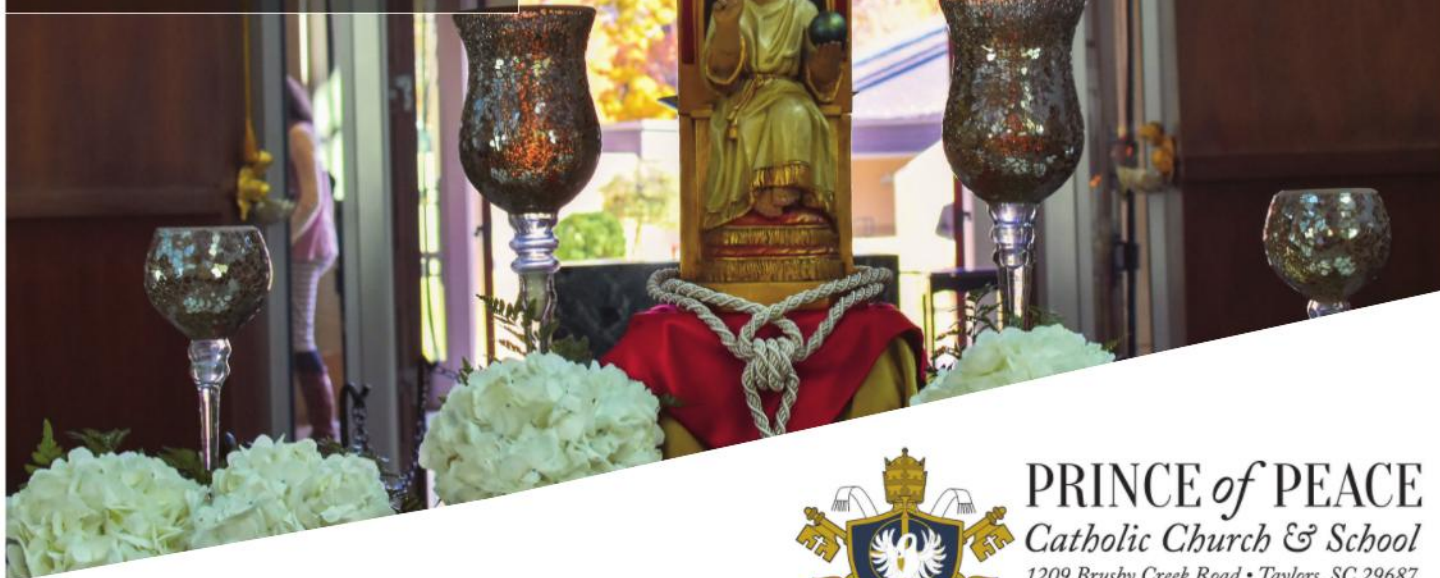


22 november 2020
our lord jesus christ,
king of the universe
(OF) 24th and last sun-
day after pentecost (EF)



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Most Revd Robert Guglielmone,
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Parish Clergy

Pastor:

Fr. Christopher Smith, STD

Parochial Vicar:

Fr. Richard Tomlinson, STD

Deacons:

Robert Smith

Gus Suárez

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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Homilies: Google Podcast (<http://bit.ly/googlepodcastpop>), Apple Podcast (<http://bit.ly/applepodcastpop>) and TuneIn (<http://tun.in/pjqsw>)

Are you new? Welcome! We are grateful that you have come to our parish and hope that you will soon call this faith community your home! Please contact the parish office to learn more.



Letter from our Pastor

An Extraordinary Parish for Ordinary People

Dear Friends in Christ:

Smyrna is mentioned in the Book of Revelation, and tradition has it that St John the Beloved Disciple was its first Bishop. St Polycarp was its next bishop, and St Ignatius of Antioch and St Irenaeus of Lyon all passed through there. The city is important for ancient Christian literature. Today it is known as Izmir, and has a population of 4.3 million, making it the third largest city in Turkey.

Izmir is also the most Westernized and Christian city of Turkey, and is home to the only Archbishopric in the country. Most of the historic churches were either destroyed by earthquakes (there was a massive earthquake a week after I visited!) or taken over as mosques, so the few extant churches are mostly built in the 19th century after the *Tanzimat* reforms that modernized the Ottoman Empire. A priest of our own Diocese, Fr Gary Linsky, Pastor of St Peter's Columbia, is actually an honorary canon of the cathedral, from his time as an air force chaplain there.

I didn't know if I was even going to be able to visit the Cathedral, as it was behind high walls and barbed wire. On Saturday afternoon, I rang the outside bell, and went into to see three people praying the Rosary. The rector of the cathedral and two consecrated virgins, all Italians, keep a contemplative life in this historic city. The next day, I concelebrated Mass in the Cathedral with the Italian priest and deacon, along with a Brazilian and an Argentinian who were studying Turkish to be missionaries there. The Archbishop gave me a delightful and informative tour of the impressive Church of St Polycarp. It was quite a testament to our faith for the very successor of St John and St Polycarp to patiently explain so much about Catholic history in Izmir, and then let me venerate the relics of those amazing Fathers of our faith. Those churches were heavily damaged during the earthquake, and now the Catholics of Izmir have nowhere to gather to be the Church and celebrate the sacraments.

The Turkish Mass was actually quite impressive. Although it was facing the people, it was a totally sung Mass with incense, with hymns sung in Turkish and the ordinary in Latin. I came across Turkish converts to Catholicism, who undergo a three year RCIA program that is more intense than anything we have here, and Levantine Christians, the Latin Catholic descendants of Italian and Spanish traders from the Middle Ages who speak Turkish and cling to their faith. These "native" Catholics were alongside a number of Indian, Filipino and African Catholics who often work in difficult conditions in the hospitality industry or as servants to wealthy Turkish families.

What was characteristic of all the meetings I had with Catholics in Turkey was this: their joy! They are a misunderstood minority, who are always on high alert with prudence in any public manifestation of their faith that could result in even more discrimination. But they are truly like the hidden salt that gives flavor: They are happy to be Catholic, and go about their life with tenacity and street smarts. They see Turkey as a beautiful place to live and to evangelize, especially through charity and beauty. Their churches are often open for visitors, who are curious as to what it's all about. Not a few converts have come to the faith by the goodness and beauty they see in the Catholic churches. It is one of the very few places in the Middle East where this can and does happen! Let us pray for these brave Christians who keep the light of Christ shining bright even in the midst of such difficulties!

In Christ,

Fr. Christopher E. Smith

Our Map—A Smoke, Vape & Tobacco Free Campus



- 1 Church
- 2 Christ the King Adoration Chapel
- 3 PAC (Parish Activity Center) & PAC Classroom
- 4 Guadalupe Hall
- 5 School & School Offices (Lourdes Hall)
- 6 & 7 Parish House, under the protection of Our Lady of Fatima
- 8 KofC Building
- 9 Pope Francis House
- 10 Walsingham Hall
- Parking Lots 11, 12, 13 and 14

Parish Calendar



Fr Christopher Smith = FCS Fr Richard Tomlinson=FRT Ordinary Form =OF Extraordinary Form =EF

<p>sunday, 22 nov our lord jesus christ, king of the universe (OF year A) 24th and last sunday after pentecost (EF)</p>	<p>monday, 23 nov st columban & blessed miguel agustin pro (OF) st clement I (OF & EF)</p>	<p>tuesday, 24 nov st andrew dung lac & companions (OF) st john of the cross (EF)</p>
<p>8a Mass Corazon Carandang+(FCS) 10a Mass Mary Jean Heap-L (FCS) (live broadcast on Facebook) 12p EF Mass Jonathan Hartnett-L (FCS) 6p Mass For the People of the Church (FCS)</p>	<p>7a Mass Ron Schictel+(FCS) 12p EF Mass Christopher D Theisen-L (FCS)</p>	<p>7a Mass Micah Mairi Taylor-L (FCS) 12p EF Mass Nancy Elizabeth Gouker Carey+ (FCS)</p>
<p>8.50a religious education 1p basketball 7p rosary online (details) 7p cyo</p> 	<p>10.30a svdp pope francis house 6.30p boy scouts parish house 6.30p legion of mary kofc bldg 7p basketball pac 7p rosary online (details)</p>	<p><i>parish office & school closed at 12n</i> 7p fraternus pac 7p fidelis pac/parish house 7p men's bible study guadalupe 7p rosary online (details)</p>
<p>wednesday, 25 nov st catherine of alexandria (OF & EF)</p>	<p>thursday, 26 nov weekday (OF) st sylvester (EF)</p>	<p>friday, 27 nov weekday (OF) our lady of the miraculous medal (EF)</p>
<p>8.30a Mass Peter Fallat+(FCS) 12p EF Mass Barbara Russian+(FCS)</p>	<p>9a Mass Carol Mullman+(FCS)</p>	<p>9a Mass Ed Rauch+(FCS)</p>
<p><i>no confessions</i> <i>parish office & school closed</i></p>	<p><i>parish office & school closed</i> kofc turkey deliveries 7p rosary online (details)</p>	<p><i>parish office & school closed</i> 7p rosary online (details) 7p basketball</p>
<p>saturday, 28 nov weekday (OF) our lady on saturday (EF)</p>	<p>sunday, 29 nov first sunday of advent (OF year B & EF)</p>	<p>prayer requests</p>
<p>8a EF Mass Ed Rauch+(FRT) 5p Mass Bob Wright+</p>	<p>8a Mass Karla Hancock-L (FRT) 10a Mass Maxwell & Allison Hunt-L (FCS) (live broadcast on Facebook) 12p EF Mass Jon Hartnett-L (FCS) 6p Mass For the People of the Parish (FRT) 7.30p Compline</p>	<p>All those serving our country, Gena Cunningham, Julie Mallory, Bridgitte Gunnells, Wrenn Calcutt, Jim Bannister, Stephen Wiltberger, Lillie Nesbitt, Kevin Stainton, Doris Pratt, Sarah Williams, Kenneth Price, Joan Rohaley, Jackie Andrejack, Deacon Bob Smith, Lois Smith, Christy Smith, Shannon Harkins, Gloria Dussich, Rose Schillaci, Kristina Murphy, Laurie Taylor, Tony Scachetti, Carl Jones, Luigina Warga, Jackie Fiedler, Rita Herd, Marlene C. Eugenia Kolinko, Ann O'Dea, Emily Stapinski, Ed Case, Lee Mobley, John Postage, Mary Jean Heap, Tammy Lopez, Angela Tinsley, Sue Kinkade, Dottie Sanda, Thomas Dorsey, Susan Subrizi, Jennifer Pfaffl, Jennifer Gregory, Stella Boris, Terri Arkins, Rosemary Craig, Elizabeth Albright, Jean Casey, Janine Moore.</p>
<p>3.30-4.40p confessions church</p>	<p>1p basketball 7p rosary online (details)</p>	
<p><i>Please contact the Parish Office to request a name be added to the prayer list. We will leave names on the prayer list for two weeks, unless requested otherwise.</i></p>		



Happenings & Needs

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homebound ministry

If you are homebound and wish to receive Holy Communion, please contact Mark Thompson at mark.thompson@princeofpeacetaylors.org or 864.630.0606.

re teachers needed

Religious Education Teachers Needed! Sharing your faith with the next generation has never been so easy. Maria Barontini, Pastoral Associate of Children's Catechesis, provides ALL materials and training for teaching RE on Sundays between 8:50-9:50a.

Needs:

- 6th grade co-catechist, starting in January 2021

widows and widowers

Be comforted by those who have experienced the grief of the loss of a spouse on the first Saturday of the month in the Pope Francis House. Call Jean Casey 864.423.7010 to learn more.

request from pop archives committee

We have church directories for 1987, 1993, 1996, 2004 and 2016. If you have a directory from other years please drop it off at the church office. Thanks!

baptism

Please welcome the newest member of the Body of Christ:

- **Genevieve Cecilia Curran**, daughter of Matthew & Kathleen, who will be baptized on 22 November 2020

perpetual eucharistic adoration

"Jesus desires us, he awaits us."
- Emeritus Pope Benedict XVI

Please consider adopting an hour or become a substitute. Contact Lisa Buss at 864.508.7123 or via adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org with questions!

- Adorers are reminded to receive the code directly from Lisa Buss.
- **Hours in need of adorers:**
 - 3a & 10a Fridays

Notes as we approach holidays:

- the chapel remains open on holidays, including Thanksgiving & Christmas
- plan ahead to arrange a substitute using the most up-to-date substitute list posted in the Facebook group or by email with Lisa Buss

Notes about inclement weather:

- You will always receive an email about situations that result in the chapel being shutdown. Otherwise, assume the chapel is open or double verify with Lisa Buss directly.

baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their children must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Thursday, 10 December at 6.30p through Zoom (virtually). Please contact Deacon Gus for details at 864. 420.0497 baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org
⇒ *Baptisms cannot be scheduled until the class is completed.*
⇒ *Only Deacon Gus can schedule Baptisms.*

Prayerfully consider donating the following:



sanctuary lamp \$20
donated by Bob & Debbie Smolar
in memory of Barbara Russian



bread & wine \$20



flowers \$200



music \$300

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pop christmas ornament

Get your POP Christmas ornament depicting our own nativity scene. The ornaments say "Prince of Peace" so that they can be given as Christmas presents. Ornaments are \$20. Please contact Maria Rauch in the parish office to place your order.



fraternus & fidelis ministries

Fraternus & Fidelis are mentoring programs for 6th-12th graders—fraternus is for boys & fidelis is for girls. Mentors form a brotherhood/sisterhood of virtue and invite the teens into it.

- 6th-12th grade boys are invited to participate on Tuesdays from 7-8:45pm in the PAC. Contact Thomas at upstatefraternus@gmail.com
- 6th-12th grade ladies are invited to participate on Tuesdays from 7-8:45p in Parish House. Contact Kelly at upstatefidelis@gmail.com

welcome new parishioners

Join us in welcoming the newest members of our parish family: Nikita Kasinger and Family, Juan Torres, Walter Dickerson, and Robert Dobbins.

deliver thanksgiving meals

Have a cell phone or other GPS device? Willing to start your Thanksgiving by helping others? Join the Knights of Columbus 9184 to help deliver Thanksgiving meals [by signing up!](#) Contact John Olson at gk.kofc9184@gmail.com with questions!

parish school open house

Our parish school Open House is on Monday, 23 November! Take a tour of the school, observe classrooms, meet our Principal and students, and more! Call Liz Burgdorf to schedule a time during our Open House or another day of the week that is more convenient. Liz may be reached at 864.331.3921 or reception@popcatholicschool.org.

happy birthday

- Allison Winebarger, 24 November
- Juliana Simon, 30 November

svdp food drive

In November, St Vincent de Paul is running a food drive! Please bring non-perishable items and drop them off in the brown bin in the Narthex. **What's needed?** nonperishable food items such as canned vegetables, fruit, meat, cereal, pasta, pasta sauce, rice, peanut butter, jelly, toilet paper, paper towels, soap, baby diapers any size, wipes, and ravioli.



how to help others this holiday season

For years, St Vincent de Paul has put up the Angel Tree in the Narthex; due to the pandemic guidelines it will not be up. Instead, SvdP and the KofC will seek to provide warm winter coats & gift cards for toys to as many children in need as possible. The following amounts are to assist those in need during the Holiday Season:

- A \$25 donation for a warm winter coat, those will be purchased through the KofC Coats for Kids program
- A \$25 donation will enable SvdP to provide a gift card for one child in need to purchase toys
- 55 Turkey dinners will be provided from the KofC to feed the hungry. Please make donations specifically to the KofC 9184 for this Thanksgiving Program

Are you interested in donating to purchase a warm winter coat or gift card? Please make checks payable to SvdP that can be dropped off at the church office or use the poor box in the Narthex. Donate online at <https://tithe.ly/give?c=2404605>.

The KofC has already donated 24 warm winter coats to children in need in our community. SVdP Questions? Simone Imber, imber.simone@gmail.com or 270-317-9550. Questions about Thanksgiving dinners? Contact John Olson gk.kofc9184@gmail.com



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advent book for families



Rejoice! Advent Meditations with the Holy Family (from Ascension Press) is a prayer resource with daily meditations that will enrich your Advent by inviting you to experience the first Advent with Joseph and Mary, as they await the birth of their son, the Savior of the world. This journal will help you to see the marriage of Mary and Joseph in a new light. Maria Barontini, will be placing a bulk order of these journals soon. Reserve your copy for \$7 (individual copies are \$12.99 on the Ascension website) by emailing maria.barontini@princeofpeacetaylors.org. Please provide your name, email address, and quantity of journals.

get to know the knights of columbus 9184

As part of our Faith in Action initiatives, we have a select amount of Christmas cards and Keep Christ in Christmas magnets for sale. Interested? Reach our Grand Knight, John Olson, at 864.354.5680.



⇒ Find out more about our Faith in Action areas of focus and share your ideas at kofc9184.org.

tuesday, 8 december—mass schedule

The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary celebrates the conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary in the womb of her mother, Saint Anne, free from original sin by virtue of the merits of her son Jesus. The Feast Day is Tuesday, 8 December.

⇒ **Mass times are:** 7a Low; 8.30a School Mass; 12p Latin; 7p Sung

year b

Beginning Sunday, 29 November the church begins a new year. When looking for the Sunday readings in the St Issac Jogues missal we will be church year B.

happy thanksgiving

Have a happy and safe Thanksgiving! Thanksgiving Day Mass will be a low English Mass this year. No hymns will be sung.



celebrating marriages

Join us in praying for those couples in our parish family celebrating a wedding anniversary! Send us your names, number of years married and date of your anniversary. Blessed Karl & Servant of God Zita, pray for us!

- John & Shirley Magera | 60 years on 26 November

Email Kylee at communications@princeofpeacetaylors.org

donating blood

Did you know that when you donate blood at The Blood Connection, Prince of Peace Catholic Church & School has a code to “credit” it to our parish? The code is 3APE.

men's bible study

Men's Bible Study has resumed meeting on Tuesdays from 7-8p in Guadalupe Hall (The Middle School). Due to popular demand, the study will be on the Acts of the Apostles. Questions? Contact Michael Thompson at 864.365.6178.

advent recommended reading by fcs

Fr Smith's recommended Advent reading is:

- For ladies - [Bakhita: From Slave to Saint](#)
- For gentlemen - [Father Augustus Tolton: The Slave Who Became the First African-American Priest](#)

Couples, the goal is that each spouse reads their respective book and discusses it with the other.

Singles, read one or both!

lay dominicans

If you would like to learn more about the life and charism of Lay Dominicans and how they share in the apostolic mission of the Dominican Order through the Four Pillars: Prayer, Study, Community and Apostolic Preaching, email Linda Head, OP, for information: ixhead@gmail.com.

support life tshirts available

Everyone who attended the Diocesan Saturday Night Life event received a “South Carolina Supports Life” t-shirt in Carolina Light Blue! You can own one, too. Unisex sizing from youth to adult 2XL are available [at the link](#).



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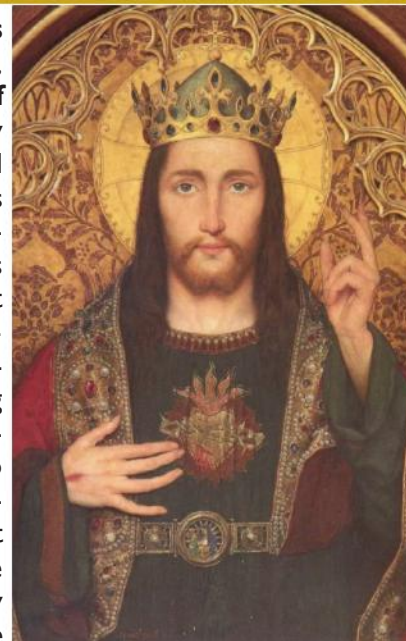


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feast of christ the king

22 November: Feast of Christ the King (the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe).

Celebrated on the last Sunday of the liturgical year, this feast day was established by Pope Pius XI in 1925. As a response to **the rise of secularization, atheism, and communism** in the world and to publicly acknowledge the supremacy of Jesus Christ over all men and nations, Pope Pius XI issued the encyclical *Quas Primas*. This encyclical added the feast of “Our Lord Jesus Christ the King” to the Church liturgical calendar. It designated the feast to be celebrated on the last Sunday of October. This date, near All Saints’ Day and four weeks before Advent, was carefully chosen. It reminded the people that Jesus Christ is not only King of this world, reigning over the nations; He is also the eternal King, glorified by the saints in heaven, who will one day come to judge humankind. In his encyclical, the pope noted that the world’s disorder was the result of nations rejecting Christ. The pope instructed the faithful to use this annual feast as a time to consecrate themselves to the Sacred Heart of Jesus; tying the celebration to devotion to the Sacred Heart and to the living Christ in the Eucharist. In 1969, Pope Paul VI further enhanced this feast. To emphasize Christ’s universal reign, he changed the feast day name to “Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe”. He also changed the feast date to the last Sunday in the liturgical year, emphasizing even more strongly the connection between Christ’s kingship and His second advent (coming) to judge the world. Fr. Smith aptly referred to this new feast date as “the crown of Ordinary Time”. The pope also raised this feast to the highest rank of celebration on the Church calendar: that of a solemnity. Today, peace still eludes us; social, political and economic upheaval is still prevalent; and the nations continue to reject the Gospel. The world needs now, more than ever, our Christian witness to Christ the King’s rule over all things.



23 November is the feast day of Blessed Miguel Pro. It is a perfect tie-in to learn the phrase that this Mexican martyr bravely died proclaiming: “Viva Christo Rey!” (“Long live Christ the King!”)

Ideas for celebrating this feast day at home:

- Make crowns! (Or, visit Burger King today!) [Here is a link for free printable Christ the King crowns.](#)
- An easy *Christ the King* [craft idea here.](#)
- For a fun baking activity, make [Christ the King cookie crowns.](#)
- Set the table as if you were hosting a king for dinner: use cloth napkins, your best dishes. Light candles and fill fancy glasses with champagne or sparkling cider. You could also serve adults a [Royal Flush](#) cocktail made with Crown Royal.
- Make “Chicken á la king” for dinner: [recipe here.](#)
- Other dinner ideas “fit for a king”-- a ham ‘jeweled’ with cloves; a crown roast; a very nice steak; or slow braised beef and vegetables with mashed potatoes. For dessert, a crown cake! ([recipes here](#))
- Sing or listen to the hymn “[For Christ the King](#)” by Father Daniel Lord, from 1933. The *Hallelujah Chorus* from Handel’s *Messiah* is another resounding piece of music that captures the enthusiasm of this feast day: “King of Kings and Lord of Lords! And He shall reign for ever and ever.”
- *Have a family procession in honor of Christ the King* – [idea here.](#)
- *Most importantly, consecrate your family to the Sacred Heart of Jesus:* [instructions here.](#)

“If to Christ our Lord is given all power in heaven and on earth; if all men, purchased by his precious blood, are by a new right subjected to his dominion; if this power embraces all men, it must be clear that not one of our faculties is exempt from his empire. He must reign in our minds, which should assent with perfect submission and firm belief to revealed truths and to the doctrines of Christ. He must reign in our wills, which should obey the laws and precepts of God. He must reign in our hearts, which should spurn natural desires and love God above all things, and cleave to him alone.” (*Quas Primas*, Pope Pius XI)



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advent confession schedule

At Prince of Peace:

Tuesdays at 6p (Advent Only)

Wednesdays at 5p (normal)

Thursdays at 6p (Advent Only)

Saturdays at 3.30p (normal)

A priest at St Rafka's will hear confessions during Advent on Tuesdays from 5.30-6.20p, Wednesdays 6-6:50p, Thursdays 5.30-6.30p, and Fridays 5.30-6.30p.

st vincent de paul society

The St Vincent De Paul Society at Prince of Peace can now accept your contributions by EFT at <https://tithe.ly/give?c=2404605>. On behalf of those served, SVDP is most grateful for your financial support and non-perishable food items. When making donations to SVDP, please make the check out directly to SVDP and NOT Prince of Peace.

- During the month of October, 67 families were helped with utilities and 113 bags of groceries were given out to those in need! Thank you!

volunteer to help with basketball

Volunteers are needed to help with the basketball program on Saturdays in the PAC beginning 3 December. Volunteers must sign a COVID waiver and wear a mask and gloves (provided). This is a great opportunity if you belong to something requiring service hours. Contact Maria Rauch!

donations needed

- **Poinsettias:** donate to the Christmas flower fund in memory or honor of a loved one! Please use the Christmas flower envelope located in your Nov/Dec envelope packet or you may use a regular envelope. **Clearly print** your name and the name of your loved one on the envelope. In order to be listed on the insert in the bulletin for Christmas week all donations must be received by **Monday, 14 December by Noon.**
- **Trees:** If you, your ministry or business would like to donate a tree for Christmas, please send in a check to the Parish Office and put "Christmas Tree" on the envelope and check. Trees are \$150 each. Sponsors will be listed in the bulletin. **To be in the bulletin donations need to be received by Thursday, 10 December at Noon.**

triune mercy kitchen—help needed

Join our parish family with a **corporal work of mercy by feeding the hungry** of Triune Mercy Kitchen on the first Sunday of December. Please [sign up here](#) to have the food and drinks ready for delivery. Contact John Olson with questions at 864.354.5680.

upcoming mass schedule

Christmas Eve:

- 3p (last name beginning A-K), 5p (last name beginning L-Z), 7p and midnight (EF)

Christmas Day:

- 8a (EF, low) and 10a

Saturday, 26 December

- 9a Mass

Monday, 28 December

- Blessing of Children 9a

29-30 December

- 9a Mass

Solemnity of the Mother of God

- 5p Vigil on 31 December
- 10a OF and 12n EF (Low Mass of the Circumcision)

compline during advent

Compline (also known as Night Prayer) is the final church service (or office) of the day in the Christian tradition of canonical hours. The prayers are always the same, so it is very easy to learn! We will have Compline during Advent at 7.30p on Sundays, 29 Nov, 6 & 20 December. Prepare for the coming of the Prince of Peace in this special way!

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rorate masses

Rorate Masses (a votive Mass to the Blessed Mother) will be Saturdays, 5, 12 & 19 December at 6.30a.



Clergy

Fr. Christopher Smith	Pastor	864.268.4352	frsmith@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Fr. Richard Tomlinson	Parochial Vicar	864.268.4352	richard.tomlinson@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Deacon Robert Smith	Deacon	864.908.7047	dbcsmith@aol.com

**contact Deacon Bob about declarations of nullity*

Deacon Gus Suarez	Deacon	864.420.0497	gus.suarez@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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**contact Deacon Suarez about baptisms (baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org), altar servers*

Parish

Phil Head	Director of Administration	864.331.3908	directorofadministration@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Mark Pulley	Director of Finance/Bookkeeper	864.331.3907	bookkeeper@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Maria Rauch	Parish Secretary	864.331.3901	maria.rauch@princeofpeacetaylors.org

**contact Maria R. about facility reservations and requesting Anointing of the Sick prior to surgery or when gravely ill*

Maria Barontini	Pastoral Associate for Children's Catechesis	864.331.3919	maria.barontini@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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**contact Maria B. about children's catechesis, first confession, first communion, RCIA and confirmation*

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Elizabeth Wilson	Organist	864.331.3906	elizabeth.wilson@princeofpeacetaylors.org

School (Office: 864.331.3921) *our childcare registration number is 24774

Steven Cunningham	Principal	864.331.2145	principal@popcatholicschool.org
Tammy Lopez	Office Manager	864.331.3911	tammy.lopez@popcatholicschool.org

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Sick & Homebound	Mark Thompson	864.630.0606	
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Widows/Widowers (BOUNCE)	Jean Casey	864.268.7554	

Submit your announcements 2 weeks prior to the desired bulletin date to bulletin submissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org



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pick up candles beginning 30 november

If you had a loved one who had a candle on the St Joseph's altar, the candles will be in the parish office and will be ready for pick up beginning Monday, 30 November. We will hold these until 1 January.

here are the ways to continue giving to pop

- **drop off your offertory at Mass** in the centrally located offertory baskets (not being passed around due to COVID-19 safety protocols)
- **drop off your offertory in our mailbox:** at the doors to Parish House that face the school
- **mail it to us:** 1209 Brushy Creek Rd, Taylors South Carolina 29687
- **donate online** in our tithe.ly system - setup EFT, one-time donation or recurring donation. Manage your giving with ease by [downloading the tithe.ly app](#) to your phone.

If you normally give via WeShare, you can stick with it or switch! The parish incurs lower fees with Tithe.ly. Here's the [WeShare link](#) for managing your account.

parish offertory, as of 31 october

Offertory	As of October 31, 2020		
	Actual	Budget	Surplus / (Deficit)
Month	\$ 100,317	\$ 112,500	(\$12,183)
Year-To-Date	\$ 433,944	\$ 464,000	(\$30,056)

our lady's food pantry

The pantry (2300 Old Buncombe Rd, Greenville 29609 behind San Sebastian mission church) is currently looking for a couple of volunteer drivers to drive the pantry truck to the food bank, help load the items into the truck, and help unload the items at the pantry. The time commitment will be from 9.30-11.30 am on Mondays, and you can volunteer once a week or once a month. If interested, schedule a tour and training (2 hours) with Gracie Ortiz, Catholic Charities Regional Coordinator for the Upstate, at gortiz@charlestdiocese.org or 864.331.2626.

note from maria re: advent wreaths

Maria Rauch creates Advent wreaths—both small (\$40) and large sizes (\$55) in her personal business (also selling handcrafted rosaries). Please contact maria.rauch@princeofpeacetaylors.org to learn more! Advent wreaths come with candles, both sizes.

family honor webinars

Parents: We invite you to sign up for one or more of Family Honor's Program Webinars presented live via Zoom. Some sessions are for parents only; others are for you and your teen or pre-teen to participate in together. Questions? Please call 803.929.0858 or email info@familyhonor.org. Register [here](#).

amazon program

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- **Parish:** Prince of Peace Parish (Taylors, SC)
- **School:** Prince of Peace Catholic School (Taylors, SC)

giving tuesday

Each year on the Tuesday after Thanksgiving is Giving Tuesday—a day of generosity across the world to boost charities and ministries.

On Giving Tuesday, we'll join parish schools across the Diocese of Charleston with an #iGiveCatholic campaign seeking funding for such things as improved technology, opportunities for scholarship, program improvement, and more!

Please prayerfully consider giving! Our site is accepting donations now through 11:49p on Tuesday, 1 December here: [LINK TO GIVE](#)

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