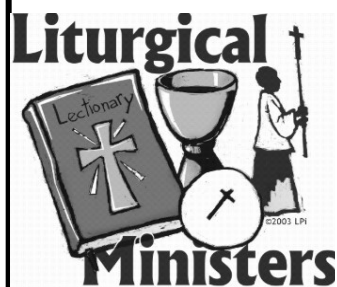


UPCOMING EVENTS

- Daily Mass every Thursday at 9:30am (Rosary @ 9:10)
- Bible study sessions are currently cancelled. Updates in future bulletin. Discussions are currently going on. Please give us your input.
- Women's' Club Meetings meet regularly each Second Monday of the month /11am . We will resume in September.
- Collection of the Baby Bottles Donation Drive THIS WEEKEND AND NEXT—May 30,31 and June 6,7. Please bring back bottles with your donations. Thank you.
- KofC is collecting any old tattered flags. See bulletin for details- June 6,7

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Kof C collection

THIS WEEKEND AND NEXT - the annual baby drive bottles will collected for the Palmetto Women's Center in Rock Hill, which helps unwed mothers . May 30, 31 or June 6,7. Thank you Checks may be written out to: KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Council 15611



It's that time—John Rodgers will be creating the new ministry schedule for July, August, and September. He is asking for any server, lector, and/or Eucharistic Minister to look ahead at these following months and inform him by June 17th of any possible dates that you will not be available so he can plan the Ministry Schedule.

**THANK YOU ALL FOR YOU WILLINGNESS TO MINISTER TO THE
PEOPLE OF ST. JOSEPH PARISH.**

Help St. Joseph Church become financially stable.



Submissions for bulletins must be made by Tuesday to: stjcoordinator@gmail.com

Or to Bob Renaud~ brenaud65@gmail.com



ST. JOSEPH

Catholic Church



MASS SCHEDULE:

Thursday – Weekday Mass 9:30 am (Rosary 9:10am)

Saturday (Anticipated Mass) 4:00pm

Sunday 12:30pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation 3-3:45pm Saturdays
(or by appointment)**

All other sacraments please call parish office to inquire.

Rev. Agustin L. Guzman, CO, Pastor

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John Rodgers, Office/Business Manager

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Office Hours: Wednesday 10 am to 2 pm (John Rodgers)

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May 31, 2026

Solemnity of the Holy Spirit

UPCOMING FEAST

- 31 Visitation of Bl Virgin Mary
- 01 St. Justin Martyr
- 02 Sts Marcellinus & Peter
- 03 St. Charles Lwanga & Companions
- 04 Bl Angelina of Marciano
- 05 St. Boniface
- 06 St. Norbert



Come Holy Spirit
and burn in us;
Come Holy Wind
and cleanse us;
Come Holy Light
and lead us;
Come Holy Truth
and teach us;
Come Holy Power
and free us;
Come Holy Love
and gently enfold us.
Amen

MINISTRY (Sat/Sun.) SCHEDULE :

LECTOR: Sat. M. Hamilton /J. Rothe
E.M: Sat. J. Schumacher/S. Robinson
LECTOR: Sun M. Lifsey /R. Whisonant
E.M: Sun. K. Hutto/J. Rodgers

WEEK of May 17 OFFERING:

Envelopes	\$1808.40
Loose	\$97.00
Total: Met Budget	\$1905.40
Other: candle, refurb, special	\$0.00
Weekly Budget:	\$1847.00

St. Joseph online Donation:

<https://www.osvhub.com/stmarysrh/funds/st-joseph-church-chester-donations>

IF YOU ARE ABLE, PLEASE CONSIDER INCREASING YOUR WEEKLY GIFT

ORATORY CENTER FOR SPIRITUALTY

If you would like to have more information about the center or the programs it offers, you may visit the Oratory in Rock Hill.
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HOLY SPIRIT

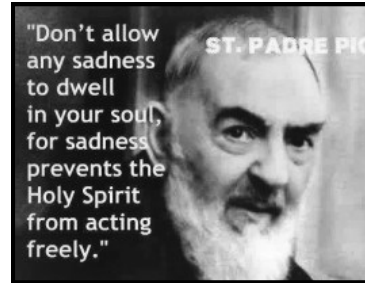
The Catechism teaches that "by sending His only Son and the Spirit of Love in the fullness of time, God has revealed His innermost secret: God Himself is an eternal exchange of Love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and He has destined us to share in that exchange." #221 "The three persons are one truth" St. Augustine
By pondering the truth of the Trinity, we also realize the full truth of ourselves.
By His gift of faith, God has made His own life available to us even now. "The complete Trinity dwells in us." Father Marie Michel Philipon God reveals the fullness of His very self to us that we "might not perish but might have eternal life," and that we might be received as His own.

Old Tattered Flags



The Knights of Columbus provides a patriotic service every year to 'bury' and 'properly lay to rest' Old American Flags on or near flag day. If you have a tattered flag and would like to have it properly taken care of, please bring it in and place it in the basket near each entrance of the church no later than Sunday June 7th.

Your soul is a ship, and the Holy Spirit is the wind
- St. John Chrysostom



THE HOLY SPIRIT HAS TO CHANGE A PERSON'S HEART BEFORE HE WILL EVER SAY "YES" TO JESUS.
- R.C. Sproul

St. Augustine

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Breathe in me O Holy Spirit,
That my thoughts may all be holy.
Act in me O Holy Spirit,
That my work, too, may be holy.
Draw my heart O Holy Spirit,
That I love only what is holy.
Strengthen me O Holy Spirit,
To defend all that is holy.
Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit,
That I always may be holy.

What we need is not more learning, not more eloquence, not more persuasion, not more organization, but more power from the Holy Spirit.
John Stott



a lil' saintly ADVICE

"If you ever feel distressed during your day — call upon our Lady — just say this simple prayer: 'Mary, Mother of Jesus, please be a mother to me now.' I must admit — this prayer has never failed me."
-Blessed Mother Teresa

OUR BLESSED MOTHER, Pray for us!

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Danny McMurray	Warren Dew
Troy West	Jim McGee
Michelle Munnell	Bobbie Kay Lalli
Jim McMurray	Michael Young
Alfredo Guzman	

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