

1 october 2023
26th sunday in ordinary
time (English) external
solemnity of our lady of
the rosary (Latin)

jeremiah
1:5



Before I formed you in the womb
I knew you...

winning t-shirt design for Saturday Night Life—
all teens invited on Saturday, 7 Oct at 6p in PAC



PRINCE of PEACE
Catholic Church & School
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A Parish Family of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charleston

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Our Mission

To share the fullness of the Gospel to all we encounter in our lives by equipping disciples to create and strengthen a personal relationship with Christ. By the grace of God, we are called to strive for personal holiness, participate fully in the vibrant life of the Church's Tradition and transform the world.

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We are grateful that you have come to our parish and hope that you will soon call this faith community your home! Learn more by emailing us at welcome@princeofpeacetaylors.org.



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Letter from our Pastor

An Extraordinary Parish for Ordinary People

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The universe was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things that are visible. Words have meaning. Words have power. Words have consequences. Think about how a single word of encouragement, consolation or concern can change the world for a single person. And think about how a single word of anger, betrayal or caprice can destroy in an instant. I think that most of us, if we honestly examined our consciences, could admit that sometimes we have used our words well, and sometimes we have not. We live in an age in which people allow themselves the liberty to say things behind a screen that they would never say face to face, and when we routinely act out of emotion rather than stop and think about whether what is coming forth from our hearts is good, true and beautiful. I have done it, and I'm sure you have done it too, hopefully not too many times.

A Catholic community cannot operate according to the logic of this world, and hope to survive. If we do not model our actions and interactions on what Christ offers us as the best way, then what's the point of a Catholic parish, or a Catholic anything for that matter? Even in the best Catholic place on earth, which I am firmly convinced Prince of Peace is, there are going to be disagreements, conflicts and misunderstandings. Thankfully, there are not many in the grand scheme of things, but they are there. How do we handle them?

At Mass on Sunday, we heard the words of Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew: *If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have won over your brother. If he does not listen, take one or two others along with you, so that 'every fact may be established on the testimony of two or three witnesses.'* *If he refuses to listen to them, tell the church. If he refuses to listen even to the church, then treat him as you would a Gentile or a tax collector.*

What does this mean in practice? When there is a conflict between two Christians, it is important to talk to that person first. Many times healing and constructive conversations can be had at this level. And I can tell you from experience, the times I have not followed that wise advice, I have regretted it. Every single time. When there is a conflict between two members of our community, it is the expectation of Christ Himself that we treat the other as the image and likeness of God, and that we go to the person directly. Now, that does not mean that difficult conversations are off the table; often they need to be had. But do we see the other person as an adversary to be conquered, or as a fellow traveler? Do we give the other person grace, mercy and compassion? To be blunt, if you have the time to talk about the person you are concerned about over text groups or on social media platforms, you have time to actually go to the source and have the conversation. Are you actually seeking to make a situation better if you don't pursue the first route Our Lord command us to take in these matters? Failure to do so breeds discontent, gossip and divides people against each other.

If there is anything I have learned, it is that the Devil wants to divide us and that people are good, but always in need of improvement. It's hard to improve, overcome, and move forward when we feel judged, hated, or derided. Only when we have the grace to extend mercy and forgiveness, and engage maturely in frank but authentic listening and dialogue, can we have a community which comes alive with the light of the Gospel.

My dear friends, we are going to step on each other's toes at times. We are going to say things and do things that aren't Jesus. We are going to look at the other and think, "What were you thinking"? It is going to happen. But are we going to, knowing all that, choose to love in that place? Do we want to look back and regret the good that we could have done to and for each other because we chose the way the world works instead of the wise path the Author of Good News marks out for us in His Word?

In Christ,

Our Map—A Smoke, Vape & Tobacco Free Campus



- 1 Parish House, under the protection of Our Lady of Fatima (includes within it Croghan Hall)
- 2 Guadalupe Hall
- 3 Lourdes Hall & School Office
- 4 Walsingham Hall
- 5 PAC (Parish Activity Center) & PAC Classroom
- 6 St Vincent de Paul (SVDP) Hall
- 7 Blessed McGivney Hall
- 8 Church
- 9 Christ the King Adoration Chapel
- Parking Lots 11, 12, 13 and 14



= where you see this symbol, it means live broadcast simultaneously on [Facebook](#) & [YouTube](#)

Parish Calendar

Fr Christopher Smith = FCS Fr Richard Tomlinson = FRT | Readings are Year A

sunday, 1 oct 26th sunday in ordinary time (English) external solemnity of our lady of the rosary (Latin)	monday, 2 oct holy guardian angels (English & Latin)	tuesday, 3 oct weekday (English) st teresa of the child Jesus (Latin)
8a Mass Pauline Cooper+(FCS) LB 10a Mass McCullen/Simmons Families (FRT) 12p Latin Mass Norman Dandenault+ (FRT) 3-4.30p New Altar Server Training 6p Vespers followed by Procession	7a Mass Mary Seger-L (FRT) 7.40a Lauds 12p Latin Mass Reyna Manteghi+(FRT)	7a Mass Susan, John & Brady Cunningham-L (FRT) 7.40a Lauds 12p Latin Mass Laura Kuczewski-L (FCS) 5.30p Vespers
<i>8.50a religious education</i> <i>1p basketball pac</i> <i>1.30p potluck parish house</i> <i>5p vespers practice</i> <i>6.30p cyo</i> <i>svdp in narthex</i>	<i>10.30a svdp svdp hall</i> <i>6p volleyball pac</i> <i>6.30p scouts</i> <i>6.30p legion of mary lourdes hall</i> <i>6.45p young adults mcgivney hall</i>	<i>6.30p fraternus & fidelis</i> <i>7p men's bible study guadalupe hall</i>
wednesday, 4 oct st francis of assisi (English & Latin)	thursday, 5 oct sts Faustina Kowalska & blessed Francis Xavier Seelos (English) st Placid & Companions (Latin)	friday, 6 oct blessed Marie Rose Durocher (English) st Bruno (English & Latin)
8.30a Mass Dottie Sanda+(FCS) 12p Latin Mass Arabella Cardella-L (FRT) 5p Confession	7a Mass Emmanuel Carandang-L (FCS) 7.40a Lauds 12p Latin Mass Nova Mershon-L (FRT)	7a Mass Michael Buss-L (FCS) 7.40a Lauds 12p Latin Mass Jesus M Acosta+(FCS) 5.30p Vespers 6.30p First Friday Teen Holy Hour
<i>6p advanced marian class mcgivney hall</i> <i>7p introduction to catholicism pac</i> <i>7p endow women's study lourdes hall</i>	<i>5.30p aoh mcgivney hall</i>	
saturday, 7 oct our lady of the rosary (English & Latin)	sunday, 8 oct 27th sunday in ordinary time (English) 19th sunday after pentecost (Latin)	prayer requests
8a Latin Mass Steven Buss-L (FRT) 3.30-4.40p Confession 5p Mass Linda Standera+(FCS)	8a Mass Phillip Gerard+(FCS) LB 10a Mass For the People of the Parish (FRT) 12p Latin Mass Pham VC Family (FRT) 6p Vespers	All those serving our country, Gena Cunningham, Julie Mallory, Bridgitte Gunnells, Wrenn Calcutt, Jim Bannister, Stephen Wiltberger, Lillie Nesbitt, Kevin Stanton, Doris Pratt, Sarah Williams, Kenneth Price, Jackie Andrejack, Dcn Bob Smith, Lois Smith, Christy Smith, Shannon Harkins, Gloria Dussich, Rose Schillaci, Kristina Murphy, Laurie Taylor, Carl Jones, Luigina Warga, Marlene C. Eugenia Kolinko, Susan Subrizi, Mary Jean Heap, Stella Boris, Rosemary Craig, Janine Moore, Jean Casey, Thomas Dorsey, Jennifer Gregory, Kathleen & Dan Mottl, Peter McPherson, Lola Hartman, Annmarie Egas, Frank Cespedes, Joanne P, Mary Ann Egan, Julia Chatignyblais, Connie Meiners, Joe Valitchka, Juan & Laura Pachur, Elizabeth Nowlan, Betty Baker, Deborah Baker, Andrew Frisari, Madelina Mello, Ed Matthews, Yanini Smith, Martha Catel, Anna & Casey Chevalier, Christine Tallman, Curtis Hagler, Kayla Whatley, Robert Dobbins, Matt Smith, Jenn Pfaffl, Valerie Pachur, Jim Eagan, Kathy Melone, Vanessa Baugh, Cal Valois & A. Thana Pacco Rivas, Tammy Jones, Caleb Sadowski, Brian Aho, Jim Roberts, Lorenzo Rosa, Jim Rimer, Martina Farge, Nancy Methison
<i>9a-12p children's choir retreat</i> <i>10a children's holy hour church</i> <i>10a bounce svdp hall</i> <i>10 triune mercy center mcgivney hall</i> <i>6p saturday night life pac</i>	<i>8.50a religious education</i> <i>1p basketball pac</i> <i>6.30p cyo</i>	
<p><i>Please contact the Parish Office to request a name be added to the prayer list. We will leave names on the prayer list for two weeks, unless requested otherwise.</i></p>		



Happenings & Needs

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homebound ministry

If you are homebound and wish to receive Holy Communion, please contact Deacon Mark Thompson at mark.thompson@princeofpeacetaylors.org

widows and widowers—"bounce"

Be comforted by those who have experienced the grief of the loss of a spouse on the first Saturday of the month at 10a in the Pope Francis House. Call Jean Casey at 864.423.7010 to learn more.

catholic youth organization

Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) is for grades 9-12. Young men and women meet on Sundays at 6.30p in Parish House to share a meal, play games, and talk about faith. Questions? Contact Stephanie and John Lasitter at cyo@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

help needed: ushers and greeters

Greeters and ushers are greatly needed across all Mass times! Contact Marco De Maria at 864.631.7713 or mad4jen@msn.com!

lay dominicans

Learn about the life and charism of Lay Dominicans and how they share in the apostolic mission of the Dominican Order through the Four Pillars: Prayer, Study, Community and Apostolic Preaching, by emailing Janice Carl, OP at janice.carl@gmail.com.

substitute teachers needed

Join our Substitute Teacher list at the parish school! Please email Principal Nathan Barontini to learn more at principal@popcatholicsschool.org.

Donations (envelopes in the narthex may be dropped into the offertory baskets)



sanctuary candle \$20



bread & wine \$20



flowers \$300



music \$300

perpetual eucharistic adoration



"O God, You are my God whom I seek, my soul thirsts for you!" Ps 63:1

Share a Holy hour with the Lord! Contact Lisa Buss at 864.508.7123 or email adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org. The following times are in need of adoption (*urgent):

- Sunday - 8a; Tuesday - 8p; Thursday - 2a* & 9a*; Friday - 12p & 3p

baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their child must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Thursday, 12 October at 6.30p in the Walsingham Hall Art Room. Contact Deacon Gus to join at 864. 420.0497 or baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org
⇒ *Baptisms cannot be scheduled until the class is completed. Only Deacon Acosta can schedule Baptisms.*

mass intentions

The Mass Intention book is closed for the rest of 2023. It should open again sometime mid October for Jan-May only. You can email Maria Rauch your Mass intention requests beginning 1 October. Note: The parish has Mass cards for Mass intentions to be said in the Holy Land.

men's bible study

Deacon Michael Thompson leads a Men's Bible Study meeting Tuesdays at 7p in Guadalupe Hall studying the Book of John! All men should come. Contact Deacon Thompson at 864.365.8178 to learn more.

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eucharistic rosary congress

The Eucharistic Rosary Congress is held in response to Our Lady of Fatima's call to conversion, consecration and prayer and are offered in a spirit of reparation, for life, peace in our families and the world, and the deep healing of our Church! Hosted in parishes throughout the US, our parish has adopted 8 October as our day to dedicate a rosary for the intentions of our State, our Country, Respect Life and the Reparation of sin in our State and Country.

endow women's study

The POP Women's Group meets on Wednesdays at 7p in Lourdes Hall. This is a group for women of all ages and life stages to connect with one another and grow in faith. The group is studying St Hildegard: Discovering the Doctors.

- For more information, visit the Facebook page: www.facebook.com/groups/EndowatPOPTaylors.

ladies lunch bunch

The Ladies Lunch Bunch will meet at Olive Garden – Verdae on Tuesday, 10 October at 11.30a. Please RSVP to Dorothea Jones at 864.268.3354.

st rafka's monthly pasta dinner

St Rafka's monthly pasta dinner will be Thursday, 5 October, 5.30-7.30p Adults are \$10 and children \$5. Menu includes penne chicken alfredo, corn chowder, dessert and tea.

mary queenship, our lady of palestine

Our Lady of Palestine is the patroness to the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem in which Fr Smith and Fr Tomlinson belong, as well as several parishioners. At the 10a Mass on Sunday, 29 October, we welcome all the Knights and Ladies of the Holy Sepulchre!

latin choral mass for christ the king

Join us for a special Choral Mass for Christ the King in Latin on Sunday, 29 October at the 12n Mass. The St. Cecilia Choir will sing Claudio Monteverdi's *Messa da Cappella a quattro voci* from the composer's monumental sacred collection of 1641, *Selva morale e spirituale*, or "Moral and Spiritual Forest."

parish school rosary

All are invited to join praying a rosary at 2.45p at the Blessed Mother statue outside of Parish House for the good of the school, its teachers and families within it. If the weather is bad, go inside the church.

prayer shawl ministry

The prayer shawl ministry meets on the third Friday of the month at 10.30a. They crochet/knit shawls/lap robes which they donate to nursing homes, cancer and dialyses centers. They welcome more volunteers and donations of yarn are always welcome. For information call Paulette at 864.434.0278.

welcome committee

Interested in helping new folks feel at home at our parish? From emails to phone calls to events, there's a way to pitch in! Contact Tracy Rozsa at welcome@princeofpeacetaylors.org to learn more about the Guild of St Benedict Welcome Committee.

welcome new parishioners

Join us in welcoming the following new parishioners: Joshua & Kerith Gaines & Family; Jennifer Ricketts; Christopher De La Cruz; Mario & Nora Rivera; Krzysztof & Katerzyna Lekawski and family; Carol Ozog; Thelma Nuda; and welcome back Lindsey McCarthy and family.

friends of st josemaria recollections

The purpose of a recollection is to help participants sanctify their ordinary life in and through their work, family, and recreational activities. In the spirit of Opus Dei, the next Recollections are:

Men: Friday, 13 Oct at 7p with reception

Women: Saturday, 14 Oct at 9a with reception

men's breakfast

All men of the parish and their friends are invited to breakfast and fellowship on Thursday, 5 October at 8a at Denny's on Wade Hampton Blvd. For more information, call Don Foertsch at 864.268.3810.

k5 aide job opening

The parish school is seeking a full time K5 Aide. Applicants should have experience working with this age group of children. Send resume and cover letter to Mr Barontini at principal@popcatholicsschool.org.



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triune mercy kitchen—feed the hungry

Make a **corporal work of mercy by feeding the hungry** of Triune Mercy Kitchen on the first Sunday monthly. Please [sign up here](#). Contact John Olson with questions at jamolson@gmail.com.

st vincent de paul news

St. Vincent DePaul thanks our generous parishioners for their donations. Pantry donations may be left in the large wooden bin in the Narthex. Current pantry needs are:

- toothbrushes & toothpaste
- pork & beans
- pasta & pasta sauce
- canned peas and canned beans
- cereal
- dried pinto beans
- white rice

introduction to catholicism

Get a robust treatment of the fundamentals of Catholic Doctrine and ask those questions you've always wanted to but never quite knew who to ask. We're looking forward to diving into the Catholic Faith together! Join us, Wednesdays in the PAC at 7p.

- Contact Michael for more information at michael.sandifer@princeofpeacetaylors.org

saturday night life event for teens

Saturday Night Life, Dignity of the Human Person, is for teens in 7th-12th grades across the Diocese of Charleston. Hosted by Prince of Peace Catholic Church on 7 October at 6.15p, this fun and memorable evening includes dinner, speakers, prizes and more. \$15 at the door. Questions? Email Theresa Barnet at upstatescteenlifefest@gmail.com

st isidore garden children's classes

Children's garden classes will recur on the second and fourth Thursday of each month from 3.30-4.30p starting in September. This a great way for children to learn about gardening HANDS ON.

- 12 Oct: Is it harvest time?
- 26 Oct: Making a Garden Map & Garden Plan
- 9 Nov: Winter Garden

children's holy hour

Join us on Saturday, 7 October, at 10a for a children's Holy Hour. This Holy Hour is designed specifically for children with devotions/readings ideal for their age so that they can learn the joy of Eucharistic Adoration. Bring the whole family and spend an hour with the Lord!

latin mass community monthly potluck

The Latin Mass community hosts a community-wide potluck the first Sunday of each month in Croghan Hall after the 12n Latin Mass. Please bring a main dish to share. Help set up and clean up!

parish offertory | august

Giving to the offertory is convenient and easy. Scan the QR code to connect to Tithely to make your gift. Options to give to special projects are available. Keep supporting your parish home when you are on vacation with this convenience!



Offertory	As of August 31, 2023		
	Actual	Budget	Surplus / (Deficit)
Month	\$ 127,092	\$ 126,400	\$692
Year-To-Date	\$ 280,217	\$ 284,400	(\$4,183)

over 900 books, socializing and fun await

The Blessed McGivney Hall is open on Sundays after the 8a and 10a Mass. Grab a coffee or hot chocolate, peruse a library of over 900 vetted Catholic titles, and socialize with parishioners. Indoor and outdoor activities are available for kids of all ages! Contact John Olson to learn more at jamolson@gmail.com. If you have questions about the library, email library@princeofpeacetaylors.org

29th annual craft fair

The 29th annual Holiday Craft Fair is Saturday, 4 November from 9a-2p in the PAC! Vendor booths are sold out. The event is free to attend! Vendor fees support giving turkeys to the hungry over Thanksgiving.

attraction books

The Columbiettes are selling \$25 Attraction Coupon Books for 2024 in the parish office or by calling Cheryl Wargo (864.616.2264).

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meal train at pop

Parishioners and school families are invited to reach out to Jennifer Pfaffl during times of need to have a Meal Train organized. Meal Trains are promoted on social media, The Good News (parish school weekly newsletter) and by email request to missfluff129@yahoo.com. It takes a village to provide support to those in need. Please consider supporting the gift of comfort for those in need.

first friday teen holy hour

Calling all teenagers! Join a group of teens who meet for a Holy Hour before our Lord present in the Eucharist on First Fridays from 6.30-7.30p in the Church. Afterward, teens socialize in the parking lot. Parents are encouraged to come—some remain in the parking lot. Questions? Contact Dcn Michael Cavin.

advent market

Prince of Peace will host a parish festival this year to celebrate the start of Advent on Saturday, 2 December from 9a-5p in the Parish Activity Center.



In addition to a number of wonderful artisans selling hand-made goods perfect for Christmas gifts, there will be music, food, church tours, and the official unveiling of Prince of Peace's Great Nativity in the Parish for 2023. Children will have a free scavenger hunt and craft activity around the Market, and parish ministries will be present to share more about the good work they do in the community. Come join us as we prepare to celebrate Advent and await the feast of the Prince of Peace's birth! Proceeds from vendor fees will go toward helping those in need this Holiday Season.

For more information, or to enquire about vendor availability, scan the QR code or contact Michael at 864.331.3902.

clergy appreciation week

On 8-13 October, all families are invited to make or purchase cards to share words of kindness, encouragement and thanksgiving with our clergy! Drop them off or send them to the parish office.

youth basketball

Sign-ups for youth basketball will be 10 Sept – 08 October for all boys and girls grades K5-12. We also have Men's & Women's teams for 19+. Registration is online at www.poptaylorsathletics.com or copies of all forms can be found in the church office. Completed registration, with signed waivers and code of conduct is required before participating in practices/games. Practices will be held every Sunday in the PAC, starting 1 October. Tentative practice schedules are as follows and will be confirmed by team coaches:

- Co-Ed K5-1st Grade: 1-2pm
- Co-Ed 2nd-3rd Grade: 2-3pm
- Girls 4th-5th Grade: 3-4pm
- Boys 4th-5th Grade: 4-5pm
- Boys Middle School: 5-6pm
- Girls Middle School: 6-7pm
- Girls High School: 7-8pm
- Boys High School: 8-9pm
- Men's/Women's Teams: 9-10pm

Volunteers are needed to help coach. Please contact Mark Burress (poptaylors.bball@gmail.com) or Maria Rauch (maria.rauch@princeofpeacetaylors.org) if you are interested.

golf tournament gratitude

Players at the 3rd annual Golf Charity Upstate Tournament enjoyed a fun-filled day of golf that concluded with a cocktail par-tee overlooking the scenic Glassy Mountain views! Dcn Michael Thompson and the committee wish to acknowledge our largest donors:

Eagle Sponsors:

- Broadstreet Global Fund
- Priority One Security

Birdie Sponsors:

- Brian & Pam Mackenzie

The committee included: Deacon Michael Thompson (Chair), Billy Martin, Chanlin Wong, Daniel Sundahl, John Olson, Joseph Tedrick, Kylee Jean Heap, Mark Reinstein, Pam Harrison, Ron Thompson, and Tom Zeimetz.

If you'd like to volunteer next year, let Deacon know!



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theology on tap for young adults

All Greenville/Upstate Young adults 18-35 (21+ to drink alcohol) are invited to the Diocesan Fall Theology on Tap series at Fireforge Crafted Beer at 7p on 5 October, 2 November and 7 December. Join us as we discuss faith, share some fellowship, and order a drink or food if you like! This 4-part series is focused on the 4 parts of consecration and the Eucharistic feast - Taken, Blessed, Broken, and Given. It's heavily inspired by Eucharistic revival and devotion, specifically from the Catechism, and the purpose is to re-orient our everyday worship and conform to His heart in this way.

“Our way of thinking is attuned to the Eucharist, and the Eucharist in turn confirms our way of thinking” (CCC, 1327).

To learn more, contact Mike Sylvester at 843.670.2586 or msylvester@charlestandiocese.org.

confraternity of christian mothers

The Confraternity of Christian Mothers of Prince of Peace (a chapter of the Archconfraternity of Christian Mothers) invites all women of the parish and surrounding parishes to join on 21 October for 8a Mass with New Member Enrollment, Reception and a Talk by Fr Joseph Tuscan. For more information email CCM@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

solemn vespers

On Sundays in October and November, we will celebrate Solemn Vespers or Evening Prayer, in the Church at 6p. This 30-35 minute service is a great way to join in the public prayer of the Church at the end of the day. We will need a Thurifer, Crucifer, 2 acolytes and an MC.

altar server training

Interested in becoming an altar server in the novus ordo or extraordinary form? Contact Dcn Michael Cavin. Upcoming trainings include parish and school servers (**NEW START TIME**):

- 1 October 3-4.30p for new altar servers only
- 8 October 3-4.30p for new & recently trained altar servers
- 15 October 3-4.30p for new & recently trained altar servers & MCs
- 22 October 3-4.30p for all altar servers

40 days for life—fall campaign

Life Chain: Sunday, 1 October from 2.30-3.30p, Woodruff Road, in front of Target. Please join others across the country for this peaceful, prayerful, public witness for the sanctity of human life. Call Ingrid at 864.329.0044 for sign pick-up information.

Rosaries for Life: Pray the rosary during 40 Days for Life for the intentions to end abortion, for the conversion of our society, and for an end to other assaults on human Life. Turn in your counts each week to familylife@charlestandiocese.org.

poptoberfest

POPtoberfest is a parish and school community event on Saturday, 28 October after the 5p Mass. A blessing of beer kicks off the 6-10p event with delicious food, games, a DJ, beer and cider, inflatables, cornhole tournament, kids corner and —new in 2023—a living wax museum!

Sponsorship is available:

- \$200 Bronze: 1 beer wristband, 20 tickets, name on signage
- \$350 Silver: 2 beer wristbands, 40 tickets, name on signage
- \$800 Gold: 4 beer wristbands, 80 tickets, logo on signage
- \$1,200 Platinum: 6 beer wristbands, 100 tickets, logo on signage and promotion

Tickets are \$1 each:

- Child Plate: 5 tickets—hot dog, chips, applesauce
- Adult Plate: 10 tickets—1 brat, 3 sides; 15 tickets—2 brats, 3 sides
- Beer: 5 tickets (make it bottomless for 30 tickets)
- Pretzel: 2 tickets
- Cotton Candy: 3 tickets
- Baked Good: 2 tickets
- Living Wax Museum Entry: 1 ticket
- Cornhole Tournament: FREE
- Inflatables: FREE

Contact michelle.zimmerman@popcatholicschool.org to learn more!

altar linen society needs new members

Help is urgently needed to wash and iron the linens used during Mass as part of the Altar Society. Please contact Lena Boyle at 864.244.2997



Contact Us

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**contact Deacon Acosta about baptisms, funerals, marriage, and RCIA*

Maria Rauch	Parish Secretary	864.331.3901	maria.rauch@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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**contact Maria R. about facility reservations and requesting Anointing of the Sick prior to surgery or when gravely ill, Safe Environment*

Maria Barontini	Pastoral Associate for Children's Catechesis	864.331.3919	maria.barontini@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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**contact Maria B. about children's catechesis, first confession, first communion, and confirmation*

Michael Sandifer	Pastoral Associate Adult Faith Formation	864.331.3902	michael.sandifer@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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contact Michael S. as ministry liaison

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