



# DIVINE REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOL

*Established June 17, 1956*

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Deacon André Guillet  
Emeritus

Deacon Gabriel Cuervo

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## Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 22, 2020

What we've done to the least of our brothers and sisters we've done to Christ. Choose to serve in every instance; listen for a call to serve as a priest, brother, or sister.  
(Matthew 25:31-46)



## The First Sunday of Advent November 29, 2020

At the beginning of Advent, watch and wait; be attentive to the ways in which God comes into your life. Be willing to be surprised.  
(Mark 13:33-37)

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**Church Office Hours**  
Mon, Tues, Thurs, and Fri from 9:00am to 3:00pm  
Closed Wednesdays and Holidays

**School Office Hours**  
Mon-Fri from 7:30am to 3:00pm  
1104 Fort Drive Hanahan  
843.553.1521

## NEWS YOU CAN USE

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:** Saturday 3:30 – 4:30pm in the Church Office. Enter through the side door. Mask are mandatory.

**ADULT EDUCATION:** Temporarily suspended.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):** Contact Jim Baker, 843.509.1581, to discuss conversion to the Catholic Faith. Class has begun.

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION CLASSES:** Contact Deacon André at [aguillet@charlestondiocese.org](mailto:aguillet@charlestondiocese.org) for Marriage Preparation and Tribunal Cases. If you have a child that is in need of the Sacrament of Baptism, contact Jim Baker at [jbakerlex2112@gmail.com](mailto:jbakerlex2112@gmail.com). Baptism class is held by appointment after Sunday Mass.

### Parish Membership

Active members of our parish are identified by their generosity of time, talent and treasure. Stewardship is determined by:

- 1.) Being properly registered (required of everyone who is at least 18 years of age) and has been active in the parish for a minimum of three months;
- 2.) Faithful participation at weekly liturgies;
- 3.) Involvement in at least one ministry, program, activity or organization in the parish;
- 4.) Regular and identifiable financial support of the parish.

These criteria are used to appraise or verify parishioner status for sponsorship, parochial schools, participation in sacramental, educational, pastoral and social ministries, activities and enrichment programs, and use of facilities and services.

## THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS

The church office will be closed for the Thanksgiving Holidays beginning Wednesday, November 25<sup>th</sup>. Mass will celebrate at 7:00am on Thanksgiving Day. The church office will reopen on Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am. Msgr. Hofmann, Deacon André, Deacon Gabe, Deacon Joe and the church office staff would like to wish you and your family a blessed Thanksgiving.



## ADVENT MISSALS

A limited number of missals (that are effective the first Sunday of advent) are available for you in the vestibule. Msgr. asks to please take the book home with you and bring it back each week for Mass.

## ADVENT AT DRC

Msgr. Hofmann will hear confessions on Fridays during Advent. Confessions will be in the church office from 6:30pm until 7:30pm. The church will be open for parishioners to pray during this time.



## DRS EAGLES' NOTES

### #iGIVECATHOLIC

Catholic schools and ministries in the Diocese of Charleston will be participating in #iGiveCatholic on Tuesday, December 1<sup>st</sup> from 12:00 am – 11:59 pm. During this special 24-hour Giving Tuesday event, we will be celebrating our faith and supporting the schools and ministries that help shape our souls. Your gift can make an impact! Please accept this invitation to give thanks and give back. Visit <https://charleston.igivecatholic.org> and search for your favorite school or ministry. Gifts are being accepted during the Advanced Giving phase which runs from November 16<sup>th</sup> – November 30<sup>th</sup> as well as on December 1<sup>st</sup>. For more information, please contact Anne Durney at [adurney@charlestondiocese.org](mailto:adurney@charlestondiocese.org)

## THANKSGIVING DAY HOLIDAY BREAK FOR DRS

DRS and After School Care will be closed beginning Wednesday, November 25<sup>th</sup> for the Thanksgiving Day Holiday. Regular hours will resume on Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup>.

## GRATEFUL, GRATEFUL, GRATEFUL!

Grateful, Grateful, Grateful! Divine Redeemer School is so thankful for your continued support. The parishioners of Divine and Redeemer Church raised \$12,335.00 in our October Wall of Envelopes Fundraiser. This money will go a long way to help up with additional costs brought about by COVID-19.

## AROUND THE DIOCESE

### THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

We meet on the second Tuesday of every month. Our next meeting is scheduled for December 8<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm, in the church office conference room. New members are always welcomed.

### A MINISTRY MOMENT..

Looking for happy, loving, and fulfilling relationships? Just ask us! Visit our website, <http://sccatholic.org/ministry-moment> You will find many resources to help you to navigate through life.

### THE CATHOLIC MISCELLANY

The Catholic Miscellany, the official newspaper of the Diocese of Charleston, is available online at [www.themiscellany.org](http://www.themiscellany.org)

## EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

### BLACK CATHOLIC HISTORY MONTH

November is Black Catholic History Month. Download your complimentary copy, *My Little Black Catholic History Book*. It is available from the Office of Ethnic Ministries. Visit <https://charlestondiocese.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/My-Little-Black-Book-ebook.pdf> for your copy.

## RESPECT FOR LIFE

### SC CITIZENS FOR LIFE

Supported by the Bishop's Annual Appeal, we seek laws to protect pregnant women, unborn children, and the medically vulnerable. Call 803.252.5433 for more information.

### HELPING AREA MOTHERS AND BABIES

Volunteers and donations are always welcomed at Birthright at 843.556.4403 or Lowcountry Pregnancy Center at 843.553.3528. Call to help!

## MASS SCHEDULE/INTENTIONS

*Rosary 30 minutes before Mass*

**Saturday, November 21 – The Presentation of The Blessed Virgin Mary**

5:00 pm Vigil - † All Souls

**Sunday, November 22 - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**

8:00 am – Pro Populo

10:30 am - † All Souls

1:00 pm Spanish Mass - † All Souls

**Monday, November 23 - St. Clement I, Pope and Martyr; St. Columban, Abbott;**

**Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro, Priest and Martyr**

7:00 am -  *All Souls*

**Tuesday, November 24 - St. Andrew Dñng-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs**

7:00 am -  *All Souls*

**Wednesday, November 25 - St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr**

7:00 am -  *All Souls*

**Thursday, November 26 - Thanksgiving Day**

7:00 am -  *All Souls*

**Friday, November 27**

7:00 am -  *All Souls*

**Saturday, November 28 – Blessed Virgin Mary**

5:00 pm Vigil

**Sunday, November 29 – First Sunday of Advent**

8:00 am -  *Carol Eckrich*

10:30 am - *Pro Populo*

1:00 pm Spanish Mass – *Wedding Anniversary of Manuel Sanchez & Anayeli Galan*



**CHRISTMAS FLOWERS**

Please place your donation in the envelope that's provided in your set and drop it in the collection **no later**

**than Monday, December 7<sup>th</sup>.** Don't forget to indicate how you would like your donation listed in the bulletin, i.e., in memory of, in thanksgiving for, in honor of, etc. And remember, **PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY and limit the number of your request to five.** If you give online, you may type your request in the space provided on the website.

**THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY TRAVEL PLANS?**

When you are away, your parish's debts and expenses continue. Your donations are needed to help us fulfill our financial obligations. Please have any missed envelopes caught up. May God bless and keep you safe during the Thanksgiving holiday season.



**CHURCH MINISTRIES NOVEMBER 28 - 29**

If you are not able to serve, please remember to call a substitute.

<b>SATURDAY – Special Arrangements for Church Cleaning.</b> Contact Sacristan, Jim Martin, at 843.572.0943 if church is locked.	
<b>Martha Society Ministry:</b> E. Dela Cruz, S. Asperga, M. Gutierrez-Terario, N. Mora	
<b>SATURDAY – 5:00 pm Vigil Mass</b>	
<b>Lector:</b>	Volunteer Needed
<b>Ushers:</b>	Volunteers Needed
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</b>	Sacred Cup Suspended
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Volunteers Needed

<b>SUNDAY – 8:00 am Mass</b>	
<b>Lector:</b>	Volunteer Needed
<b>Ushers:</b>	Volunteers Needed
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</b>	Sacred Cup Suspended
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Volunteers Needed
<b>SUNDAY – 10:30 am Mass</b>	
<b>Lector:</b>	Volunteer Needed
<b>Ushers:</b>	Volunteers Needed
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</b>	Sacred Cup Suspended
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**SACRIFICIAL GIVING**

*Thank you for your generosity.*

<b>Week of November 7 - 8, 2020</b>	
<b>WEEKLY OFFERTORY WITH ENVELOPES AND ALL NON-DESIGNATED CASH</b>	<b>\$4,318.00</b>
<b>WEEKLY OFFERTORY THRU Online Giving</b>	<b>\$2,092.00</b>
<b>HOLY DAY OFFERTORY</b>	<b>\$148.00</b>
<b>* TOTAL WEEKLY OFFERTORY</b>	<b>\$6,558.00 total</b>

Building Fund Donations for the week of November 7 - 8, 2020 thru Offertory Envelopes and Online Giving is **\$1,142.00.** Thank you for your donation!

**Due to your generosity, a donation of \$196.74 was sent to the Guatemalan Mission.**

The next Diocesan collections will be for **Catholic Campaign for Human Development** (taken up November 21/22). Divine Redeemer Church will send 3% of our Sunday Offertory to the diocese for this purpose in lieu of taking up a second collection. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

**TABERNACLE FLOWERS WERE DONATED:**

In honor of Carol Anna Eckrich from Todd and Pat Eckrich's family the week of November 23<sup>rd</sup>.



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5:00 pm Vigil

**Sunday, November 29 – First Sunday of Advent**

8:00 am -  *Carol Eckrich*

10:30 am - *Pro Populo*

1:00 pm Spanish Mass – *Wedding Anniversary of Manuel Sanchez & Anayeli Galan*

**Monday, November 30 – St. Andrew, Apostle**

7:00 pm – *Remembrance Mass*

**Tuesday, December 1**

7:00 am -  *Norma F. Viduya*

**Wednesday, December 2**

7:00 am -  *Carol Anna Eckrich*

8:00 am – *Ian Tulla*

**Thursday, December 3 – St. Francis Xavier,  
Priest**

7:00 am

**Friday, December 4 – St. John Damascene,  
Priest and Doctor of the Church**

7:00 am - † *Antol Mai*

**Saturday, December 5**

5:00 pm Vigil - † *Charles Hallacy*

**Sunday, December 6 - Second Sunday of  
Advent**

8:00 am – *Pro Populo*

10:30 am

1:00 pm Spanish Mass

**MASS OF REMEMBRANCE**

We will have a Mass of Remembrance on Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. All are invited to attend this special mass to remember those who have gone before us during this past year. Please note there will be not be a 7:00am Mass that day.

**ALWAYS A REASON TO GIVE THANKS!**

- Count your blessings instead of your crosses;
- Counts your gains instead of your losses;
- Count your joys instead of your woes;
- Count your friends instead of your foes;
- Count your smiles instead of your tears;
- Count your courage instead of your fears;
- Count your full years instead of your lean;
- Count your kind deeds instead of your mean;
- Count your health instead of your wealth;
- Count on God instead of yourself!

**“In everything give thanks;  
For this is the Will of God in  
- 1 Thessalonians 5:18**

**Christ Jesus.”**



**CHURCH MINISTRIES DECEMBER 5 - 6**

If you are not able to serve, please remember to call a substitute.

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<b>Martha Society Ministry:</b> L. Cabading, E. Servin, R. Aguayo, A. Johnson	
<b>SATURDAY – 5:00 pm Vigil Mass</b>	
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<b>Ushers:</b>	Volunteers Needed
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<b>Week of November 14 - 15, 2020</b>	
<b>WEEKLY OFFERTORY WITH ENVELOPES AND ALL NON-DESIGNATED CASH</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>WEEKLY OFFERTORY THRU Online Giving</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>HOLY DAY OFFERTORY</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>* TOTAL WEEKLY OFFERTORY</b>	<b>\$0 total</b>

Building Fund Donations for the week of November 14 - 15, 2020 thru Offertory Envelopes and Online Giving is **\$0.00**. Thank you for your donation!

**Online Giving** In order to help cut cost, please consider Online Giving as an option to make a donation to your Parish. Visit [www.divinereedeemerchurch.org](http://www.divinereedeemerchurch.org) and look for the Online Giving button to learn more. The monthly mailings of the Offertory Envelopes will be stopped for those who regularly contribute online. If you contribute online and still want to receive the envelopes, contact the church office. You may call tech support at 1-800-348-2886 and they will be happy to assist you to resolve any problems you may be having with the website. May God bless and keep you safe during this transition.