



DIVINE REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOL

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The Epiphany of The Lord January 3, 2021

The Magi brought gold, frankincense, and myrrh.
What gifts do you have to give? Is God calling you to be
a priest, brother, or sister?
(Matthew 2:1-12)



The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 10, 2021

Speak Lord, your servant is listening. Listening to the Lord
requires silence. Make time each day to be quiet, so that you
can hear God's call.
- 1 Samuel 3:3-10

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@charlestdiocese.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 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.

Church and School Staff:

Peggy Sabback	Church Secretary 843.553.0340
Andrea Gonzales	School Office 843.553.1521 ext. 201
Kathy Wright	DRE 843.572.1290
Lori Wiegel	Safe Environment Coordinator 843.553.1521 ext. 220
Louisa Storen, LISW, LMFT	Diocesan Victim Assistance Minister 843.856.0748
Jim Martin	Sacristan 843.572.0943
Charlie Passarello	Buildings and Grounds 843.744.4604
Karen Provost	Natural Family Planning 843.469.3103

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



CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Divine Redeemer Church office will be closed on Monday, January 18th, in observance of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, January 19th at 9:00am.

TAX LETTERS FOR 2020

In order to help keep cost at a minimum, the church office will mail out tax letters only to parishioners who had donated \$250.00 or more in 2020. If you have a new address or telephone number, we ask that you email any changes to office@divineredeemerchurch.org

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PLEDGE

The Diocese is pleased to share that with your help, Divine Redeemer Church has pledged to date \$255,727.00, which is 61% of our target of \$420,000.00 over the next five years. Our parish will receive 50% of all funds actually raised over our target to help to pay for much needed repairs at the church and school. If you have any questions regarding the Bicentennial Campaign, call Anne Durney at the Diocese at 843.261.0437.

THE BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

The Diocese will begin the collection for The Bishop's Annual Appeal in 2021. Our parish had a one year reprieve from the collection because of the Bicentennial Campaign kickoff. See future bulletins for more information.

PARISH DATABASE UPDATE

With the beginning of the new year upon us, the church office is in the process of updating the Parish Database. Please call the church office if you have not yet signed up for Online Giving or are not receiving monthly offertory envelope mailings. Your contributions are the simplest way to verify regular Mass attendance. And if you are in doubt, please give us a shout and we'll check it out!

LIFE TOUCH PARISH DIRECTORY UPDATE

The church office received sad news regarding the Parish Directory. Due the down turn in business because of the pandemic, the church directory division of Life Touch closed. Visit lifetouch.com to learn how you may still capture precious moments in time at their local studios.



DRS EAGLES' NOTES

DRS RESUMES SCHEDULE

Divine Redeemer Catholic School will resume regular hours on Monday, January 11th.

DRS CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY

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AROUND THE DIOCESE

DID YOU KNOW?

Dr. Mara Calderon, a Licensed Clinical Psychologist, with Catholic Counseling Services provides confidential psychological services in English and Spanish to adults, couples, adolescents (14 and older), and the elderly. Call 843.402.5417 for more information. Most insurances are accepted.

EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

A new year can bring new beginnings. Why not begin with a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend? The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience is on Jan 29-31, 2021 in North Myrtle Beach, SC and Apr 15-May 6, 2021 in VIRTUAL 3RE, SC. To learn more, visit <https://SCMarriageMatters.org>

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.

EVERY LIFE IS WORTH LIVING...

Heavenly Father, thank you for the precious gift of life. Help us to cherish and protect this gift, even in the midst of fear, pain, and suffering. Give us love for all people, especially the most vulnerable, and help us bear witness to the truth that every life is worth living. Grant us the humility to accept help when we are in need, and teach us to be merciful to all. Through our words and actions, may others encounter the outstretched hands of your mercy. We ask this through Christ Our Lord, Amen. – *USCCB 2015-2016 Respect Life Program Pray Card.*

MASS SCHEDULE/INTENTIONS

Rosary 30 minutes before Mass

Saturday, January 2 - Sts. Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops & Doctors

5:00 pm Vigil – *The Penta Family*

Sunday, January 3 - The Epiphany of Our Lord

8:00 am - *Pro Populo*

10:30 am
1:00 pm - Spanish Mass
**Monday, January 4 – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton,
Religious**

7:00 am
**Tuesday, January 5 – St. John Neumann,
Bishop**

7:00 am
**Wednesday, January 6 - St. André Bessette,
Religious**

7:00 am - † *Antol Mai*
**Thursday, January 7 – St. Raymond of Peñafort,
Priest**

7:00 am
Friday, January 8
7:00 am - † *Phero Tran Ky Hao*
Saturday, January 9
5:00 pm Vigil – *The Hallacy Family*
Sunday, January 10 – The Baptism of Our Lord
8:00 am – *Nicanor A. Matutina*
10:30 am - *Pro Populo*
1:00 pm Spanish Mass

CHRISTMAS SEASON MINISTRY

Thank you to all of the volunteers who served as a Lector, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Ushers and Altar Servers for the Christmas Masses, Christmas weekend, and the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God. May God bless you for your ministry.

BUILDINGS, MAINTENANCE & UPKEEP

The 2nd Sunday of each month an envelope is provided in your offering envelopes packet; donations are earmarked for the maintenance of our buildings and property. **The Bishop has granted that the Parish Building Fund be exempt from being classified as a restricted donation and to be non-assessable until November 2021.** And as you can see, with your help, there have been many improvements made to the church and school grounds. Many thanks to all for your continued financial and prayerful support of our parish and school.



NEVER FORGET...

God always provides. Are you His vessel this week or His recipient?

CHURCH MINISTRIES JANUARY 9 - 10

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

SATURDAY – Special Arrangements for Church Cleaning.
Contact Sacristan, Jim Martin, at 843.572.0943
if church is locked.

Martha Society Ministry:

B. de Leon-Lopez, G. Perez-Brigada, B. Gregory

SATURDAY – 5:00 pm Vigil Mass

Lector:

Volunteer Needed

Ushers:	Volunteers Needed
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	Sacred Cup Suspended
Altar Servers:	Volunteers Needed
SUNDAY – 8:00 am Mass	
Lector:	Volunteer Needed
Ushers:	Volunteers Needed
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	Sacred Cup Suspended
Altar Servers:	Volunteers Needed
SUNDAY – 10:30 am Mass	
Lector:	Volunteer Needed
Ushers:	Volunteers Needed
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	Sacred Cup Suspended
Altar Servers:	Volunteers Needed

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Thank you for your generosity.

Week of December 26 - 27, 2020	
WEEKLY OFFERTORY RECEIVED	Totals will be available after the New Year

STAY CONNECTED WITH OTHERS

IN THE NEW YEAR

Have you ever been disappointed to hear too late of the illness or passing of a fellow parishioner? Have you ever wanted to offer prayers for those struggling or celebrate moments of joy? Then consider adding your email to the parish prayer group, DRstandinginthegap@gmail.com! Request prayers for yourself or pray for the requests of others. Answer the call to stand in the gap for God's children! Nancy Davis can be reached at 843.554.6089 for more information



WHEN YOU ARE AWAY...

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 your travels.



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Rosary 30 minutes before Mass

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5:00 pm Vigil – *The Hallacy Family*

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8:00 am – *Nicanor A. Matutina*

10:30 am - *Pro Populo*

1:00 pm Spanish Mass

Monday, January 11

7:00 am

Tuesday, January 12

7:00 am

Wednesday, January 13 - St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

7:00 am -  *Antol Mai*

Thursday, January 14

7:00 am

Friday, January 15

9:00 am -  *Maria Yen Thi Nguyen*

Saturday, January 16 – Blessed Virgin Mary

5:00 pm Vigil

Sunday, January 17 – Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am - *Pro Populo*

10:30 am -  *Giuse Hoang Thin*

1:00 pm - Spanish Mass – *Jeremy Lopez-Colorado*

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HUNGER NEVER TAKES A VACATION...
Some families may have to make difficult choices on how to spend their limited income during this time of the year. If you or someone you know is in need of food or assistance with utilities and/or rent, please have them contact the St. Vincent de Paul Society at 843.727.1820.

Online Giving

In order to help cut cost, please consider Online Giving as an option to make a donation to your Parish. Visit www.divineredeemerchurch.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. All of the envelope categories are available through Online Giving on our website. 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.

Welcome to the following families who registered with our parish during the month of December: **Rabago, Bodiford and Santos-Garcia** We also wish to welcome our newest members of our parish family in faith: **Iridia, Yosigui, Flor, Victor Jesus, and Estrella Natalie Hernandez-Vasquez; Sasha Agustin-Velasco; Mathias Palacios-Zurita; and Rolianni Victoria Perez-Santana** who were baptized during the month of December.



DRC YOUTH GROUP UPDATE

Please watch future bulletins for updates regarding when the DRC Youth Group will begin meeting again. The group is open to 9th grade to college-aged parishioners. Contact Deacon Andre at aguillet@charlestandioocese.org for more information.



TABERNACLE FLOWERS WERE DONATED:

In thanksgiving to Mary “Mother of Jesus”, from Harry and Kim Nguyen’s family for the weekend of January 9/10.

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Ushers:	Volunteers Needed