

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK IN OUR PARISH

Especially: Becky Armella, , Michael Ned Hannan, Christy Kakassy, Josephine Burley, Erin Burton, Linda Cornelius, “Jo” LeBlanc, Marion McLellan, Brittany Mike Costanzo, Rosalea Donahue, Person, Mary Rogier, John Tiller, and all Maggie Dull, Amber Firestine, those in nursing homes.

MARRIAGE

We are unable to accommodate all of the requests for weddings at Stella Maris. To marry here, at least one party to the marriage should be an active parishioner, regularly attending Mass for one year before asking to schedule a wedding. As Catholics, we believe that God has a plan for marriage. Cohabitation before marriage is not part of God’s plan and decreases the chances of success in maintaining a permanent union. Cohabiting couples should separate and live apart before requesting the Sacrament of Matrimony. More information is available from the parish office regarding guidelines for weddings and parishioner status. Diocesan policy requires at least six months’ notice before setting a wedding date.

SACRAMENTAL POLICY

In order to receive First Holy Communion or Confirmation, students in Grades 2 and 8 must attend TWO FULL YEARS of religious instructions if they are NOT in our Catholic School system. No more than THREE (3) classes can be missed during the year of sacramental preparation.



If anyone wishes to receive Communion and is unable to come to Mass, call Deacon Jason Vaughan at 843-883-3044



BAPTISM

To schedule a Baptism please contact Deacon Jason Vaughan at 843-883-3044.

NURSERY

The nursery in the parish hall is now open on Saturdays 5:00 - 6:30pm, and on Sundays 7:30am - 12:30pm, and at 5:00pm for the 5:30pm Latin Mass.

ROSARY

Please join us every Sunday morning following the 9:30am Mass in the church to pray the Rosary. Everyone is welcome.

REQUIESCANT IN PACE

In the charity of your prayers, please remember Brian Bean and Steve Kramer. Funeral Masses were celebrated for each of them this past week. May they know the glory of God. May their loved ones know the consolations of faith.

32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 6th – 13th

Sat., Nov. 6 th	5:30pm Vigil Mass	×Jacquelyn Rodman Osbourne×
Sun., Nov. 7 th	8:00am Mass (c)	Ints. Michael Burley
	9:30am Mass (c)	For the People
	9:30am Mass (h)	×Steven Juliano×
	11:30am Mass (c)	Ints. Jason Van Meir
Mon., Nov. 8 th	5:30pm Latin Mass	×Bette & Joe Griffith×
	6:30pm Mass	×Lewis Young×
	7:00pm Miraculous Medal Novena	
Tues., Nov. 9 th	8:00am Mass	×Joyce Carolyn Darby×
Wed., Nov. 10 th	8:00am Mass	Ints. Sherry Bloomingburg
Thurs., Nov. 11 th	6:30pm Mass	×Marguerite S. Stith×
Fri., Nov. 12 th	8:00am Mass	Ints. John & Abigail Doud
Sat., Nov. 13 th	4:15 – 5:00pm CONFESSIONS	

TODAY’S SCHEDULE

November 6th – 7th

EX. MIN. HOLY COMMUNION

5:30pm c	Joanne Gilmore
8:00am c	Cathy Burton
9:30am c	Caroline Young
9:30am h	Anthony Stith
11:30am c	Christine & Matt Story

LECTORS

Bill Shoemaker
Miller Shealy
Garen McDowell
Rob Fowler

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

November 13th – 14th

EX. MIN. HOLY COMMUNION

5:30pm c	Diane Brumley
8:00am c	Sandra & Warren Tawes
9:30am c	Caroline Young & Nancy Wiemann
9:30am h	Ann Thompson
11:30am c	Helena Bastian & Joanne Winchester

LECTORS

Paul Heinauer
Marge Leber
Christen Hall
Louis Hems
Coleen Martin

MONEY MATTERS

Last week’s collection amounted to \$15,999.00.

The facilities and services of Stella Maris Parish are available to its active members. This includes use of the Church for Baptisms, Weddings, and other sacramental events and includes parishioner status in our parochial schools. Active membership is determined by three things: being registered in the parish for a sufficient period of time, faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days, and the use of the envelope system in support of the parish. N.B. If you are attending Stella Maris but not receiving envelopes, then you are not registered. Please call the Parish Office for registration information.

Stella Maris

Roman Catholic Church



We welcome all visitors who have come to worship God with us today. And we hope that your visit is safe and enjoyable.



32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
November 7, 2021



1204 Middle Street, P.O. Box 280
Sullivan’s Island, South Carolina 29482

Rev. Msgr. Lawrence B. McNerny, J.C.L.	Pastor
Rev. David F. Michael	Parochial Vicar
Mr. Jason Vaughan, MA, MS	Deacon, Pastoral Associate & D.R.E.
Mr. John Byrnes	School President
Mrs. Susan Splendido	School Principal
Mrs. Ann Thompson, MSW	Registration, Counseling & Activities
Mrs. Elizabeth Bolchoz Sanford	Communications Coordinator
Mr. Huey Waldon	Director of Liturgical Music
Mr. Stephen M. Collins	Associate Musician
Mrs. Winnie Van Meir	Secretary to the Pastor

Parish Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday, 9:00 – 4:00; Friday, 9:00 – Noon

Parish Office	843-883-3108	Fax	843-883-3160
Jason Vaughan	843-883-3044	Ann Thompson	843-607-0135

Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services 843-261-0430
Diocesan Victim Assistance Minister 843-856-0748

St. Vincent De Paul Society Help Line: 843-814-1229

Parish Website: stellamarischurch.org

FORMED WEBSITE: formed.org/register (Access Code: R8ZH23)

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

My dear people,

In Catholic tradition, November is the month of the dead. We began with All Saints' Day on Monday. On Tuesday, we took in the beauty of a Traditional Latin Solemn High Requiem Mass and heard Gabriel Faure's *Requiem*. Our congratulations and thanks go to our choir and musicians for a beautiful rendition. Also, thanks go to all who supported the covered dish supper that followed. In the weeks to come, we will remember our beloved dead, all the souls in Purgatory, and consider our own mortality. Around us, the world of nature seems to be dying, but we confidently expect to see new life come spring, something to pause over and think about.

In recent weeks, a number of you have commented favorably on the fun Mr. Waldon has been having with the pipe organ. Last week (October 31), many people picked up on the Bach Toccata as a postlude. Yes, it's the music heard in *Phantom of the Opera*, very "Halloweenish". On September 11, we remembered the attacks on our country of that date and were uplifted by John Philip Sousa's *Stars and Stripes Forever* presented with registrations that made it sound as if the Marine Band were in the choir loft. I mention this because our **Men's Club meets this Tuesday**. We look forward to a **special program** as we gather in the choir loft at **6:30 P.M.** There, we can learn about pipe organs and what versatile instruments they are, how and why they are different from electronic organs.

We are blessed with many new members. For now, let me just put out a "Save the Date" for our Thanksgiving Day Mass. Instead of the regular 6:30 P.M. Thursday evening Mass, we celebrate a morning Mass which is very popular. Details will follow.

Many of you have kindly inquired about the results of my cataract surgery and lens replacement back in July. Thanks. I am all for it if you need the procedure, but I will warn you now: stock up on bleach and white paint. There are lots of stains and dirty "white" areas I've apparently been missing. And, yes, I really have been buying and using bleach and white paint!

Father McNerny

PARISH NEWS

COME JOIN US FOR ADULT SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

After the long Covid-related break, we have resumed our adult Bible study group. We meet every Sunday morning from 10:30 – 11:20 in the Emmaus classroom in the Parish Hall where we will be studying the Book of Genesis. Classes are informal, inspirational, and allow for as much participation (or little) as participants desire. Join us when you can. Drop-ins are always welcome. Bring your Bible and/or buy the affordable study guide we'll have available. It's a great way to learn more about Sacred Scripture and meet other parishioners. Classes will follow the CCD schedule through the year. Please contact Miller Shealy at mshealy@charlestonlaw.edu for more information, or come by any Sunday to join us.

SAVE THE DATE

Okra Soup and cornbread cooking will occur on both November 16th (Tuesday) and 17th (Wednesday) beginning at 9:00am in the parish hall/kitchen. We will try to supply more soup this year for our hungry parish. You can come to chop and cook from 9:00 – 11:00am, or come a little later to package and sell. We will be selling after each cooking day 2:00 – 4:00pm (until sellout). Any leftover soup will be sold after the masses on **November 20th – 21st**. This is always a lot of fun so please get it on your calendar and join us.

STELLA MARIS WOMEN'S CLUB

History buffs and fellow taphophiles, join us on Saturday, **November 6th**, at 9:30am. Pam Gabriel, author of *"In Good Company"*, will be guiding us on a tour of the St. Lawrence Cemetery. We will meet at "Saffron's" on East Bay Street at 9:30am for coffee and a brief introduction. We will continue from there to the cemetery. Bring a tailgate chair and join us. Men are welcome to come too. Please RSVP to: iopgator@gmail.com

Calling out to all our friends at Stella Maris. The Women's Club is planning a spectacular yard sale for April 30, 2022. In order for this event to be a success we need your gently used items that you are looking to donate to our sale. Start cleaning your attic, garages and storage sheds. Your junk could be someone's treasure! Keep checking the bulletin for more information on this event and drop off days. Should you have questions or want to help contact Patty Fournier at iopgator@gmail.com; Mary Ann Mackey at mackey8@aol.com; or Janine Davis at irishmomtrouble@gmail.com. The proceeds from this event will be donated to the many Catholic charitable organizations we support.

STELLA MARIS MEN'S CLUB

The Stella Maris Men's Club will have their regular monthly meeting Tuesday, **November 9th** in the parish hall. Social hour begins at 6pm. A guided tour of the organ loft will be given at 6:30pm by Music Director Huey Waldon. Dinner will be served at 7pm. All men are encouraged to attend.

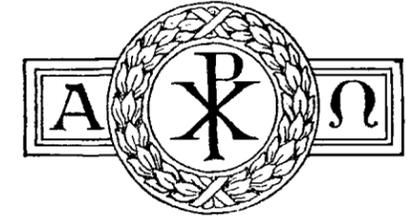
Advent Wreath Sets

Be prepared for Advent 2021 which starts on November 28th. The Mens' Club is offering parishioners Advent wreath rings, candles, and an Advent Prayer with custom pamphlet to prepare The Way of Christ. Your family can decorate the ring and celebrate Advent together this year by picking up your set after Mass during November. Contact Jon Tirpak at 843-480-5784 or jontirpak@att.net for your set today which is valued at \$20.

STELLA MARIS BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE

Ministry Opportunity

The Stella Maris Bereavement Committee provides a ministry to a family whose life has been interrupted and saddened by the loss of a loved one. Help comfort the families of our parish during their loss and in their hour of need by supplying food for the day of the funeral. We are looking for additional members to contribute their service via sign-up (similar to a MealTrain) to bring sides, salads, casseroles, dessert etc., for the family after the service. This is a great service opportunity for the entire family's participation. For more details, please email Sharon Kennelly at shar.kennelly@yahoo.com.



NEWS FROM OTHER SOURCES

NOVEMBER ROSARY AT THE PLANNED PARENTHOOD

The organization, Priests for Life, has called for each Catholic to pray fervently for the closing of their local abortion facility. Please join, Father Gildardo Garcia, Chaplain for the Air Force Base and the Naval Weapons Station, who will lead a pro-life Rosary and prayers from 8:00 – 9:00am, on **Saturday, November 20th**, at the Planned Parenthood Abortion Clinic, 1312 Ashley River Road. Stephen Boyle can be reached at 843-323-8216.

SING, PRAY & LEARN

Parishioners with children ages 0 to 5 are invited to participate in, **Sing, Pray & Learn**, with new parishioner, Ms. Crystal. We will meet outside the parish hall on Saturday, **November 20th from 10-11am**. The class is limited to 15 children. Please call Ann Thompson, 843-883-3108, to register.

EMMAUS RETREAT

Are you willing to put in 48 hours of effort to: become a better husband, father, son, friend and brother? If your answer is yes, then unplug and recharge with a group of men who are local Catholic parishioners like you. The 15th Annual Men's Emmaus Experience will be held at Camp St. Christopher, Seabrook Island on Friday, **February 4th through Sunday, February 6th** from 4pm Friday until 4pm Sunday. For further information contact Bill Kunding 843.789.9170.

NEW YEAR'S RETREAT

Begin the New Year focusing on God's healing, hope, and promise. Join Retreat Master, Fr. John Michalowski, SJ, in "Finding Our Everyday God" in a venue that provides space for both engaging discussion and private reflection. There will be time for Mass, confession, and Adoration. The special price of \$260 per person (double occupancy) includes all meals including a New Year's Eve banquet, two night's lodging, retreat fees, and access to the beautiful grounds Catholic Conference Center in Hickory, NC. Last year sold out, so register now at www.catholicconference.org/new-years. For more information call 828-327-7441 or email info@catholicconference.org.