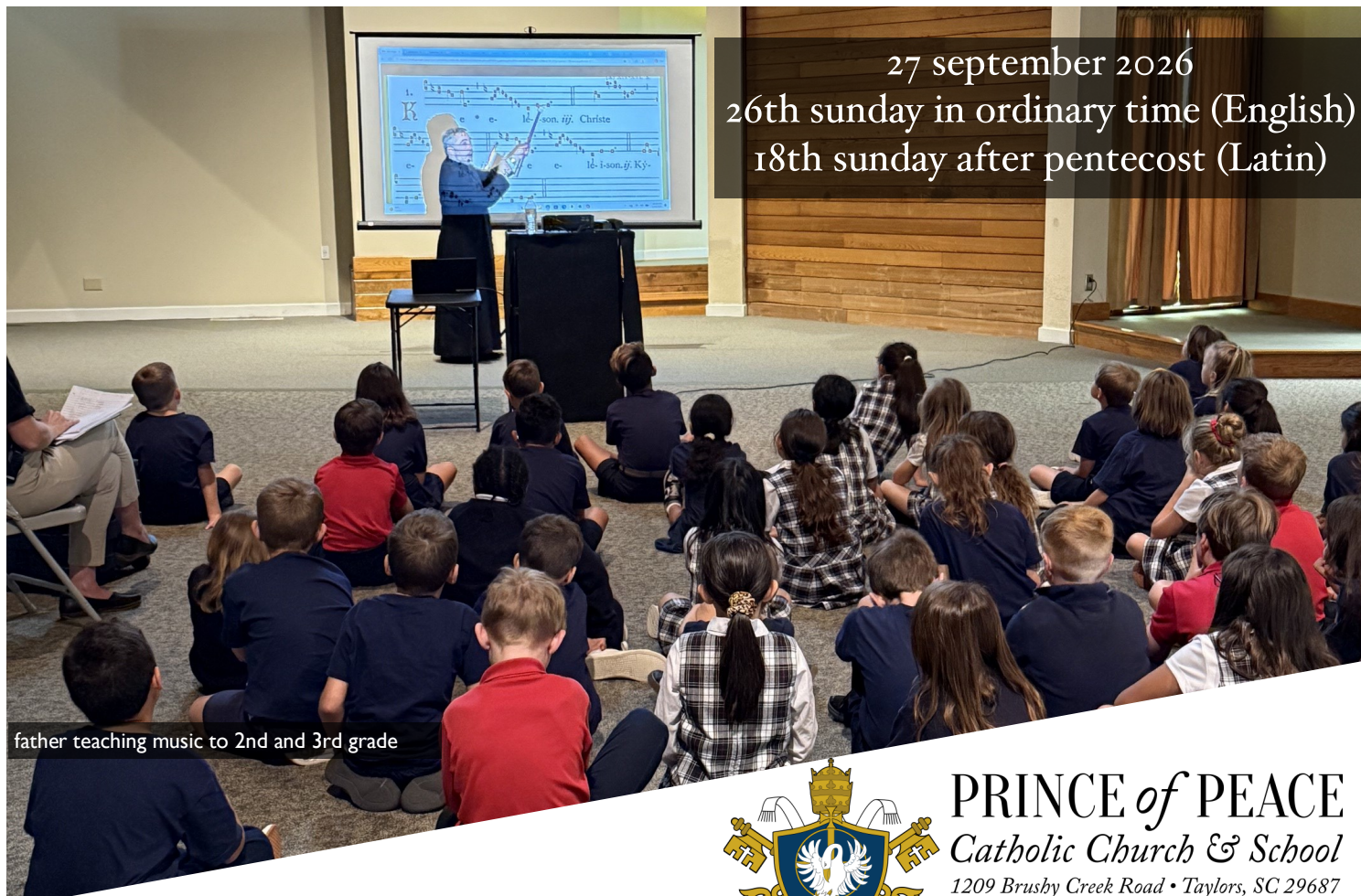




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Catholic Church & School
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A Parish Family of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charleston

Bishop Jacques Fabre-Jeune
 Diocese of Charleston

Pastor

Canon Christopher Smith

Parochial Vicar

Fr. Richard Tomlinson

Deacons

Nestor Acosta, Michael Cavin, Dean Schroeder, 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

Office hours:

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

Stay connected:

Website: 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/signup, 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.





Letter from Our Pastor

An Extraordinary Parish for Ordinary People

Dear Friends in Christ,

Everything is blurred; everything is troubled. The leaders of the world say one thing one day and the next day the opposite. One day it is white, the next it is black. In this war, the powerful believe themselves God: a god who deprives human beings of their humanity, lowers them to the rank of animals – or worse, denies their intelligence, their will, their feelings.

Our daily life is a trial at every moment. But I do not doubt. I know that the Lord wants me here and now. I am like a father beside his sick child. His heart is torn to see his little one suffer. He does not know how to heal him, how to soothe his pain. But for nothing in the world would he want to be elsewhere.

Sophia Institute has just published excerpts from the diaries of Father Gabriel Romanelli, the pastor of Holy Family Catholic Church in Gaza. *The Priest Who Stayed in Gaza: A Witness to Hope in the Ruins* is a spiritual classic unlike anything you have probably ever read in your life. What is daily life like in a war zone when you don't know from one minute to the next if you're going to be killed? What do hope and joy look like when you are surrounded by death and destruction?

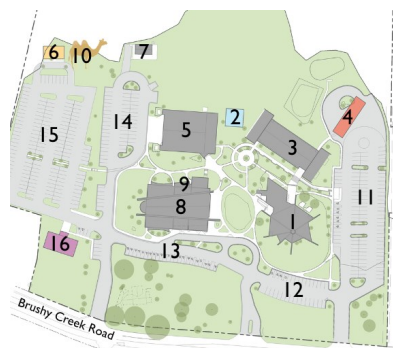
Father Gabriel thought that surviving stage three colorectal cancer was going to be one of the hardest experiences of his life. He had no idea that shortly after ringing the bell to be cancer free, he would end up with a phone call from Pope Francis every night to see how the most dangerous parish on planet Earth got through the day. His diary is filled with profoundly beautiful meditations on human suffering and the indomitability of the human spirit elevated through hope. But it also gives details about what life is really like for Christians caught in the crossfires of an inferno not of their own making. What is it like to sift flour for worms over and over again so you can have enough to feed refugees and make bread for Mass? Or how do you clean disposable diapers for dying children when water is rationed and there's no access to cloth for reusable ones? What does it look like when you never get a good night's sleep for years? How do you celebrate a wedding amidst the rubble of a city with snipers' bullets buzzing by you?

Courage and true spiritual fatherhood are often lacking in today's violent and fractured world. But Father Gabriel's memoir, which is still very much unfinished, will give you a sense of perspective on recent world events, not through the lens of politics but faith, and maybe a needed boost to your own spiritual life. I don't often recommend books outside of the penitential seasons of Advent and Lent, but when I literally could not put a book down until I was finished, I wanted to share it with you.

In Christ,

Canon 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
- 10 St Joseph's Workshop
- Parking Lots 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15
- 16 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 Richard Tomlinson = FRT Fr Timothy Davison = FTD | Readings are Year A

sunday, 27 sept 26th sunday in ordinary time (English) 18th sunday after pentecost (Latin)	monday, 28 sept sts wenceslaus, lawrence ruiz and companions (English) st wenceslaus (English & Latin)	tuesday, 29 sept sts michael, gabriel, and raphael archangels (English) the dedication of st michael the archangel (Latin)
8a Mass Mary Anne & Donald Byers+ (FTD) 10a Mass with Blessing of SVDP Volunteers & Procession to SVDP Hall (bring donations) People of the Parish (FCS) 12p Latin Mass Damian Killough-L (FRT)	7a Mass Theresa S Mullman+ (FTD) 12p Funeral Mass Raymond F Horn+ (FRT)	7a Mass Marguerite DeMaria+ (FRT) 12p Latin William Beronge Denton+ (FCS)
<i>8.50a religious education</i> <i>1p basketball pac</i> <i>6.30p cyo</i> <i>little flowers girls' club® in narthex</i>	<i>5.30a men's workout</i> <i>6p foundations of faith study—young</i> <i>adults (18-30) mcgivney hall</i> <i>6.30p volleyball pac (game times vary)</i> <i>6.30p legion of mary walsingham hall</i>	<i>6.30-8p fraternus/fidelis</i> <i>6.30p k of c 4th degree mcgivney hall</i> <i>7p men's bible study guadalupe hall</i>
wednesday, 30 sept st jerome (English & Latin)	thursday, 1 oct st thérèse of the child Jesus (English) st remigius (Latin)	friday, 2 oct the holy guardian angels (English & Latin)
7a Mass Robyn Stanley Killough-L (FTD) 12p Latin Mass Jack Kauffmann-L (FRT) 5p Confessions	7a Mass Pauline Cooper+ (FCS) 12p Latin Mass Matthew Mershon-L (FRT)	7a Mass Thierry & Tanya Wersinger-L (FTD) 11a Family Confessions 12p Latin Mass Elizabeth & Ronald Salko+ (FTD)
<i>7p introduction to catholicism pac</i>	<i>3.30p st isidore garden class</i> <i>5.30p aoh mcgivney hall</i> <i>6p bible timeline adult study croghan hall</i>	
saturday, 3 oct blessed virgin mary (English) st thérèse of the child jesus (Latin)	sunday, 4 oct 27th sunday in ordinary time (English) 19th sunday after pentecost (Latin)	prayer requests
8a Latin Mass Walter Duncan+ (FRT) 3.30p Confessions 5p Mass Bill & Linda Standera+ (FCS)	8a Mass Emmanuel Carandang-L (FTD) 10a Mass People of the Parish (FCS) 12p Latin Mass Angelica Grace Duncan-L (FRT) 5p Mandatory Vespers Practice 6p Vespers followed by Procession of Our Lady of the Rosary	All those serving our country, Bryan Aho, Lucretia Albright, Angela Bagley, Deborah Baker, Jim Bannister, Vanessa Baugh, Daniel Bennett, Eileen Bobo, John Booth, Gerard Brady, Jennifer Bunecke, Francine Burke, Wrenn Calcutt, Jean Casey, Martha Catel, John Cegledy, Frank Cespedes, Julia Chatignyblais, Anna Chevalier & Casey Chevalier, Rosemary Craig, Marie Crocket, Gena Cunningham, Alan Deese, Carol Deretchin, Thomas Dorsey, Jack Duryea, Gloria Dussich, Jim Eagan, Mary Ann Egan, Annmarie Egas, Andrew Frisari, Kenneth Gifford & Kathryn Gifford, Jim Green, Jennifer Gregory, Bridgitte Gunnells, Shannon Harkins, Eileen Harrison, Mary Jean Heap, Riley Holcomb, Judith Inghram, Kristen Jarae, Carl Jones, Tammy Jones, Jacob Juliano, Sandy Juliano, Alejandro Kawasaki, Laura Kuczewski, Cliff Leavitt, Erin Lewis, Gary Little, Julie Mallo- ry, Mary Martin, Ed Matthews, Dorothy McDonald, Peter McPherson, Connie Meiners, Kathy Melone, Connie Mershon, Don & Sandy Milton, Janine Moore, Dan & Kathleen Mottl, Kristina Murphy, Lillie Nesbitt, Elizabeth Nowlan, Valerie Pachur, Jenn Pfaffl, Kathleen Pitera, Doris Pratt, Kenneth Price, Paola Rivera, Kelly Shane, Christy Smith, Dcn Bob Smith, Lois Smith, Matt Smith, Yanini Smith, Kevin Stanton, Christine Tallman, Rose Teuscher, Carole Trickett, Barbara Tripp, Cal Valois & A. Thana Pacco Rivas, Luigina Warga, Kayla Whately, Sarah Williams, & Stephen Wiltberger.
<i>9a cor mcgivney hall</i> <i>10a blessing of animals green space</i> <i>adjacent to the handicapped parking</i> <i>outside the Blessed Mother transept</i> <i>10a bounce svdp hall</i> <i>3p little flowers girls' club®</i> <i>svdp in narthex</i>	<i>8.50a religious education</i> <i>1p basketball pac</i> <i>6.30p cyo</i> <i>svdp in narthex</i>	
Please contact the Parish Office to request that 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, contact Dcn Mark Thompson at mark.thompson@princeofpeacetaylors.org

bounce—loss of a loved one

Be comforted by those who have experienced the grief of the death of a loved one on the first Saturday of the month (e.g. 3 October) at 10a in St Vincent de Paul Hall. Learn more: Julie Gianelloni at 864.561.4733 or Jim Roberts 864.238.6850.

prayer shawl ministry

The prayer shawl ministry meets on the third Friday of the month (e.g. 16 Oct) at 10.30a. They crochet/knit shawls/lap robes that they donate to nursing homes, cancer and dialysis centers. They welcome more volunteers and donations of yarn. Questions? Call Paulette at 864.434.0278.

serve as an usher or greeter

Greeters and ushers are greatly needed across all Mass times! Consider serving your parish in this simple yet meaningful way:

- Be a welcoming face to all who enter the church
- Help create a reverent and organized worship experience
- Offer hospitality that reflects Christ's love

Contact Marco DeMaria at 864.631.7713 or mad4jen@msn.com.

perpetual eucharistic adoration



“Son of man, this is the place of my throne and the place of the soles of my feet, where I will dwell in the midst of the sons of Israel forever.” Ezekiel 43:7

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

All hours are available for prayer, but please consider one of the following hours (*URGENT HOUR!):

Tuesday - 9a; Wednesday - 7a & 12p;
Thursday - 2a* & 11a; Saturday - 7p & 9p

baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their child must attend a Baptism Class. The next class is 8 October at 6.30p in Walsingham Hall. You must register by contacting Dcn 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.

ladies lunch bunch

The Ladies Lunch Bunch will meet at Cheddar's on Woodruff Rd, Tuesday, 13 October at 11.30a. Please RSVP to Dorothea Jones at 864.268.3354.

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
donated by:
Lillie Fenerty & Noah Schafer
in honor of:
their wedding on 26 september



music \$300

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offertory

Giving to the offertory is convenient and easy. Scan the QR code, click “donate” on our website, or visit Tithely to make a gift <https://tithe.ly/give?c=1479801>. Options to give to special projects are available.



Donate

Prince of Peace Catholic Church Offertory As of August 31, 2026			
Offertory	Actual	Budget	Surplus / (Deficit)
Month	\$ 156,899	\$ 189,200	(\$32,301)
Year-To-Date	300,158	333,400	(\$33,242)

peace in progress campaign

Peace in Progress Capital Campaign Progress as of August 31, 2026				
	Actual	Goal	Above / (Below)	% of Goal
50% of Campaign Goal in Cash	\$ 1,204,065	\$1,200,000	\$4,065	100.3 %
Total Campaign Commitment	1,967,923	2,400,000	(432,077)	82.0 %
Requirements to Begin Construction: 50% in Cash Upfront <i>and</i> 100% Commitment for Estimated Building Cost to Obtain Diocesan Loan and Begin Construction.				



Donate Now



Make A Pledge

catholic appeal of south carolina (casc)

Catholic Appeal of South Carolina (CASC) Progress as of August 31, 2026				
	Actual	Goal	Above / (Below)	% of Goal
Year-To-Date	\$73,505	\$112,489	(\$38,984)	65.3 %
Note: Annual Goal is set by the Diocese of Charleston.				

over 900 books, socializing and fun await

The Blessed McGivney Hall is open on Sundays after the 10a Mass. Grab a hot drink or breakfast, peruse a library of over 900 vetted Catholic titles and socialize with parishioners. **Children 18 and under must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver at all times.** Contact John Olson to learn more at jamolson@gmail.com.

pilgrimage to turkey with fr smith 2027

Step into the lands of the early Church on a pilgrimage to Turkey, 3-12 June 2027, where the faith first spread across the ancient world. Journey through Istanbul (Constantinople), visit Nicaea where the Nicene Creed was proclaimed, and walk the ancient streets of Smyrna and Ephesus where St. Paul preached. Pray at the House of the Virgin Mary and honor saints such as St. Polycarp and St. John the Evangelist. This pilgrimage offers not only remarkable history and sacred sites but a profound opportunity for spiritual renewal in the cradle of Christianity. Starting at \$3,995 per person. Learn more at stcharlespilgrimages.com/smith

st isidore garden

Join us every Monday from 9.30–11a in the Prince of Peace Garden. Help harvest fresh produce for the St. Vincent de Paul Society while enjoying fellowship and time outdoors. No gardening experience is necessary. Everyone is welcome!

Our much-anticipated **Children's Garden Classes** return this fall! Join us Thursdays from 3.30–4.30p in the garden for hands-on activities that help children discover the joys of gardening and God's love through His creation.

Oct 1 • Upcycling with Lady Poverty

Oct 15 • Gardening Is for the Birds

Oct 22 • Come, Blue Bird, Come!

Nov 12 • Let's Have Fun, Guys!

Nov 19 • 4th Annual Sweet Potato Harvest

recollections

Friends of St Josemaría will be hosting in-person recollections:

- Evening of recollection for men: Friday, 16 October from 7-8.30p. Reception following.
- Morning recollection for women: Saturday, 17 October from 9-10.30a.

A recollection is a silent mini-retreat. It consists of Benediction, a meditation by a priest of the Prelature of Opus Dei, an examination of conscience, spiritual reading, and a talk on a practical topic. Contact Thierry Wersinger at 864.313.5601 or thierry.wersinger@gmail.com.



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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. Please consider supporting the gift of comfort for those in need.

st vincent de paul

St. Vincent de Paul accepts checks made directly to SVdP and online giving through Zeffy. Scan the QR code or [click the link](#) to make your gift to SVdP.



All clothing donations must be brought to the trailer during Monday hours or by appointment by email at popsvdpvolunteer@gmail.com

men's breakfast

All men of the parish and their friends are invited to breakfast and fellowship on the first Thursday of each month (e.g. 1 Oct) at 8a at Eggs Up at 3935 Pelham Rd. Contact Jack Stewart 864.787.7592.

pop women's craft group

Join a free craft get-together on the second Sunday of the month (e.g. 11 Oct) from 3-5p in McGivney Hall. Bring your own supplies to work on or observe others; all skill levels welcome! Questions? Contact Michelle Grabiec m_grabiec@hotmail.com

substitute teachers needed

Join our substitute teacher list at the parish school! Please email Michelle Zimmerman: michelle.zimmerman@popcatholicschool.org

welcome new parishioners

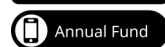
Join us in welcoming: Elenya Newton, Oslandy & Anabel Martinez; Kristine Meyers; Richard & Marilyn Daly; James & Caroline Acker; DeLayne Clayton

new ministry: little flowers

Little Flowers Girls' Club® helps girls ages 4 and up grow in virtue through Scripture, the lives of the saints, and the Catechism—all while building friendships and having fun! Join us Saturday, 3 October, from 3–5p in McGivney Hall. Questions? Contact Ariel Morales at 727.479.6496 a.morales2897@gmail.com.

parish school donations

Did you know that 25% of families rely on POP financial assistance to attend the parish school? Your donations to our Annual Fund are needed. Prayerfully 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.

welcome committee

Interested in helping new folks feel at home at Prince of Peace Catholic Church? Contact Loretta Williams at welcome@princeofpeacetaylors.org to learn more about the *Guild of St. Benedict Welcome Committee*. From emails and phone calls to welcoming events, there's a way for everyone to pitch in!

basketball registration deadline

Basketball registration is open through 4 October at 12p at poptaylorsathletics.com.

- **Required** parent/volunteer meetings for registered families are at 2p or 5p in the Parish Activity Center on 4 October.

Questions? poptaylors.bball@gmail.com

open light media account creation (free)

Our parish has gifted all families free access to Open Light Media. To begin exploring this benefit, create an account:

- Go to openlightmedia.com/join-my-plus-group.
- Find your institution by typing in your institution's postal code (29687).
- Click the Sign Up button and follow instructions!

40 days for life

You are invited to join other Christians throughout the Upstate to take part in our local 40 Days for Life effort through 1 November. Be the ONE to say YES to praying and fasting for the lives of the smallest and most vulnerable among us! To find out more and to sign up for the prayer vigils, contact Judy 864.506.0964 or Deacon Conner 828.860.5622 or visit: www.40daysforlife.com/greenville.

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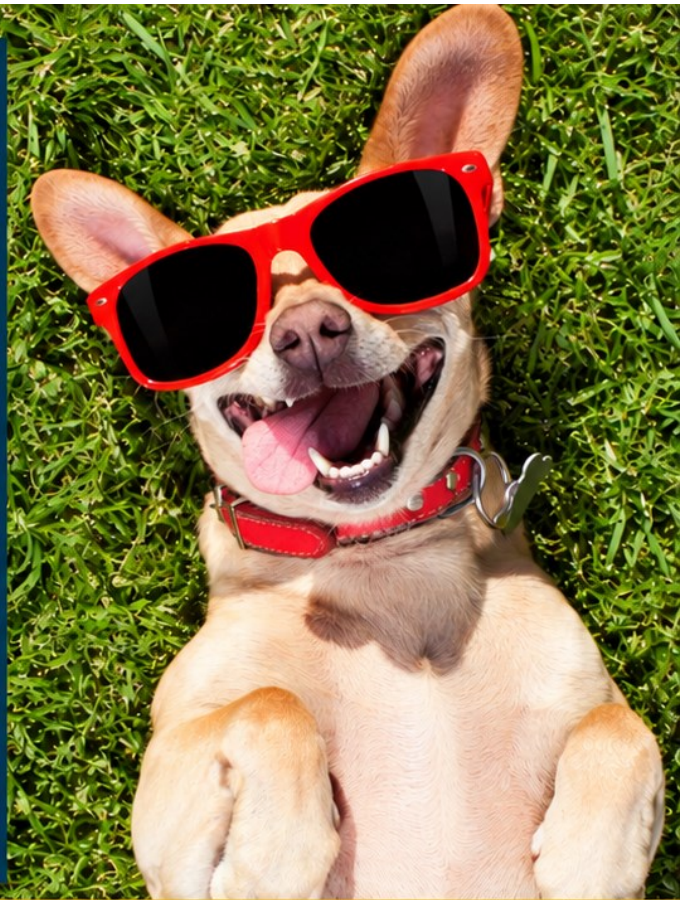
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IN HONOR OF
THE FEAST OF
ST. FRANCIS

BLESSING OF ANIMALS

Saturday, 3 October at 10a

in the green space adjacent to the
handicapped parking outside the
Blessed Mother side of the Church.



OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

“The rosary is a means given by the Virgin
for contemplating Jesus and, meditating
on his life, for loving and following him
always more faithfully.”

- Pope Benedict XVI

Sunday, 4 October at 6p

VESPERS FOLLOWED BY
CANDLE LIT PROCESSION



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fraternus & fidelis

Looking for a place for your teen to grow in virtue, answer the call to holiness, and form lasting friendships with Catholic peers? **Fidelis (for girls) and Fraternus (for boys)** are Catholic mentoring programs for young people in **6th–12th grades**, forming young women and men in virtue through sisterhood, brotherhood, and the witness of faithful Catholic mentors. Fidelis and Fraternus meet weekly on Tuesdays from 6.30–8p.

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 to share a meal, play games, and talk about faith. To learn the meetup location or ask questions, contact John and Steph Lasitter at cyo@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

catechesis of the good shepherd

Prince of Peace is exploring a Catechesis of the Good Shepherd atrium for 2027–28. We're seeking parishioners who are CGS-trained, interested in Level One training, or willing to help create materials for the atrium.

- **Interest Meeting:** 5 November at 9a | Parish House

All are welcome—including trained catechists who can advise us. Contact Maria Barontini with questions or to help.

ever sacred sunday 26-27 bulk order

Pre-order your Every Sacred Sunday (Sunday & Holy Day Mass Journal) **by 29 September** to receive our parish bulk rate of approximately \$39 (regularly \$49.95). **No extras will be ordered, so you must pre-order to receive a journal.** The bulk order will be placed 7 October. Payment instructions will be emailed afterward.

- [Pre-order here](#)
- [Learn more here](#)

men's bible study

Deacon Michael Thompson leads a Men's Bible Study meeting Tuesdays at 7-8p in Guadalupe Hall discussing the Book of Genesis. All men should come. Contact Dcn Thompson at 864.365.8178 with questions.

honor svdp with an act of charity

Sunday, 27 September, is the feast day of St. Vincent de Paul, patron saint of charitable works. In his honor, we will conclude the 10a Sunday Mass with a procession of donated goods to our St. Vincent de Paul building—a visible expression of our call to serve Christ in those in need.

Parishioners are invited to bring items to donate and join the procession following 10a Sunday Mass. The St. Vincent de Paul building will then be open for an Open House, offering an opportunity to see where your gifts go and learn more about the work of this important parish ministry.

get excited about these fall events

- 3 October: 10a Blessing of Animals with Fr Richard Tomlinson (please clean up after your pet)
- 4 October: 2.30-3.30p Life Chain (meet at Whataburger parking lot by Target); 6p Vespers followed by Rosary Procession
- 7 October: Host Site for Eucharistic Rosary Congress
- 15 October: Visit with Salva Dut, leader of the Lost Boys of South Sudan and founder of Water for South Sudan (5.30p Book Signing, 6p Presentation) in the PAC
- 24 October: 6p POPToberfest (community-wide celebration in Oktoberfest style with food, games, beer and cider, trunk or treat, cornhole tournament and more!)
- 25 October: Ignatius Press Book Fair after 8a & 10a Mass in PAC Classroom
- 1 November: 10a Mass and Saints Procession (children invited to dress as saints and/or carry icons); Vespers of All Saints (Church) followed by Vespers of the Dead at Woodlawn Memorial Park (candlelit)
- 5 November: 9a Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Interest Meeting in Parish House
- 7 November: Holiday Craft Fair
- 8 November: BBQ & Potluck of Gratitude for Veterans (all parishioners invited to honor veterans)
- 5 December: Advent Market
- 6 December: Blessing of Bambinelli
- 8 January: Holy Hour for Vocations & St Andrew Dinner for Young Men Considering Priesthood

Contact Us

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Clergy

Fr. Christopher Smith	Pastor	864.268.4352	frsmith@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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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 Suárez		gus.suarez@princeofpeacetaylors.org

Parish Staff

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Dcn Nestor Acosta	Pastoral Associate for Sacramental Life	864.331.3905	nestor.acosta@princeofpeacetaylors.org
<i>*contact Deacon Acosta about baptisms, funerals, declarations of nullity, and marriage</i>			
Sue Kinkade	Parish Secretary & Assistant to the Dean	864.331.3918	sue.kinkade@princeofpeacetaylors.org
<i>*contact Sue about appointments with the pastor, facility reservations and requesting anointing of the sick</i>			
Maria Rauch	Assistant to the Pastor	864.331.3901	maria.rauch@princeofpeacetaylors.org
<i>*contact Maria R. about parish events and concerning safe environment matters</i>			
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<i>*contact Maria B. about children's catechesis, first confession, first communion, and confirmation</i>			
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<i>*contact Michael as ministry liaison</i>			
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Alan Reed	Interim Choirmaster		alan.reed@princeofpeacetaylors.org
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 & 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		ocia@princeofpeacetaylors.org
Legion of Mary	Pat Hodur	864.616.7459	ph137@aol.com
Respect Life	Pam Harrison	864.233.6200	pharriso@bellsouth.net
Spiritual Direction	Lisa Buss		spiritualdirection@princeofpeacetaylors.org

Submit your announcements 2 weeks prior to the desired bulletin date to bulletin submissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org



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calling all veterans

In preparation for our Gathered in Gratitude Veterans Day BBQ (provided) & Potluck (bring a side) on Sunday, 8 November, following the 10a Mass, we invite all veterans to share their name, branch of service, and years of service so that we may honor them during the celebration. Contact Erin Lewis at elewis@greenvillespine.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.

poptoberfest

POPtobberfest is coming! Join us Saturday, 24 October, from 6–9.30p for a fall evening of food, fellowship and fun for the whole Prince of Peace community, including Trunk-or-Treat from 7–8.30p. Food and event prices vary. Come enjoy the festivities with your family and friends!

Want to help make the night a sweet success?

- **Decorate a Trunk:** Get creative and decorate your car for Trunk-or-Treat! Trunks will need to be set up before 5p Mass in the upper parking lot. You don't have to stay with your car all evening; middle school students can help with unattended trunks. Additional setup details will be shared with participants.
- **Donate Candy:** Candy donations are welcome and appreciated! Please bring donations to the school front office, Monday–Friday, 8a–3.15p, 9-23 October. Donations before the day of the event are preferred.

Questions or want to decorate a trunk? Email Michelle Zimmerman at michelle.zimmerman@popcatholicschool.org

COR — for men of the parish

Cor is a 60–90 minute gathering built around prayer, formation, and brotherhood. Whether you're a cradle Catholic or still finding your footing in the faith, Cor is for you. No experience necessary — just a willingness to show up and grow alongside your fellow men. Cor meets every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month in McGivney Hall at 9a. Questions? Contact Fred Downie at 864.321.0811.

fall adult bible study

The Bible is a *Catholic* book! Despite this, for many Catholics, the Bible is thoroughly intimidating. Where do you begin? What are you supposed to do with all the laws and genealogies? Does this ancient text have any impact on our daily lives today? All these questions and more will be discussed in great detail this year as we embark on the Bible Timeline course. By dividing the story of Scripture into 12 time periods, we can see the shape of the Word of God and better come to know, love, and embrace God's message of Salvation as revealed in Holy Scripture. Join us at 6p on Thursdays in Croghan Hall to begin the Great Adventure! Materials cost \$36, with scholarships available. Questions or registration: michael.sandifer@princeofpeacetaylors.org

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 the full picture of the fundamentals of Catholic doctrine and ask those questions you've always wanted to but never quite knew where to ask. We're looking forward to diving into the Catholic Faith together! Join us, Wednesdays in the PAC, at 7p. Questions: email michael.sandifer@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

latin mass community monthly potluck

The Latin Mass community hosts a potluck the first Sunday of each month after the 12n Latin Mass. Please bring a main dish to share. Volunteers needed for setup and cleanup! Questions? Contact the Green Family at 719.660.3440. **moved to 11 October in Parish House, due to Life Chain event*

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