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

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**Our Mission**

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



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**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,

When I was discerning my vocation, I spent a bit of time at several communities of men religious whose life inspired me, but my vocation was to diocesan priesthood. During college, I was attracted by the life of canons regular, who followed the Rule of St Augustine and were priests who lived in communities and lived a mixed active and contemplative lifestyle. The Norbertine Canons of St Michael Abbey in Orange, California, accepted me to their Third Order, and their spirituality has marked me ever since. The Canons of St John Cantius in Chicago have a glorious church where the liturgy is perhaps the most splendid this side of the Atlantic. After college, I tried my vocation at a Benedictine house which was new in Rome, but is now a flourishing community in Norcia, the birthplace of St Benedict, whose Rule guides numerous men's communities. Towards the end of my time there, I went on retreat at the Abbey of Ste Madeleine in Le Barroux, France. As monastic life in France disintegrated in some places after Vatican II, the indomitable Dom Gerard Calvet went to a cave to pray in Provence and ended up renewing traditional Benedictine monasticism in our time.

The Abbey of Le Barroux was built by Jean-Louis Pagès and consecrated shortly before my visit in 1999. Pagès was born in Morocco in 1933 as the son of a foreign service officer. He grew up traveling around North Africa and the Middle East, but one of the most important influences in his life was his uncle, who was a monk at Hautecombe. This remarkably prolific architect understood how architecture is a vehicle for the sacred. In an age when ugly brutalist buildings were being erected even for churches and religious houses, Le Barroux was a breath of fresh air. His latest project, at the age of 90, is a new monastery and church for the Norbertines in Orange, which means that the glories of French Neo-Romanesque monastic architecture in our time have reached the Pacific shores. I can't wait to see it with my own eyes soon and very soon!

The Norbertines and the Benedictines hold a special place in my heart, as do the Carmelites I mentioned in last week's bulletin column. Who knows if there are any young men and women in our parish who have these beautiful vocations? I think that it is good even, and especially, for laypeople to visit these amazing places and have a spiritual relationship with these vibrant religious communities.

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





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

# Parish Calendar

Fr Christopher Smith - FCS Ordinary Form -OF Extraordinary Form -EF



**sunday, 23 may**

pentecost  
(OF year B & EF)



8a Mass Gary & Brenda Weekley-L (FCS)  
9.15a Masked Liturgy of the Word in PAC  
10a Mass Bulletin Ad Sponsors (FCS)  
12p EF Mass For the People of the Parish (FRT)  
5p Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament

9a choir  
3p altar server training  
7p CYO  
7p men's basketball pac  
7p rosary online ([details](#))

**monday, 24 may**

the blessed virgin mary, mother of  
the church (OF)  
pentecost monday (EF)

No Mass

10.30a svdp pope francis house  
6.30p boy scouts pac  
6.30p legion of mary kofc bldg  
7p rosary online ([details](#))

**tuesday, 25 may**

sts bede the venerable, gregory VII &  
mary Magdalene de pazzi (OF)  
pentecost tuesday (EF)

6p Mass Emily Lapinski-L (FCS)

6.30p *confession*  
7p men's bible study lourdes hall  
7p rosary online ([details](#))

**wednesday, 26 may**

st philip neri (OF)  
ember wednesday in the octave  
of pentecost (EF)

8.30a Mass Chuck Eaton+(FCS)



4p & 6p choir  
7p pop women's group study ([link](#))

**thursday, 27 may**

st augustine of canterbury (OF)  
pentecost thursday (EF)

7a Mass Kathie Martin-L (FCS)

10a cursillo kofc bldg.  
6p volleyball pac  
7p rosary online ([details](#))

**friday, 28 may**

weekday (OF)  
ember friday in the octave of  
pentecost (EF)

12p EF Mass Chuck Eaton+(FCS)

7p rosary online ([details](#))

**saturday, 29 may**

st paul VI (OF)  
ember saturday in the octave of Pente-  
cost (EF)

5p Mass Robert Ashworth,III+(FCS)

**sunday, 30 may**

the most holy trinity  
(OF year B & EF)



8a Mass John Patrick Cogan+(FCS)  
9.15a Masked Liturgy of the Word in PAC  
10a Mass Deceased Simmons/McCullen families (FCS)  
12p EF Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS)  
5p Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament

3.30-4.40p *confession*  
6p mass setup pac ([volunteer here](#))

7p CYO  
7p basketball pac  
7p rosary online ([details](#))

**prayer requests**

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, Jackie Andrejack, Dcn Bob Smith, Lois Smith, Christy Smith, Shannon Harkins, Gloria Dussich, Rose Schillaci, Kristina Murphy, Laurie Taylor, Carl Jones, Luigina & John Warga, Mary Jean Heap, Rita Herd, Marlene C. Eugenia Kolinko, Emily Stapinski, Susan Subrizi, Ed Case, Lee Mobley, Stella Boris, Terri Arkins, Rosemary Craig, Janine Moore, Jean Casey, Thomas Dorsey, Jennifer Gregory, Jennifer Pfaffl, Kevin Curtis, Ray Lopez, Peter McPherson, Lola Hartman, Frank Cespedes, Bob Haden, Kayla Whatley & Joe Valitchka

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.



# Happenings & Needs

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## homebound ministry

If you are homebound and wish to receive Holy Communion, please contact Deacon Mark at [mark.thompson@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto: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](mailto: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.

## correction

Please excuse the typo in spelling the groom's name in last weekend's bulletin celebrating the wedding of Ashley Ammons & Summer Schreiber.

## available sewing items (free)

Contact Kay Steadman if you'd like to receive sewing items (material & interfacing) at 571.344.3447.

## perpetual eucharistic adoration

"It is the LORD." John 21:7

Please consider adopting an hour or become a substitute. Contact Lisa Buss at 864.508.7123 or [adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org) with questions!

- Adorers are reminded to receive the code directly from Lisa Buss.
- **Hours in need of adorers:**
  - 12p Sundays; 12a & 12p Mondays; 12p Wednesdays; 6a co-adorer Thursdays, 2p co-adorer Saturdays

## baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their children must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Thursday, 10 June at 6.30p through Zoom (virtually). Please contact Deacon Gus for details at 864.

420.0497 [baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

⇒ Baptisms cannot be scheduled until the class is completed.

⇒ Only Deacon Gus can schedule Baptisms.

## bulletin sponsors needed

Now is the time to call Andy Gillhouse, Diocesan Publications, to become a bulletin advertiser. Our advertisers allow us to publish the bulletin at no cost to the parish. Reach out to Andy at 407.701.8618 or [agillhouse@diocesan.com](mailto:agillhouse@diocesan.com) to learn more.



## Prayerfully consider donating the following:



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M/M Bolivar Santos



bread & wine \$20

donated by:

M/M Jason Hackett

for: M/M James Condon &

M/M Bolivar Santos



music \$300

donated by:

anonymous

in honor of the marriage of: John & Angela Hartwell

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## celebrating our graduates

If you are a senior of Prince of Peace graduating from High School or College, we would love to congratulate you! Please provide us with your name & school/college from which you are graduating from **by 30 May** to [bulletinsubmissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:bulletinsubmissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

## latin mass community emails

Please email Tracey Mershon to be added to the distribution list for Latin Mass Community announcements at [traceymershon63@gmail.com](mailto:traceymershon63@gmail.com).

## open enrollment for our parish school

**Which school in the Diocese has the highest MAP scores?** Prince of Peace Catholic School!

POPCS students scored higher than all Greenville County public schools on MAP testing, too.

Please schedule a tour of the parish school with Liz Burgdorf at 864-331-2145.

## vocations prayer after EF mass

The mothers of Prince of Peace gather every Sunday after the 12n EF Mass to pray that the Lord will raise up priests and religious sisters from their children.

The tiny village of Lu gave 323 priests and nuns to the Church after their pastor, Msgr Alessandro Canora, gathered the moms to offer their Communion every First Sunday and Adoration every Thursday! May He hear our prayers too!

## men's bible study

Men's Bible Study meets on Tuesdays from 7-8p in Guadalupe Hall (The Middle School). They are just starting a study by St Ignatius on Book of Matthew. It's a great time to get involved! Questions? Contact Deacon Michael Thompson at 864.365.6178.

## welcome new parishioners

Join us in welcoming the newest members of our parish family: Anthony & Art Okoro; Michael & Jessica Williams and family; and James Gohn.

## permanent volunteer positions in parish office

Would you be willing to serve as a permanent volunteer receptionist in the parish office? The following hours of a full time volunteer position have not been adopted, yet:

Tuesdays 2-4p  
Wednesday 2-4p  
Thursday 2-4p

Volunteers would need to be available on a consistent, weekly and reliable basis. Please contact Maria Rauch to make a commitment today!

## totus tuus—vacation bible school

Our wildly successful Vacation Bible School, Totus Tuus, will return again, 11-16 July 2021!



- ⇒ registration is now open—forms available by emailing Maria Barontini or stopping by her office
- ⇒ \$35 per child (\$80 maximum per family)
- ⇒ grade school students (ENTERING grades 1-6) will meet Monday-Friday 9a-2:30p (students need to bring lunch daily) and our youth program (grades 7-12) meets Sunday-Thursday 7-9p.
- ⇒ due to COVID each grade 1st-6th will be limited to 12 students maximum.

**What makes Totus Tuus special?** The Totus Tuus program was developed by Catholics and teaches the Catholic faith. Totus Tuus is run by a team of enthusiastic, college-age adults who are on fire for our faith. The Totus Tuus program follows a 6-year curriculum cycle. So even if you came last year, or three years ago, the material is going to be different. Not to mention, the team changes each year so the leaders will have a totally fresh perspective.

- ⇒ We need 1 host family for our female team members, dinner host families, and adult volunteers for each grade level. Please email Maria Barontini!





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## get to know the knights of columbus 9184

Men: Join the Knights of Columbus in Prayer and Catholic Fraternity Thursday nights at 7.30p outside our building that is next to the Parish Activity Center and Pope Francis House). Call or text our Grand Knight John Olson at 354-5680 with questions.



St. Joseph, pray for us. Blessed McGivney, pray for us.

## here are the ways to continue giving to pop

Electronic giving is a convenient way to make contributions. [Donate online](#) in our [tithe.ly](#) system - set-up 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.*

## job openings

Prince of Peace Catholic Church & School is accepting applications for:

- Full time Music Teacher and Pastoral Associate for Children's Music beginning 1 July. [Learn more.](#)

Please send a cover letter, resume, and three letters of recommendation to Fr Christopher Smith at [frsmith@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:frsmith@princeofpeacetaylors.org), with cc's to [alan.reed@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:alan.reed@princeofpeacetaylors.org) and [principal@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:principal@princeofpeacetaylors.org).

## parish emails

Did you know we send out emails, sometimes with time sensitive information not found elsewhere? Be sure you're signed up to receive important messages and white list our address so it doesn't get lost in your SPAM.

- [Sign up here](#) for the parish master list
- white list the domain [@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

## congratulations to our confirmands!



# Free Academic Summer Camp

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FREE academic summer camp open to the public at our parish school



Prince of Peace is thrilled to offer a summer academic and enrichment camp for all rising K5 through 8th grade students (including those not enrolled at the parish school)! This camp experience is the first of its kind at Prince of Peace and we will target math and literacy skills to shore up learning loss due to the limitations placed on teaching and learning during the pandemic. This could be a tremendous support for students and help prepare them to start the 2021-2022 school year with heightened academic confidence.

The academic program is driven from Catapult Learning's [Summer Journey Program](#) that combines

Achieve Literacy and Mathematics, as well as curricula from Prince of Peace. The enrichment programming is STEM Robotics driven from the Engineering Design Process. Ultimately, the experience would balance academic enrichment and learning with fun and engaging activities.

**What are the dates for the camp?** June 28th through July 29th (we have built in a "break" in the camp from July 12th through the 19th to allow families to participate in Totus Tuus, Vacation Bible School).

**What are the days/hours for the camp?** The camp is scheduled for 9a to 12n each day, Monday through Thursday for each week of the camp. The schedule will include 1 hour of mathematics, 1 hour of literacy and 1 hour of enrichment (STEM Robotics)

**What is the cost of the camp?** As a result of the EANS (Emergency Assistance for Non-Public Schools) funding, we are able to offer this academic camp **FREE OF CHARGE**. The only cost for the camp is a fee for a POPCS summer camp tee shirt. Comparable camps in the Greenville area are asking \$150 to \$300 per week, so this is an amazing opportunity for the community!

**Who are the teachers?** Qualified teachers from Catapult Learning will be leading the sessions. Some of our very own POPCS teachers may participate as well!

**What are the class sizes?** Class sizes are limited to 10 students for each group with four classes currently being offered. Students will be grouped in the following manner:

Group 1: K5-1st

Group 2: 2nd-3rd

Group 3: 4th-5th

Group 4: Middle School.

**How do we register for the camp?** Registration will be first come, first served. A waiting list will be established once a group has been filled and, if there is enough demand, we will be able to add additional groups. It is our hope to provide the camp experience for all who would like to attend. We do ask that you only register if you are able to commit to the dates the camp is offered. Click [HERE](#) to register for the 2021 Prince of Peace of Peace Academic Summer Camp. Questions? Contact the parish school at 864.331.3921.

**How do I purchase my required camp t-shirt?** [Click here.](#)

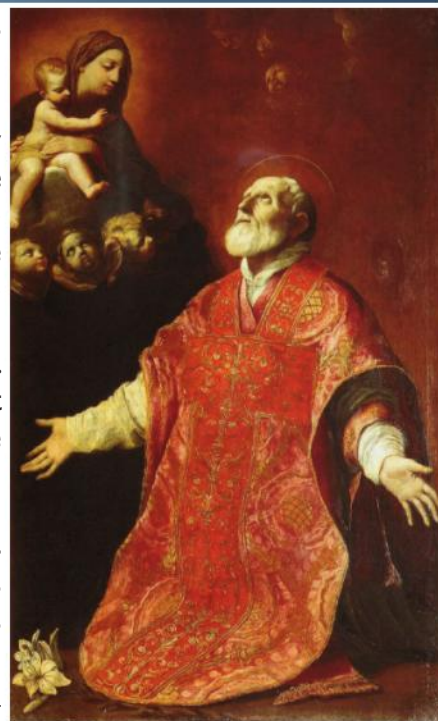




# Celebrating the Liturgical Life of the Church

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**26 May: Feast of Saint Philip Neri.** Born in 1515, Philip Neri gave up material wealth at the age of 17 and chose to serve God instead of a career in business. He went to Rome and studied philosophy and theology until he thought his studies were interfering with his prayer life. He then threw away his books. After dark he would go to the catacombs to pray. One night, he felt a globe of light enter his mouth and sink into his heart. This gave him so much energy to serve God that he went out to work at the hospital of the incurables and starting speaking about God to everyone from beggars to bankers. Philip found the city of Rome suffering great spiritual deterioration due to ill effects of the Renaissance. Philip committed to re-evangelize Rome. He began with the youth. Philip did pilgrimages for children to keep them out of trouble. He took them to the seven churches of the city, talking all the way and opening their hearts with his joyful spirit. (The practice of pilgrimage to the seven churches is still followed, especially on Holy Thursday.) Philip also reached out to businessmen, giving talks on theology and religion, followed by prayers. These gatherings grew in great numbers. After his ordination into the priesthood, Philip remained a champion of the Faith. He instituted the devotion known as Forty Hours, in which the Blessed Sacrament is exposed for 40 hours while continuous prayer is made. He established a group of priests, the Oratorians. St. Philip was known for his burning love of God.



So ardently did this fire of divine love affect him that once during Pentecost the beating of his heart broke two ribs. It was a wound that never healed. For years, Philip worked tirelessly in Rome. He revived the practice of frequent Holy Communion. He promoted frequent confession, himself spending hours a day in the confessional. As a confessor he was in great demand; among his penitents was St. Ignatius. Philip made himself available to everyone at any hour, even at night. He said: "They can chop wood on my back so long as they do not sin." Humility was the virtue he most tried to teach others and to learn himself. When one man asked if he could wear a hair shirt, Philip said yes - if he wore the hair shirt outside his clothes! The man obeyed and found humility in the jokes he received. There are stories of Philip himself wearing ridiculous clothes or walking around with half his beard shaved off. The greater his reputation for holiness the sillier he would be for the sake of humility. On the Feast of Corpus Christi in 1595, Philip's doctor told him his health was poor. Philip realized it was his time to go to God. The rest of the day, he listened to confessions as normal. Before heading to bed, Philip stated, "Last of all, we must die." That night, Philip suffered a heart attack and died. Four years later, his body was exposed and found in good condition. It was moved to the new Oratorian Church, Chiesa Nuova, where it rests today. He was beatified by Pope Paul V in 1615. In 1622, Pope Gregory XV canonized St. Philip Neri with the title "The Apostle of Rome." He is the patron saint of Rome, United States Army Special Forces, humor and joy.

"Cheerfulness strengthens the heart and makes us persevere in a good life. Therefore the servant of God ought always to be in good spirits." - St. Philip Neri

## Ideas for celebrating this feast at home:

- [Click here](#) to read quotes from St. Philip; print one to hang on your wall.
- Download a St. Philip Neri activity for kids [here](#).
- St. Philip Neri was known for his sense of humor. Today, try to laugh at yourself when something annoying happens. Try to make someone else happy with your cheerful disposition or loving act of service. Tell jokes and share smiles around the dinner table.
- St. Philip's favorite feast was Corpus Christi: make a visit to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.



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An Extraordinary Parish for Ordinary People

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**Submit your announcements 2 weeks prior to the desired bulletin date to [bulletin submissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:bulletin submissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org)**



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## summer camps 2021

- **Academic STEAM Camp** (see pg 7)
- **Totus Tuus Vacation Bible School** (see pg 5)
- **Archery Camp** will be 21-25 June from 9a-11.30a each day for rising 4th grade-9th grade students of the school or parish. Learn the basics of the National Archery in Schools Program sponsored by the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources. The cost is \$85 for the 1st child. And, in families with multiple children, \$75 for the 2nd child, and \$65 for 3rd child+. Limit 12 in the camp (first come, first served paid & completed registration). Until further notice by the Diocese of Charleston, COVID protocols will be followed. [Email Coach Moreau](#) or pick up the forms in the school office. Deadline 28 May.
- **Art Camp with Marilyn Alber** is a great way for kids entering 1st-8th grade to kick off summer and be creative. Choose between week 1 (14-18 June) and/or week 2 (21-25 June). Classes are held for 2 hours each day Monday-Friday in the Media & Art Bldg. The cost of a 1-week session is \$160, materials provided. The registration deadline is Friday, 28 May. No refunds are given after 1 June. Forms are available at the school office. For additional information, contact [mmalber@att.net](mailto:mmalber@att.net).
- **Dribble for Destiny Summer Basketball Camp** is for ages 6-13 boys and girls. It will be held 9a-12p on Tuesday, 6 July—Friday, 9 July. Camp includes ball dribbling, passing, shooting, ball handling, daily contests, daily devotions, video, snack and full court play round out each days activities. The Awards Ceremony is on 9 July @ 11a. The cost is \$119 and includes a t-shirt OR ball. Registration forms are available in the parish office or [online](#). Maximum of 50 athletes.
- **Soccer Camp** a small sided game “camp” each Thursday from 17 June 17- 15 July, with a rain make-up day on July 22. The camp will be from 6:30p-8p each week on the field behind the school. This will be games of 3 v 3 or 4 v 4 and will encourage kids to have fun, keep in contact with friends or make new ones, and practice their soccer skills. Contact Nathan Barontini at [nathan.barontini@princeofpeacecatholicsschool.org](mailto:nathan.barontini@princeofpeacecatholicsschool.org) for details. Cost \$50 for 5 sessions. No refunds.

## congrats & prayers for catherine mershon

Catherine Mershon, daughter of long time parishioners Brian and Tracey Mershon and 2019 graduate of Wyoming Catholic College, will be traveling to Trumau, Austria in the fall to pursue her Master of Sacred Theology at the International Theological Institute. This degree has dual recognition as a Master's in Theology and a canonical baccalaureate in theology (STB) and is a two year program. The program of studies focuses on Scripture and the Fathers and Doctors of the Church in both the eastern and western theological traditions. But more importantly, the community at the ITI has a rich liturgical life, without which no true study of God can be accomplished. Please keep her in your prayers as she travels internationally and begins this new adventure in education.

## join the 7 sisters apostolate

Women of the parish are invited to join the 7 Sisters Apostolate, a group of women dedicated to offering a holy hour one day a week to pray specifically for Fr Smith and Fr Tomlinson and their intentions. Each group is 7 women strong and take 1 day a week in prayer for all week coverage. The apostolate meets once a year to recite a Commitment Prayer on the Feast of the Sacred Heart. The year typically runs from June—July. Learn more by speaking with Donna Kelly at [donnarosekelly@gmail.com](mailto:donnarosekelly@gmail.com) or by phone 864.268.4722. [Read this link for FAQs.](#)

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