



TRANSFIGURATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

"Lord, how good it is that we are here."

July 9, 2023

Rev. Msgr. James L. LeBlanc
Pastor

Deacon John Tempesco
Deacon David Shinn

Sunday Mass:

Saturday at 4:00 p.m.
Sunday at 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.

Daily Mass:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at
6:00 p.m. & Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesdays
5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.
Saturdays
3:00 p.m.–3:45 p.m. & by Appointment

**Infant Baptism, RCIA, Funerals,
Weddings:**

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Our Parish Office is open Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened,
and I will give you rest." - Mt 11:28-30**

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Parish Activities

Sunday, July 9		
Monday, July 10	6:30 p.m.	Cursillo Grouping (Conference Room—PLC)
Tuesday, July 11	9:00 a.m.	Catechism Discussion Group (Conference Room—PLC)
	5:00 p.m.	Evans Cursillo Grouping (Small Classroom—PLC)
	5:00 p.m.	Men's Cursillo Grouping (Large Classroom—PLC)
	5:00 p.m.	Schneider Cursillo Grouping (Conference Room—PLC)
Wednesday, July 12		
Thursday, July 13	6:30 p.m.	Ultreya (Conference Room—PLC)
	7:00 p.m.	Youth Bible Study (RBB)
Friday, July 14	6:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group (PLC)
Saturday, July 15	8:00 a.m.	Cursillo Training (Large Classroom & Kitchen—PLC)
Sunday, July 16	9:00 a.m.	Religious Education Ice Cream Social (Conference Room—PLC)

Share Your Talent!



Parish Directory

Adult Faith Formation	<i>Karen Hanson</i>	(803) 318-6452	Religious Education (K4-5th)	<i>Patty Evans</i>	(803) 729-4625
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Bulletin Editor	<i>Cheryl Corcoran</i>	(803) 735-0512	Youth Ministry (6th-12th)	<i>Mary Beth Vernau</i>	(803) 814-6214
Catholic Care Team	<i>Catholiccare team@gmail.com</i>	(803) 953-0667	<div><div>Our Pastoral Council</div><div>Our Pastoral Council advises Father and works with him to develop the overall goals and priorities of the parish. It also seeks to help maintain healthy communication within the parish. Members are appointed by Father Jim and currently include:</div><div><div>Greg Arling</div><div>Tracy Hair</div><div>Gary Matthews</div><div>Patty Evans</div><div>Karen Hanson</div><div>Deacon John Tempesco</div><div>Russ Foss</div><div>Ed Hogue</div><div>Mary Beth Vernau</div></div></div>		
Columbiettes	<i>Arlene Bakutes</i>	(803) 673-7262			
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Library	<i>Katherine Wollpert</i>	(803) 360-5979			
Music	<i>Denise Rudell</i>	(803) 735-0512	<div>Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth; you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom. <i>Matthew 11:25</i></div>		
Parish Secretary	<i>Valerie Shealy</i>	(803) 735-0512			

Catechism in a Year Discussion Groups

Last Week's Highlight:

I. The Eucharist—Source and Summit of Ecclesial Life

1324 The Eucharist is "the source and summit of the Christian life." The other sacraments, and indeed all ecclesiastical ministries and works of the apostolate, are bound up with the Eucharist and are oriented toward it. For in the blessed Eucharist is contained the whole spiritual good of the Church, namely Christ himself, our Pasch."

1325 "The Eucharist is the efficacious sign and sublime cause of that communion in the divine life and that unity of the People of God by which the Church is kept in being. It is the culmination both of God's action sanctifying the world in Christ and of the worship men offer to Christ and through him to the father in the Holy Spirit.

1326 Finally, by the Eucharistic celebration we already unite ourselves with the heavenly liturgy and anticipate eternal life, when God will be all in all.

1327 In brief, the Eucharist is the sum and summary of our faith: "Our way of thinking is attuned to the Eucharist, and the Eucharist in turn confirms our way of thinking."

9:00 am, Tuesday, July 11 – Paragraphs 1356-1395

6:30 am, Friday, July 14 – Paragraphs 1373-1419



Join Us For Ultreya

July 13, 2023

Come join us at our

Ultreya on Thursday,

July 13, 2023, at 6:45 p.m. in the Conference Room. Cursillistas you are challenged to bring a friend who has been away from Cursillo. Also, bring a dish to share and come to hear our witnesses, Debra Layer, Jean Underwood and Deacon David Shinn. If you have any questions, please contact Debra Layer Sonsmom@aol.com or call (803) 603-6748.

Fiscal Year 2023-2024

Offertory	Amount
Sunday Collection for July 2	\$8,289.58
Weekly Budget Needs	\$8,600.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date Total	\$8,289.58
Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$8,600.00
Surplus/Shortfall-to-Date	(\$310.42)

Second Collection

Peter's Pence	\$630.00
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Next week's Second Collection will support:

Catholic Appeal of South Carolina

Vocations Chalice — This program is for everyone!

This is an invitation to all parishioners to participate in the Vocations Chalice Program by taking the Chalice home with you for a week of prayer. Having the Vocations Chalice in your home is a powerful, visual reminder of our faith. The prayer booklet is a helpful guide of prayers for all vocations and our personal, spiritual journey. The journal is an opportunity to share your experience with others. Please choose to sign up now! You may sign up on the SignUpGenius.com website, using this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080c44aeab2aabfe3-vocations1>, or please ask the sacristan or an usher before or after Mass to sign you up. You can also scan the QR code below. This program is for everyone. You should return the Chalice, booklet and journal in the case the following week at the same Mass time as when you received it. If you have questions, please contact Bob Wagner, 803-629-2978, rs wag1971@gmail.com; or Kathy Cunningham, 847-691-5899, kathy.cunningham@pm.me

Vocations Chalice Schedule

Weekend	4:00 p.m. Mass	8:00 a.m. Mass	10:30 a.m. Mass
July 1/2	Scheuer Family	Rudell Family	Maureen Nwajiaku
July 8/9	Family Needed	Lee Goodman	Family Needed





The Columbiettes Corner

The News and Happenings of the Transfiguration Columbiettes Council 13713

Visit the Columbiettes Website – <https://columbiettes13713.org>



Columbiette Committees

In addition to our Board of Officers, we have numerous talented and energetic ladies who lead our various standing committees. There is so much happening “behind the scenes!” This is just an example of our members' commitment and dedication to our success and the many needs we serve. Thank you! You have our prayers and support.

“Faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.” James 2:17

Committee	2023-24 Committee Chair
Admissions (formerly New Membership)	Pat Von Plinsky
Belonging Women's Conference	Rene Scheuer
Bereavement	Georgia Tempesco
Care Team	Care Team Committee
Catholic Action	Susan Wallick
Social Media	Raquel Martinez
Freedom Bags	Kathy Cunningham
Grace Notes	Connie Turgeon
Knights Council	Kevin Cunningham
Ladies Night Out	Elsy Fogarty
Mentor Program	Mary Matthews
Order of the Rose	Gloria Ham & Susan Arling
Pill Bottle Collection	Cathy Hogue
Publicity	Maggie Arquilla, Jennifer Germann, Katherine Wollpert
Retention	Lydia Curley
Scrapbook	Kelly Scott
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God has given us many blessings. Please show your giving spirit. Thank you!

THE GIVING TREE WILL START JULY 2nd & END JULY 31st



MARRIAGE...
one flesh, given and received

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING



“Marriage, one flesh, given and received, Natural Family Planning, Supporting God’s gifts of love and life in marriage” is the theme of this year’s National Natural Family Planning Awareness Week, an educational campaign of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) to celebrate God’s vision for marriage and promote the methods of Natural Family Planning. The dates of Natural Family Planning Awareness Week are July 23–29, 2023.

The Diocese of Charleston Family Life Office joins with the U.S. bishops in highlighting the benefits of NFP as ethical methods to help married couples live God’s design for their marriages. We are going to hold **Local and Virtual NFP Events** [via Livestream @NFPSC on Facebook and Zoom starting July 18, 2022.](#) [REGISTER in advance if you want to attend via Zoom.](#)

July 18-26 7:00 PM Virtual Bilingual Novena to St. Anne and St Joachim for Couples with Infertility
<https://tinyurl.com/NFPNovena>

July 25 11:30 AM Holy Mass, Luncheon and Discussion for Doctors at Bon Secours Hospital, Charleston, SC
RSVP to jflorendo@charlestandiocese.org

July 26 7:00 PM The Wonder of Eve for Teens and Moms at Our Lady of the Hills, Columbia, SC
<https://tinyurl.com/WOV Columbia>

July 27 7:00 PM Virtual Inspiring NFP Testimonials with Live Q & A <https://tinyurl.com/NFPInspires>

Want to learn more about the methods of NFP offered in our diocese?

A schedule of local and virtual NFP classes can be viewed at <https://tinyurl.com/NFPSC>

We will give FREE Introductory classes for month of July.

Please like our FB page <https://www.facebook.com/NFPSC/>

Holy Mass Etiquette

A Gentle Reminder

- Appropriate, modest attire shows respect for our Lord Jesus Christ.
- When you enter Church, please keep all conversation, both before and after Holy Mass, restricted to the vestibule.
- Entering and exiting the Church quietly allows others to pray in peace~Thank you.
- When you enter the Church proper, you enter The Throne Room of God - Jesus is TRULY PRESENT in the tabernacle, body, blood, soul & divinity.
- Try to arrive 15 minutes before the celebration of Holy Mass in order to prepare to receive Our Lord and PLEASE remain until Holy Mass has ended - when the Celebrant processes from the Sanctuary.
- Remember to take time to thank God for the Glorious Gift of His Son, Jesus, physically present in The Holy Eucharist.
- In charity, show kindness to all and provide a good example.

Thank you for your desire to please our Lord in His Holy Church.



FARMWORKERS MINISTRY Clothing Drive

Join our efforts to help migrant farm workers in South Carolina - the men and women who travel to our state annually for agricultural work.

We're Seeking:

- Long Sleeve T-shirts (men's & women's S-XXL)
- Baseball Caps

Place items in the box marked "Clothing Drive" in the PLC



Begins
August 13th!

Are you Protestant, but feel God is calling you to learn more about the Catholic Church? Then please join us for RCIA (the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). **Classes begin 11:30 a.m., Sunday, August 13th and will meet weekly until Easter.** You will learn the basics of the Catholic Faith and have a chance to ask questions in a welcoming environment. Interested or need more information? Please contact Deacon Dave Shinn at dshinn@charlestondiocese.org or call the office.

Thank You!

Thank you to Kyle Cape of Dirty Boyz Pressure Washing for generously providing pressure washing services to our church.

Our sidewalks, curbs, and patio look so much better. We appreciate all your efforts, and the beauty it has added to our church grounds.

* Annual Kitchen * Deep Clean *

Friday, July 28th
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Danni Sherman is looking for several men and women to assist in deep cleaning our kitchen on Friday, July 28th. She will provide a nice breakfast snack to keep up your strength, so please volunteer by calling the office at 803.735.0512.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"But some seed fell on rich soil and produced fruit, a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold."

Help your marriage be like the rich soil by taking part in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on November 10-12, 2023 and January 26-28, 2024 in North Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: [https://](https://SCMarriageMatters.org)

SCMarriageMatters.org or contact us at applications@scmarriagematters.org or 803-810-9602.



Save the Date!

Saturday,
August 19th

TriV?ia?
?NIGHT?

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calendar!!!

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Embrace Your Faith!

(Week 14 of Ordinary time) July 9-15 Week 33

Exhortation/Encouragement

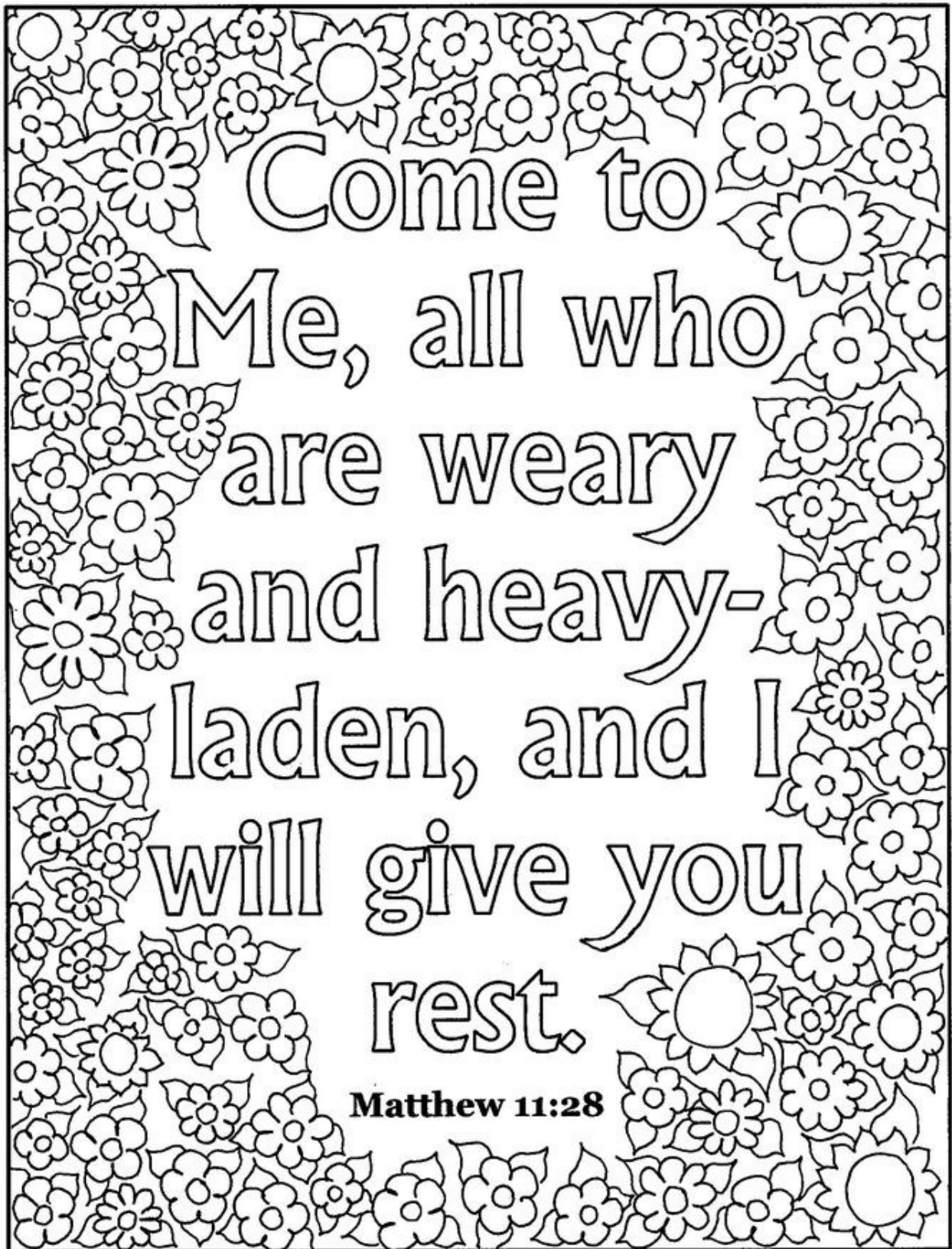
We are all destined to either reign eternally with God in Heaven or to burn eternally with the devils in Hell. Admit you need a savior. The motto of those in Hell is “I did it my way”

Doctor of the Church: Saint Bonaventure (July 15)

Every hour that we waste in sloth, we lose a glory equal to the good works we might have performed in it. – St. Bonaventure

Virtue for July—Simplicity

The chief point of simplicity is to beware not of men, but to beware of displeasing the majesty of God.----St. Teresa





Worship, Intentions & Prayers



Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, July 9

8:00 a.m.

Mass

Deceased Grindle Family Members

by Richard Grindle

10:30 a.m.

Mass

George Taylor⁺

by Bill & Cheryl Corcoran

Monday, July 10

5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration

6:00 p.m. Daily Mass

Intentions of Larry & Annette
Wiley

by Transfiguration Parish

Tuesday, July 11—Saint Benedict

5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration

5:00 p.m. Reconciliation

6:00 p.m. Daily Mass

Margaret Jacquin⁺

by David & Cheri Shinn

Wednesday, July 12

4:00 p.m. Daily Mass

5:30 p.m. Daily Mass—St. Theresa's

Sister Kay Wagner⁺

by Transfiguration Parish

Thursday, July 13—Saint Henry

5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration

6:00 p.m. Daily Mass

Healing of Christy Stinney

by Transfiguration Parish

Friday, July 14—Saint Kateri Tekakwitha

5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration

6:00 p.m. Daily Mass

C. J. Cotter⁺

by the Cotter Family

Saturday, July 15—Saint Bonaventure

3:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration

4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

George Taylor⁺

by the Columbiettes

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10-14 ; Rom 8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23

Sunday, July 16

8:00 a.m.

Mass

Intentions of the Parish

10:30 a.m.

Mass

Intentions of all Fathers of the Parish

by the Columbiettes

Please Pray for the Healing & Safety of Our Loved Ones

Prayer Line Ministry—Jessica Sisco Moore - (803) 477-6255 or jesskah.moore@gmail.com

Prayer for Service & Safety

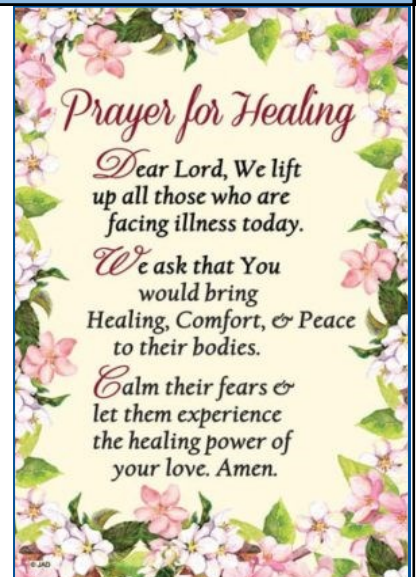
Lord, we thank You for those who serve daily whether here or abroad and ask that You protect them from harm, give them courage to persevere, and bring them home safely.

Amen



For the healing of... Tom Aiken, Dave Anderson, Fred Branham, Moses Branham, Alex Bringle, Enrique Caballero Jr., Mary Cammisa, Bill Campbell, Michael Cannon, Mary Causey, Mr. Clark, David Coble, Frank Daresta, Jr., Eileen Dempsey, Sherry Haggerty, Kenny Jackson, Kristi Jarvis, Zachary Komen, Noah Langan, Rosie & Robert Leonard, George Lesznar, Boyd Marivittori, Kenny Martin, Ava Claire Mates, Patrick McLeod, George Mori, Sherri Nichols, Misti Welch Post, Jimmy Phillips, Charlotte Reed, Linda Roush, Michelle Sintoni, Dave Strominger, Dick Strominger, Deborah Thomas, Connie Turgeon, and Travis Spires

For the safety of.... Robert Furgal, Rachel Graham, Reuben Paul, Alex Piccuiolo, Will Smarr, all first responders, law enforcement, missionaries, military personnel and their families serving at home and in hazardous locations around the world.





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