



14 january 2024  
second sunday in  
ordinary time (english)  
second sunday after  
epiphany (latin)



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*Catholic Church & School*  
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## A Parish Family of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charleston

Bishop Jacques Fabre-Jeune, CS  
Diocese of Charleston

### Pastor

Fr. Christopher Smith, STD

### Parochial Vicar

Fr. Richard Tomlinson, STD

### Deacons

Nestor Acosta, Michael Cavin,  
Robert Smith, Gus Suárez, Mark  
Thompson & Michael Thompson

### 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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✉ [parishoffice@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:parishoffice@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

### Office hours:

Monday-Thursday 9a-4p \*office  
closed 1-2p  
Friday 9a-12p

### Stay connected:

Website: [www.princeofpeacetaylors.org](http://www.princeofpeacetaylors.org)

Facebook & Instagram: @princeofpeacetaylors

Recordings of homilies are on the parish website & [Apple Podcast](#)

Sacred Music: [Spotify](#) (search Sacred Music at Prince of Peace)

Formed: when you register at [formed.org/register](http://formed.org/register), use code GYYF72.

### Giving:

We appreciate your support: [Parish Offertory](#) & [Parish School Giving](#)

### Library:

Online Catalog & Hours: <https://www.librarycat.org/lib/POPCCS>

### Are you new? Welcome!

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](mailto:welcome@princeofpeacetaylors.org).



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# Letter from our Pastor, Fr Christopher Smith

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

More from St John XXIII on the pipe organ!

*Oh yes, the sweet and penetrating sound of the organ can well serve as a symbol of the life-giving breath of the that spirit of the Lord that fills the whole world: spiritus Domini replevit orbem terrarum, et hoc quod continet omnia scientiam habet vocis. Its sound will undoubtedly help the Fathers of the Council feel the solemnity of the historical event; it will help the faithful to hear the rustle of new life that will be spreading through the Church; and it will cause more fervent prayers to well up in hearts – asking God that His Divine Spirit – We are always so happy to repeat this – renew “in our day the wonders of a kind of new Pentecost.”*

A second thought suggested by St. Augustine comes to Us which expresses the wonderful function of an organ in the temple of God, and especially in St. Peter's. The Holy Doctor points out how the giving of a proper and ordered harmony to different musical sounds is an image of the well-governed city, where peace and order reign, thanks to the harmonious union of various elements: “diversorum sonorum rationabilis moderatusque concentus concordie varietate compactam bene ordinatae civitatis insinuat unitatem.” How can we but see in this unity amid variety, for which the organ can serve as a symbol, the image of the Church herself with her basic attributes, a living symphony, an image of the heavenly Jerusalem and a kind of echo of the divine harmonies? But here beneath the vault of this temple where the faithful – despite their differences of race, of language, of national origin – still feel themselves more united than ever before as members of a single family, the sound of the new organ blending all their voices into a single chorus will be more than a mere symbol; it will be a living expression and an active principle of the unity of the unity of the Church.

The organ will find in this temple, better than elsewhere and – we might say – more completely, a terrain adapted to its function of guiding and blending into one great melodious spirit all the faithful who lift themselves up to God with their whole heart and call upon Him “una voce dicentes: sanctus.” We will behold this sight particularly in the days just ahead, when the Pastors of the “plebs christiana,” gathered here for the Ecumenical Council, show themselves to be vivified and to be harmoniously united for the expression of the unity of the faith in all its beauty.

The organ, as it blends the voices of all into its melodies, will then invite the Christian faithful to form a kind of single harmonious chorus with their bishops and with the priests. The strings of the lyre will be different, but one single symphony will come forth. In this way, the Church, although still a pilgrim upon earth, will show that she is united with the never-ending procession of the Blessed in heaven, who sing hymns in praise of the Spotless Lamb. Oh what a wonderful sight, an anticipation of and preparation for that heavenly liturgy in which our spirit will be completely satisfied!

As we begin this new civil year, it is good to remember that the five year Bicentennial Campaign will come to a close this year, and the pipe organ is the next big ticket fundraising item on the list. Our current organ is an electronic organ. It is basically a computer with speakers. A pipe organ is an entirely different instrument. We are so blessed to have Elizabeth Wilson as a first class organist. She joined our Prince of Peace team because of her love for the Catholic faith and the liturgy and music we do here. But a first class organist and a parish that spares nothing for the worship of God: it's time we have a first class instrument. The organ is called The King of Instruments for a reason, and should the Prince of Peace not have a kingly instrument to play his praises in the church dedicated to his Royal Majesty?

*Fr. Christopher Smith*

## 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 B

<b>sunday, 14 jan</b> second sunday in ordinary time (English) second sunday after epiphany (Latin)	<b>monday, 15 jan</b> weekday (English) st paul the first hermit (Latin)	<b>tuesday, 16 jan</b> weekday (English) st marcellus I (Latin)
8a Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS) 10a Mass Thomas Donohue+ (FCS) 12p Latin Mass Izard Family-L (FCS) 6p Vespers	No Mass	No Mass
1p basketball pac 4p lazos de amor mariano mcgivney hall 6.30p cyo	5.30a men's workout 6p basketball pac 6.30p scouts 6.30p legion of mary lourdes hall 6.45p young adults mcgivney hall parish office & school closed	6.30p fraternus & fidelis 6.30p 4th degree kofc mcgivney hall 7p men's bible study guadalupe hall
<b>wednesday, 17 jan</b> st anthony, abbot (English & Latin)	<b>thursday, 18 jan</b> weekday (English) st prisca (Latin)	<b>friday, 19 Jan</b> weekday (English) sts marius, martha audifax, abachum & canute (Latin)
No Mass No Confession	No Mass	7a Mass Karen Roman-L
6p advanced marian class mcgivney hall 7p introduction to catholicism pac 7p women's study lourdes hall	6p basketball pac	10.30a prayer shawl group 6p basketball pac 6p craft night 7p men's recollection church
<b>saturday, 20 jan</b> sts fabian & sebastian (English & Latin)	<b>sunday, 21 jan</b> third sunday in ordinary time (English) third sunday after epiphany (Latin)	<b>prayer requests</b> 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, Rosemary Craig, Janine Moore, Jean Casey, Thomas Dorsey, Jennifer Gregory, Kathleen & Dan Mottl, Peter McPherson, Annmarie Egas, Frank Cespedes, Mary Ann Egan, Julia Chatignyblais, Connie Meiners, Juan & Laura Pachur, Elizabeth Nowlan, Betty Baker, Deborah Baker, Andrew Frisari, 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, Judith Inghram, Janice & Alan Olson, Jacob Hinson, Jim Green, Mary Martin, Lucretia Albright, Daniel Bennett, Lisa Buss and Francine Burke.
No Daily Mass 3.30p Confession 5p Mass Sloka Family L &+ (FCS)	8a Mass For the People of the Parish (FRT) 10a Mass Tim Seger+ (FCS) 12p Latin Mass Kelly Family-L (FCS) 6p Vespers	
8a basketball pac 9a women's recollection & reception church 9.30a legion of mary lourdes hall	8.50a religious education 1p basketball pac 4p lazos de amor mariano mcgivney hall 6.30p cyo	
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.		



# 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](mailto: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 St Vincent de Paul Hall. 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](mailto:cyo@princeofpeacetaylors.org).

## help needed: ushers and greeters

Greeters and ushers are greatly needed across all Mass times! Contact Marco DeMaria at 864.631.7713 or [mad4jen@msn.com](mailto: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](mailto: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@popcatholicschool.org](mailto:principal@popcatholicschool.org).

## perpetual eucharistic adoration



"Be silent, all flesh, before the LORD; for he has roused himself from his holy dwelling." Zechariah 2:13

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

- Sunday - 8a; Monday - 6a; Tuesday - 4p\*;
- Thursday - 6a; Friday - 8a & 12p; Saturday - 12p

## baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their child must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Thursday, 9 February at 6.30p in the Walsingham Hall Art Room. Contact Deacon Gus to join at 864. 420.0497 or [baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

⇒ *Baptisms cannot be scheduled until the class is completed. Only Deacon Acosta can schedule Baptisms.*

## mass intentions

The parish has Mass cards for Mass intentions to be said in the Holy Land. The Mass intentions book for the parish is closed for the remainder of 2023.

## 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.

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



sanctuary candle \$20  
donated by Phil & Linda Head  
and Marlene Ix  
in honor of Jean Casey



bread & wine \$20



flowers \$300



music \$300

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## offertory and special giving

Keep supporting your parish home when you are on vacation! Electronic giving is a convenient way to make contributions.

- **Donate online** in our [tithe.ly](https://tithe.ly) system - setup EFT, one-time donation or recurring donation. Manage your giving with ease by [downloading the tithe.ly app](#) to your phone.

*If you normally give via WeShare, you can stick with it or switch! The parish incurs lower fees with Tithe.ly. Here's the [WeShare link](#) for managing your account.*

## patriotic rosary

The Columbiettes and the Knights of Columbus are inviting you to a Patriotic Rosary on 15 January at 6p in the church. Please come and pray for our country.

## abortion healing

Support is available if you or someone you love has experienced or been impacted by abortion. Learn about anonymous, confidential options offered virtually or in person by contacting Support After Abortion at 844.289.HOPE (call/text) or email [help@supportafterabortion.com](mailto:help@supportafterabortion.com).

## st isidore garden

The St Isidore Children's Garden Classes will begin Semester 2 on 8 February 2024.

## first friday teen holy hour

First Friday Teen Holy Hour will resume in April 2024.

## parish and school soccer teams

**Spring soccer signups have begun!** If your child (ages 4-11) is interested in playing soccer on one of our POP teams through the YMCA, please contact Adrienne Haverland at 937.477.9074 or by email at [jahaverland@gmail.com](mailto:jahaverland@gmail.com). The practice schedule has not yet been set and will be communicated as soon as we know.

## parish school rosary—on regular school days

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](mailto: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: Tom & Jessica Elias and family; Brian McGuire; Thomas & Kristen Fortuna and Family; Jonathan & Julia Hanson; Victoria Mattox; Joshua McGrath

## 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, 19 Jan at 7p with reception

**Women:** Saturday, 20 Jan at 9a

## diocesan eucharistic conference

There are limited tickets available to each parish to give out to parishioners for the 6 April Diocesan Eucharistic Conference at the Columbia Convention Center. Keynote speakers will be Dr. Edward Sri and Bishop Joseph A. Espallat. There will be music, speakers, a Eucharistic Procession, and Adoration. Email Maria Barontini your request. **This offer ends on 31 January.**





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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](mailto:jamolson@gmail.com).

## st vincent de paul news

St. Vincent DePaul accepts online giving through their [tithely](https://tithely.com) and checks made directly to SVDP. Pantry donations may be left in the large wooden bin in the Narthex. Current pantry needs are:

- Black beans
- Canned beans
- Pasta sauce
- Canned spaghetti
- Canned tuna
- Laundry and dish detergent
- Pork and beans
- Toilet paper

SVDP financials as of the end of December:

SVDP Donations	December		
	2023	2022	Increase / (Decrease)
Month	\$23,548	\$26,078	(\$2,530)
Year-to-Date	\$132,181	\$136,585	(\$4,404)

## meal train at pop

Parishioners and school families are invited to reach out to Jennifer Pfaffl by email at [missfluff129@yahoo.com](mailto:missfluff129@yahoo.com) during times of need to have a Meal Train organized. It takes a village to provide support to those in need. Please consider supporting the gift of comfort for those in need.

## over 900 books, socializing and fun await

The Blessed McGivney Hall is open on Sundays after the 8a and 10a Mass. And, for parents who await their child(ren) attending RE. 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! **Please note that children must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver at all times.** Contact John Olson to learn more at [jamolson@gmail.com](mailto:jamolson@gmail.com).

If you have questions about the library, email [library@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:library@princeofpeacetaylors.org)

## christmas is a season

The festive home décor and celebration should continue until the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord on 9 January, 2023, or even until the Feast of the Presentation (Candlemas) on 2 February.

## become a registered parishioner

If you consider Prince of Peace your spiritual home we ask that you register! If you did not receive a Christmas card then you most likely are not registered with the parish or we do not have a correct address. If you did not receive a Christmas card please go to [princeofpeacetaylors.org](https://princeofpeacetaylors.org) and click on the register button.

## december offertory

Giving to the offertory is convenient and easy. Scan the QR code to connect to Tithely to make your gift. Or, Options to give to special projects are available.



Donate

Offertory	As of December 31, 2023		
	Actual	Budget	Surplus / (Deficit)
Month	\$ 206,932	\$ 201,826	\$5,106
Year-To-Date	\$ 906,396	\$ 921,201	(\$14,805)

## women's study

The POP Women's Group is studying the Rosary of the Virgin Mary. The Apostolic letter by Pope John Paul II, *Rosarium Virginis Mariae*, is the basis for the study written by Endow. The group meets on Wednesdays at 7p in Lourdes Hall. Come!

- [Click here for more information](#) about the study and to order the book. Endow has an e-book and hard copies available. You do not have to have a book to come to the study group! They read aloud and discuss the questions. You can always [download the first chapter for FREE](#) from the Endow website if you'd like to get a feel for the study.

## information night on pilgrimage

There will be an information mtg for the Pilgrimage to Greece/Turkey with Fr Smith and Fr Barone on Saturday, 27 January at 6.30p in the Parish House.

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## latin mass community monthly potluck

The Latin Mass community hosts a 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! Questions? Contact the Green Family at 719.660.3440.

## men's discernment of religious vocations

Men interested in discerning religious vocations should contact Rev Rhett B Williams at [vocations@charlestandiocese.org](mailto:vocations@charlestandiocese.org).

- 2-4 February: Men's Seminary Come & See

## attraction books

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

## parish school donations

Did you know that 45% of families rely on financial assistance to attend the parish school? Your donations to our Annual Fund are needed. Prayfully consider making a Catholic education possible with a check to POPCS or [online gift today!](#)



Annual Fund

## act of spiritual communion

For all those not able to receive our LORD in the Eucharist:

My Jesus, I believe that You are in the Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart, as though You have already come. I embrace You and unite myself entirely to You; never permit me to be separated from You.

## women's discernment of religious vocations

Women interested in the religious life should contact Rev Rhett B Williams at [vocations@charlestandiocese.org](mailto:vocations@charlestandiocese.org).

- 21 February: Women's Day of Discernment in Columbia

## vacation bible school 2024

**Our 2024 Vacation Bible School** is scheduled for 8-12 July. It will be modeled after our in-house programming unveiled in 2023. If you'd like to volunteer, contact Maria Barontini by [email](#).

Any ADULT volunteer who commits to helping with VBS 2024 will have the opportunity to EARLY BIRD Register their children for VBS! Our VBS fills every year and this is your chance to save your child's spot AND help our parish put on a wonderful VBS for our community. Reach out to Maria Barontini by [email](#) about helping with VBS this summer and attend the VBS planning meetings!

- Next Adult Volunteer Meeting: 22 January at 6.30p

## monday morning workout for men

Join the men (18 and older) of the parish who "offer it up" and attack the week every Monday morning from 5.30-6.15a for outdoor exercise and prayer. No fitness background is necessary. Men should dress accordingly and bring their own hydration. Park in the lot between the PAC and McGivney Hall. Participants will offer up prayer and suffering for Fr. Smith, Fr. Tomlinson, all clergy, our own families, and the marriage and family life throughout the Parish. Questions? Contact Paul Pizzuti at [pizzuti@fidei.email](mailto:pizzuti@fidei.email) or 864.501.8954.

## discernment book club and night

Greenville's Dominican Sisters invite single women 18-35yo who are discerning religious life to Book Club and Discernment Nights. Please RSVP to Sr Maria Catherine, OP at [greenville@op-tn.org](mailto:greenville@op-tn.org) to learn more.

## news from st rafka's

There will not be a pasta dinner at St Rafka's in January. Please join them on 1 February at 5.30p.

## pop art party 2024

Get excited to walk the red carpet across the bright lights of paparazzi clamoring to capture your picture at this year's POP Art Party 2024 held at the Poinsett Club on 27 April! Please add your name to the invitation list by emailing: [reception@popcatholicschool.org](mailto:reception@popcatholicschool.org)





# Education Scholarship Trust Fund

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## Education Scholarship Trust Fund

*Applications  
Open Jan. 15!*

Up to **\$6,000** per child awarded  
for educational expenses.



Only 5,000 applications will be accepted this year.  
Apply today! **Applications are open until March 15.**

### **WHAT IS THE EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP TRUST FUND (ESFT)?**

- The Education Scholarship Trust Fund (ESFT) is a scholarship program funded by the state of South Carolina.
- The scholarship give parents more flexibility in providing their children with the education that is best for them. It can be used for any approved education expenses like tuition and fees, textbooks, instructional materials, tutoring and many other services!
- The funds can be used for **Catholic School tuition!**

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TO LEARN  
MORE!**



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# Contact Us

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Declarations of Nullity	Dcn Robert Smith	864.908.7047	dbcsmith@aol.com
Altar Servers	Dcn Michael Cavin		michael.cavin@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Sick & Homebound	Dcn Mark Thompson	864.630.0606	mark.thompson@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Liturgical Ministers	Dcn Michael Thompson		michael.thompson@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Baptism Class	Dcn Gus Suarez		gus.suarez@princeofpeacetaylors.org

## Parish Staff

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Mark Pulley	Director of Finance/Bookkeeper	864.331.3907	bookkeeper@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Dcn Nestor Acosta	Pastoral Associate for Sacramental Life	864.331.3905	nestor.acosta@princeofpeacetaylors.org

*\*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*

Philip Reed	Director of Music	864.331.3904	philip.reed@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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Bobby Moreau	Director of Maintenance		bobby.moreau@popcatholicschool.org
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Elizabeth Wilson	Associate Director of Music	864.331.3906	elizabeth.wilson@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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**School (Office: 864.971-4POP) \*our childcare registration number is 24774**

Nathan Barontini	Principal	864.331.2145	principal@popcatholicschool.org
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Liz Burgdorf	Receptionist	864.331.2145	reception@popcatholicschool.org
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## Ministry & Volunteer Leaders (learn about all of our ministries on our [website](#) under the "about us" menu)

Communications Director	Kylee Jean Heap	864.266.8843	communications@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Creighton Fertility Care/Family Planning	Kristie Killough, RN, BSN, FCP	864.243.7800	text for appointment
Cub Scouts/Boy Scouts	Marty Yigdall	864.423.6541	Pack259.SC@gmail.com
CYO (Catholic Youth Organization)	John & Stephanie Lasitter		cyo@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Food & Financial Assistance	St. Vincent de Paul Society	864.331.3937	
Legion of Mary	Lydia Augustine	423.999.5950	lydiabosco2004@gmail.com
Meal Train Coordinator	Jennifer Pfaffl		missfluff129@yahoo.com
RCIA	Sean Chapman		rcia@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Spiritual Direction	Lisa Buss		spiritualdirection@princeofpeacetaylors.org

**Submit your announcements 2 weeks prior to the desired bulletin date to [bulletin submissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org](mailto:bulletin submissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org)**



# Happenings & Needs

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## prayer request

In your kindness, please pray for the repose of the soul of Nicolas Crespo+.

*Eternal rest, grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*  
Amen.

## parish school among 8 to advance in quiz bowl

A special congratulations to our parish school's Beta Club Quiz Bowl Team who advanced to the next round of competition! **Prince of Peace was one of only 8 schools to advance statewide.** They will now be competing live in Myrtle Beach on Thursday, 18 January.

Quiz Bowl Team:

- Eric Terzella
- Emma Briles
- Teaghan Cavin
- Clara Lasitter

## nationally published poets

Congratulations to the following national poetry contest winners whose works have been selected for publication in the Creative Communication Fall edition. Selected students are among the top 50% of national submissions! All are parish school students:

- Clara Lasitter for her poem "Beauty Unknown"
- Caroline Bagwell for "Water"
- Jane Richardson for "Friends"
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