

OUR LADY OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

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21 MAY 2023 - THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD 21 DE MAYO 2023 - ASCENSIÓN DEL SEÑOR

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS
LAS HORAS DE OFICINA
Tuesday - Friday | 9:00am–3:00pm
(closed from noon–1:00pm)

OFICINA DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO
OFFICE OF HISPANIC MINISTRY
martes-viernes | 10:00am–2:00pm

ANointing OF THE SICK
UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS
Parish office | Oficina de la Parroquia
803.279.0315 ext. 111
In case of medical emergency
En caso de emergencia | 803.279.0315
(Select Option #1)

MASS TIMES | EL HORARIO DE LAS MISAS
Saturday Vigil | 5:00pm
Sunday Mass | 9:30am, 12:00pm (Es.)
Tuesday | 6:00pm
Wednesday | 8:30am
Thursday | 8:30am, 7:00pm (Es.)
Friday | 8:30am

CONFESSION | CONFESIONES
Tuesday | 5:00–5:45pm
Thursday | 5:45–6:30pm
Friday | 9:00–9:45am
Saturday | 3:45–4:45pm



STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

All Requests

Bulletin Submissions

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Reporting Abuse: To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Charleston employee or volunteer, call the Office of Child and Youth Protection at 843-261-0430 (0431 or 0432)

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY OF PEACE

SUNDAY, MAY 21

MASS INTENTIONS

9:30am | For The People

12:00pm | † Eulogio Diaz Morales

† Amparo Garcia

EVENTS

10:40am | Final Religious Education *school*

10:45am | Adult Education *annex #3*

THURSDAY, MAY 25

MASS INTENTIONS

8:30am | Intentions of Amelita V. Nepomuceno

7:00pm | † Carmen Morera & Carmelina Fernandez

EVENTS

9:00am-6:45pm | Adoration *church*

10:00am-12:00pm | Prayer Shawl Ministry *annex #3*

5:45-6:30pm | Confessions *church*

MONDAY, MAY 22 - OFFICE CLOSED

FRIDAY, MAY 26

MASS INTENTIONS

8:30am | † Florence & George Michallis

EVENTS

9:00-9:45am | Confessions *church*

TUESDAY, MAY 23

MASS INTENTIONS

6:00pm | † Wally Salentine

EVENTS

10:00-11:30am | E.A.D.M. *annex #3*

5:00-5:45pm | Confession *church*

7:00-10:00pm | Hispanic choir *church*

SATURDAY, MAY 27

MASS INTENTIONS

5:00pm | † Mike Downs

† Tommy Tompkins

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

MASS INTENTIONS

8:30am | † Joe Fournier

EVENTS

2:00pm | Rosary for the Nation *church*

7:00pm | Legion of Mary Meeting *annex #1*

7:00pm | Cursillo Meeting *church mtg room*

EVENTS

3:45-4:45pm | Confession *church*

SUNDAY, MAY 28

MASS INTENTIONS

9:30am | † Lillian & Ray Grise

† Mary Sunseri

12:00pm | For The People

EVENTS

10:45am | Adult Education *annex #3*

MESSAGE FROM FATHER ANTONY

The feast of the Ascension of the Lord is the feast of a greater motivation, which invites us to move on in the midst of the circumstances we live in, yes is always possible for believers since for us reality goes beyond what we see; Through our faith, we know that every day, every place, every story is transformed when placed in the provident and unpredictable hands of God. Jesus Our Lord who ascends victoriously to heaven together with 'humanity', his human nature to take back the original image, its likeness to God. Therefore, let the gospel, we read this Sunday, stimulate our ascension, our evolution towards the best of us. The dynamics of our growth have its starting point in Jesus. As he took the disciples out of the city, may the Spirit of Jesus provoke in us the need to move physically or spiritually in order to reach some new goal in our life.

Once we perceive the need to move, physically or spiritually, God offers us his protection, pronounces a word of blessing on us and our plans, grants us his protection, and guides our steps to achieve what we have envisioned, leaving behind worries about the past or the attachment to old customs, people or things to open ourselves to the possibility of something new, unpredictable. Jesus frees his disciples from attachment to Him as Jesus of Nazareth so that they later discover him in daily life as Messiah, Lord, and Savior. Jesus abandons his human condition to stay with us, full of grace, in his humble presence in the Word, in the Eucharist, in the sacraments, in the impoverished neighbor in need of material bread and spiritual bread. After the need to move is affirmed in us and having received God's blessing, although the Lord continues to assist us with his grace, he moves away so that we can assume our own responsibility. God will never occupy our position or assume our responsibility or make decisions for us, but he will be present to the extent that we allow him to.

Having perceived the need to move, having received God's blessing and knowing that it is up to each one of us to assume our own responsibility, the time has come to take the step, the time has come to move, to make decisions. The disciples teach us the first step so that the displacement that we are going to undertake makes us ascend, rise, grow, flourish. That first step consists of prostrating before Jesus the Lord, recognizing him as God and guide, placing our steps under his feet. After all this process, the soul is filled with joy, light and strength to face what we have to face. Happy Ascension Sunday

PARISH PRAYER INTENTIONS

Adoration Hours

Thursday | 9:00am-6:45pm

Adoration Contacts

Sandi Sullivan 803-293-6799

Leilani Usry 803-202-0117

Alina Pagano 803-640-5886 (Es./Eng.)

Pray for our sick

Nora Boettinger, Bill Boettinger, Mary Urban, Amalia Bonar, Oliver Jones, Domingo Martinez, Ronda Murrell, Wyatt Friend, Jarrod R. Gross, Andre J. Rodgers, Anita Stevens, Autumn Stevens, Maddox Stevens, G. James Hammett, Peter Walzer, Jaxson Regniere, Dan Smith, Carlos Cardenas, Jr., Bertha Daniels, Patsy Kibler, Rita Hegler, Nancy Golden, Eva Oliver, Catalina Marin Acosta, Nick Pileggi, and Michael Lehr.

Pray for our homebound

Ellyn Burkett, Jennie Swift, Judy Becker, Horace Daniels, and Fran Felak.

Pray for our military parishioners & family members

CW03 Jason Koharchik (son-in-law of Jean & Philip Verduce)
SrA Conner Usry (grandson of Leilani Usry)
STSSN2 Liam Wahl (son of Kathleen & Brian Wahl)
E3MA Christian Bumpus (grandson of Gloria Bumpus)
E6 Alvin Alexander Stevens (grandson of Ann Reid Stevens)
2nd Lt Gabe Sautter (son of Monica & Brian Sautter)
MAJ Benjamin Kochheiser (son-in-law of Joseph & Teresa Galvan)

Please remember to call the church office if you or a family member can be removed from the prayer list. If you have a loved one in need of prayers, please call the Church Office (279-0315). Names of the sick will be listed for two weeks unless we are informed otherwise

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Pope Francis Prayer Intention - May

For church movements and groups

We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

Adoration

Adoration is held on Thursday from 9:00am to 6:45pm in the Church. If you would like to sign up for an hour, please contact one of the Adoration coordinators. Assigned adorers, when arriving at adoration, please look for the "Adorer" pew marker and let current adorer know that you have arrived.

Adult Education

Group meets at 10:45am in Annex room 3. The new subject is : Hebrews, the Holy of Holies. For more information or to register contact Deacon Bob at deaconhookness@comcast.net.

Eucharistic Apostles of Divine Mercy Cenacle

E.A.D.M. meet the 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month (September-May) in Annex Room #3 from 10:00-11:00am. Please contact Susan Jones at 706-564-7235 with any questions.

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound

Volunteers are sent forth from the liturgy with Holy Communion to make their visits, either during the week or on the weekend. Training is provided. If you are interested in this ministry please contact Lynn Pownall either by phone (501-499-4485) or email (lpownall@gmail.com).

Cursillo/Ultreya

We would like to invite you to join us at our monthly Ultreya meetings the second Thursday of each month at 7 pm. We meet to share our faith, study and pray with one another. Any current Cursillistas who are not active are welcome to come and renew the feelings of joy you received during your weekend! Please contact Kristin Creed @ k.creed19@gmail.com or 803-640-5220 for more information.

Baptism

Parent(s) must be registered and attending Mass. Time and date of Baptism can only be set after registering for Pre-Baptism Class. Please contact the parish office at 803.279.0315 for additional information.

Matrimony

Arrangements should be made at least 6 months in advance of the proposed date. Attendance and completion of a Pre-Cana (marriage preparation program) is required.

Decrees of Nullity (Annulments)

Anyone who has received a civil divorce and is wishing to remarry in the Church must obtain a Decree of Nullity from the Tribunal in Charleston for their first marriage before they can make any plans to marry again. If you have been divorced and wish to pursue a Decree of Nullity, please contact our parish Case Assistant, Mrs. Sandy Simpson at 803-441-8634. Thank you.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Are you someone or do you know someone who... Has expressed interest in becoming Catholic? Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? If you answered yes to these questions, make plans to join RCIA to learn more about our faith. Please call the parish office for more information. A Catechist will follow up.

Religious Education Classes

Sunday | 10:40-11:50am September-May

The Seven Sisters Apostolate

The Seven Sisters Apostolate is a newly formed women's prayer group whose members pray for our Pastor and his intentions. If you are interested in joining this apostolate, please contact Karen Oliver via text at 706-829-6525 or email koliver3@bellsouth.net

Rosary for the Nation

A rosary for the Nation is prayed in the church every Wednesday at 2:00pm. All are welcome!

Readings for the week of May 21, 2023

Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21/Jn 17:1-11a
Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab/Jn 17:11b-19
Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Jn 17:20-26
Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/Jn 21:15-19
Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7/Jn 21:20-25
Next Sunday: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 (see 30)/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23



To register:

1. Visit formed.org
2. Click Sign Up
3. Select "I Belong to a Parish or Organization"
4. Find your parish by name, zip, or parish code (TKCXF8)
5. Enter your email—and you're in!

LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Hna. Mayela Ortega, HCJS

Horario de Oficina martes a jueves 10:00 a 2:00 pm

Karen Vivas

Horario de Oficina martes a viernes 9:30 a 3:30
miercoles hasta 6:30 con cita

Actividades:

Martes: Ensayo del Coro 7:00 pm

Miércoles: Legión de María 7:00 pm

Jueves RICA : 7:00 Pm

Jueves Adoración al Santísimo de 9:00 a 6:45 Pm

Jueves Misa 7:00 PM

Clases Prebautismales

Las clases de ofrecen cada dos meses, por favor pase a la oficina para registrarse para la clase. Mas información con la Sra. Karen Vivas.

Escuela De La Fe

Clase Segundo y cuarto lunes de cada mes. Informes con Alex Tenhay 706 814 4170

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos (RICA)

Felicitamos a los miembros de nuestra parroquia Que han completado su iniciación cristiana en la Vigilia Pascual. Pedimos para ellos perseverancia en su fe y en su compromiso de vida cristiana.

75 Aniversario De La Parroquia OLP

Nuestra parroquia celebrara su 75 aniversario de vida el 10 de Junio de 2023. Habrá mas información en los meses que vienen sobre este evento.

Retiro De Parejas

Invierta un fin de semana junto con su pareja retirados de la rutina, adquiriendo fundamentos propios del matrimonio, creciendo espiritualmente, acercándose más a Dios. No tiene que estar casado por el Sacramento del Matrimonio para poder asistir. El próximo Retiro de Parejas se llevará a cabo del 26 al 28 de mayo en Sunset, SC. Para obtener más información contacte a Maria Romero al 305.979.1573 o visite nuestra página web: www.charlestondiocese.org/family-life/

Las lecturas de la semana del 21 de Mayo de 2023

Lunes:	Hch 19, 1-8/Sal 67, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7/Jn 16, 29-33
Martes:	Hch 20, 17-27/Sal 67, 10-11. 20-21/Jn 17, 1-11
Miércoles:	Hch 20, 28-38/Sal 67, 29-30. 33-35. 35-36/Jn 17, 11-19
Jueves:	Hch 22, 30; 23, 6-11/Sal 15, 1-2 y 5. 7-8. 9-10. 11/Jn 17, 20-26
Viernes:	Hch 25, 13-21/Sal 102, 1-2. 11-12. 19-20/Jn 21, 15-19
Sábado:	Hch 28, 16-20. 30-31/Sal 10, 4. 5 y 7/Jn 21, 20-25
Domingo siguiente:	Hch 2, 1-11/Sal 103, 1. 24. 29-30. 31. 34 (ver 30)/1 Co 12, 3b-7. 12-13/Jn 20, 19-23

Avisos De La Oficina:

Si eres nuevo en la parroquia, por favor pasa a la oficina para registrarte como miembro de la iglesia.

Si cambiaste de domicilio o de teléfono, pasa a la oficina para actualizar tus datos. Ayudarnos a que tus sobres no se regresen.

Si tienes una emergencia y necesitas un sacerdote en horas en que la oficina esta cerrada, llama al numero de teléfono de emergencia que esta en la primera pagina del boletín.

Si cumpliste los 18 años, debes pasar a registrarte a la oficina, la registración de la familia ya no te sirve en caso de que te pidan ser padrino de algún sacramento.

Flocknotes- Sistema de Comunicación de la parroquia. Para mantenerte informados de los eventos de la iglesia y/o cambios. Regístrate enviando un mensaje de texto a **olpna** al **84576**. Recibirás enseguida un mensaje para completar la registración con tu nombre y dirección de correo electrónico. Si tienes preguntas llama a la oficina. Los mensajes llegan siempre con el logo de la Iglesia.



¿Necesita servicios médicos?



Descripción

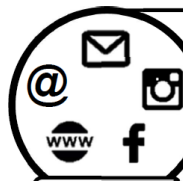
Clínica Latina es una clínica gratuita para las personas en el CSRA que no tienen seguro médico y viven bajo el 200% del nivel nacional de pobreza. Ofrecemos servicios como cualquier otro centro de salud y nos esforzamos para asegurar que todos nuestros pacientes reciban la mejor atención posible.

Nuestra dirección es 987 Saint Sebastian Way, Augusta, Georgia 30912.
Clínica Latina atiende pacientes de 5:15 PM a 7:30 PM el primer y tercer miércoles de cada mes*. Espacios son limitados a pacientes con cita.

*Excluye fechas feriadas y el mes de diciembre



Hora y Fecha



Contacto

Contactanos para más información y/o para hacer una cita
Teléfono: (706) 940-2527
Email: alascra@gmail.com
Instagram: [@clinicalatina_mcg](https://www.instagram.com/clinicalatina_mcg)
Facebook: [@clinicalatina](https://www.facebook.com/clinicalatina)
Web: <http://www.alas-csra.org/clinica-latina-1>



PARISH UPDATES

Second Collection Schedule – 2023

June 4 Facilities Fund
June 11 Seminary Collection

Baccalaureate Mass for Graduates!

We will recognize all 2023 graduates at the 9:30am Mass on June 3rd. We invite graduates to come in their graduation cap and gowns and participate in our Annual Baccalaureate Mass. Please contact the office to add your family member to our list.



Food Pantry

Community Ministries of North Augusta food pantry is currently in need of the following items: Kleenex, Mens deodorant, Clorox (small size), Bathroom cleaner, Hamburger/Tuna Helper, Snack Crackers, Sugar (small size), and Flour (small size)

Community Ministry of North Augusta

Located at 531 Belvedere-Clearwater Rd. The mailing address is PO Box 7152 North Augusta, SC 29861 and our telephone number is (803) 279-5771. Please call Tammy if you might enjoy helping others. Thank you for your continued support. For more information, contact Renee Davis (803) 341-1238.

Volunteers Needed for Linen Care

This group is responsible for taking the linens home with them from the Masses, laundering and ironing them and returning them to the church. Some of them also help make new linens when needed. If you would like to volunteer or have questions, please contact Cheryl Smith at 803-278-1306. (Volunteers are usually responsible for once a month.)

Seminarian & VA Outreach Collection

The Forth Degree is the patriotic arm of the Knights of Columbus. Following Masses on May 27 & 28th, Fourth Degree Knights will collect donations to support military Seminarians and disabled veterans at the VA Hospital.

75th Anniversary Celebration

We will have a Mass celebrating the 75th anniversary of our parish on June 10th at 4:00pm with a reception to follow and we will need volunteers to help coordinate this event. If you have any memorabilia or pictures that you would like to share please let us know. Vince and Zell Ruczko are coordinating this project. Please contact them or the office if you wish to volunteer to help or if you have any items to share. Sign up sheets for reception food items will be in Narthex after Mass.

Knights of Columbus Scholarship Program

Each year the North Augusta Knights of Columbus Council #7062 awards scholarship assistance to eligible applicants to fund tuition-based Catholic High School and any higher learning accredited program (University, 4-year College, Technical College, Junior College excluding Graduate school). These scholarships are competitive against all applicants using the total person that you are. See Church website for details and application.

Prayer/Comfort Shawl Ministry

Prayer Shawl meets every Thursday in Room #3 at the Annex at 10:30 a.m. Bring your knitting needles, crochet hooks or looms to make prayer shawls, lap robes, baby blankets, hats and scarves for those in need. Come join us. If you would like information relative to the Prayer/Comfort Shawl Ministry, please call Julie Hodges at 706-627-1646.

NOTES FROM THE OFFICE

***If you are new to the parish, please call, 803-279-0315, or stop by the church office to register.**

***If you are going to move,** have a change of address, or change of phone number, please contact the office.

***When you reach the age of 18 and/or no longer a dependent on your parents,** you need to register with the parish. If you are asked to be a sponsor or godparent, then the parish will be able to issue a certificate that you are an active registered member of the parish.

Have a birthday or anniversary coming up? If you would like your special occasion recognized, please contact the parish office two weeks in advance of the date!

***Flocknotes** - Please register with **Flocknotes** by texting olpna in a text message to 84576. You will get a text message back prompting you to complete the registration with Name, address, & email. If you have any questions, call the parish office.

Be a Steward of the Mass. Would you like to remember or honor someone in a special way? Prayerfully consider donating the essential elements of the Mass: bread (\$20), wine (\$20), candles (\$30) or flowers (\$40 per arrangement). Your donation will be acknowledged in the bulletin. Please contact the parish office for available dates. Your donation will be recorded on your contribution statement.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



We wish all of our Religious Education students and their families a fun and safe summer! We look forward to seeing everyone again this fall. Don't forget to watch the bulletin for registration information for fall of 2024.

¡Les deseamos a todos nuestros estudiantes de Educación Religiosa y sus familias un verano divertido y seguro! Esperamos verlos a todos nuevamente este otoño. No olvide mirar el boletín para obtener información de registro para el otoño de 2024.

OUR LADY OF PEACE SCHOOL

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OTHER EVENTS

Are You Prepared to Speak the Truth in Love?

We were created to love as God loves, but what does that mean for our sexuality? How can we speak the truth in love when we are faced with challenging questions from family and friends about current moral issues? Explore answers to these questions by signing up for the in-person class, *Understanding the Human Person*, to be held at Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church in Chapin June 2 and 3, 2023. This class is co-sponsored by **Family Honor** and the **Diocese of Charleston Family Life Office** and is for adults 18 and over. Topics will be addressed from a Catholic perspective. Registration fee includes 12 hours of class time, plus books, student folder, Resource List, and two meals provided on site. (There are some scholarship funds available for those who need help with the registration fee.) For details, go to: <https://familyhonor.org/weekend-training-course/> or contact Family Honor: 803.929.0858 or info@familyhonor.org Registration deadline is May 22.

Aiken Senior Life

Aiken Senior Life Services is adding a Group Dining Meal Site at Holy Trinity Lutheran in North Augusta for area seniors 60+. The meals will occur each Wednesday and Friday, 9am until 1pm. Speakers, fun group exercises, and arts and crafts are planned. Holy Trinity is located at 1002 Carolina Avenue. For more information, call Aiken Senior Life Services at 803-648-5447 x222.

A Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 10 Days

29 January - 7 February 2024

Spiritual Director: Father Jacob Almeter; Pastor of Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church

Round trip: \$3,999 per person from Atlanta

(Includes Hotel 4 star and up; double occupancy; 2 meals a day (Breakfast, dinner); Daily sightseeing; Masses, Airport taxes; Fuel surcharges; and Catholic guides)

For information contact: www.crownofbethlehem.com; info@crownofbethlehem.com or 832-777-0864.

Art Camp - St. Mary's on the Hill

For students, ages 6-13. Camp will run from June 12th-June 16th. Cost is \$135 (includes supplies) For more information, contact Alice Hagler at (706) 833-4581

Summer Basketball Camp - St. Mary's

For ages: rising 1st - rising 8th graders. Camp will run from June 12th - June 16th. Cost \$100. For more information, call Alice Hagler at 706-833-4581