

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**

March 20, 2010
 Saturday 5:30PM Yolanda Odstrcil(D)

March 21, 2010 – Fifth Sunday of Lent
 Sunday 7:30AM People of the Parish
 9:00AM The Perone Family(D)
 11:00AM Lindsey Mershon(L)
 5:30PM Richard Shymanski(D)

March 22, 2010
 Monday 7:00PM Novena

40 Hours Devotion Begins

March 23, 2010
 Tuesday 7:00PM Solemn Mass & Exposition
 Brian Ross(L)
 10:00PM Office of Compline (*said*)

March 24, 2010
 Wednesday 9:00AM Bernadette Soltis(D)
 10:00AM Conference
 7:00PM Conference then Confessions
 10:00PM Office of Compline (*said*)

March 25, 2010 – The Annunciation of the Lord
 Thursday 9:30AM Lauds(*sung*)
 10:00AM Conference
 12 Noon Nicholas Rauch(L)

7:00PM Conference then Solemn Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament and Procession to Adoration Chapel

March 26, 2010
 Friday 7:00AM Robert Karandisevsky(D)

March 27, 2010
 Saturday 5:30PM Stephen Honey(D)

March 28, 2010 – Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion
 Sunday 8:00AM People of the Parish
 10:00AM Carol Mullman(D)
 12 Noon The Covarrubias Family(L)

Bread & Wine/Altar Flowers

Bread & Wine donated this weekend by Dorothea Jones
 In Memory of Bill Jones

Scripture Readings for Week of March 21, 2010

Sunday Is 43:16-21; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11
Monday Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30,33-62; Jn 8:12-20
Tuesday Nm 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Jn 8:31-42
Thursday Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Heb 10:4-10
Friday Jer 20:10-13; Jn 10:31-42
Saturday Ez 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-56
Sunday Lk 19:28-40; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22:14-23:56

LENTEN SCHEDULE

Daily Mass

Tuesdays 12:00 Noon
Wednesdays 9AM
Thursdays, Fridays 7AM

Confessions

Wednesdays 10-11AM; 6:30-7:30PM
Saturdays 4-5PM

Stations of the Cross and Benediction

Fridays 7PM

40 Hours Devotion

March 23rd, 24th, 25th with Fr. Dwight Longenecker

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday:

- 5:30PM Vigil Mass (Saturday)
- 8AM Sung Mass
- 10AM Solemn Mass (English)
- 12 Noon Latin Mass (Low Mass)

Holy Thursday:

- 7PM Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday:

- 12 Noon Stations of the Cross
- 3PM Sacred Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

Holy Saturday:

- 11AM Blessing of Easter Food
- 8:30PM The Great Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday:

- 8AM Sung Easter Mass
- 10AM Solemn Easter Mass
- 12 Noon Sung Easter Mass

*** There will be **NO** evening Masses on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday

Forty Hours Devotion Rev. Dwight Longenecker, Preacher

Tuesday 23 March 2010

7PM Solemn Mass and Exposition
10PM The Office of Compline (*said*)

Wednesday 24 March 2010

9AM Holy Mass
10AM Conference
7PM Conference followed by Confessions
10PM The Office of Compline (*said*)

Thursday 25 March 2010

9:30AM Lauds (*sung*)
10AM Conference
12Noon Mass
7PM Conference immediately followed by Solemn Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament and Procession to Adoration Chapel

The Forty Hours Devotion is a period of forty hours of continuous adoration of the exposed Blessed Sacrament. Championed by St. Philip Neri and St. John Neumann, this devotion was started in the wake of the Protestant Reformation and its consequent denial of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist. Our preacher for this year's Forty Hours Devotion at Prince of Peace is Fr. Dwight Longenecker. Fr. Longenecker is a graduate of Bob Jones University and a former Anglican priest who converted to Catholicism in 1995. He was ordained a Catholic priest for the Diocese of Charleston by Bishop Robert Baker in 2006. He is the author of several books and serves as Chaplain to St. Joseph's Catholic School in Greenville.

Please see the "sign up" board in the narthex of the Church.

Baptism Preparation Class:



Parents wishing to have their child baptized must attend a workshop in preparation. Our next class will be Monday 3 May 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:

Attention all Religious Education /Sunday School Families: There will be NO Religious Education /Sunday School classes on March 24th, 28th, 31st and April 4th, 2010. Classes for Religious Education will resume on April 7th and Sunday School classes will resume on April 11th, 2010. Any questions call Nancy Chandler at 864.331.3919 or email at nancy.chandler@princeofpeacetaylors.org.
Please Mark your Calendars!

Catholic Youth Organization:



High School Catholic Youth don't miss the fun! This is for 9th – 12th graders Sundays after the 5:30PM Mass. We will meet at 6:45PM inside the Church.

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. Our next gathering will be 11 April 2010, location TBA. 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 864.350.2894 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:

A new Bible Study began 10 March 2010 just for women and is held on Wednesdays after the 9AM School Mass in Croghan Hall. We will use Stacy Mitch's *Courageous Virtue: A Bible Study on Moral Excellence for Women*. This book is available at the Bible Study class. All ladies, especially school mothers, are invited to join us after Mass for coffee, conversation, and scripture study.

Thursday Adult Education Series:

Our series on *The Book of Romans* begins on Thursday 22 April 2010 through 27 May 2010 at 7PM in Croghan Hall. This course will provide a basic introduction to the Letter of St. Paul to the Romans and major themes in the writings of St. Paul. We will cover such topics as: natural knowledge of God, justification by faith, Paul's use of Scripture, Freedom from sin, from death, from Law, and the role of the Holy Spirit in the Christian Life.

Fellowship:

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 Athletics of Prince of Peace Parish.*



Men's Breakfast Club (REVISED):

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

Widows & Widowers:



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

Columbiettes & Knights of Columbus:



Think Spring! Knights of Columbus yard sale will be from 8AM to 12Noon, along with the Columbiettes Plant Sale from 8AM to 5:30PM on April 10th. **See insert for pre-sale orders.** Give the "Gift of Life." The bloodmobile will also be on campus on the 10th.

Ready for the Voyage of a Lifetime?



Join us for **Vacation Bible School** June 14-18 2010. At High Seas Expedition, kids explore the mighty love of God on a journey that will change them forever! High Seas Expedition Totally Catholic Summer Program is filled with incredible activities that allow kids to see, hear, touch and even taste! We are beginning the preparations for an incredible week of fun. If you would like to volunteer to help with Vacation Bible School this year please contact Nancy Chandler at 331.3919. Early Registrations for VBS will begin April 21, 2010.

Prayer:

Sick and Homebound:



Please pray for: Patti King, Sydney Flynn, Karen Watka, Marie Elias, Pete Fallat, Jackie Fiedler, Dorothy Happe, Donna Macchia, Brian McSharry, Ed Rauch, Beverly Ryan, Jack Vanderwood, Tony Lanzone, Jessica Conlen, Paul Rau, Kathleen Meister Joyner, Karen Ann Krug, Pat Hodur, Michael Machmer, Ed Harrison, William Hannan, Arlene Mills, Colleen Clark, Donna Dill and Anne Marie Eaton.

Perpetual Adoration:



"Remain here and keep watch with me."

Matthew 26:38

A reminder that Adoration will take place in the Church during 40 Hours Devotion March 23rd, 24th and 25th. Please remember to sign your name by your Holy Hour on the sign-in board in the narthex. If you are not a regular adorer during 40 Hours Devotion, please feel free to sign on any line.

Please prayerfully consider adoring weekly: Sunday 2AM, 3AM, Tuesday 3AM, Thursday 1AM. Substitutes for the Midnight - 6AM Division are always needed.

For more information on Adoration, call Nancy Mohlman at 864.458.7674 or email nmohlman@msn.com

Prayer Continued:



**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. Gueric Heckel, OCSO (Mepkin Abbey); Rev. Ernest Hepner (Retired); Rev. Robert Higgins (Our Lady, Star of the Sea, North Myrtle Beach); Rev. Msgr. Thomas X. Hoffmann (Tribunal, Diocese of Charleston); Rev. John Bosco Ikemeh, OP (Chaplain, MUSC); Rev. Jacob Joseph, CMI (Our Lady of Lourdes, Greenwood); and Rev. Filemon Juya (St. John of the Cross, Columbia).

Dear Lord, We pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around your priests and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry. We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words, "Do whatever He tells you." (Jn. 2:5). May your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary's most chaste spouse. May the Blessed Mother's own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross. May your priests be holy, filled with the fire of your love seeking nothing but your greater glory and the salvation of souls. Amen

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.

Rachel's Vineyard:

Rachel's Vineyard Retreats have helped women and men heal from the trauma of abortion for over 4 years in our Diocese. Please visit the official website at www.rachelsvineyard.org for more information and retreat details. The retreats and registration process are completely confidential.

Outreach:

Habitat for Humanity:

Volunteers are needed to participate in the Habitat for Humanity Spring Faith Build. A home will be built for LaRonda Harrie by volunteers from several local churches including Prince of Peace. The build will commence on 8 April 2010 and continue most Fridays and Saturdays through 12 June 2010. Prince of Peace will be responsible for work on April 23rd, 24th and 30th but one can volunteer for any of the other days as well. If interested please contact Wally Buser at 864.268.2125 wally7b@charter.net or Dick Long at 864.801.9818 rlong53@bellsouth.net.

Stephen Ministry:

Stephen Ministry equips lay people to provide confidential, one-on-one Christian care to individuals in parishes and communities who are experiencing difficulty or trauma in their lives. A Stephen Minister walks beside a hurting person to provide emotional and spiritual care, listening and encouragement. The Diocese of Charleston will be offering free training for any parishioners interested in beginning Stephen Ministry at parishes in the diocese. Anyone who is interested in beginning this apostolate is asked to contact Joe Waters in the parish office for more information.

St. Vincent de Paul Society:

We thank you for your continuous support of our mission to the poor. As these economic times make it increasingly more difficult to make ends meet, your gifts of non-perishable food items are even more appreciated. Our regular food drive is the first weekend of each month. However, you are welcome to bring your items any weekday during business hours to the parish office. Many thanks!

Triune Mercy Soup Kitchen Volunteers Needed:

Volunteers are always needed to help with our monthly charitable activities at the Triune Mercy Soup Kitchen in Downtown Greenville. Prince of Peace is responsible for planning and executing the evening meal on the first Sunday of each month. Please contact Joe Waters in the Parish Office if you are able to volunteer.

Columbiettes Outreach:

On the second weekend of each month, the following items are collected for the clients at Safe Harbor: cell phones with chargers, toiletries, household items and women's clothing suitable for job interviews. On the third weekend, bring your gently used stuffed animals for Catholic Charities. Thank you for your continued support of these outreach projects

Discernment Retreat:

The Diocese of Charleston and the Oratory are sponsoring a discernment retreat April 15-18, 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 18-55 are eligible. For more information and applications please call the Vocations Office at 843.402.9115 ext. 22.

Time, talent & treasure:

Offertory – 03/014/2010 Envelopes Sent: 1,085

	Actual	Needed
Envelopes = 430	\$17,039	
Electronic transfer = 28	821	
Loose cash	756	
Total current offertory	\$18,616	\$29,000
Debt Elimination = 10	378	5,100
Week Total	<u>\$18,994</u>	\$34,100

YTD current offertory	\$769,309	\$1,073,000
YTD Debt Elimination	\$ 56,236	\$188,700
(STARTING FY 7/1/09)		

Outreach Tithing 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 Bishop's Overseas Appeal (Catholic Relief Service – Diocesan) and Prince of Peace School Tuition Assistance. Next week's recipient will be the Prince of Peace School Tuition Assistance.

Many Thanks!

Dear Friends, Thank you for your very generous gift to Catholic Relief Services. Your recent offering of \$9,623 provides vital support for CRS' Earthquake Emergency Relief Fund for Haiti. Our programs are dedicated to the alleviation of human suffering without regard to race, belief or nationality. Together with our partners we are feeding the poor through agricultural programs, promoting better health through HIV/AIDS and other health projects, building better societies through peace-building and civil society programs, and promoting self-sufficiency through educational and small loan projects. Of course, CRS also responds quickly, effectively and efficiently to emergencies through our many partners. Recent natural and man-made disasters have created intense humanitarian crises all over the world. Thanks to your community, we are making progress in the face of many daunting challenges. Your gift is clear evidence that you and your community understand fully that the world is filled with millions of people who are just like us – except they happen to be extremely poor or vulnerable, without enough food to feed their families or access to decent health care. We could not help them without your generous and loyal support. On behalf of the children of God you are helping, I extend my deepest appreciation for the support of your community. Thank you for embracing our one human family with your generosity and your prayers. God bless you, *Ken Hackett, President.*

Miscellaneous:

Celebrating Lent and Easter:

Lent and Easter are all about hope and expectation for our Salvation. Tips for Kids: You have a lot going on in your life like schoolwork, sports and maybe a hobby. These things are very important, but it's also important to set aside some special quiet time during Lent. Use this time to be with your family and talk about what Lent means to you. Tips for Family: Quiet time for the whole family. Take one evening and clear the calendar. Prepare a simple meal together, turn off the TV and talk to each other.

Teaching Jobs Available:

Prince of Peace Catholic School is hiring for the following openings: FT Middle School Math/Science teacher; PT Middle School Music teacher; PT Elementary Spanish Teacher. BS/BA & certification required. 5 years teaching experience preferred.

Visit our website at: www.popcatholicschool.org. To apply, send a resume to Jennifer Simpson at: jennifer.simpson@popcatholicschool.org or by mail to 1209 Brushy Creek Rd Taylors, SC 29687 EOE

40 Days for Life:

Christians throughout Greenville are invited to take part in the National 40 Days for Life from now through 28 March 2010. In addition to 40 days of peaceful prayer and fasting for an end to abortion, please consider volunteering to pray outside of the Greenville Women's Clinic at 1142 Grove Road. Sign up after Mass to volunteer for prayer hours or sign up on-line at www.40daysforlife.com/greenville. Call Maura or Doug Maness at 864.284.6169 for more information. If you cannot come to the Clinic please be sure to pray at home.

The 40 Days For Life Closing Celebration of Lives Saved! and Dessert Extravaganza will be held on Tuesday 6 April 2010 at 7:00 PM at St. Joseph's Catholic High School. The event features **World Renowned Bioethicist, Rev. Tad Pacholczyk, Ph.D.** speaking on *The TRUTH about Stem Cells*. Fr. Tad earned a PhD. in Neuroscience from Yale, did post-doctoral research at Massachusetts General Hospital/Harvard Medical School, and has appeared on CNN, ABC, EWTN and NPR. **Tickets: \$10.00/person:** Available at St. Anthony's Catholic Bookstore, or by calling Prince of Peace Respect Life Coordinator Tanya Wersinger at 322.8941, Valerie Baronkin at 297.8838 or Mary Cotter 297.1941, or email 40days4lifeUpstateSC@gmail.com.

Bishop's Stewardship Appeal 2010:

The Bishop's Stewardship Appeal is a primary source of funding to help sustain and expand ministries in the 116 parishes and missions and 32 Catholic Schools and agencies throughout the diocese. Each year every Catholic in the diocese is asked to respond in prayer, in sharing their talents and in making a sacrificial gift in support of this important appeal.

This year's BSA goal is \$2,250,000. The funds generated through our appeal will be allocated to the following ministries: Catholic Charities, Vocations, Youth Ministry and Catholic School Grants, Ministry and Outreach, College Campus Ministry and Retired Priests.

All registered parishioners will be mailed their personalized BSA information packet. Please review the 2010 materials and return your pledge or donation in one of the self addressed return envelopes.

Thank you for your prayers and support of the 2010 appeal!

The Angelic Warfare Confraternity:

The Angelic Warfare Confraternity is an apostolate for the preservation of personal chastity. St. Thomas Aquinas, OP is its patron. Members pledge themselves to guard holy purity, to seek the truth, and to honor the Queen of the Most Holy Rosary. They wear the cord or medal of the Confraternity which is blessed. Members share in the Masses, prayers and good works of the Dominican Order, with which the Confraternity is affiliated. Members of the Confraternity include St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati, Blessed Columba Rieti and Blessed Stephana Quinlan. Anyone interested in finding out more about the Angelic Warfare Confraternity or receiving enrollment information should contact Joe Waters in the Parish Office or visit www.angelicwarfare.org.

Furman Dance Spectacular 2010:

Who: Prince of Peace Parishioners

What: Furman Dance Spectacular, a night of dance entertainment, Ballet, Jazz, Tap, Hip-hop, Modern, Lyrical, Irish, Indian and Latin.

When: Friday 26 March 2010 at 8PM

Where: Furman McAlister Auditorium

The cost is \$8 General Admission and \$5 children 12 And under. Tickets can only be bought Friday night. Ticket booth opens at 7:30PM. Open seating. ***Just mention that you are a Prince of Peace Member and receive your \$5 ticket. Directed by Prince of Peace Parishioner Mariette Piolet. Any questions please call Mariette Piolet at 864.616.0846.

Unfortunately in our culture we are held fast in a grip of deadly attitudes about human life, about the human person, especially in the moments of his or her beautiful but fragile beginnings and in the vulnerable times of old age and illness. There are some in our culture and in our country who think that human civil institutions or some given human subject bestow the right to life. No! Not any of us can bestow the right to life. We can only recognize the right to life, uphold and defend it and cherish its beauty.

- Cardinal Daniel DiNardo, homily at Opening Mass, National Vigil for Life, January 21, 2010.