

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 June 6,7. **Please bring back bottles with your donations.** Thank you.
- KofC is collecting any old tattered flags this weekend.
- Food Pantry June 8-11/Sept 28-Oct. 1
- June 13-14 second collection for seminarians of our diocese. Charlestdiocese.org
- Rachel's Vineyard Retreat—Fort Mill June 19-21 rachelvineyard.org



St. Joseph Parish will be in charge of the local community food pantry June 8-11 & September 28-October 1. If you are interested in assisting with this, please see Jan Schumacher. **THANK YOU**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Kof C collection

THIS WEEKEND is the last weekend to collect for the annual baby drive bottles will be collected for the Palmetto Women's Center in Rock Hill. 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 YOUR 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

Phone: 803-329-1008 (St Mary Catholic Church, Rock Hill)

Emergency: Home 803-327-2098 Cell: 803-627-5297

John Rodgers, Office/Business Manager

Office Phone – 803-377-4695 (St Joseph)

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

Thursday 9 am to 10:30 am & Saturday pm (Fr Agustin)

Website:<http://josephchester.org>

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May 31, 2026

Solemnity of the Holy Body and Blood of Christ

UPCOMING FEAST

- 07 Bl. Franz Jagerstatter**
- 08 St. William of York**
- 09 St. Ephrem**
- 10 St. Joachim**
- 11 St. Barnabas**
- 12 Bl. Jolenta of Poland**
- 13 St. Anthony of Padua**

PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART

O Sacred Heart of Jesus,
 filled with Infinite Love;
 broken by our ingratitude
 and pierced by our sins;
 yet loving us still; accept the
 consecration we make to You of all
 that we are and all that we have. **AMEN**

MINISTRY (Sat./Sun.) SCHEDULE :

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

WEEK of May 30th OFFERING:

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| Envelopes | \$630.00 |
| Loose | \$141.00 |
| Total: BELOW Budget | \$771.00 |
| Other: candle, refurb, special | \$21.00 |
| 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.
www.rockhilloratory.org
oratorycenter@gmail.com

**FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART
THIS YEAR IS FRIDAY JUNE 12th!**

These are the promises the Sacred Heart of Jesus made to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque:

- 1 – I will give them all the graces necessary for their state of life.
- 2 – I will give peace in their families.
- 3 – I will console them in all their troubles.
- 4 – I will be their refuge in life and especially in death.
- 5 – I will abundantly bless all their undertakings.
- 6 – Sinners shall find in my heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
- 7 – Tepid souls shall become fervent.
- 8 – Fervent souls shall rise speedily to great perfection.
- 9 – I will bless those places wherein the image of my Sacred Heart shall be exposed and venerated.
- 10 – I will give to priests the power to touch the most hardened hearts.
- 11 – Persons who propagate this devotion shall have their names eternally written in my heart.
- 12 – In the excess of the mercy of my heart, I promise you that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who will receive Communion on the first Fridays, for nine consecutive months, the grace of final repentance: they will not die in my displeasure, nor without receiving the sacraments; and my heart will be their secure refuge in that last hour.

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

THIS WEEKEND!

June is known as the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

most simply because the solemnity of the Sacred Heart is celebrated during this month.

The feast dates back to 1673, when a French nun who belonged to the Order of the Visitation of Holy Mary (Visitandines) in eastern France began to receive visions about the Sacred Heart.

Jesus appeared to Sister Margaret Mary Alacoque and revealed ways to venerate his Sacred Heart and explained the immense love he has for humanity, appearing with his heart visible outside his chest, on fire, and surrounded by a crown of thorns.

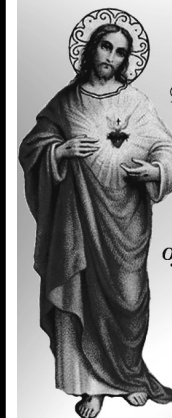
These different ways include partaking in a holy hour on Thursdays and the reception of the Eucharist on the first Friday of every month.

In 1856, Pope Pius IX designated the Friday following the feast of Corpus Christi as the feast of the Sacred Heart for the universal Church. Ever since, the month of June has been devoted to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and his immense love for us all.

On the current calendar, the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is a solemnity, the highest-ranking feast in the liturgical calendar, although it is not a holy day of obligation.



a lil' saintly ADVICE



During pain, affliction, or mortification say to yourself:
"Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, I trust in Thee."

SACRED HEART OF JESUS, Pray for us!

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| Judithanne Hare | Mona Paragon |
| Danny McMurray | Warren Dew |
| Troy West | Jim McGee |
| Michelle Munnell | Bobbie Kay Lalli |
| Jim McMurray | Michael Young |
| Alfredo Guzman | |

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| Nicholas Lewellyn | Terra Shade |

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| Maggie Wilson | Beth Gaddy |
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| Alex Whisonant | Terry Morris |
| Gina McCanless | Maggie Robinson |
| Roger Ramsey | John Jacobs |
| Gabby Rowsam | Sam St. Croix |
| Jacqueline Botta | Ella Phillips |
| Will Thesier | Austin Nunnery |
| Beth Stevenson | Mark |
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- *We pray that people everywhere may have unflinching respect for human life and promote the culture of life, from conception to natural death.*
- *We pray for all the suffering souls in Purgatory especially all our loved ones and those most forgotten.*
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