

open enrollment in our parish school begins / February

24 January 2021
3rd Sunday in Ordinary
Time (OF)
3rd Sunday after Epiphany



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A Parish Family of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charleston

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Pastor:

Fr. Christopher Smith, STD

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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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Join our Facebook groups: Prince of Peace Catholic Church and School Group; Upstate Catholic Mom's Group; and more

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,

As we passed into the new year, Argentina became the first country in Latin America to legalize abortion up to the fourteenth week of pregnancy. Like many of you, I watched with horror as thousands of women marched in the streets to celebrate the victory of being able to murder their own children in the womb. In our own country, the significant progress that has been made in recent years in pro-life advocacy risks being rolled back. The pro-life cause has been one of the fundamental cornerstones of the culture wars which are continuing to rock our society.

Now, as a general rule, I am not a fan of the culture wars rhetoric. While some people will accuse me of just being entirely naïve in this regard, I feel strongly that the “us versus them” splitting has outlived any usefulness it may have had in the past, and hasn’t really gotten us very far in a positive direction to build a culture of life. I have asked the School Advisory Council to collaborate with the staff to come up with a new subcommittee to look at how we communicate the pro-life message to our school, RE and homeschool families. If we are to build up a culture of life, it begins with us. It begins with the moral formation of our children to know why life is sacred, and to have the experience from their youth of pro-life advocacy in ways that are age appropriate.

I have also never been a fan of the “seamless garment” approach to pro-life ministry, which risks downplaying the unique horror of abortion. At the same time, however, it is crucial that we also form our young people in the social teaching of the Church. It has become very evident to me that many of our young people may get the message on abortion, but not on poverty, injustice, racism, and other ills that are just as real, even if they are not on the same level as abortion.

As Christians, we are a people of hope, and we must be ready with a reason for the hope that is within us. In our parish, we have had a number of families choose to foster or adopt as a means of their pro-life commitment going far beyond just being anti-abortion. Some of our families who have struggled in the past with the Church’s teaching on contraception have now enthusiastically embraced a fearless approach to their own God-gifted fertility. We have a number of people who quietly labor in the vineyard of the Church’s pro-life ministry, and we are so grateful for their work.

There are a number of women, and men, too, whose lives have been forever changed by the scourge of abortion. They often got caught up in the lie that direct murder of an innocent child would make their lives better or more bearable, and the psychological and spiritual consequences of that lie are monstrous. Many of them have, with great courage, borne the cross of repentance and seen the value of life in a way that those of us who have not been so directly affected can never even begin to imagine.

In Christ,

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



= where you see this symbol, it means live broadcast
simultaneously on [Facebook](#) & [YouTube](#)

Parish Calendar



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

<p>sunday, 24 jan 3rd sunday in ordinary time (OF year B) 3rd sunday after epiphany (EF)</p> <p>8a Mass Carol Mullman+(FCS) 9.15a 100% Masked Mass PAC Ed Rauch+(FCS) 10a Mass Anthony Smolar+(FRT) 12p EF Mass For the People of the parish (FRT) 6p Mass Gunnar Liebrandt+(FRT)</p>	<p>monday, 25 jan the conversion of st paul (OF & EF)</p> <p>7a Mass Ray Hock+(FRT) 12p EF Mass Clare Dodd-L (FRT)</p>	<p>tuesday, 26 jan sts timothy & titus (OF) st polycarp (EF)</p> <p>7a Mass Lorraine McCabe+(FRT) 12p EF Mass Chris Toms-L (FCS)</p>
<p><i>8.50a religious education</i> <i>1p basketball pac</i> <i>7p rosary online (details)</i></p>	<p><i>10.30a svdp pope francis house</i> <i>6p boy scouts parish house</i> <i>6p basketball pac</i> <i>6.30p legion of mary kofc bldg</i> <i>7p rosary online (details)</i></p>	<p><i>7p fidelis parish house</i> <i>7p fraternus pac</i> <i>7p men's bible study lourdes hall</i> <i>9p basketball pac</i> <i>7p rosary online (details)</i></p>
<p>wednesday, 27 jan st angela merici (OF) st john chrysostom (EF)</p> <p>8.30a Mass Sarah Parker+(FCS) 12p EF Mass Deceased Duong Family+(FRT)</p> <p><i>5p confessions</i> <i>7p intro to catholicism</i> <i>pac</i></p> 	<p>thursday, 28 jan st thomas aquinas (OF) st peter nolasco (EF)</p> <p>7a Mass Ray Hock+(FCS) 12p EF Mass Deceased Nguyen Family (FRT)</p> <p><i>1.30p cursillo kofc bldg.</i> <i>6p basketball pac</i> <i>7p kofc kofc bldg</i> <i>7p rosary online (details)</i></p>	<p>friday, 29 jan weekday (OF) st francis de sales (EF)</p> <p>7a Mass In Thanksgiving (FCS) 12p EF Mass William & Marsha Norman+ (FCS)</p> <p><i>6p basketball pac</i> <i>7p rosary online (details)</i> <i>watch the march for life (link)</i></p>  <p>MARCH FOR LIFE</p>
<p>saturday, 30 jan blessed virgin mary (OF) st martina (EF)</p> <p>8a EF Mass Deceased Mai Family (FRT) 3.30p Confessions (FCS) 5p Mass Ray Hock+(FCS)</p> <p><i>8a basketball pac</i> <i>9a marriage prep parish house</i> <i>3.30-4.40p confessions (fcs)</i> <i>6p mass setup pac (volunteer here)</i></p>	<p>sunday, 31 jan 4th sunday in ordinary time (OF year B) septuagesima sunday (EF)</p> <p>8a Mass Zane Hade+(FPC) 9.15a 100% Masked Mass PAC Ed Rauch+(FCS) 10a Mass James Tran+(FRT) 12p EF Mass For the People of the parish (FRT) 6p Mass Gunnar Liebrandt+(FRT)</p> <p><i>8.50a religious education</i> <i>1p basketball pac</i> <i>7p rosary online (details)</i></p>	<p>prayer requests</p> <p>AAll 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 & John Warga, Mary Jean Heap, Rita Herd, Marlene C. Eugenia Kolinko, Emily Stapinski, Susan Subrizi, Ed Case, Lee Mobley, John Postage, Mary Jean Heap, Stella Boris, Terri Arkins, Rosemary Craig, Janine Moore, Jean Casey, Thomas Dorsey, Jennifer Gregory, Kathleen Ohlinger, Jennifer Pfaffl and Mary Thompson.</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.

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.

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.

happy birthday

- Elizabeth Wilson, 12 February
- Fr Tomlinson, 17 February



new livestream equipment

Our new livestreaming process broadcasts LIVE on two platforms at the same time. Everyone who has joined us has commented on the greatly improved audio! Come back virtually to your parish. You can watch on [Facebook](#) and/or [YouTube](#).

- if you notice the Communications Director or IT Director using a laptop at Mass, it is to operate this equipment.

perpetual eucharistic adoration

(Jesus) said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where he was staying; and they stayed with him that day, ...". John 1:39

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

- Adorers are reminded to receive the code directly from Lisa Buss.
- **Hours in need of adorers:**
 - 12p Mondays; 11p Wednesdays; & 2p Saturdays

Notes about inclement weather:

- You will always receive an email about situations that result in the chapel being shutdown.

baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their children must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Thursday, 11 February 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.*

ending 6p mass time

Sunday, 14 February is the last 6p Mass until further notice, as we place resources as a parish to where people actually are. Thank you to Fred Downey & the Rosa family who have provided service for this Mass week in and week out for many years.

Prayerfully consider donating the following:



sanctuary lamp \$20



bread & wine \$20



flowers \$200



music \$300
donated by
Al & Marianna DeLachica
in memory of Matthew Waters

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fast and pray for new deacons

In February 2021, the Diocese of Charleston will ordain 15 men into the permanent Diaconate, 3 of whom are from Prince of Peace Catholic Church & School! Please adopt in prayer the family of a member of the class and commit to daily prayer between now and ordination! Each ordained will receive a list of those who prayed for them and the number of days prayed! [Sign up to pray here.](#)

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: Jonathan & Elizabeth Ingram and family; Pat & Sherry May and family and John & Janet Murphy and family.

candlemas blessing of candles

Candlemas, also known as the Feast of Light, is a day of purification, renewal, and hope. On this day, exactly 40 days after Christmas, we commemorate Mary's obedience to Mosaic law by submitting herself to the Temple for the ritual of purification, as commanded in Leviticus 12:2-8.

There will be blessing of candles at Candlemas on Tuesday, 2 February. You may either bring your own candles to be blessed or you can order Candlemas candles from the parish office for \$5. The size of these candles are 8" and you get 2 in a box. The candles will be in the Narthex with your name on the box. If you place your order in the collection basket, please be sure to write Candlemas candles on the envelope and your name. Candles to be blessed are to be placed on the table inside the communion rail before Mass.

Mass: 7a Low Mass & 12p Low Latin Mass

january is dedicated to the holy name of jesus

Here are some ideas on how to honor the Holy Name of Jesus that we got from an article posted in Aleteia:

- do not take the Lord's name in vain and do not allow anyone or anything to do so around you (including turning off what you're watching or listening to, if it does)
- adopt the pious practice of bowing your head whenever you say or hear the name of Jesus
- decorate your domestic church (home) in colors of white (first half of January is the liturgical season of Christmas, represented by liturgical color of white for purity) and green (second half of January begins ordinary time with the liturgical color green representing hope as a sprouting seed) and the letters IHS, perhaps decorated and framed.
- write His name on your home using the Epiphany home blessing & blessed chalk available in the Narthex
- every day, pray to Joseph and Mary to increase your love for their Son, along with your reverence for His Holy Name.
- pray the Golden Arrow Prayer in reparation for blasphemies against His Most Holy Name:
May the most holy, most sacred, most adorable, most incomprehensible and unutterable Name of God be always praised, blessed, loved, adored and glorified in Heaven, on earth, and under the earth, by all the creatures of God, and by the Sacred Heart of Our Lord Jesus Christ, in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar. Amen.

annual fund for the parish school

Now is a great opportunity to give to the Annual Fund of Prince of Peace Catholic School, which is the principal apostolate of the parish for the handing on of the Catholic faith.

The Annual Fund is a great opportunity for everyone who calls Prince of Peace their spiritual home to make a commitment to the quick impact items that the Annual Fund makes possible so our children can have the very best they deserve in their educational formation. Donate online using the link or drop off your donation at our parish school (reopens 4 January): <https://ppcs.ejoinme.org/allinforpopcs>



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get to know the knights of columbus 9184

Unity - None of us is as good as all of us. Brothers of the Knights of Columbus all know that – together – we can accomplish far more than any of us could individually. So we stick together... we support one another in our faith journey. As a Knight of Columbus – you can count on the support and encouragement of your Brother Knights as you strive to make life better of your domestic church, [parish and community](#). Join us today and be part of continuing to support Catholic men at our Parish family.



- Questions and ideas? Call or text our Grand Knight at (864) 354-5680.

new cloths for altars

New embroidered cloths on the High Altar & Lady Altar have been added (made by Arte Granda).

- On the high altar, it reads: **In laetitia, nulla dies sine cruce!**, "In joy, not a day without the Cross!", is an aspiration St. Josemaria would use to encourage himself "to carry the Lord's burden with generosity, always with good humor, though often it means going against the grain" (Letter, 2 Feb 1945, noted in Vasquez de Prada, The Founder of Opus Dei, Vol. 2, p.454).
- On the lady altar, it reads "Mater Dei, ora pro nobis," Mother of God, pray for us.

here are the ways to continue giving to pop

This holiday season we thank everyone who has supported Prince of Peace Catholic Church this past year with their time, talent and financial contributions, and look forward to support from all of our parishioners in the year ahead. As the pace of life speeds up, especially around the holidays, you may find electronic giving a most welcome way to make contributions. Contact Mark Pulley at 864.331.3907.

- [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.

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!

- Greg & Sue Kinkade, 6 years on 24 January
- Robert & Vanessa Searles | 11 years on 29 January

Email communications@princeofpeacecattaylors.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 meets on Tuesdays from 7-8p in Guadalupe Hall (The Middle School). They are just starting Bishop Robert Barron's 4 Gospels. It's a great time to get involved! Questions? Contact Michael Thompson at 864.365.6178.

pastoral letter in reflection of spiritus domini

In response to Pope Francis' Spiritus Domini, Fr Smith shared a Pastoral Letter. [Read it here!](#)

change to ash wednesday rite

The Congregation for Divine Worship released a note laying out the procedures priests around the world are to follow for the distribution of ashes at the start of Lent. It is basically the old Roman custom for the clergy used for all of the faithful.

- After blessing the ashes and sprinkling them with holy water in silence, the priest addresses those present, reciting once the formula found in the Roman Missal: "Repent, and believe in the Gospel" or "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return".
- At that point, the note continues, the priest "cleanses his hands, puts on a face mask, and distributes ashes to those who come to him or, if appropriate, he goes to those who are standing in their places."
- He then sprinkles the ashes on each person's head "without saying anything."



Domestic Church
Celebration Opportunity

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celebrating the liturgical life of the church in YOUR home

27 January: Saint Angela Merici. Born in 1474 in northern Italy, Angela Merici dedicated herself to God early in life. Her parents died when she was only ten years old. She and her elder sister went to live with an uncle. When her sister also tragically died, without being able to receive the last sacraments, Angela was inconsolable. She joined the Third Order of St. Frances and increased her prayers and mortifications for the repose of her sister's soul. She asked God to reveal to her the condition of her deceased sister. It is said that by a vision she was shown that her sister was in the company of the saints in heaven. When Angela was twenty years old, her uncle died, and she returned to her paternal hometown. Convinced that the great need of her times was a better Christian instruction of young girls, she converted her home into a school where she daily gathered little girls and taught them the Faith. The school she had first established soon bore abundant fruit, and she was invited to the neighboring city, Brescia, to establish a similar school at that place. Angela gladly accepted. In 1524, while making a pilgrimage to the Holy Land, she became suddenly blind while on the island of Crete, but continued her journey to the Holy Places and was cured on her return while praying before a crucifix. One day, Angela had a vision that revealed she was to establish an association of virgins who were to devote their lives to the religious training of young girls. In November of 1535, Angela and 28 young women formed the Order of Ursulines in honor of St. Ursula in a small house near the Church of St. Afra in Brescia. Angela and her companions consecrated themselves to God by a vow of virginity. Angela drew up the rules in 1536, which provided for the Christian education of girls in order to restore the family and, through the family, the whole of Christian society. She was unanimously elected superior of the company in 1537. Before her death she dictated her spiritual testament and her counsels to her nuns; they insist on interest in the individual, gentleness, and persuasion over force. Angela died in 1540 at Brescia and was buried in the ancient church of Saint Afra (now Saint Angela's sanctuary), where she still rests. Her body was discovered to be incorrupt in 1930. After Angela's death, the Company of Saint Ursula spread rapidly. In 1580, Charles Borromeo, Bishop of Milan, encouraged the foundation of Ursuline houses in all the dioceses of Northern Italy. Charles also encouraged the Ursulines to live together in community rather than in their own homes. Ursuline communities were established in France, Germany, Belgium, Holland, Switzerland, Canada and the United States. Today, thousands of Ursuline Sisters work to spread the Faith on six continents. The Ursuline order is the oldest religious order of women in the Roman Catholic Church dedicated to the education of girls. Saint Angela Merici was beatified in 1768 by Pope Clement XIII and canonized in 1807 by Pope Pius VII.



St. Angela Merici is the patron saint of: loss of parents, bodily ills or sickness, disabled people and handicapped people.

Ideas for celebrating in your home:

- Verona, Italy, where St. Angela was born, is known for its plentiful fresh fish. For St. Angela's feast day dinner, here is a recipe for [Salmon Primavera with Lemon Butter Sauce](#). Every feast day deserves a delicious dessert! Purchase or bake an Italian-inspired one for tonight (tiramisu, gelato, cannoli, panna cotta, mascarpone cheesecake, etc!)
- Decorate with lilies, a symbol of purity, in honor of this virgin-saint. [Lily craft idea here](#).
- Enjoy some *Caffe Verona* or other good Italian coffee with biscotti for breakfast!
- Pray the litany of St. Angela Merici: [link here](#).



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OF THE DIOCESE OF CHARLESTON
TO ST. JOSEPH, THE UNIVERSAL PATRON OF THE CHURCH

St. Joseph, Virginal Father of Our Lord Jesus Christ and Virginal Spouse of the Immaculate Mother of God, and Chosen Head of the Holy Family, the Church acknowledges you as its Universal Patron.

You are the spiritual and material provider and protector of all its institutions and individual members on our pilgrimage of faith on earth, awaiting fulfillment in heaven.

In view of these truths, as Shepherd of the Diocese of Charleston, I consecrate and entrust the Diocese of Charleston with all its members and institutions to your paternal care, development and safety.

Guide us according to the Holy Spirit to achieve the purposes that God the Father establishes through the Church founded by our Lord Jesus Christ. Inspire our minds and hearts to assure our continuous fidelity. Assist us to be the worshipers and witnesses that God the Father desires and deserves.

We thank you for your patronage and ask you to accept this Act of filial devotion.

By decision of the

Most Reverend Robert E. Guglielmone
Bishop of Charleston

January 14, 2021



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**contact Deacon Bob about declarations of nullity*

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

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

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



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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 February. Please [sign up here](#) to have the food and drinks ready for delivery. Contact John Olson with questions at 864.354.5680.

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.

virtual march for life

The annual March for Life is virtual this year with only a small group of pro-life leaders from across the country marching in Washington, DC this year. These leaders will represent pro-life Americans everywhere. Join the march virtually on Friday, 29 January [here](#).

open enrollment for our parish school

On 1 February, enrollment in our parish school (grades K4-8th) opens to all (after a priority period of re-enrollment for existing families) on a first come, first served basis. With several classes expected to be waitlist only, interested families are encouraged to be prepared to apply on 1 February. Please schedule a tour of the parish school with Liz Burgdorf at 864-331-2145.

not yet returned to mass and parish life?

We're creating spiritual gift bags for those among our parish family who are predominantly at home. It will contain sacramentals, prayers, and more. If you or someone you know would like to receive one, please sign up below. Sign up [here](#).

We're also becoming matchmakers between parishioners at home and those not for phone, email or pen pal type communication. Loneliness is real and no one should have to suffer without relationship. Would you like to be matched with someone? [Sign up here](#).

introduction to nfp

The DOC has virtual and in-person NFP Introductory Sessions scheduled during February for all those interested.

- Two online sessions: February 11 (Thurs) 7PM - lexiesawonik@gmail.com and NaProNurse@aol.com and February 25 (Thurs) 6:30PM - janellenapro@gmail.com.
- In person session will be held on February 17 (Wed) 6:30 PM at St Joseph Catholic Church in Columbia. Registration required. Email naprogal@gmail.com.

Please contact Nancy McGrath at nmcgrath@charlestdiocese.org for more information!

join our online rosary group family

When so much shutdown around us in March, we built online communities. One of those communities continues to thrive - our virtual rosary group. They meet at 7p 5 days a week (Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday). Judy M, participant, shared why she loves it:

"The Rosary Group at Prince of Peace started during the first part of the shutdown during the COVID-19 pandemic, as an online prayer group. It continued through the months and I really appreciate that I can #pray with other people from my parish, in an informal, online setting. It is sort of like we are visiting one another briefly to pray and catch up. The prayer group is both structured and unstructured. Since we are meeting at a set time, that provides a bit of predictability during unpredictable times. We are praying the rosary together as so many people have done through the years. Being able to talk and discuss our intentions, that is something that makes this ministry personal and friendly. I have made new friends and grown in my faith. This online prayer group is a place to share concerns, receive encouragement and give support to others by praying together. I am grateful for the Rosary Group at Prince of Peace."

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