



1 september 2024
 22nd sunday in ordinary time (English)
 15th sunday after pentecost (Latin)



PRINCE of PEACE
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A Parish Family of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charleston

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Fr. Christopher Smith, STD

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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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Monday-Thursday 9a-4p
 *office closed 1-2p
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Formed: when you register at formed.org/signup, use code GYYF72.

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

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Letter from Our Pastor

An Extraordinary Parish for Ordinary People

Dear Friends in Christ,

I really do not want to be a nag, but I would be remiss if I didn't bring to your attention that we have some bad habits forming that we really need to be attentive to and correct now. Prince of Peace is an intentional community where we take the sacred seriously, and that means that our attitude of reverence is always important. Now, of course, the Sabbath is made for man and not man for the sabbath, and formalistic adherence to rules and regulations can degenerate into pharisaism. And we should be careful to judge a person or a situation because we don't always know why people do what they do. Mindful of this, however, a few things:

If an important world leader invited you to dinner, you would be properly dressed and arrive on time. Yet, the King of Kings and Lord of Lords invites you to the Wedding Feast of the Lamb at Mass. Now, sometimes life happens and there is no way around it, but are you intentionally seeing Mass as the most important thing on the LORD's Day and are you doing your best to arrive, not on time, but early, to recollect yourself in the presence of God? Are you reading the readings ahead of time and making a good preparation for Holy Communion? Are you dressed for a wedding feast or not? "I don't think God cares what I wear to church as long as I am there" is an immature attitude that needs to be checked. The entire Book of Leviticus is filled with detailed prescriptions about divine worship. It's not about you.

Also, why do you insist on being like Judas and shuffling out of the church right after Communion before Mass is over? Who do you think you are and what do you think you are doing? Jesus healed ten lepers and only one came back to thank him. Why are you looking at your watch during Mass? If you can't spend an hour with Jesus once a week, how are you going to spend an eternity in heaven in an act of perpetual worship? Well, you're not going to find out if you keep on like that, now are you?

The church is the temple of the Almighty God. It is a sacred space, and silence is the proper attitude in church. That doesn't mean that you can't discreetly welcome someone or ask about your neighbor. But full throated conversations are inappropriate. A few Sundays ago after the Noon Mass, I was doing an engagement blessing at the Shrine of the Queen of Peace in the church and literally could not hear myself for the noise in the narthex, and that is even when the doors were closed! We live in South Carolina and most of the year it is nice weather to congregate outside. We encourage you to spend quality time with your fellow parishioners in the many public spaces outside the church after you make a proper thanksgiving after Mass. And that means not running on the priest's heels out the door as soon as the deacon says, *Go in peace*. After the 8a Mass, we pray the Prayers after Low Mass. The RE kids leave before those prayers, because they have to get to class, which begins at 8.50a. But the rest of you? The Church commanded those prayers a century and a half ago to protect her children from the evils of the time. Do you think you need those prayers less today, when evil is even more prevalent? How are you going to justify the omission of those prayers with your parish family because you wanted to beat the Baptists to the breakfast buffet?

I don't want this to be a rant, but churches all over the world are dying because they are allowing worldly attitudes to strangle worship in spirit and in truth. As a father, I have to do my best to correct this. I ask you to take these things to heart and act accordingly. For the love of God who first loved us.

Jr. 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
- 15 St Isidore Garden (feeds the hungry of SVDP)



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

Parish Calendar

Fr Christopher Smith = FCS Fr Christopher Grodecki = FCG Fr Timothy Davison=FTD | Readings are Year B

sunday, 1 sept 22nd sunday in ordinary time (English) 15th sunday after pentecost (Latin)	monday, 2 sept weekday (English) st stephen of hungary (Latin)	tuesday, 3 sept st gregory the great (English) st pius X (Latin)
8a Mass Alan Coker-L (FRT) LB 10a Mass Caesar Lucenti+(FTD) 12p Latin Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS)	9a Mass Nubia Baez-L (FRT)	7a Mass James Cooper, Sr+(FRT) 12p Latin Mass Shirley Kennedy-L (FCS)
<i>1.15p potluck pac</i> <i>4p lazos de amor mariano mcgivney hall</i> <i>8p basketball pac</i> <i>svdp in the narthex</i>	<i>parish office & school closed</i> <i>5.30a men's workout</i> <i>6.30p legion of mary walsingham hall</i> <i>7.30p volleyball pac</i>	<i>6.30p fraternus & fidelis</i> <i>7p men's bible study guadalupe hall</i>
wednesday, 4 sept weekday (English) feria (Latin)	thursday, 5 sept st teresa of calcutta (English) st lawrence justinian (Latin)	friday, 6 sept weekday (English) sacred heart of jesus (Latin)
8.30a Mass Tim Seger+(FCS) 12p Latin Mass Ray Lopez+(FRT) 5p Confessions	7a Mass Jennifer DeMaria-L (FCS) 12p Latin Mass Joseph Mershon-L (FRT)	7a Mass Donald F Imber+(FCS) 12p Latin Robert Lewis-L (FCS)
<i>7p endow study guadalupe hall</i>	<i>5.30p AOH mcgivney hall</i>	
saturday, 7 sept BVM on saturday (English & Latin)	sunday, 8 sept 23rd sunday in ordinary time (English) 16th sunday after pentecost (Latin)	prayer requests 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, 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, Kayla Whatley, Matt Smith, Jenn Pfaffl, Valerie Pachur, Jim Eagan, Kathy Melone, Vanessa Baugh, Cal Valois & A. Thana Pacco Rivas, Tammy Jones, Brian Aho, Jim Roberts, Lorenzo Rosa, Jim Rimer, Judith Inghram, Janice & Alan Olson, Jacob Hinson, Jim Green, Mary Martin, Lucretia Albright, Daniel Bennett, Lisa Buss, Francine Burke, Carol Deretchin, David Purpura, Eileen Harrison, Hewitt Dickerson, Angela Bagley, Kenneth & Kathryn Gifford, Laura & Leonard Kuczewski, Irene Ponce, Sandy Milton, Jake & Sara Hinson
8a Latin Mass Bradley Bush+(FRT) 3.30p Confessions 5p Mass Bill & Linda Standera+(FRT)	LB 8a Mass Merlita Carandang-L (FRT) 10a Mass Deceased Perone Family (FCS) 12p Latin Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS)	
	<i>8.50a religious education</i> <i>11.30a-4p parish picnic parish house, pac, field</i> <i>4p lazos de amor mariano mcgivney hall</i> <i>6.30p catholic youth organization</i> <i>8p basketball pac</i>	
	 <p>50TH ANNIVERSARY PICNIC Food · Family · Games · Kickball · Crafts · Trivia & Scavenger Hunt · Volleyball · Archives and Memorabilia · Races · Cornhole · 3.30p Firetruck Hosedown</p>	
<p>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.</p>		



Happenings & Needs

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homebound ministry

If you are homebound and wish to receive Holy Communion, 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 St Vincent de Paul Hall. Call Julie Gianelloni at 864.561.4733 to learn more.

catholic youth organization

Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) is for grades 9-12. During the school year, young men and women meet on Sundays 6.30-8.30p in Parish House to share a meal, play games, and talk about faith. Questions? Contact Stephanie and John Lasitter at cyo@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

- CYO Retreat 13-15 September

st isidore garden

Volunteers harvest in the garden on Mondays at 10a for the hungry. All should join. Questions? Contact Katie Bein at katiemwilliams88@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.

perpetual eucharistic adoration



"Eucharistic Adoration is the greatest power in the universe capable of transforming us and changing the face of the world." St. Maximillian Kolbe

Share a Holy hour with the Lord!
Contact Lisa Buss at 864.508.7123 or adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

The following times are in need of adoption (*urgent):

Sunday - 11a; Friday - 12p; Saturday - 2p & 7p*

baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their child must attend a Baptism Class. The next class is Thursday, 12 September. Register by contacting Deacon Gus at 864.420.0497 or by email at gus.suarez@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

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

men's bible study

Deacon Michael Thompson leads a Men's Bible Study meeting Tuesdays at 7p in Guadalupe Hall studying the Acts of the Apostles! All men should come. Contact Dcn Thompson at 864.365.8178 with questions.

mass intentions

The parish has Mass cards for Mass intentions to be said in the Holy Land anytime.

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



sanctuary candle \$20



bread & wine \$20



flowers \$400



music \$300

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serve as an usher or greeter

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

help needed with pew project

Please consider helping with the pew project by working at 9a on Saturday or after the 12n Mass on Sunday. If you have a power drill, bring it. Questions should be directed to Ed Carl. May be rescheduled.

annual golf tournament

The annual Golf Tournament will be held on Monday, 16 September at Cherokee Valley Golf Course. It will be a shotgun start at 12n. The fee per golfer is \$200 and covers 18 holes of golf, a box lunch before teeing off, dinner and drinks at the end of the tournament, automatic entrance in the putting contest, a swag bag with golf balls and other gifts, free drinks during play, and perks like: 1 throw, 1 mulligan and 1 red tee! Registration is open and sponsorships are being accepted at www.golfcharitygreenville.com. Questions? Contact Event Chair, Dcn Michael Thompson at 864.365.8178.

remembrance for aborted babies

The National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Babies is 14 September. Please attend 8a Mass followed by a prayer service led by the Pro-life Committee at the Memorial for the Unborn. It is an opportunity to pray and publicly mourn the babies lost to abortion.

st rafka's news

St Rafka's is no longer hosting a monthly dinner.

internet safety class

The Greenville County Sheriff's Department will be hosting an important class on Internet Safety for Parents on 26 September at 7p in the Parish Activity Center (PAC). This session aims to educate parents on how to protect their children from online dangers and ensure safe internet practices at home. Don't miss this opportunity to learn vital tips and strategies from experts in the field. All parents are encouraged to attend.

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 in our parish? To learn more, contact Tracy Rozsa at welcome@princeofpeacetaylors.org about the Guild of St Benedict Welcome Committee.

new parishioners

Welcome new parishioners: Randy & Lisa Frongillo; David Fey; & Jason Ayers; Mike Fisher & Katie Perini and family.

marian eucharistic conference

The 12th Marian Eucharistic Conference will be held 25-26 October at the Greenville Convention Center. The featured speakers include: Fr. Larry Richard; Fr. Chris Alar, MIC; **Fr. Christopher Smith, STD/Ph.D.**, KHS.; Dr. Ray Guarendi; Fr. Roger Landry; Fr. Bart Leon, OSB. General admission is \$125, and youth is \$90, including a dinner on Friday and lunch on Saturday. Register by 12 October by mail. After 12 October, the price is \$135. Gluten-free meals upon request. Parking is free. For more information, call (864)354-7160 or go to <http://www.meconferencesc.net>

nfp creighton model training for teachers

Become part of a team of Natural Family Planning practitioners providing Natural Procreative Choices to families in our Diocese. The FertilityCare Services Limited Education Programs will host the Creighton Model FertilityCare Practitioner Education Program for those interested in teaching others how to use the method. Applications are currently being accepted for the 13-month program. The program is held at St Francis Bon Secours Emergency Center in Simpsonville, SC. Application deadline is 25 September. Contact Margaret Howard, MAM, CFCE, Program Director, at 402.320.9268 or mphoward.cfce@protonmail.com



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ladies lunch bunch

The Ladies Lunch Bunch will meet at Della Venturas, 337 S. Buncombe Rd. in Greer, on Tuesday, 10 September at 11.30a. Please RSVP to Dorothea Jones at 864.268.3354.

st vincent de paul needs

St. Vincent DePaul accepts online giving through their tithe.ly and checks made directly to SVDP. Pantry donations may be left in the large wooden bin in the Narthex. Current pantry needs are:

- Pasta Sauce
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Canned Mixed Vegetables
- Cereal
- Dish Soap & Bar Soap
- Size 6 Diapers

meal train at pop

Parishioners and school families are invited to reach out to Jennifer Pfaffl by email at 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 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! **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. If you have questions about the library, email library@princeofpeacetaylors.org

men's breakfast

All men of the parish and their friends are invited to join for breakfast and fellowship at Eggs Up at 3935 Pelham Rd on Thursday, 5 September. For more information, call Don Foertsch at 864.268.3810.

holiday craft fair

The annual Holiday Craft Fair is Saturday, 2 November from 9a-2p. Vendor booths are sold out.

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!](#)



become a registered parishioner

If you consider Prince of Peace your spiritual home we ask that you register! Please visit our website princeofpeacetaylors.org and click the register button.

july offertory

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Offertory	As of July 31, 2024		
	Actual	Budget	Surplus / (Deficit)
Month	\$ 142,668	\$ 136,020	\$6,648
Year-To-Date	\$ 142,668	\$ 136,020	\$6,648

latin mass community monthly potluck

The Latin Mass community hosts a potluck the first Sunday of each month in the PAC 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.

ccm

The Confraternity of Christian Mothers is intended for all Catholic women. Confraternity members join their hearts with Our Lady of Sorrows, and unite under her patronage in prayer for the welfare of their families. The next Enrollment Ceremony and Retreat day is Saturday, 14 September, 8a-3p featuring Mike Shick from Rosary College. Questions? Please contact CCM@princeofpeacetaylors.org

policy on speakers

No parish ministry or organization may invite a speaker from outside the parish without previous written request and approval from the pastor. Failure to comply with this policy may result in the cessation of activities of a ministry or organization.

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spiritual adoption of a pregnancy

The Respect Life Ministry asks members of the parish to *spiritually* adopt newly pregnant women so that they will have the courage to choose life and carry their baby to term. To spiritually adopt is a commitment to pray for the mothers until 25 December. Contact Pam at 864.233.6200 to enroll.

- **Gestation Week 24:** Your baby is still long and lean. Their skin is still thin and translucent. Respiratory sacs at the tips of the smallest branches of your baby's lungs are growing and multiplying, adding more surface area for the exchange of oxygen and carbon dioxide. Your baby will start practice working their facial muscles and raising his eyebrows. Psalm 139:14 - *I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made*

new upstate community

The Marian Servants of the Holy Face of Jesus (MS-HFJ) is a new Community located in the Upstate of South Carolina. Affiliated with the Marian Servants of Our Lady of Divine Providence, founded in Clearwater, Florida, we are a Public Association of the Christian Faithful. With permission of Bishop Jacques, we are excited that we may now act in the Charleston Diocese. Our spirituality is Marian, Charismatic, and Magisterial; Men and women who are Marian Servants strive to live a life of holiness, obedience, and humble servanthood.

To begin our first official year, we will Consecrate to Jesus through Mary on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, on 7 October. We will begin 4 September using "The Fruit of Her Womb," by Fr. Boniface Hicks for our reading plan, <https://a.co/d/IRtmLL3>. All are invited to join us at our Tuesday morning meetings for praise and worship, a (recorded) video presentation by Fr. Boniface Hicks, and the Holy Rosary. (7.30p ZOOM meetings possible). One does not need to be a member of the Marian Servants, but only have a love for Jesus and Our Lady. **For more information on the Marian Servants and to join in on the Consecration**, email Lisa at LisaBuss101@gmail.com.

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. 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 or 864.501.8954.

youth basketball

Sign-ups for youth basketball will be 8 Sept –8 October for all boys and girls grades K5-12. We also have Men's & Women's teams for 18+. Registration can be completed 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 6 October. Tentative practice schedules are as follows and will be confirmed by team coaches: Co-Ed K5-1st Grade: 1-2p; Co-Ed / Boys / Girls 2nd-3rd Grade: 2-3p; Girls 4th-5th Grade: 3-4p; Boys 4th-5th Grade: 4-5p; Boys Middle School: 5-6p; Girls Middle School: 6-7p; Girls High School: 7-8p; Boys High School: 8-9p; Men's/Women's Teams: 9-10p **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Please contact Mark Burress (poptaylors.bball@gmail.com) or Maria Rauch (maria.rauch@princeofpeacetaylors.org) if you are interested in helping in any capacity.

children's choirs

Children's choirs begin rehearsal Wednesday, 4 September, and Youth Choir begins Thursday, 5 September. Registration forms are available in the music office, or by emailing Ms Jeanie Reed at jeanie.reed@popcatholicsschool.org.

- Primary Choir: 1st-2nd graders.
- Junior Choir: 3rd-6th graders.
- Youth Choir: 6th - 12th graders.

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Baptism Class	Dcn Gus Suarez		gus.suarez@princeofpeacetaylors.org

Parish Staff

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<i>*contact Deacon Acosta about baptisms, funerals, declarations of nullity and marriage.</i>			
Maria Rauch	Parish Secretary	864.331.3901	maria.rauch@princeofpeacetaylors.org
<i>*contact Maria R. about facility reservations and requesting Anointing of the Sick prior to surgery or when gravely ill, Safe Environment</i>			
Maria Barontini	Pastoral Associate for Children's Catechesis	864.331.3919	maria.barontini@princeofpeacetaylors.org
<i>*contact Maria B. about children's catechesis, first confession, first communion, and confirmation</i>			
Michael Sandifer	Pastoral Associate Adult Faith Formation	864.331.3902	michael.sandifer@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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Ed Carl	Sexton		ed.carl@princeofpeacetaylors.org

School (Office: 864.971-4POP) *our childcare registration number is 24774

Nathan Barontini	Principal	864.331.2145	principal@popcatholicschool.org
Michelle Zimmerman	Office Manager	864.331.2145	michelle.zimmerman@popcatholicschool.org

Ministry & Volunteer Leaders (learn about all of our ministries on our [website](#) under the "about us" menu)

Communications Director	Kylee Jean Heap		communications@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Creighton Fertility Care/Family Planning	Kristie Killough, RN, BSN, FCP	864.243.7800	text for appointment
CYO (Catholic Youth Organization)	John & Stephanie Lasitter		cyo@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Food & Financial Assistance	St. Vincent de Paul Society	864.331.3937	
Introduction to Catholicism	Sean Chapman		rcia@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Legion of Mary	Pat Hodur	864.616.7459	ph137@aol.com
Prayer Shawl Guild	Paulette	864.434.0278	
Respect Life	Pam Harrison	864-233-6200	pharriso@bellsouth.net
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endow women's study

The POP Women's Group will begin their Fall Study on 4 September meeting 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 John Paul II's Letter to Women.

The format of the group is to read aloud, then read through the discussion questions in each section. The idea is to foster the incarnational experience in hearing our Faith read aloud, similar to hearing the readings at Mass. There is no homework.

- For more information, visit the [Facebook page](#)
- [Click here for more information](#) about the study and to order the book. Endow offers an e-book and hard copies available.

friends of st josemaria recollections

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

- **Men:** Friday, 20 September at 7p with a reception to follow in the Parish House.
- **Women:** Saturday, 21 September at 9a with a reception to follow in the PAC.

introduction to catholicism

Are you interested in learning more about becoming a member of the Catholic Church? Are you a Cradle Catholic with questions? Whether you're new to Christianity or are looking to come back home after an extended time away, Introduction to Catholicism is here for you. 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 beginning on 11 September.

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

altar server training - english mass

Deacon Michael Cavin is hosting an English Mass Altar Server Training from 4-5.30p on the following dates:

- **6 October:** new altar servers only
- **13 & 20 October:** new and recently trained servers
- **27 October:** all altar servers

fraternus & fidelis ministries

Fraternus & Fidelis are mentoring programs for 6th-12th graders—fraternus is for boys & fidelis is for girls. Mentors form a brotherhood/sisterhood of virtue and invite the teens into it.

- 6th-12th grade boys are invited to participate on Tuesdays from 6.30-8.10p in the PAC beginning 3 September. Contact Ernesto at upstatefraternus@gmail.com
- 6th-12th grade ladies are invited to participate on Tuesdays from 6.30-8.10p in Parish House beginning 3 September. Contact Maureen at upstatefidelis@gmail.com

There will be a parent meeting on 27 August from 6.30-7.30p in the PAC.

40 days for life

Volunteers will be in the Narthex on 14-15 September to provide updates on prolife activities around the Upstate and invite everyone to pray at the abortion facility on Mondays from 25 September-3 November or within your homes.

Important dates:

- 40 Days for Life Kickoff Rally is Tuesday, 24 September at 6.30p, Grove Road Baptist Church, 1223 Grove Rd.
- Life Chain Sunday is 6 October from 2.30-3.30p on Woodruff Road
- Candle Light Vigil, Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, 13 October from 7-8p (location TBD)
- 40 Days for Life Closing Celebration -Sunday, 3 November at 3p at the Piedmont Women's Center, 1143 Grove Rd. Celebration of Life and prayer warriors testimonies.

Questions? Call Ingrid 864-329-0044. Rosary counts for life may be sent to familylife@charlestdiocese.org.



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Parking near the PAC will be blocked off. It is possible that 12n Mass attendees and others may need overflow parking. Overflow parking is located at Eastside High School (1300 Brushy Creek Road). Stay on the sidewalk at Eastside HS and cross over the intersection of Kimbrell Road. For your safety, **only** cross Brushy Creek where the crossing guard is located at POP.

Food & Drink

Food will be served in the PAC for those with tickets (deadline for tickets was 25 August). Tables will be available outside.

Beer

A beer truck will sell beer for \$5/cup. Bring your ID to verify your age. Please drink responsibly.

Fire Truck

At 3.30p, a Fire Truck will hose down children in the field behind the PAC. Bring shoes that can get muddy and towels for drying off.

Tents & Chairs

Bring tents and chairs to stay cool outside for eating and socializing.

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