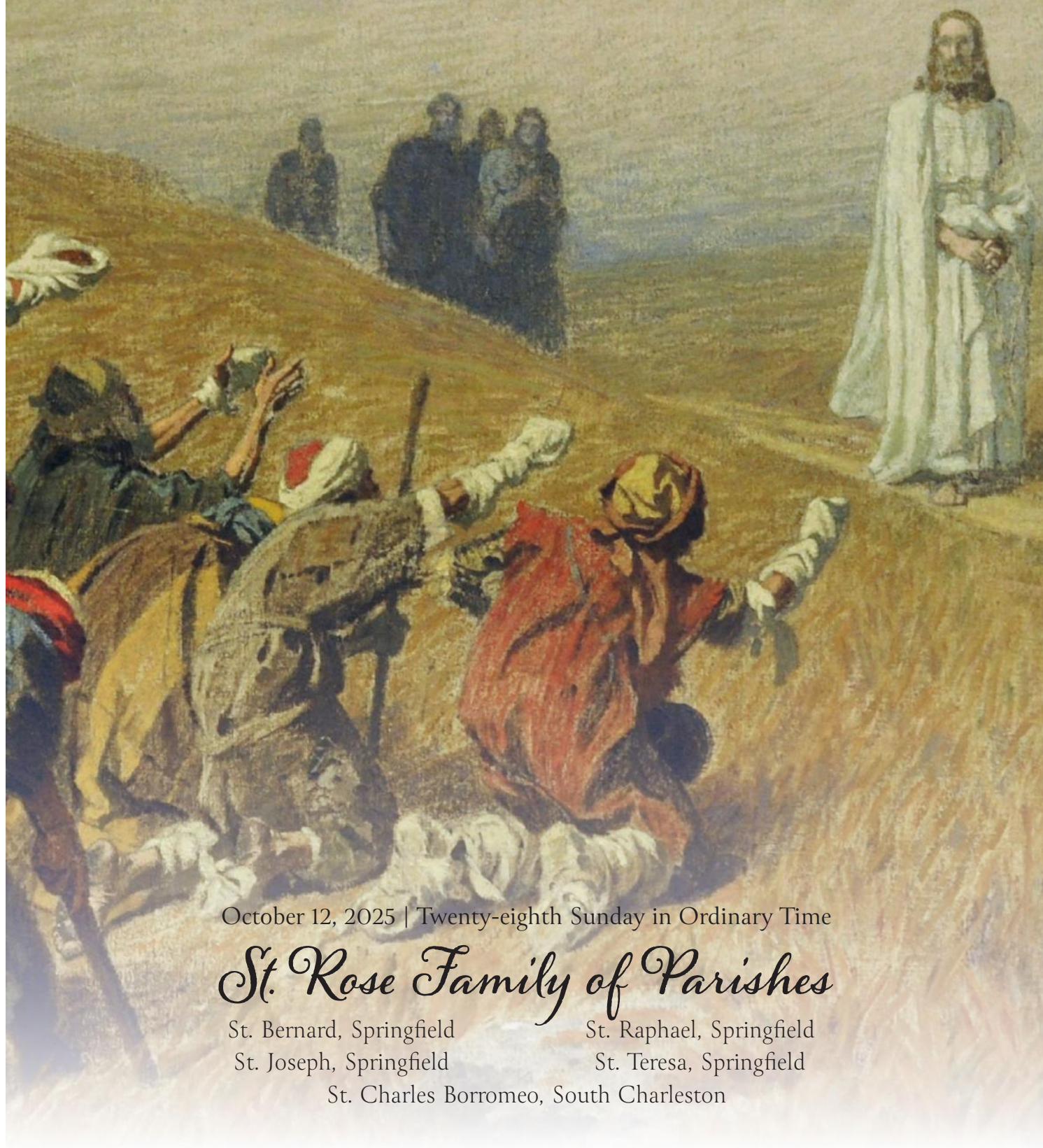


“Stand up and go;
your faith has saved you.”
– Luke 17:19



October 12, 2025 | Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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St. Joseph, Springfield

St. Teresa, Springfield

St. Charles Borromeo, South Charleston

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Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday

4:30 p.m. St. Bernard – 4:30 p.m. St. Charles

Sunday

8:00 a.m. St. Joseph – 8:30 a.m. St. Bernard

10:30 a.m. St. Raphael – 11:00 a.m. St. Teresa

2:00 p.m. St. Teresa (Spanish) – 3:30 p.m. St. Raphael (Haitian Creole)

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday-Saturday

8:00 a.m. St. Teresa

Monday-Tuesday-Friday

9:00 a.m. St. Bernard

Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Rosary St. Teresa (Spanish) – 6:30 p.m. St. Teresa (Spanish)

Wednesday-Thursday

12:10 p.m. St. Raphael

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Teresa:

Confession and Adoration every Thursday from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration from 9:00-Noon

Holy Mass and Adoration 6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

First Saturday Holy Rosary and Mass 6:00 a.m. (Spanish)

St. Bernard:

First Sunday from 10:00 a.m.-Noon

St. Raphael:

Every Tuesday from 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Sacraments

RECONCILIATION

St. Teresa

Thursday, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

St. Bernard

Mon/Tue/Fri, after 9:00 a.m. Mass

Saturday, 3:00-4:00 p.m.

St. Raphael

Tuesday, 5:00-5:45 p.m.

Wed/Thurs, 11:30 a.m.-Noon

Saturday, 3:00-4:00 p.m.

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Pastor's Corner



From the Pastor, October 12, 2025

There was a kerfuffle a few years ago over a single word which was changed in the Mass. Perhaps you were around and remember the new translation of the Roman Missal into English which was made effective in Advent of 2011. That was when we changed from saying “and also with you” to “and with your spirit.” I remember going to the first Mass of the new translation and getting only some of the “and with your spirit” responses right. We have gotten used to it over time. The translation made changes to the Consecration, however, and it was to this that I was referring. And it makes sense that this would cause a kerfuffle, because the Consecration is the highest point of the Mass. It is why I slow down significantly, because these words need to be set aside, not pronounced like any other words in the Mass, because of their great importance. In the Consecration of the chalice, the priest used to say, “This is the blood of the new and everlasting covenant. It will be shed for you and for all so that sins may be forgiven.” The new translation changed it to “for you and for many.” People were up in arms, saying this says that the new translation claims that salvation was not for all – but, in reality, the new translation was just quoting Jesus more accurately, who did not say “for all” but “for many.” And we see how that can be the case in today’s Gospel (Lk 17:11-19). We have ten lepers being cleansed – but only one comes back to give thanks to God. Jesus died for all – but only some will respond to His gift of love. Jesus shed His blood for all – but only some will choose to benefit from it. It is up to us to respond, to return like the Samaritan leper and give thanks to God.

In Christ – Fr. Komoroski

Del Párroco, 12 de Octubre de 2025

Hace algunos años hubo un revuelo por una sola palabra que se cambió en la Misa. Quizás algunos de ustedes recuerden la nueva traducción del Misal Romano al inglés que entró en vigor en el Adviento de 2011. Fue entonces cuando cambiamos de decir “and also with you” a “and with your spirit” (en español, de “y también contigo” a “y con tu espíritu”). Recuerdo haber ido a la primera Misa con la nueva traducción y acertar solo en algunas de las respuestas de “and with your spirit.” Con el tiempo, nos hemos acostumbrado. La traducción hizo cambios en la Consagración, y es a esto a lo que me refiero. Y tiene sentido que esto haya causado cierto revuelo, porque la Consagración es el punto más alto de la Misa. Es por eso que yo reduzco el ritmo significativamente: estas palabras deben pronunciarse de manera especial, no como cualquier otra parte de la Misa, por la gran importancia que tienen. En la consagración del cáliz, el sacerdote solía decir: “Esta es la sangre de la nueva y eterna alianza. Será derramada por ustedes y por todos para el perdón de los pecados.” La nueva traducción lo cambió a “por ustedes y por muchos.” Mucha gente se indignó, diciendo que la nueva traducción afirmaba que la salvación no era para todos. Pero, en realidad, la nueva traducción simplemente citaba a Jesús de manera más fiel, ya que Él no dijo “por todos” sino “por muchos.” Y podemos ver cómo esto tiene sentido en el Evangelio de hoy (Lucas 17, 11-19). Diez leprosos fueron curados, pero solo uno regresó a dar gracias a Dios. Jesús murió por todos, pero solo algunos responderán a su don de amor. Jesús derramó su sangre por todos, pero solo algunos elegirán beneficiarse de ella. Depende de nosotros responder, volver como el leproso samaritano y dar gracias a Dios.

En Cristo – P. Komoroski

Weekly Scripture Readings

Mon, Oct. 13 .. Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1bcd, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Lk 11:29-32
Tues, Oct. 14 Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Lk 11:37-41
Wed, Oct. 15 Rom 2:1-11; Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Lk 11:42-46
Thurs, Oct. 16 .. Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab; Lk 11:47-54
Fri, Oct. 17 Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11; Lk 12:1-7
Sat, Oct. 18 ... 2 Tim 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9
Sun, Oct. 19 Ex 17:8-13; Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8;
2 Tim 3:14-4:2; Lk 18:1-8

Mass Attendance

October 4/5, 2025

(English Masses only)

Church	Capacity	Attendance Saturday/Sunday	Utilization %
St. Raphael	511	149/167	29%/33%
St. Teresa	434		%/%
St. Bernard	420	132/176	31%/42%
St. Joseph	368	129	35%
St. Charles	180	46	26%

Mass Schedule and Intentions:

Sunday, October 12

8:00 a.m. *St. Joseph* ✠ Jim Shull

8:30 a.m. *St. Bernard* ✠ Barb Puhala

10:30 a.m. *St. Raphael* ✠ Donald Shively

11:00 a.m. *St. Teresa* ✠ Jim Perry, Jack Sweeney,
Mary and Dave Dillahun

2:00 p.m. *St. Teresa* St. Rose Family Parishioners

3:30 p.m. *St. Raphael* St. Rose Family Parishioners

Monday, October 13

8:00 a.m. *St. Teresa* ✠ Don McNeil

9:00 a.m. *St. Bernard* ✠ Mary Ann Murphy Cook

Tuesday, October 14

8:00 a.m. *St. Teresa* Doan Family

9:00 a.m. *St. Bernard* ✠ Catherine Herzog and
the Herzog Family

Wednesday, October 15

8:00 a.m. *St. Teresa* ✠ Mary Kleismit

12:10 p.m. *St. Raphael* ✠ John “Rod” Flanigan

6:30 p.m. *St. Teresa* St. Rose Family Parishioners

Thursday, October 16

8:00 a.m. *St. Teresa* Joann Wright (for healing)

12:10 p.m. *St. Raphael* For all Rosary Makers

Friday, October 17

8:00 a.m. *St. Teresa* ✠ Molly Seymour

9:00 a.m. *St. Bernard* ✠ John, Pauline &
Dennis Fogarty

Saturday, October 18

8:00 a.m. *St. Teresa* ✠ Airean Avery

4:30 p.m. *St. Charles* ✠ Julia Smith

4:30 p.m. *St. Bernard* ✠ Andy Murphy



✠ Deceased

Our Gifts to the Lord

	St. Raphael	St. Bernard	St. Teresa	St. Joseph	St. Charles
Collection for October 6	\$ 6,216.00	\$ 5,701.88	\$ 6,653.05	\$ 4,881.00	\$ 781.25

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Reminder

The new Mass schedule went into effect the weekend of October 4-5, and is as follows:

Saturday

4:30 p.m.	<i>St. Bernard</i>
4:30 p.m.	<i>St. Charles</i>

Sunday

8:00 a.m.	<i>St. Joseph</i>
8:30 a.m.	<i>St. Bernard</i>
10:30 a.m.	<i>St. Raphael</i>
11:00 a.m.	<i>St. Teresa</i>

For a detailed explanation into why these times were selected and our goals for this change, please visit our family website strosefamily.org or scan the accompanying QR code:



Thanksgiving Luncheon

Plans are underway for a Thanksgiving Luncheon at St. Joseph Church, organized by John Lippolis. More details will be shared soon. For questions, please contact John at 937-244-5618.

Counters Needed

The St. Rose Family of Parishes is in need of counters to help with the Sunday collection. If you are able to assist, please contact Chelsea Martinez at 937-340-1495.



St. Vincent de Paul

The St. Bernard Conference of St. Vincent de Paul wishes to thank parishioners for their generosity during our September Personal Hygiene Items Drive benefiting the SVdP Food Pantry. Parishioners graciously donated 75 pounds of items plus \$250.00.

Pantry reports indicate visits have increased by 200+ families monthly over the course of the past year. With the increase in need for food also comes the need for personal hygiene items. Your generosity, compassion and kindness during this drive shows our neighbors the Face of Christ in their time of need.



View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com

Becoming Catholic

They “devoted themselves to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life, to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers.”

– Acts 2:42

We are excited to hear about what the Lord is beginning or continuing to do in your life. The process of becoming Catholic is called OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults). It is designed to help us unpack the teaching of the Apostles so that we can burn with the same desire for Jesus as they did. Not sure where your journey fits into this? No worries. Reach out to our Director of Evangelization at nic@strosefamily.org. He would love to walk you through the process, and answer any questions you might have.

Are you Catholic already and have a friend that through your witness is open to becoming Catholic? Have them get in touch with Nic at nic@strosefamily.org

Deepening Group

...we're back!!!



Tuesday, October 14, 2025

7:00-8:00 p.m. St. Raphael Narthex

Deepening is a small prayer group resting in repetitive sacred music. We listen to and sing with a CD. The experience allows deep concentration through repetition and the elimination of distraction.

Each person who chooses to do so, will name a prayer intention that will then be the focus of our group throughout one song. This allows for deep, prayerful concentration, a concern, supported by the music.

Please join with us in singing, praying and opening our hearts to God!...Honest, no music ability needed!!

*Take every opportunity to sing the Psalms
in your heart and understand them in your mind.*

– St. Romauld

Prayer and Study Opportunities

- Rosary Tuesdays at 2:00 p.m. (during the school year) at Catholic Central Chapel, back entrance.
- Catholic Men's Prayer and Study Group. Every First and Third Saturday from 9:00-10:30 a.m. at St. Bernard's Metzdorf Hall.
- Rosary at St. Bernard after the Weekday Mass. Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. and before the weekend Masses.
- Fishers of Faith men's group meeting in the St. Teresa Church Basement, following Adoration every Thursday at 8:00 p.m.
- Monday Evening Bible Study, St. Joseph Parish Center, September 22-November 17, 2025, 6:30-8:00 p.m.




YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Bible Study & Game NIGHTS

Ages 18 & up
1st, 2nd, & 3rd Wednesdays
7:00-9:00 p.m.

Meeting at St. Raphael parish office, 225 E. High St.
Come enjoy fun and fellowship! You don't need to sign up, Just contact Nic at nic@strosefamily.org if you have any questions.

Saint of the Day



Saint Carlo Acutis

Saint of the Day: October 12

Patron Saint of the Internet

Born in London and raised in Milan, Saint Carlo's wealthy parents were not particularly religious. Upon receiving his First Communion at age seven, Carlo became a frequent communicant, making a point of praying before the tabernacle before or after every Mass. In addition to Francis of Assisi, Carlo took several of the younger saints as his models.

At school, Carlo Acutis tried to comfort friends whose parents were undergoing divorce, as well as stepping in to defend disabled students from bullies. After school hours, he volunteered his time with the city's homeless and destitute. Considered a computer geek by some, Carlo spent four years creating a website dedicated to cataloguing every reported Eucharistic miracle around the world. He also enjoyed films, comics, soccer, and playing popular video games.

Diagnosed with leukemia, Carlo offered his sufferings to God for the intentions of the sitting pope—Benedict XVI—and the entire Church. His longtime desire to visit as many sites of Eucharistic miracles as possible was cut short by his illness. Carlo died in 2006 and was beatified in 2020.

As he had wished, Carlo was buried in Assisi at St. Mary Major's "Chapel of the Stripping," where Francis had returned his clothes to his father and began a more radical following of the Gospel.

Among the thousands present for Carlo's beatification at Assisi's Basilica of St. Francis were many of his childhood friends. Presiding at the beatification service, Cardinal Agostino Vallini praised Carlo as an example of how young people can use technology to spread the Gospel "to reach as many people as possible and help them know the beauty of friendship with the Lord."

Read the full article: "Saint Carlo Acutis" Franciscan Media, Franciscan Friars, <https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-of-the-day/blessed-carlo-acutis/> (Accessed September 29, 2025).

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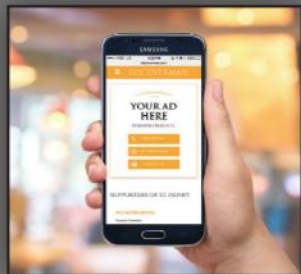
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