Nicholas Mershon, Brian Treanor, Nicholas Gianelloni and Ryan Barnett.

\*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 in parochial schools.

**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 1<sup>st</sup> Saturdays of the month at 10:30a. You can call Gus at 234.7415 or e-mail him at:

[baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

**rcia** Contact Sean Chapman at [rcia@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:rcia@princeofpeacetaylors.org) for 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**

Office hours 9a-4p M-Th, 9a-12p F  
Phone: 864.268.4352  
Fax: 864.268.3406  
email:

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website: [www.princeofpeacetaylors.net](http://www.princeofpeacetaylors.net)

### **clergy**

Fr Christopher Smith, Administrator 268.4352  
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Fr Francisco Cruz, Assisting Priest 268.4352

Deacon Robert Smith

908.7047

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### **administrative staff**

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Tina Hajducko, Bookkeeper

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### **christian formation**

Lara Pennell, Director of Christian Formation 331.3919  
[lara.pennell@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:lara.pennell@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

Stephanie Lasitter, Director of Youth 551.8823  
[stephanie.lasitter@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:stephanie.lasitter@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

### **music**

Alan Reed, Director of Music 331.3904  
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Elizabeth Eger, Organist

331.3906

[elizabeth.eger@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:elizabeth.eger@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

### **prince of peace school**

Dr. Michael Pennell, Principal  
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Jennifer Simpson, Office Manager  
[jennifer.simpson@popcatholicschool.org](mailto:jennifer.simpson@popcatholicschool.org)  
School Office 331.3921

### **first confession & first communion**

Lara Pennell 704.4639

### **confirmation**

Stephanie Lasitter 551.8823

### **visitation of the sick & homebound**

Alan Fritz 449.4636

### **funerals**

268.4352

### **annulments**

Deacon Robert Smith 908.7047

### **website**

Stephanie Stewart 331.3903

### **facility reservations**

Maria Rauch 331.3901

### **finance council**

Chris Bourne 331.3908

### **perpetual adoration**

Tom O'Donnell 610.0588

### **extraordinary ministers**

Alan Fritz 449.4636

### **lectors**

Bob Mauritz 641.5265

### **ushers**

Dana McMahan 593.5728

### **respect life**

Tanya Wersinger 979.1856

### **knight of columbus**

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### **ancient order of hibernians**

Tom Bryan 244.0505

### **natural family planning**

Gus & Andrea Suarez 234.7415

### **nursery**

Kim Drake 416.7967

### **girl scouts**

Jen Sanfilippo 317.2701

### **boy scouts**

Marty Yigdall 423.6541

### **cub scouts**

Zack Clardy 498.2262

### **bounce group for widows & widowers**

Jean Casey 268.7554

### **financial & food assistance**

St. Vincent de Paul Society 331.3937

### **prayer shawl ministry**

Jeanette Kripinski 801.3078

### **basketball**

Brandon Calhoun 423.6600

### **volleyball**

Nick Dileo 469.9354

### **lucis via: catholic young adults of the up-state**

[lvgreenville@gmail.com](mailto:lvgreenville@gmail.com)

### **safe environment training**

Stephen & Margie Mazzitelli 469.6992

### **st benedict welcoming committee**

Chris Brafford 877.3656

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.