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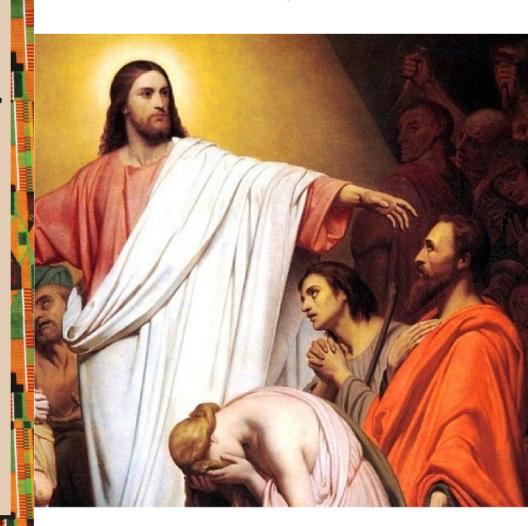
ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH

309 Gower Street Greenville, South Carolina 29611

Welcoming all people to worship God in the genius of African American Catholic Spirituality

TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 9, 2024



PARISH INFO

WELCOME TO ST. ANTHONY'S

We welcome all new members and visitors to our parish. Please email Kyle Hall at kyle.hall@charlestondiocese.org if you would like to register. Our new online registration form is now LIVE! Please visit www.stanthonysgvl.org to register.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5 PM

Sunday: 8 AM, 10 AM and 12 PM (Noon)

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASS

11 AM & 6 PM

WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday - Friday: 11 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesday: 12 PM (Noon) - 1:00 PM

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 PM Or by Appointment

HEARING ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

Please see an Usher before Mass

PARISH OFFICE

Physical Location: 204 Douthit St. Monday thru Thursday 9 AM - 4 PM

Friday 9 AM - 12 PM Phone: (864) 233-7717

Website: www.stanthonysgvl.org

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Phone: (864) 271-0167

Website: www.stanthonyschoolgvl.org

CHILD PROTECTION SERVICES

Diocesan Office: (843) 261-0430

DO YOU NEED HELP?

Financial Assistance: (864) 233-7717 ext. 0

Catholic Charities: (864) 331-2626

Food Pantry: (864) 233-7717

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

The men and women that serve in the armed forces do so with a form of sacrificial love for our countryand the world. Lifting them up in prayer to the Lord must be our humble, and yet great support for them.

Lord, may your love encircle our military as they

work across the world to install justice and peace for all. And be their hope through the difficulties and stresses they face each day.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

SATURDAY, 6/8

• 5 PM Timothy Mitchell 1

SUNDAY, 6/9

- 8 AM
- 10 AM • 12 PM

TUESDAY, 6/11

• 11 AM

WEDNESDAY 6/12

• 11 AM Erlein Snow

THURSDAY, 6/13

• 11 AM Matt Levenllie Family

FRIDAY, 6/14

• 11 AM

SATURDAY, 6/15

5 PM

SUNDAY, 6/16

- 8 AM
- 10 AM
- 12 PM



It is a wonderful Catholic tradition to request a Mass Intention for loved ones; living or deceased. In fact, asking for Mass intention for the deceased is not only Catholic tradition, it is biblical (2 Maccabees 12: 38-46).

Mass intention is also a wonderful gift for any special occasion: birthday, anniversary, in thanksgiving for a prayer answered, etc.

Please call the parish office to schedule a Mass Intention.

TOGETHER WE PRAY FOR:

Individuals

Alec Kubica Alice Rigler Andrew Shafer Ann Fournier Ann Moore Ann Nechodom Annette Martin Anthony Davis Bill Higgins Carl Sunderlin Charlene Palmer Chester Williams Clarice Hanly David Burnett Dee Dee Dzikowicz Donna Neeley Donna Nickels Dorothy Baker Drew Butterfield Elaine Greggs Ellaniose Johnson Eric Kuhn Erica Hardy

Gregory Kuhn Hazel Hill Jen Duhe Jonathan Turner Joseph Neito Joyce Croce Juliet Roy Julius Pinson Jr. Laura Drummond Laurie Rappl Lillie Davis Lori Cortese Lori McGinley Malik McCauley Margaret Morris Marie Therese Isdiore Marilyn Daly Martha Cotel Mary Cormican Mary Curran Matthew Bryson Maureen Lukovic Megan Counihan

Melvin Armstrong Michael Davis Olivia Brown Rhonda Brown Richard Cortese Richard Palmer Sabrina Walker Sammy Huguet Sandra McNaughton Sharon Bryant Sharon Patton Sherri Hoffman Stephan Pleasant Steve Miller Stuart MacNaughton Tara Cleary Thelma Williams Tom James Troy Koon Tyler Daly Korybski Wilbert Morgan Willie Davis

Families

Barb & Vern Prinzing Dana Lacher Duhe Family Catherine & Michael Branca Doug, Debbie, & Barbara DeLeu Karen Randall & Family

Scott Cely Family Michael & Ruth Walters Tessa & George Skoniecki Deacon Richard Murtaugh Deacon Steve & Susan Olson Deacon Winston Wright

Our Sick & Shut-Ins

Clenty Fair Nicole Campbell Little

HELP FOR THOSE IN NEED

If you are sick at home or in the hospital, have a member of your family notify the parish if you are not able to notify us yourself. We care about you and want to help you when you need help from your church family.

If there is someone you would like to be added on the prayer list OR removed, please contact the Parish Office: 864-233-7717 ext 2. Thank you!

SACRAMENTS & MINISTRY INFO

ACTIVE PARISHIONER

The criteria for an Active Parishioner are:

-Weekly participation in worship through attendance at Sunday Mass and on Holy Days of Obligation.

-Volunteer at St. Anthony's on regular basis (**Time**)
-Active involvement in a parish ministry/organization (**Talent**)
-Weekly or monthly use of parish envelopes or online giving (**Treasure**)

PARISH REGISTRATION AND SACRAMENTS

Those seeking to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, and Matrimony **must be registered members** for <u>at least six months</u> prior to reception of these Sacraments. You must be a registered member of the parish to ask for Godparent or Sponsor's form of eligibility.

Infant Baptism Class for Parents

Parents must be registered and active member of St. Anthony's. Class is offered on the third Thursday of every month. Pre-registration is required. Please call the office to pre-register. Baptisms are not celebrated during the Season of Lent.

First Holy Communion

Preparation begins in the first grade and continues into second grade for a total of two years of preparation. Registration for Religious Education classes takes place in August. The first day of class is the third or fourth week in August.

Confirmation

Preparation begins in the eighth grade and continues into ninth grade for a total of two years of preparation. Registration for Religious Education classes takes place in August. The first day of class is the third or fourth week of August. Adults who have not been confirmed and would like to receive the Sacrament are asked to contact the parish office.

Marriage

You must be registered and active member at least six months prior to preparation of the Sacrament. Couples should call the parish office and speak to the priest/ Deacon for pre-nuptial inquiries. Then the couple will begin formal marriage preparations at least six months prior to the wedding date.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

This is a process through which non-baptized adults known as catechumens or baptized adults who wish to convert from other faith traditions enter in communion with the Catholic Church. Classes begins in September. If you wish to become a Catholic, please call the parish office.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Will Continue On the First Friday's of each month from 12pm-5pm

Please consider taking time with Jesus this week.

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Mary Lee Tierney, Secretary864-363-0570
Parish Finance Council
Sandy Thompson, Chairperson252-622-1945
Chery O'Malley, Secretary864-360-4667
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Paul Herr864-907-9356
Kyle Herr864-907-9355
Altar Servers
Lawrence Moerke404-824-0765
Women's Council
Kathleen Merritt864-331-2633
Men's Club
Ralston Moore864-386-4852
David Quast864-906-2632
Food Pantry
Carol Moeller864-380-4155
30's & 40's Group
JJ Reinheart607-382-9620
Renee Puckett Smith678-409-0408
Elijah Cup Vocations Ministry
Mike Cumby864-417-8973
Gala School Fundraiser
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Handicap Transportation Ministry
Chuck Milteer864-350-9684
Health Ministry
Rita O'Rourke864-979-7544
Hiking Ministry
Paul Herr864-907-9356
Homebound Ministers
Donna Moerke404-374-4019
Housing Ministry
Mike Mathers864-483-5477
Knights of Columbus
Jim Tetor540-809-7809
Richard Cortese864-201-8162
Knights of Peter Claver
Paul Latimore864-299-0847
Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary
Mary Ann Boyd619-517-2191
Living Waters Bible Study
Nicky & Lillie Jones864-832-4011 or 864-832-4012
Meal Ministry
Dana Lacher864-354-0049
Prayer Card Ministry & Prayer Shawl Ministry
Delores Martinez864-201-2204
Prison Ministry
Richard Krainas864-360-1098
Gwen Whitner864-297-0123
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Children's Liturgy
Ann Vunkin-Chowsapchildrensliturgy@gmail.com
Micah Ministry
David Quast864-906-2632

SPIRITUAL LIFE

FROM THE DESK OF OUR ADMINISTRATOR Fr. Emerson Rodriguez Delgado

Dear friends, in the midst of our fast-paced and hectic modern lives, it is all too easy to forget the most fundamental questions that define our existence: "Why am I here, and what is my purpose?" As spiritual beings on a human journey, we are called to dig deeper into our inner selves and embrace the hidden mysteries of life. When we lose touch with this spiritual dimension, our lives can become shallow and devoid of meaning. We risk falling into a state of superficiality and disconnection from the very essence of our being and from one another. It is common for us to find ourselves merely skimming the surface of life, avoiding the profound questions and emotions that lie within us.

Instead of taking the time to explore our inner selves and seek a deeper purpose, we often get caught up in the daily routines and distractions, and the fleeting attractions at our fingertips. However, when a sense of dissatisfaction starts to settle in, when we feel a yearning for something more, it may be a sign that our souls long for a transformation only the Spirit can bring.

Paul Tillich, a renowned theologian, reminds us that true understanding of life's depth and meaning comes through the guidance of the Spirit. Ignoring this divine gift, as the apostle Paul warns in Ephesians 4:30, means to "grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with whom you were sealed for the day of redemption," potentially carrying the burden of our errors indefinitely.

The Holy Spirit holds the power to inspire us to rise above the monotonous routines of our daily lives. It can infuse us with the courage to embark on an inner journey of self-discovery, enabling us to find joy amidst challenges and revitalize our existence. Moreover, the Spirit has the ability to teach us to love even those towards whom we currently feel indifference or apathy.

Let us always remember that the Spirit is not merely a force dwelling within us; it is God Himself, guiding and transforming us. It is like a flickering flame that requires our attention and care to keep it alive, purifying and renewing our lives. As we reflect upon the words of the psalmist in Psalm 51:11, let us humbly pray, "Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me."

As we navigate this journey, it is also essential to recognize the importance of community and fellowship. Engaging with others who share similar spiritual goals can provide support, encouragement, and a sense of belonging. Together, we can create a nurturing environment that fosters spiritual growth and collective transformation.

Moreover, let us be mindful of the simple yet profound practices that can help us stay connected to our spiritual selves. Regular prayer, meditation, and acts of kindness, generosity, justice, and care of creation can serve as daily reminders of our higher purpose. These practices can ground us, offering moments of peace and clarity amidst the chaos of everyday life.

May we all find the strength and wisdom to embrace our spiritual journey fully, trusting that the Spirit will guide us towards a life of purpose, fulfillment, and love.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

June 9, TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Gn 3:9-15; 2 Cor 4:13-5:1; Mk 3:20-35

June 10, Monday of the 10th Week in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 17:1-6; Mt 5:1-12

June 11, Memorial of Saint Barnabas, Apostle Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Mt 5:13-16

June 12, Wednesday of the 10th Week in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 18:20-39; Mt 5:17-19

June 13, Memorial of Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church

1 Kgs 18:41-46; Mt 5:20-26

June 14, Friday of the 10th Week in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Mt 5:27-32

June 15, Saturday of the 10th Week in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 19:19-21; Mt 5:33-37

June 16, ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ez 17:22-24; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

Scripture online at https://bible.usccb.org/

BULLETIN CONTENT SUBMISSION

Anyone parish group/organization wishing to submit items for publishing in the weekly bulletin should send the content to Kyle Hall (kyle.hall@charlestondiocese.org) by end of day Tuesday for the coming weekend's bulletin. Submissions may have to be edited due to space constraints.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY PARTICIPATION Collections for June 1-2 Masses

Envelopes/Cash \$13,134.51

Online Giving \$11,375.42

Total \$24,509.93

<u>Giving Online</u> makes it easier and more convenient to contribute to St. Anthony's Church. Scan the QR code to the right by opening your camera app to start giving online.

<u>Stewardship</u> is not only about the needs of the Church, rather it is about our desire to give back to God in thanksgiving, by sharing with others the blessings the Lord has bestowed on us.

The true spirit of Stewardship is "Equal Sacrifice and not Equal Giving."

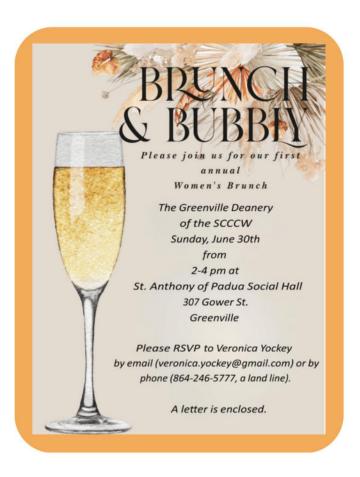


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THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

JUNE 9TH - JUNE 16TH

Sunday, June 9th	Monday, June 10th	Tuesday, June 11th	Wednesday, June 12th
2:00 PM- Traveling Cards Social Hall		6:30 PM: Living Waters Bible Study Zoom	

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FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

The Food Pantry is relocating to the old convent at the end of May. We invite you to visit our new venue and consider being a volunteer for this worthy mission of our church. Contact Carol Moeller if interested (864-380-4155) or

carolmoeller333@gmail.com

Pantry Needs:

Canned Vegetables, Fruit, Beans, Family Size Ceral Boxes, Big Jars of Pasta Sauce, Noodles, and Jelly.

PLAY PICKLEBALL

Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 Noon in the St. Anthony Gymnasium



MINISTRIES IN ACTION

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF: June 15-16, 2024

SATURDAY, 6/15: 5PM	SUNDAY, 6/16: 8AM	SUNDAY, 6/16: 10AM	SUNDAY, 6/16: 12 PM
ALTAR SERVERS Maria Paula Jaramillo Larry Moerke	ALTAR SERVERS J'Carey Cade Tom Tilert	ALTAR SERVERS Olivia Avery Rita Galley Tatum Terracino	ALTAR SERVERS David Mitchell-Dela Cruz Jordan Perry Julian Perry
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Cindy Caudill (Host) Tony Smith(Cup 1) Carol Moeller (Cup 2) Laura Combs (Cup 3)	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Anna Byrd(Host) Maggie Kleger (Cup 1) David Carfolite (Cup 2) Bonnie Carfolite (Cup 3)	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Jacki Files (Host) Marry Morris Williams (Cup 1) Renee Puckett Smith (Cup 2) Erena Allen (Cup 3)	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Suzanne Richmond (Host) Emir Ramirez (Cup 1) Dawn Davis (Cup 2) Mary Corner (Cup 3)
SCRIPTURE READERS Ingrid Smith(Lector 1) Bobbie Cancelliere (Lector 2)	SCRIPTURE READERS Kathleen Bistura (Lector 1) Suzanne Newton (Lector 2)	SCRIPTURE READERS Mary Ann Turner (Lector 1) Delores Martinez (Lector 2)	SCRIPTURE READERS Maureen Watts (Lector 1) Jessie Bowens (Lector 2)
USHERS Rick Floyd Ken O'Malley Beth Holcombe Ed Frey Kathy Peot	Mike Ayers Lillie Jones Nicky Jones Light Sholl Light Sholl Lynn Sholl Robert McDowell Jeff Sholl	USHERS Bob Dastou Mike Connor Jay Korybski Dan Krick Armando Krick Tom Creagan	Tom Moeller Mariel Hunkeler Cynthia Riley Ronnie Drennon Ray Lecuyer Bryant Boyd

JUNE 9TH - JUNE 16TH

<u>Thursday, June 13th</u>	<u>Friday, June 14th</u>	Saturday, June 15th	Sunday, June 16th
6:30 PM- Adult Faith Formation: Salvation Social Hall		10:00 PM- Pickle Ball Gymnasium	
		2nd Collection: Seminary Collection	

NEWS FROM OUR SCHOOL



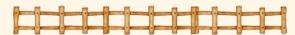


Saturday, September 7, 2024 6-11:30pm TD Convention Center

1 Exposition Dr. Greenville SC

Tickets \$100/each and includes dinner, beer, wine, dancing, live and silent auctions
Tickets will be on sale during August at all Masses and online. Sponsorship opportunities now
available!





Would you like to donate to the Gala again this year?

We are accepting themed baskets of items valued at \$100 or more. Use a basket or container of any kind to assemble your donation. If you have a single item valued at \$150 or more, please bring them so we can include them in the auction.

Theme baskets (Just some ideas):

Make-up Basket
Golf Basket
Craft Basket
Sports Theme Basket
Outdoor Adventure Basket

Pet Treat Basket Garden Basket Kids Travel Basket Hiking Basket Spa Basket



TV Time Basket
Wine Basket
Game Basket
Cooking Basket
Music Theme Basket



Gift Certificates and item ideas: Restaurants, music & entertainment venues, sporting events, jewelry, trips, overnight stays, winery trip, new computer items, autographed items, wonderful bottles of wine, sporting event packages, beach rentals, dinners at special restaurants, events for the family... Get creative and see what you and your friends can put together.

We ask that you keep all items at your home until end of July. Baskets will be collected after all masses in the Social Hall beginning the last week of July thru August.

Able to help with the donation committee? WE NEED YOU!

Contact Jean Hever (864-608-5256) or Bonnie Megan (412-370-3552) with questions or to volunteer.