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Clergy of the Parish

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 FrGray@stjosephcolumbia.org

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November 2, 2014 • All Souls' Day

St. Joseph Catholic Church:

3600 Devine Street, Columbia SC 29205

Parish Office Hours:

Mon. - Fri.: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM & 1:30 - 4:30 PM

Mailing Address:

3512 Devine Street, Columbia SC 29205

St. Joseph Catholic School:

3700 Devine Street, Columbia SC 29205

Phone: 254-6736 • www.stjosdevine.com



Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting or are here for the first time! If you attend St. Joseph's regularly, please stop by the parish office to fill out a registration card.

Community Sunday

All are invited to enjoy refreshments in the lobby of the Rowland Education Building on the second Sunday of each month after all morning Masses.

Active Membership

The Facilities and Services of St. Joseph Church are available to active members. Three points determine active membership:

- Registration in the parish for a sufficient period of time and use of the envelope system in support of the parish;
- Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days;
- Volunteer and participate in Parish activities with time, talent, and resources as means permit.

Special Needs

Special needs and wheelchair seating is available in the front row of the Church. Cars must display a valid handicap sticker to park in the reserved handicap spaces in the Church parking lot.

Bulletin Deadline

Tuesday, 4:30 PM. Include name and phone number of contact person. All announcements must be copy ready.

Protecting Our Children

St. Joseph Church and School and the Diocese of Charleston are committed to the protection of children. The following numbers are provided for your information: Diocesan Victim Assistance Minister: (800) 921-8122; Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services: (843) 853-2130 ext. 209.

Parish Mass Schedule

Masses:

Saturday Vigil..... 5:30 PM
 Sunday 8:15, 10:30 AM, 12:15 PM

Holy Days:

please check bulletin or website

Daily Mass:

Tuesday to Friday 7:30 AM
 Tuesday..... 5:30 PM

School Mass:

Friday (Sept. - May)..... 8:15 AM
all are welcome

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Adoration:

Tuesday..... 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Reconciliation:

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 PM
and by appointment

Baptism: Parents must attend one adult seminar before having their child baptized. This session will be held in the Pastoral Life Center, lower level, at 1:30 PM on the 2nd Sunday of January, March, May, July, September and November. Baptisms will be scheduled approximately two times per month. Call the Religious Education Office at 540-1906 to register or for further information.

Marriage: Those contemplating marriage should contact the priest at least six months in advance of the wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick: Celebrated periodically during the year. Please call the Parish Office to request hospital visits and for individual anointing when anyone is seriously ill or having surgery.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): Individuals interested in becoming full members of the Catholic community participate in a process of Christian Initiation. Call the Religious Education Office at 540-1906 or e-mail stjosedre@aol.com for more information.

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Annual Budget 1,320,000.00
YTD Actual 378,684.48

Weekly Offering

Budget 25,384.62
Received: 10-26-14 21,083.30

On the Feast of All Souls we pray for those who have gone before us and stand in judgment before God. May we share with one another the treasure of love's memory, and console one another with the assurance of resurrection.



TRIBUTES

The flowers on the Main Altar are in loving memory of Libby & Jim Young and Ruth & George Woodington and are given by Libit & Ken Woodington.

ST. JOSEPH COLUMBARIUM

The columbarium is located in a beautiful prayer garden setting behind the Church and provides a reverential place of interment for the cremated remains of our beloved deceased. To the living, it provides a garden spot for visitation, remembrance, and prayer for the deceased. If you desire more information regarding the columbarium, please contact Mary Kay Rushman at 254-7646 ext. 14.



Please Pray for the Sick of the Parish

Homebound: Jo Ann Mullins, Marie Hill, Laddie Gatling, Dorothy Ragsdale, Betty Collins McDougall, Mary DeLay, Joe Guild, Anne Sullivan, Charlie Hill and Fred Simonelli.

Catholic Corner

The Communion of Saints is made up of all who have placed their hope in Christ and belong to Him through Baptism – whether living or dead. Because in Christ we are one Body, we live in a communion that encompasses both heaven and earth. We can help each other even beyond the grave. We can call on the saints, but also our departed friends and relatives, and, through prayer, we can come to the aid of our dear departed who are in purgatory.



SAINT JOSEPH SCHOOL NEWS

We are fast approaching the time of the year when our children help our needy Columbia citizens through their Saints Walk. As has been our tradition in the past, we will again raise money for the St. Vincent de Paul Society of Saint Joseph Church. This organization helps the needy in our community through donations and support. If you are interested in making a donation to the Saints Walk, please make checks payable to Saint Joseph PTO by November 4. **YOU MAY MAKE A DONATION IN MEMORY OR HONOR OF SOMEONE.** The Saints Walk will take place on Wednesday, November 5. Please remember all proceeds go to St. Vincent de Paul Society.

14th ANNUAL AUCTION

Please join us for a night of food, fun, and fellowship! The 14th Annual Saint Joseph Catholic School Auction, *Adventures in Narnia*, will be held **Saturday, November 15, from 6:30 – 11:30 PM** at Spring Valley Country Club. Items for bid this year include tailgating passes for the 2015 Gamecocks football season, a gas grill, golf outings, outdoor adventures, and much more. Tickets are \$40 in advance or \$50 at the door and can be purchased online at: www.sjcs14.auction-bid.org

SAINT JOSEPH SCHOOL 60TH ANNIVERSARY GALA CELEBRATION

Save The Date!

January 23, 7:00 PM - Parish Hall/Gym

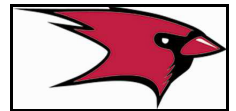
For more information or to participate, please contact:
Terri Boyle at 622-3650; terri.boyle@accupad.com
or Petrina Marsh, pfostermarsh@gmail.com

CARDINAL NEWMAN SCHOOL NEWS

Open House

4701 Forest Drive

While visitors are welcome every single day at CN School, a special Open House will be held on Wednesday, November 5 and Thursday, November 6 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. Students, faculty and coaches will assemble in one convenient location to meet guests and to answer questions. Guests will also learn about our new campus scheduled to open in the fall of 2015.



Invite your friends so they can see why families from across the Midlands have chosen CN to help them prepare their children for college – and for life.

For more information, please contact our Admissions Office at 782-2814 or email: tharper@cnhs.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Children and Adult Religious Education

Wednesdays, 6:15 PM

For more information, please call Nettie Taylor at 540-1906 or email stjoedre@aol.com

CONFIRMATION NEWS

Parents of 8th grade Confirmation candidates are reminded to register for the Real Love-Real Life Family Honor program offered on Tuesdays, November 4, 11, and 18 in Kamler Hall (St. Joseph School Cafeteria.) Families can register online at www.familyhonor.org For more information, please call Nettie Taylor at 540-1906.

BAPTISM SEMINAR

There will be a Baptism Seminar on Sunday, November 9, for parents who are seeking to have their children baptized at St. Joseph. The Seminar will take place in the Parish Life Center, lower level at 1:30 PM.

ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC SHOP

Representatives from the St. Francis Catholic Shop will be available after all Sunday Masses TODAY. You will have an opportunity to purchase Christmas and special occasion gifts, cards, books and other items before the busy-ness of the holiday season.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS



Youth Night is on Sunday, November 2 from 5:00 to 7:00 PM in the Hall/Gym in the Rowland Education Building. Hope to see you there!

High School Lock-In is Saturday, November 15 from 6:00 PM to Sunday, November 16, 8:00 AM. This will be an overnight Lock-In with fun games and movies! Bring your friends! If you are interested, please contact Patrick Moore for a permission form.

If you would like to provide food for a youth night, please contact Patrick Moore at: 281-0345 or patrick@stjosephcolumbia.org

SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS



In October 2014 we welcomed the following new members into the Church through the Sacrament of Baptism:

Annabelle Marie Kacmar
William Rhett Moca
William David Perretta

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 2

- 8:15 AM For the deceased members of the Legion of Mary
10:30 AM Mr. Karol Chmura + and all deceased family members
12:15 PM Parishioners of St. Joseph and All Souls Novena

Monday, November 3

7:30 AM *Rosary*

Tuesday, November 4

- 7:30 AM Mrs. Hilda Clark (I)
5:30 PM All Souls Novena

Wednesday, November 5

7:30 AM All Souls Novena

Thursday, November 6

7:30 AM All Souls Novena

Friday, November 7

- 7:30 AM Mrs. Ann Sullivan (I)
8:15 AM All Souls Novena

Saturday, November 8

5:30 PM C. Hubert Segars, Sr. +

Sunday, November 9

- 8:15 AM Mr. George Goodwin +
10:30 AM Parishioners of St. Joseph & All Souls Novena
12:15 PM Deceased members of Hao Bui +

ADORATION CANCELLED

Tuesday, November 4

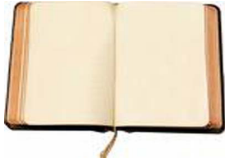
due to maintenance/repair to the roof of the Parish House, above the Adoration Room.

LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA

From Fr. Michael E. Gaitley, MIC, comes an extraordinary 33-day journey to Marian consecration with four giants of Marian spirituality: St. Louis de Montfort, St. Maximilian Kolbe, Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta, and Pope St. John Paul II. Father Michael masterfully summarizes their teaching, making it easy to grasp, and simple enough to put into practice. More specifically, he weaves their thoughts into a user-friendly, do-it-yourself retreat that will bless even the busiest of people.

So, if you've been thinking about entrusting yourself to Mary for the first time or if you're simply looking to deepen and renew your devotion to her, "33 Days to Morning Glory" is the correct book to read and the perfect retreat to make. Discover this and other informative CDs in the kiosk in the Narthex of the Church.

**THE BOOK OF
THE NAMES OF THE DEAD**



The Church has a long tradition of remembering - to the love and mercy of God - those who have died. We do this in a special way on the Feast of All Souls Day (Sunday,

November 2) and throughout the month of November. *The Book of the Names of the Dead* will be placed in the church so that you may record the names of deceased family members and friends. All names written in *the Book* will be remembered in prayer. This book will be placed on a stand during November for private prayer.

**ST. JOSEPH
ANNUAL
MASS OF REMEMBRANCE**

Tuesday, November 11

6:00 PM

(No 5:30 PM Mass)



*We will honor our deceased parishioners
and especially recognize those
who have passed away this past year.*

*Please join us after the Mass
for a reception in the Parish Hall/Gym*

*hosted by
St. Joseph's Women's Society
& the Knights of Columbus, Council #12554*

If the apostles and martyrs while still in the body can pray for others, at a time when they should be solicitous about themselves, how much more will they do so after their crowns, victories, and triumphs?

St. Jerome (342-420 AD) on the Communion of Saints

CHURCH DIRECTORIES HAVE ARRIVED!

Those who had their pictures taken for the Pictorial Directory may pick up their Directory in the church office.

Directories are now available to other Parishioners on a first-come, first-served basis while supplies last.



SAINT JOSEPH ANNUAL GARAGE SALE

November 28 & 29



Please mark your calendars for our annual Parish Garage Sale. Proceeds help provide tuition assistance for students attending Saint Joseph School. Watch the bulletin for details on how you can help through your generous donation of items.

FEAST OF THE 117 VIETNAMESE MARTYRS

Sunday, November 16 at 2:30 PM

St. Martin de Porres Church - 2229 Hampton Street

All are invited to attend the Feast of the 117 Vietnamese Martyrs. This is the annual celebration of the canonization of 117 Vietnamese martyrs who represent more than 130,000 who were persecuted for their faith in the 18th and 19th centuries in Vietnam. The awareness of being "descendants of the martyrs" is very much alive among the more than 7 million Catholics in Vietnam, and the more than one million expatriates in the world. A procession and celebration of the Eucharist, with Fr. Paul Nguyen, CO as celebrant and Fr. David Phan, OFM, Vicar for Vietnamese Catholics, as concelebrant, will begin at 2:30 PM, with a reception immediately following. RSVP to Michael Tran, Assistant Director for the Office of the Ethnic Ministries at (864) 704-6559 or mtran@catholic-doc.org

SPONSOR A CHILD BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Project San Pedro is a child sponsorship program of the Diocese of Charleston in partnership with the Sisters of Bethany and the Diocese of Sololá in Guatemala. We collaborate with the local parishes in Guatemala where the needs are great. For only \$25 a month, you or your church group can sponsor a child. Project San Pedro will insure the children, who often end their education prematurely to help support their families, are able to complete school. They are given financial assistance to pay for school, are given nutritional supplements, healthcare and clothing allowances. Currently, we have over 100 children without sponsors. For more information, or to sign up and sponsor a child today, please visit our website at:

sccatholic.org/international-ministries/project-san-pedro



THE DIOCESE OF CHARLESTON

October 23, 2014

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We are members of a community of faith with a long tradition of teaching and action on human life, marriage and family, justice and peace, care for creation, and the common good. As citizens of the United States, we have a duty to participate in framing the discussion of public issues and the selection of those who occupy positions of leadership. We are blessed with religious liberty which safeguards our right to bring our principles and moral convictions into the public square. These Constitutional freedoms need to be both exercised and protected, as some seek to silence the voices or limit the freedoms of religious believers and religious institutions.

With the 2014 general election in the next week, I ask that you consider the issue of faithful citizenship and voting with a conscience. Participation in elections requires careful discernment in light of our moral principles and faith. As faithful citizens, our decisions in the voting booth should respect the interests of all, particularly those members of our society who are weak and marginalized. When we register to vote, we willingly accept the task of educating ourselves on the issues and candidates and voting with a properly formed conscience. Conscience is more than a voice within calling us to follow what is considered acceptable behavior for the day. It provides a constant moral foundation that guides our thoughts and actions from the very simple to the most complex. We have a duty to fully form our conscience and increase its sensitivity to how the issues before us address and serve the common good.

In this coming election and beyond, I urge all faithful Catholics to rise to the occasion and participate in the political process. This kind of political responsibility is a requirement of our faith and our duty as citizens.

In the Lord's Peace,

Most Reverend Robert E. Guglielmone
Bishop of Charleston

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ADOPT-A-TURKEY

24th Annual Interfaith THANKSGIVING DINNER

at the Carolina Coliseum
on Thanksgiving Day

**Adopt a 12-pound turkey today for only \$10 and
help us feed the multitudes on Thanksgiving
Day at the Coliseum and Nursing Homes.**

Contact Robert D. Keeder, Coordinator
with St. Peter's Catholic Church at
796-9802 or mail a check payable to:

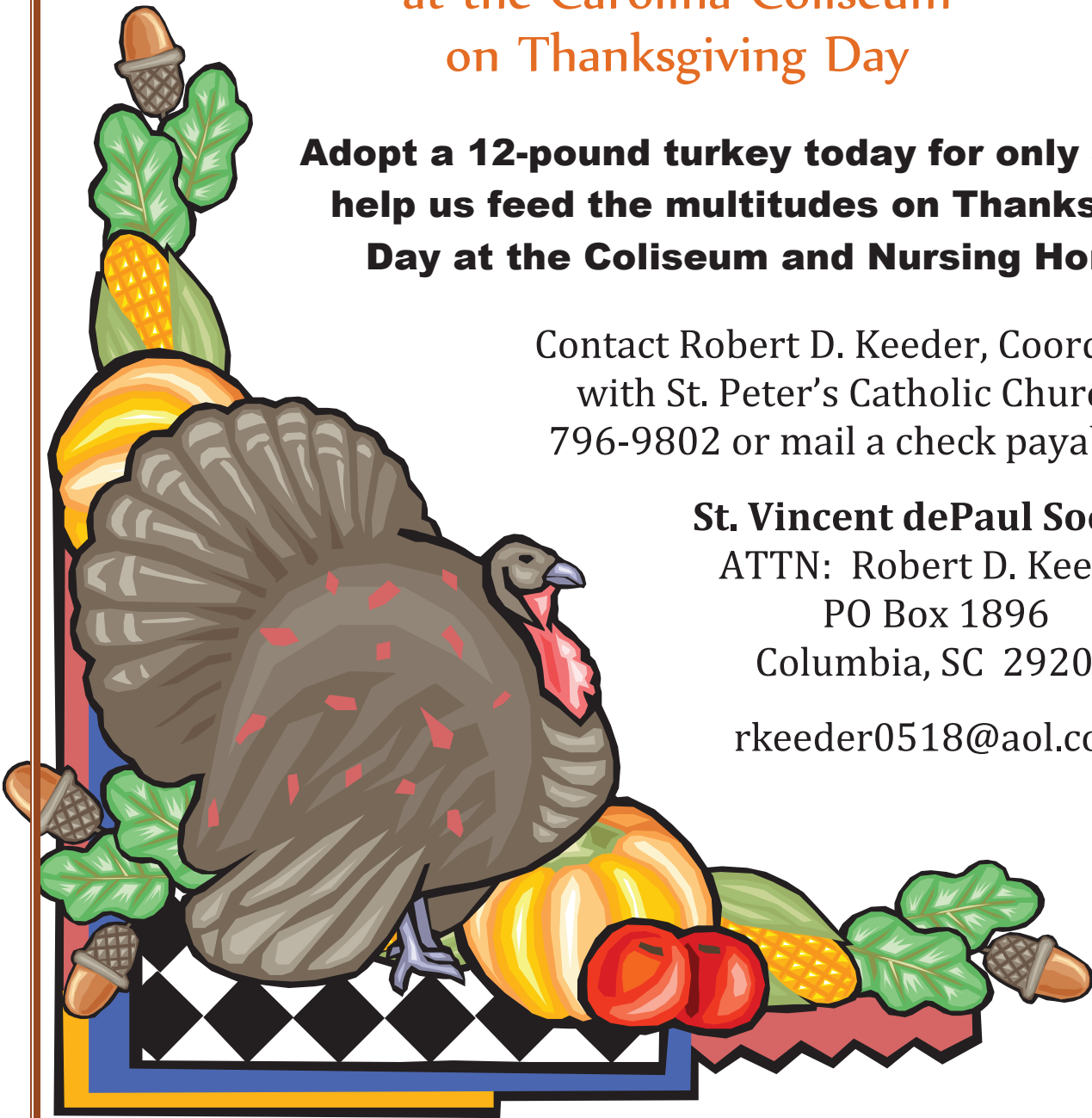
St. Vincent dePaul Society

ATTN: Robert D. Keeder

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*Jesus fed the
multitudes
with five
loaves of
bread and
two fish.
John 6:1-5*



SUPPORT THE Solidarity Fund for the CHURCH IN AFRICA

"THE CHURCH IN
AFRICA IS ITSELF
CALLED TO PLAY AN
ACTIVE ROLE IN GOD'S
PLAN OF SALVATION."

—POPE JOHN PAUL II,
ECCLESIA IN AFRICA

The Church in Africa reveals a picture of both suffering and hope. Many people face a daily reality of food insecurity, water shortage, unemployment, lack of medical care, and illiteracy. At the same time, Catholicism is flourishing among the people of Africa. There are many new vocations to the priesthood and the religious life, with many of these new priests and sisters coming to serve the people of the United States. The **Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa** gives much needed aid to the Church in Africa while expressing the gratitude of the Church in the United States for the warm and generous assistance of the African priests and sisters in our parishes.

In Borana, Ethiopia, the people are traditionally nomadic, often living on the fringes of society with little or no exposure to Christianity. The Spiritan Fathers have been working for the past 40 years in this region. They run a village teaching program and a catechetical program for children, as well as seminars and workshops on the faith for youth and adults. In 2012, the Spiritans offered two weekend workshops for adults

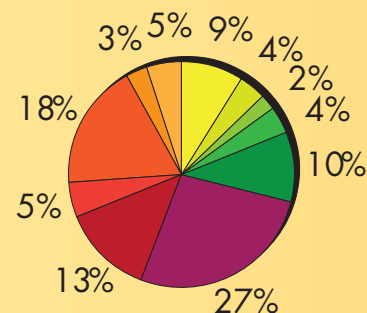
and two separate workshops for the youth with a grant from the **Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa**.

Workshop participants increased their sense of ownership toward their faith life and their sense of responsibility toward the work of the Church. In the village of Dhadim, one catechist named Fedha spoke of how the pastoral programs changed lives. He said that the growth of faith in the youth and their witness to the Church are two of the most visible signs of change in his community. Two new churches were opened and 182 parishioners received the Sacrament of Confirmation. The Spiritans also oversee Sunday school teaching programs, which give children a strong foundation in the faith.

With your help, the Church in Africa can actively evangelize the world. Projects like those run by the Spiritan Fathers in Ethiopia care for the spiritual needs of the African people. This allows the Church in Africa to give the world many vocations and a vibrant expression of faith. Please give generously to the **Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa**.

2012 DISTRIBUTION OF GRANTS

TOTAL GRANTED: \$2,805,442



EVANGELIZATION (9%): \$263,000
CLERGY AND RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION (4%): \$116,000
YOUTH MINISTRY (2%): \$52,647
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (4%): \$101,000
LEADERSHIP FORMATION (10%):
\$296,000
CONSTRUCTION (27%): \$755,000
COMMUNICATIONS (13%): \$366,500
CATHOLIC SCHOOLS (5%): \$131,400
OPERATIONS (18%): \$491,400
VOCATIONS (3%): \$79,000
JUSTICE AND PEACE (5%): \$153,000



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