

PARISH INFORMATION

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New Parishioners

Welcome! Please pick up an Information Packet and register as part of our parish family.

Various facilities and services are available to our active members, including use of the church for baptisms, weddings, and other sacramental events, as well as parishioner status in parochial schools. **Active membership** is determined by the following criteria: Being properly registered for a sufficient period of time; faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days; use of the envelope system in regular support of the parish; and being active in at least one parish program, ministry or organization.

Sacraments: Baptisms, Weddings and Funeral Masses may be celebrated according to the traditional Latin liturgical books (pre-Vatican II) OR the rituals as reformed since 1970. Please contact Msgr. Brovey with any questions.

Baptism: Call the office for information about the Baptismal Preparation Class. Baptisms are celebrated on the 1st Saturdays of the month at 10:30AM.

RCIA: Call Joe Waters for information about adults becoming Catholic.

Marriage Preparation: Call Bebe Norris at least 9 to 12 months in advance of proposed wedding date about Marriage Preparation Classes and requirements for the Sacrament of Marriage.

Anointing of the Sick: Call the parish office to receive this Sacrament prior to surgery or when gravely ill. **After Office Hours Emergencies: Call 1-866-456-2956.**

Sick, Hospitalized & Homebound: Call the parish office to request Holy Communion when hospitalized or homebound.

***Mass Schedule
INTENTIONS AND WEEKLY DEVOTIONS***

January 9, 2010

Saturday 5:30PM Gabriel Kaishar (D)

January 10, 2010 – The Baptism of the Lord

Sunday 7:30AM People of the Parish
 9:00AM Perone Family (D)
 11:00AM John & Mary Thompson (L).....
 1:00PM Spanish Mass
 5:30PM Mary Ann Rance (D)

January 11, 2010

Monday 7:00PM Novena

January 12, 2010

Tuesday 7:00AM Fr. Pancras Christanand(D)

January 13, 2010

Wednesday No Mass or Confessions

January 14, 2010

Thursday 7:00AM Robert A. Bryan (D)

January 15, 2010

Friday No Mass

January 16, 2010

Saturday 5:30PM Joseph Baldwin (D)

January 17, 2010 – Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 7:30AM People of the Parish
 9:00AM Rita Starr (D)
 11:00AM Catherine Barnett (L)
 1:00PM Spanish Mass
 5:30PM Christopher McCormick (D)

Bread & Wine/Altar Flowers

Call the parish office to arrange donations

Scripture Readings Week of January 10, 2010

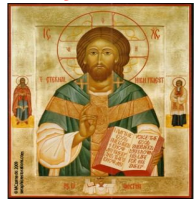
Sunday Is 42:1-7; Acts 10:34-38; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22
Monday 1 Sm 1:1-8; Mk 1:14-20
Tuesday 1 Sm 1:9-20; Mk 1:21-28
Wednesday 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Mk 1:29-39
Thursday 1 Sm 4:1-11; Mk 1:40-45
Friday 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22; Mk 2:1-12
Saturday 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1; Mk 2:13-17
Sunday Is 62:1-5; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11

Patti King Retires as Office Manager:



After working for the parish for 20 plus years as the Parish Office Manager, Patti King has decided to retire. We thank Patti for her dedicated and steady presence in the main church office over these years and offer her our prayerful best wishes. Please keep Patti's continued recovery in your prayers.

Prayer:



**Year for Priests
June 19, 2009-June 19, 2010**

Continuing throughout the Year of the Priest, we will be praying for specific priests serving in the Diocese of Charleston. Please remember these priests by name in your prayers throughout the week, particularly during hours of adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. This week we pray for the following priests serving the Diocese of Charleston:

Rev. Agustin Torm (St. Mary, Help of Christians, Aiken); Rev. Dac Tran (Our Lady of the Rosary, Greenville); Rev. Andrew Trapp (St. Michael, Garden City); Rev. Francis Travis (Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Camden); Rev. Noel Tria (Blessed Sacrament, Charleston); Rev. Teofilo Trujillo (St. Mary Magdalene, Simpsonville); and Rev. Patrick Tuttle (St. Anthony of Padua, Greenville).

Most gracious Heavenly Father, we thank you for our faithful priests and bishops, whose spiritual fatherhood and example of fidelity, self-sacrifice, and devotion is so vital to the faith of your people.

May our spiritual fathers be guided by the examples of Saints Peter and Paul, all the Apostles and their saintly successors. Give them valiant faith in the face of confusion and conflict, hope in time of trouble and sorrow, and steadfast love for you, for their families, and for all your people throughout the world. May the light of your Truth shine through their lives and their good works.

Assist all spiritual fathers, that through your Grace they may steadily grow in holiness and in knowledge and understanding of your Truth. May they generously impart this knowledge to those who rely on them.

Sodality of Saint Monica:



St. Monica is known and loved by Catholics as the persistent mother who through her many years of prayer, fasting and bitter tears won the grace of conversion for her son, St. Augustine. She teaches us the importance of patience and persistence in prayer. She is venerated as a powerful intercessor for those who have wandered from the Catholic Church for another denomination or stopped practicing the Faith altogether. We invite you to join the Sodality of St. Monica. Cards and information are available at the base of her statue in the Church.

Fulltime Office Manager Position Available:

Prince of Peace Catholic Church is accepting applications for the fulltime position of Parish Office Manager. Applicants should have strong computer skills including Word, Excel and adaptability to church software, able to work independently, and have good interpersonal skills. Working knowledge of website design and maintenance is a plus. We are looking for a motivated, dependable individual with a proven track record in office administration. Please submit resume by 30 January 2010 to Msgr. Steven Brovey at 1209 Brushy Creek Road, Taylors, SC 29687 or padre.slb@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

Perpetual Adoration:



"Remain here and keep watch with me."

Matthew 26:38

"There He is: King of Kings and Lord of Lords, hidden in the bread. To this extreme has He humbled Himself for love of you." (St. Josemaria

Escriva)

Testimonial: "Everyone was so great and prayed for us and all our troops while Ron was in Afghanistan. Our Adoration Chapel saved his life and MINE....and the true power of prayers and the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament was the basis of keeping Ron and I unified in our faith and focused on the mission." Michele Rossi

Please prayerfully consider adoring one Saturday a month at 2AM. Other hours in need of a weekly adorer: Sunday 1AM, Tuesday 3AM, Wednesday 6PM, and Thursday 6PM. For more information on Adoration, call Nancy Mohlman at 864.458.7674 or email nmohlman@msn.com.

Sick and Homebound:



Please pray for: Patti King, Sydney Flynn, Ray Hock, Karen Watka, Marie Elias, Pete Fallat, Jackie Fiedler, Dorothy Happe, Donna Macchia, Brian McSharry, Chuck Misiaveg, Ed Rauch, Beverly Ryan, John Toke, Jack Vanderwood, Tony Lanzone, Jessica Conlen, Paul Rau, Kathleen Meister Joyner, Louise Krug, Joanna Davis and Pat Hodur.

Matt. 25:36 *"I was ill and you cared for me; whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me."*

Isolation from our parish family by illness, advance age or other circumstances, can lead to loneliness or depression. If you or one of your loved ones will be hospitalized or is homebound due to illness or advance age, let us know. Call the office at 864.268.4352 and Joe Waters will arrange for a visit and Holy Communion. It is important to let us know when someone is released from the hospital to return home to ensure that we transition our contact with a person when they return home.

In Sympathy:

Prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Idelle Prescott, grandmother of Terry Hapstack. We extend our sincere condolences to her family and friends.

Baptism Preparation Class:



Parents wishing to have their child baptized must attend a workshop in preparation. Our next class will be Monday 11 January 2010 at 7:30 PM in Croghan Hall. Pre-registration is required. Forms are in the Narthex and parish office. Baptisms are celebrated on the first Saturday of the month at 10:30AM.

Religious Education:

Sunday School classes begin today during the 9AM Mass in the School Building. If your child is age 3, 4, or 5 we have openings in our Sunday School classes. If you would like your child to attend our program, please contact the RE office at 864.331.3919. We also offer an adult staffed nursery during the 9AM Mass on Sunday mornings for all little ones ages 1-3; the nursery is located in the school building.

Religious Education classes Grades 1-8 begin this Wednesday 13 January 2010. Classes begin at 4:30 and again at 6:30PM. If you are new to the area and would like to register your child for Religious Education classes please call the RE office at 864.331.3919.

Reconciliation Parent Meeting Date Change:

We have a new date change for the Reconciliation parent meeting. The new and final date is 28 January 2010 in the PAC at 6:30PM.

Catholic Youth Organization:



High School Catholic Youth don't miss the fun! This is for 9th – 12th graders Sundays after the 5:30PM Mass. CYO resumes tonight and we will meet at 6:45PM inside the Church. There will be no CYO meeting on 17 January 2010 due to the Martin Luther King holiday. Please join us for our "Bowling Night" on Friday 15 January 2010, Wade Hampton Lanes, 6:45-9PM. Cost is \$8. Please RSVP via email to cyo@princeofpeacetaylors.org by 13 January.

Young Adults:

- Young Adult Gathering:

All young adults (18-35), married or single, with kids or without kids, are encouraged to meet for dinner (kids are especially welcome!) on the 2nd Sunday of the month after the 5:30PM Mass. The next gathering will be tonight at the home of Jenny and Andy Pfaffl, 13 Brunner Court, Greer, 29650. Plan to join us for fellowship and conversation. Those attending the 5:30 Mass are welcome to meet-up with Joe Waters in the narthex after Mass. Please contact Joe at 864.331.3907 or joe.waters@princeofpeacetaylors.org for more information.

Adult Education:

- Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults:

This is a weekly process designed to facilitate inquiry into the teachings and practices of the Catholic faith for those baptized in other Christian denominations or for those who have never been baptized. Anyone who is interested in exploring Catholic Christianity is encouraged to contact Joe Waters at 864.331.3907 or joe.waters@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

- Bible Study for Women:

Classes will resume on 13 January 2010.

Marriage Preparation:

Effective 1 January 2010, Prince of Peace has implemented new policies in order to strengthen our course of preparation for the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony. These policies may be viewed in their entirety on the website: www.princeofpeacetaylors.org/sacramentscommunion.

Some key features of these new policies are:

- A longer period (9-12 months) of preparation for the sacrament
- A required course in Natural Family Planning
- A required FOCCUS inventory and follow-up sessions on couple communication with a professional marriage and family therapist.
- A day of recollection or retreat in preparation for the sacrament of Matrimony.

We hope that these policies serve to strengthen the preparation and support that engaged couples receive at Prince of Peace in order to lay the groundwork for strong marriages and healthy families. Please take the time to review these policies on our website and contact Joe Waters in the Parish Office with any questions you may have.

Fellowship:

Welcome New Parishioners:

Lilimaria Smith, Ezekiel & Anthony, Edwards Road, Taylors
Douglas & Luz Jackson & Karina, Kingscreek Drive, Greer
John & Pamela Hart, Michael & Amanda, Greenville
John & Stephanie Felts, Davenport Road, Simpsonville
Paul & Ivy Matt, Faris Circle, Greenville

Coffee & Donuts:



We will be serving coffee and donuts after the 9AM and 11AM Masses today. Please join us in the courtyard (weather permitting) or in the PAC and take this opportunity to meet members of your Prince of Peace Parish family. This ministry is funded by your generous donations. *Today our host will be the Knights of Columbus.*

Widows & Widowers:



BOUNCE! Bounce will meet again on 6 February 2010 at 10AM in Croghan Hall. For further information please contact Jean Casey at 864.268.7554.

Men's Breakfast Club:

All men of the parish and their friends are invited to join us for breakfast and fellowship on Thursday 4 February 2010. We gather at 8AM at Denny's on Wade Hampton Boulevard. For more information call Tony Scachetti at 864.268.8563.

Guild of St. Benedict Meeting:

The meeting for 11 January 2010 has been postponed. We will reschedule and post the new date.

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Time, talent & treasure:

Offertory – 12/27/09

Envelopes Sent: 1,085

	Actual	Needed
Envelopes = 357	\$19,750	
Electronic transfer = 52	1,630	
Loose cash	<u>1,293</u>	
Total current offertory	\$22,673	\$29,000
Debt Elimination = 58	3,348	5,100
Week Total	<u>\$26,021</u>	\$34,100

Special Collections-Christmas \$23,987

YTD current offertory	\$546,826	\$754,000
YTD Debt Elimination (STARTING FY 7/1/09)	\$ 43,219	\$132,600

Outreach Tithe Report:



Last week our ten-percent tithe was given to the St. Vincent de Paul Society. This week's tithe will be given to the Church in Latin America (Diocesan) and Prince of Peace School Tuition Assistance. Next week's recipient will be Prince of Peace School Tuition Assistance.

Outreach:

St. Ann's Outreach Center News:

The Felician Sisters at St. Ann's Outreach Center in Kingstree are in need of assistance in building a wheelchair access for a house in their neighborhood. To complete this project they would be grateful for the assistance of six of our parishioners on Friday 29 January 2010 and Saturday, 30 January 2010. This project would be ideal for anyone able to take a Friday off or who is retired and able to go down to Kingstree on a Friday. The sisters will host us in their facilities and provide meals. Please contact Joe Waters in the Parish Office if you think this is a project that might interest you.

Miscellaneous:

Please be advised that as of the end of 2009 the old princeofpeacesc.org staff email addresses are no longer forwarding to the new staff email addresses (princeofpeacetaylors.org). Please update your address books accordingly.

Discernment Retreat:

The Diocese of Charleston and the Oratory are sponsoring a Discernment Retreat January 28th through the 31st, 2010 at the Oratory in Rock Hill. The retreat will allow participants to discern a possible vocation to the priesthood, diaconate or religious life. Men and women ages 18 to 55 are eligible. For more information and applications please call the Vocations Office for the Diocese of Charleston at (843) 402-9115 ext 22. Thank you.

Annual March and Rally for Life:

This event will be held 16 January 2010 in Columbia. Please exercise your constitutional rights and make a "Stand Up for Life and Stop the Abortion" agenda. Catholics need to stand together in this crucial time and by our presence show Washington that we value life from conception to natural death. This is not the time to be silent. This is not the time to remain indifferent. Abortion has killed over 50,000,000 babies "legally." Help stop this crime! The program begins at 11AM with a line up for the march at USA Russell House, Greene Street. At 11:30AM the Knights of Columbus will lead the marchers to the SC State House and the rally begins at 12 Noon. For more information contact the SC Citizens for Life at 803.252.5433 or sccl@scclife.org.

Also of note, Phyllis Schlafly will deliver an address entitled: "The Left's War Against Women: Abortion and Feminism Exposed" on 20 January 2010 in the Watkins Room at Furman's University Center

Knights of Columbus Auxiliary:

The KOC Ladies Auxiliary of Council 8182 will be hosting "Travel the World with a Fork" Buffet Dinner on Saturday 23 January 2010 at 6:30PM to benefit the Children of St. Jude's Hospital. The dinner will be held at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Fellowship Hall on 8 Gillin Drive in Simpsonville. The cost is \$7 for adults, \$3 for children, and \$20 for a family. Come sample foods from Germany, USA (in particular New Orleans), Mexico, Italy, St. Croix and Oriental. Contact Carol Ohrn at 313-5211 or Angie Maltby at 906-7462.

Rosary Leaders Needed:



Volunteers are needed to lead the recitation of the Holy Rosary each week before the 9AM and 11AM Masses. If you are interested in serving in leading the Holy Rosary, please contact the parish office at 864.268.4352.

Changes of Address and/or Phone Numbers:

Please remember to inform the parish office when you move away from the parish or have a change of address or phone number. It is a great help to the parish staff to have the most up-to-date information available in order to communicate with you most effectively.

Furman Presents:

Please mark your calendars for "Science, Philosophy and Religion in the Embryo Debate," a lecture by Dr. Robert George, on Tuesday, 26 January 2010 at the Younts Conference Center at Furman University. Dr. George is the McCormick Professor of Jurisprudence and Director of the James Madison Program in American Ideals and Institutions at Princeton University. Dr. George is one of the most important American and Catholic intellectuals working today and is a graduate of Swarthmore College (AB), Harvard University (UJD), and the University of Oxford (D.Phil.). Please plan to attend this very exciting and stimulating lecture. Visit www.furman.edu for more information or for directions to the Younts Conference Center.

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