

A Parish Family of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charleston Most Revd Robert Guglielmone, Bishop 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 Deacon Gus

An Extraordinary Parish for Ordinary People

Dear Friends in Christ,

"She could never be a saint, but she thought she could be a martyr if they killed her quick." Flannery O'Connor, A Good Man is Hard to Find and Other Stories.

This week we celebrate the feast day of St. Thomas More, the brilliant English lawyer and scholar, who rose to become Henry VIII's chancellor, only to be executed for his unwillingness to recognize the King's unlawful marriage to Anne Boleyn and the King's claim to be the head of the English Church. With good reason, More is lauded for his glorious martyrdom, where he was beheaded after declaring that he was "the King's good servant, but God's first." There is something oddly romantic about the idea of martyrdom. I suspect that many of us like to think that we, like our spiritual forefathers, would be ready and willing to die for the Faith in one last blaze of glory. But the truth of the matter is that most of us, God-willing, will never be called to be saints through a red martyrdom. For the vast majority of us, our path to sainthood does not lead to a coliseum or gallows, but rather meanders through the ordinary and familiar confines of our homes, workplaces, and parish. And herein lies the beauty and appeal of Thomas More's life. Although More was a martyr, his life makes clear that he became a saint not so much on the executioner's block on Tower Hill, but within the brick walls of his Chelsea home.

More's home life was wonderfully busy and messy. More's two marriages (his first wife died early in life), while happy, had their share of hardships. More was an affectionate father, but with four children, two foster children, and at times, a pet monkey, his home was unsurprisingly loud and lively. At a time when women were not educated, More provided all of his children a classical education at home. Additionally, More's house was frequently filled with friends that he would entertain—sometimes too long for the taste of his wife.

It was in this extraordinarily ordinary environment that More developed the virtues that would make him into a saint. He cultivated a deep prayer life, attending Mass daily and regularly praying the Divine Office and litanies. He meditated on his faith, writing beautiful reflections and treatises. He engaged in frequent acts of charity and penance, including fasting and other ascetic practices. All of these things, however, did not create a dour personality; rather he seemed to radiate mirth and joy, according to his good friend, the philosopher Erasmus. It was the virtues that he developed and graces that he received in the most common of places that prepared More for his imprisonment and martyrdom and made him into the Saint he was. In the same way, we should pursue our salvation in the world we live in, not in a world of our imagining.

May St. Thomas More help us to find our own roadway to sainthood, whether it be through our messy family rooms or cramped home offices. St. Thomas More, pray for us!

In Christ,

Deacon Gus Suárez

Our Map—A Smoke, Vape & Tobacco Free Campus



- I 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 Ordinary Form =OF Extraordinary Form =EF				
sunday, 20 june 12th sunday in ordinary time (OF year B) 4th sunday after pentecost (EF)	monday, 21 june st aloysius gonzaga (OF & EF)	tuesday, 22 june sts john fisher & thomas more (OF) st paulinus of nola (OF & EF)		
8a Mass Ed Rauch (FCS) 10a Mass Fred Adams+(FCS)*livestreamed in PAC with distribution of holy communion (masked & socially distanced) 12p EF Mass Johnny Blackwelder+(FCS)	8a Lauds (Morning Prayer)	6p Mass Ashley Woodard+		
7p basketball pac 7p rosary online (<u>details</u>)	10.30a svdp pope francis house 6.30p boy scouts pac 6.30p legion of mary kofc bldg 7p rosary online (details)	10a marian servants kofc bldg 6.30p confession 7p rosary online (details)		
wednesday, 23 june weekday (OF) vigil of the nativity of st john the baptist (EF)	thursday, 24 june nativity of st john the baptist (OF & EF)	friday, 25 june weekday (OF) st william (EF)		
8.30a Mass June Ann Fabio+	7a Mass Richard Lyman+ 8a Lauds (Morning Prayer) 12p EF Mass Larry Stember+(FRT)	12p EF Mass William Mershon-L (FRT) 5.30p Vespers (Evening Prayer)		
7p pop women's group lourdes hall	6p soccer camp 7p kofc kofc bldg. 7p rosary online (<u>details</u>)	7p rosary online (<u>details</u>)		
saturday, 26 june weekday (OF) sts john & paul (EF)	sunday, 27 june 13th sunday in ordinary time (OF year B) 5th sunday after pentecost (EF)	prayer requests All those serving our country, Gena Cunning- ham, Julie Mallory, Bridgitte Gunnells, Wrenn		
9a EF St Josemaria Escriva Feast Day Mass Michael McGrady+(FRT) 5p Mass Thomas Allgaier+(FRT) Domesic Charth Laberton Opportunity	8a Mass Carol Mullman+(FRT) 10a Mass Mary Jean Heap-L (FRT) livestreamed in PAC with distribution of holy communion (masked & socially distanced) 12p EF Mass Isabel Kilian-L (FRT)	Calcutt, Jim Bannister, Stephen Wiltberger, Lillie Nesbitt, Kevin Stainton, Doris Pratt, Sarah Williams, Kenneth Price, Jackie Andre- jack, Dcn Bob Smith, Lois Smith, Christy Smith, Shannon Harkins, Gloria Dussich, Rose Schillaci, Kristina Murphy, Laurie Taylor, Carl		
10a josemaria reception 1p soh grounds & kofc bldg 3.30-4.40p confession 6p setup pac (volunteer here)	7p basketball pac 7p rosary online (<u>details</u>)	Jones, Luigina Warga, Mary Jean Heap, Rita Herd, Marlene C. Eugenia Kolinko, Emily Sta- pinski, 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,		
Please contact the Parish Office to reque We will leave names on the prayer list fo		Frank Cespedes, Bob Haden, Kayla Whatley, Joe Valitchka, James Craig, Maria Barontini's Mom		



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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 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.

weekly children's holy hour

Every Thursday between 10-11a, all parents are invited to bring their children to the Adoration Chapel. In this hour, it is understood that there will be some noise in the Chapel. Contact Adrienne Haverland at jahaverland@gmail.com with questions.

help needed: ushers and greeters

Greeters and usher are greatly needed across all Mass times! This need is especially urgent over the summer. Contact Marco De Maria at 864.631.7713 or at mad4jen@msn.com to discuss how you can help with this important ministry.

perpetual eucharistic adoration

"Gaze upon Him, consider Him, contemplate Him, as you desire to imitate Him." – St. Clare of Assisi 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 & 7p Sundays; 12a & 12p Mondays;
 12p Wednesdays; 5p Thursdays; 2p Saturdays

baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their children must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Thursday, 8 July 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.

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 to learn more.



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flowers \$220



bread & wine \$20 donated by: Harry & Dorothy Goldmann & Family in memory of: Nuala Yaccarino & Family



music \$300

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celebrating our graduates

Congratulations to our parish graduates, including:

- Aubrey Belanger
- Kya Bielecki
- Marcus Green
- Andrew Madden
- Matthew Austin McGuirt
- Katherine Anne Sokol
- Nathan Steves
- Helena Rosa

latin mass community emails

Please email Tracey Mershon to be added to the distribution list for Latin Mass Community announcements at 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 I2n 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 resumes 17 August and will study the Book of Matthew! Questions? Contact Deacon Michael Thompson at 864.365.6178.

welcome new parishioners

Join us in welcoming the newest members of our parish family: Shane & Andrea Barrett and family; Jamie Shorey & family; and Anne Gill

totus tuus, vacation bible school

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



⇒ the grade school program is full & closed; our youth program (grades 7-12) meets Sunday-Thursday 7-9p.

For a successful program, we need:

- donations of snack foods
- and adult volunteers for each grade level.

Please email Maria Barontini to help in any way.

may report: st vincent depaul society

The St Vincent De Paul Society at Prince of Peace accepts contributions by <u>EFT</u>. Please make checks out directly to SVDP and NOT Prince of Peace. May financials:

	May		
SVDP Donations	2021	2020	Increase / (Decrease)
Month	6730	11651	-\$4,921
Year-to-Date	\$40,852	43435	(\$2,584)

may report: parish financials

Electronic giving is a convenient way to make contributions. **Donate online** in our <u>tithe.ly</u> system - setup EFT, one-time donation or recurring donation. Manage your giving with ease by <u>downloading the tithe.ly app</u> 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.

Thank you for your generosity across May:

	As of May 31, 2021					
Offertory	Actual		Budget		Surplus / (Deficit)	
Month	\$	123,502	\$	120,000	\$3,502	
Year-To-Date	\$	1,327,382	\$	1,342,000	(\$14,618)	



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get to know the knights of columbus 9184

St. Joseph, pray for us. Our
Brothers in Christ, on this Father's Day we want to share our appreciation for what you do through your important vocation for your family, the parish and community. Join us Thursday nights at 7:30 to pray the Rosary, men's conversation and food. Call or text our Grand Knight John Olson at 354-5680 with questions. Blessed McGivney, pray for us.

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

endow women's study meets wednesdays

Join our women's group on Wednesdays at 7p to dive into a new Endow study on St. Teresa of Avila called *Teacher of Prayer*. The group meets in the main school building, Lourdes Hall.

To purchase the book, go to this link. The first chapter is free and will take several weeks to cover. At the heart of this study is the passionate, unrelenting love of St. Teresa of Avila, the famous I 6th century Spanish nun who became the first female Doctor of the Church. With her feminine heart and deep spiritual wisdom, St. Teresa helps us embark on the spiritual journey that takes place within our souls. She guides us through what she coined "The Interior Castle," where Christ abides in the center of our being. Her profound insight, conveyed in this study, leads us to a deepened relationship with Jesus, which empowers us to become pioneers like St. Teresa of Avila, forging our way with love through the new, exciting, and often challenging frontiers we face in life.

meet Melissa & her son Noah

Melissa and Noah (age 6) are native Greenvillians. Melissa owns and operates a photography business, Focus Photography by MP, as well as working as the Marketing & Continuing Education Coordinator for Upstate Vet, Emergency and Specialty Care! And, Noah celebrates all things tractors, cars, reading, Paw Patrol and outdoor related activities! He is a rising 1st grader in our parish school. Noah is a rainbow baby after Melissa suffered a miscarriage and nearly 4 years of fertility struggle.

Melissa was raised in a strong Catholic family with parents who are active at St Mary's Catholic Church. She attended Catholic schools from K4-12th grade (St Mary's & St Joseph's Catholic High School). Across the challenges in Melissa's life, she has been incredibly grateful to have parents who instilled **how** to have a relationship with God.



Most often, you'll find Melissa & Noah at the 5p anticipated Mass on Saturday They switched to POP in 2017 to be involved in the same parish community as Noah's eventual school community. Noah's godparents, Doug & Jamie Wannemacher, had encouraged them to join, too! In their free time, Noah & Melissa explore the Swamp Rabbit Trail, dine at local TR eateries, and visit the local playgrounds and water parks! They love to spend time on the family farm, too. And, as a volunteer, Melissa spends her free time each year raising funds and putting together donation gift baskets for local Law Enforcement Agencies during National Law Enforcement Week (May) to say "thank you."

Would you like to be featured in our parishioner profiles? Contact Kylee at communications@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

WATCH

June 20, 2021

BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT & FIRE

As we celebrate the Nativity of John the Baptist this week, we remember his words: "He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire" (Mt 3:11). Jesus came to baptize us in the Holy Spirit, and the power and grace that comes from baptism in the Holy Spirit changes lives. Explore the meaning of this sacrament in this episode of The Wild Goose!



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TRUE REFORMERS: EPISODE 1 - ST. THOMAS MORE

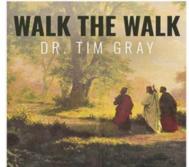


St. John the Baptist was the "forerunner" who preached a baptism of repentance. His nativity reminds us that it is by confessing our sins that we welcome God's mercy, allowing us to begin anew. In this 2-part series, Fr. Daniel Moloney and Taylor Kemp discuss how to make a good

LISTEN

WALK THE WALK: FOLLOWING CHRIST AS HIS DISCIPLE BY DR. TIM GRAY

Being a disciple of Jesus has always been synonymous with being a Christian. From the Scriptures and from his own experience, Dr. Tim Gray explains how Christian discipleship calls us to follow in the footsteps of Christ as engaged participants in God's plan. In doing so, we bear witness to the Lord in our families,



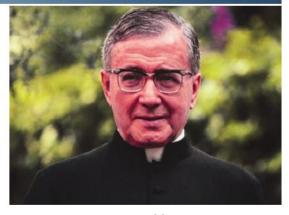


Celebrating the Liturgical Life of the Church

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26 June: Feast of Saint Josemaria Escriva de Balaguer.

St. Josemaria Escriva was born in Barbastro, Spain, in 1902. Of his five siblings, the three youngest died young. His parents, José and Dolores, raised their children to be devout Catholics. His mother taught Josemaria many prayers he would recite his entire life. In 1915, his father's business failed and they had to move to find work. The family struggled to get by. It was as a teenager that Josemaria first sensed his vocation. Moved by the sight of footprints left in the snow by a barefoot friar, he felt God was asking something of him. He thought becoming a priest would help him discover this calling from God. He prayed fervently, "Lord, let me see what you want."



Josemaria's father died in 1924, leaving him as head of the family. He was then ordained in 1925 and began his ministry in a rural parish. In 1927, Fr. Josemaria's bishop gave him permission to move to Madrid to obtain his doctorate in law. In 1928, during a spiritual retreat, Fr. Josemaria saw what it was that God was asking of him: to found Opus Dei, a way of sanctification in daily work and through a Christian's ordinary duties. The name "Opus Dei" is Latin for "Work of God". (Opus Dei's mission is to spread the Christian message that every person is called to holiness in ordinary life; the idea that every honest work can be sanctified.) From then on, Josemaria worked to spread the ministry of Opus Dei, while also continuing his priestly ministry. He was also studying at the University of Madrid and teaching classes in order to support his family. When war broke out in Madrid, religious persecution forced Fr. Josemaria to exercise his priestly ministry secretly. Eventually, he was able to leave via a harrowing escape across the Pyrenees, and took up residence in Burgos. In 1939, he returned to Madrid and finally obtained his doctorate in law. In the years that followed he gave retreats to laity, priests, and religious, and continued working to develop Opus Dei. In 1946 Fr. Josemaria moved to Rome and obtained a doctorate in Theology from the Lateran University. He was appointed by Pope Pius XII as a consultor to two Vatican Congregations, as an honorary member of the Pontifical Academy of Theology, and as an honorary prelate. He traveled frequently, working to grow Opus Dei. In 1974 and 1975, he traveled through Latin America, speaking to people about their Christian vocation to holiness. Msgr. Escriva died suddenly of a heart attack on June 26, 1975. By the time of his death, Opus Dei was in dozens of countries and had touched countless lives. After his death, thousands of people (including more than a third of the world's bishops), sent letters to Rome asking the Pope to open his cause of beatification and canonization. Pope St. John Paul II beatified Msgr. Escriva on May 17, 1992, in St. Peter's Square. The ceremony was attended by 300,000 people. "With supernatural intuition," said the Pope in his homily, "Blessed Josemaria untiringly preached the universal call to holiness and apostolate." Ten years later, on October 6, 2002, John Paul II canonized the founder of Opus Dei in St. Peter's Square before a multitude of people from more than 80 countries, saying, "St. Josemaria was chosen by the Lord to proclaim the universal call to holiness and to indicate that everyday life, its customary activities, are a path towards holiness. It could be said that he was the saint of the ordinary."

Ideas for celebrating this feast at home:

- Read a longer biography of St. Josemaria here.
- Read Pope St. JP II's Apostolic Brief on Josemaria Escriva here.
- Visit this site to find St. Josemaria Escriva's writings.
- See a video about St. Josemaria Escriva here.
- Visit Opus Dei's official US website.
- For a feast day meal, make something Spanish. Often involving rice, Spanish dishes are hearty and satisfying, making them ideal for sharing. Invite family or friends over for a Spanish feast in honor of St. Josemaria! Ideas: Spanish rice, paella, gazpacho soup, Arroz con pollo, Spanish flan, sangria.

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Submit your announcements 2 w	eeks prior to the desired b	oulletin date to bulle	tinsubmissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org		



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summer camps 2021

- Academic STEAM Camp (full)
- Totus Tuus Vacation Bible School (see pg 5, elementary program full)
- Archery Camp (full)
- Art Camp with Marilyn Alber (full)
- 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.
- Come play "pick up" soccer this summer at POPCS. Mr. Barontini will be supervising a series of small-sided soccer games, Thursday nights from June 17 to July 15 (with a rain makeup game on July 22). We will be playing a series of 3 v 3 or 4 v 4 games to have fun, keep in contact with friends or make new ones. Contact nathan.barontini@popcatholicschool.org for details and to register. Your student can attend as many games as he or she wants. Grades: Rising 5th to Rising 8th (boys and girls). Cost: \$50 for 5 sessions. No refunds.
- Stay tuned for a camp offering from Coach Costner

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.

There is a critical need for blood donations in Greenville, especially O positive & O negative.

parish school office hours

During the summer, parish school office hours are:

- Monday-Thursday: 9a-Ip
- Friday: closed

thank you to our knights

Thank you to everyone who joined us for a fantastic donuts & coffee after the 13 June 8a, 10a and 12n Mass. We are grateful to the Knights of Columbus for hosting such a wonderful gathering.



martha ministry

The Martha Ministry responsible for cleaning the Church and Chapel is in need of additional volunteers! Please contact June West at 864.616.8611 to learn more.

pop logo items

If you are seeking POP logo items, look no further:

- POP tshirts, hoodie & long sleeve shirts here
- POP pint glasses, mugs, stationery, mason jar, mask, magnet, sticker and notebook here

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 July. Please <u>sign up</u> here to have the food and drinks ready for delivery. Contact Phillip & Hannah Helm with questions at 805.750.5663 or community.kofc9184@gmail.com.

religious education classes, 2021-22

Religious Education registration forms are now available for 2021-2022 school year. Please register your children in grades K5-8th ASAP—there is an early bird discount available until 24 July 2021. Contact at maria.barontini@princeofpeacetaylors.org to receive a digital copy of the forms OR stop by the Parish House and get a paper copy.

 Religious Education is seeking volunteers to serve in the following capacities: RCIC lead teacher (class for older children in need of First Holy Communion), 3rd grade lead teacher, and substitute RE teachers. Please contact Maria Barontini with questions or to volunteer.



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