



TRANSFIGURATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

November 16, 2025

Rev. Msgr. James L. LeBlanc
Pastor

Deacon John Tempesco

Deacon David Shinn

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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

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

Call the Office—(803) 735-0512

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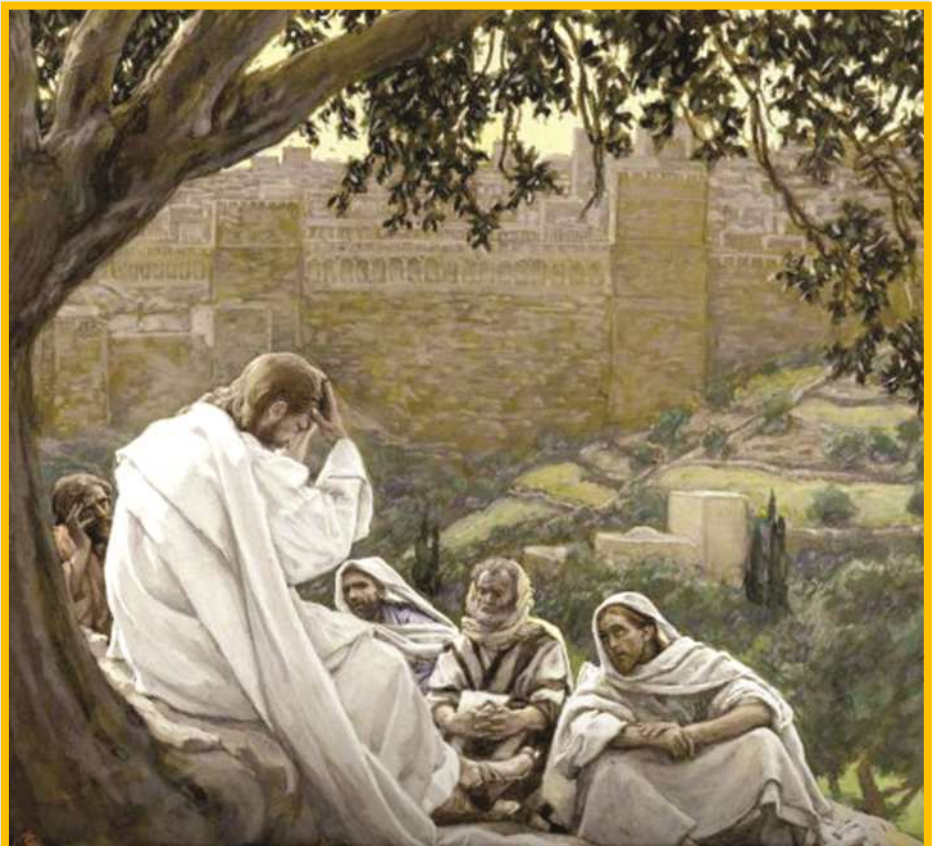
The Sanctuary is located at the corner of Wilson Boulevard and
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Our Parish Office is open Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*"It will lead to your giving testimony. Remember, you are
not to prepare your defense beforehand, for I myself shall
give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will
be powerless to resist or refute." - Lk 21:13-15*

Parish Activities

Sunday, November 16	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 11:45 a.m. 11:45 a.m. 11:45 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.	Elementary Religious Education (Blue & Tan Buildings) Confirmation Class (Red Brick Building) Altar Server Training (Sanctuary) Youth Group (Red Brick Building) O.C.I.A. (Large Classroom—PLC) Youth Group Music Practice (Red Brick Building) Patriotic Concert (Sanctuary)
Monday, November 17	6:30 p.m.	Foss Cursillo Grouping (Kitchen Conference Room—PLC)
Tuesday, November 18	5:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:45 p.m.	Evans Cursillo Grouping (Small Classroom—PLC) Underwood Cursillo Grouping (Large Classroom—PLC) Care Team Meeting (Large Classroom—PLC) Middle School Bible Study (Red Brick Building)
Wednesday, November 19	5:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Columbiettes Officers Meetings (Large Classroom—PLC) Children's Choir Practice (Small Classroom—PLC) Rosary (Sanctuary) Knights of Columbus Social (Gathering Space—PLC)
Thursday, November 20	6:30 p.m. 6:45 p.m.	Ladies Bible Study on Hebrews (Large Classroom—PLC) High School Bible Study (Red Brick Building)
Friday, November 21	6:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group (Kitchen Conference Room —PLC)
Saturday, November 22	3:30 p.m.	Adult Choir Practice (Small Classroom—PLC)
Sunday, November 23	11:45 a.m.	O.C.I.A. (Large Classroom—PLC)

Parish Directory

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Dear Msgr. Jim LeBlanc and Parishioners!

Prayerful greetings to you from Fr. Inna. Thank you very much for your recent generosity to the needs in India. I assure you and the parishioners of my prayers and please pray for me and for my missions in India.

Your Brother in Priesthood,

Fr. Inna

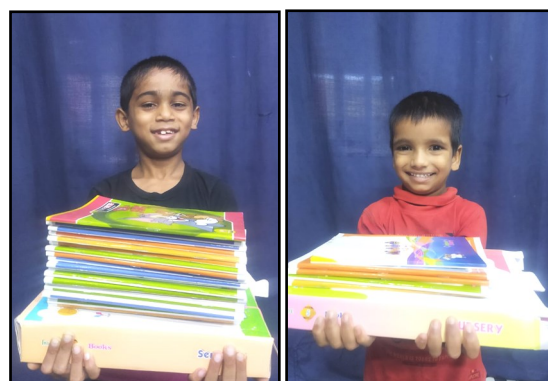


Tailoring graduates in Fr. Inna's parish. These ladies learn to sew so they can earn extra money for their families. In some cases these ladies have lost their husbands and they have no other way to support themselves.

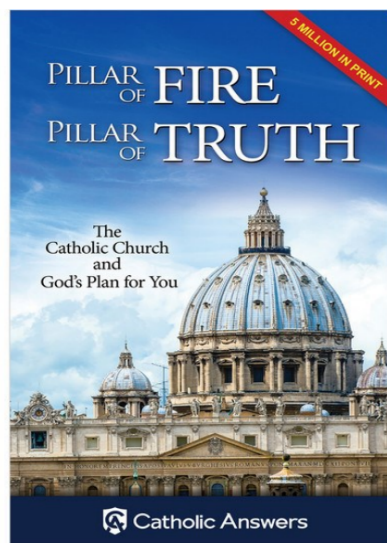
Fiscal Year 2025-2026

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Sunday Collection for Nov. 9	\$11,006.66
Weekly Budget Needs	\$9,494.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date Total	\$175,042.26
Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$180,386.00
Surplus/Deficit-to-Date	(\$5,343.74)
Second Collection	
Capital Campaign	\$4,628.28

**Next Week's Second Collection:
Catholic Miscellany**



Distribution of school books for poor children.



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Pillar of Fire, Pillar of Truth is a powerful, yet concise booklet that clearly defines the core beliefs of the Catholic faith!

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At 32 pages, Pillar of Fire, Pillar of Truth is packed with information about the Catholic Church and God's plan for us. Plus, its convenient size makes it perfect to carry with you and give to others as you share your faith with them.

Copies have been made available on the E-Team table for you to take. We each have the unique ability to reach different people and we hope that this tool will help you to reach the people in your circle of family and friends.

*All Bulletin Articles must be received by the end of the day on Monday, for publication in the upcoming weekend's bulletin.
Send text and pictures to drudell@CharlestonDiocese.org.*



Transfiguration Youth Mass



How we gave our time and talent:

Last Sunday, more than 20 of our students served in various capacities at 10:30am mass. They each found a way to share their time and talent through serving as altar servers, ushers, greeters, gift bearers, lectors, and musicians. Participation in Teen Mass is a great way to introduce our students to the many ministries they can become involved in and the significant impact they can have on our parish community.





The Columbiettes Corner

News and Happenings of the Transfiguration Columbiettes Council 13713

Visit the Columbiette Website: Columbiettes13713.org



What a Delicious Success

Wow — what an amazing **Columbiette Casserole Sale**. Thanks to your incredible cooking, buying, and support, we raised \$2,900 for our church! Those funds will go toward our **Church Operating Budget** and **two special ministries** that our members will select at our December Columbiette Meeting. Every bite made a difference!



The kitchen may have cooled down, but the freezer's still stocked with a few tasty favorites waiting to go home with you:

Large Casseroles - \$20 each:

- #124 – Breakfast Casserole
- #151 – Cheesy Hashbrown Casserole
- #321 – Chicken Noodle Soup

Small Casseroles - \$12 each:

- #209 – Fried Rice
- #210 – Fried Rice
- #407 – Spinach & Sausage Lentil Soup
- #426 – Chicken Noodle Soup
- #431 – Vegetable Beef Stew
- #432 – Vegetable Beef Stew

Get them while they last! Contact Jackie Buzzetti <bhi.llc2014@gmail.com> or after 8 AM Mass on Sunday to claim yours. Thank you for your generosity, teamwork, and love — this community keeps finding joyful ways to serve and share.

Farewell and Blessings to Bobbi Kielt

It's hard to say goodbye to someone as special as Sister Columbiette Bobbi Kielt, whose warmth and generosity have touched so many at Transfiguration Catholic Church. Since joining the Columbiettes in the spring of 2024, Bobbi has been a shining example of faith in action. Whether serving as a Eucharistic Minister or lending a helping hand at countless luncheons, Bobbi was always ready with a smile, a quick wit, and a joyful spirit that could light up any room.

Her dedication to service — and her wonderful sense of humor — made her not only a beloved member of the Columbiettes but a true friend to everyone who had the pleasure of working alongside her.



As Bobbi moves on to her next chapter, we give thanks for the time, energy, and love she has shared with our parish family. We will miss her greatly, but her spirit of kindness and laughter will continue to bless Transfiguration Catholic Church for years to come.



Family Fully Alive



The Family Fully Alive *Building the Domestic Church*



PRAYERS, MEDITATIONS AND ACTIVITIES
TO ENRICH YOUR FAMILY LIFE

During his visit to the Philippines, Pope Francis cited the need for “holy and loving families to protect the beauty and truth of the family in God’s plan and to be an example for other families”. The Family Fully Alive monthly devotions are concrete ways that we can support the growth of holy and loving families in the Church.

The Family Fully Alive Program asks families to invite God into their homes and cultivates each family as a miniature domestic church. To this end, the program provides monthly themes, scripture verses and activities. Through prayer and reflection, each family has the opportunity to grow in holiness together. This is a flexible program that can be started at any time of the year and continues year-round.

These complimentary booklets are provided by the Knights of Columbus and can be found on the table in the gathering space. We hope and pray that this program will be a wonderful blessing for the families of Transfiguration!

The Service Committee Giving Tree

November 26th thru December 22nd

Organizations Supported
this year are:

1. Birthright
2. Christian Assistance
Bridge(CAB)
3. Catholic Charities

**COMING
SOON!**

Save the Date!

Dec. 7

Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast

after 10:30 Mass

\$8/person \$15/family

Menu:

Pancakes
Chocolate Chip Pancakes
Sausage Patties
Sausage, Egg, and Cheese Wrap
Fruit
Coffee

KIDS FAITH FORMATION

Activities & Events

November and December are full of exciting activities for families! Below you will find all the information needed to participate and support these upcoming projects. Contact Patty Evans with questions or if you can help: pevans@charlestandioocese.org



Preparing Our Hearts

ADVENT WORKSHOP

December 6

8:30 AM—1:30 PM

Ages 4-11

Registration forms on table in PLC and on parish website.

Teen and Adult Volunteers Needed!



“Bags for Badges”

November 5—20

Put your donated items in the marked bin in the gathering space. Let's fill it to the brim!

Items needed:

- ◆ Mini First Aid Kits and/or Band Aids
- ◆ Black ballpoint pens (must be ballpoint)
- ◆ Mini spiral notebooks
- ◆ Gum, Breath Mints, Hard candy
- ◆ Granola & Protein bars
- ◆ Packages of Goldfish Crackers, Cookies, Crackers, Packages of Snack Food
- ◆ Small packages of Kleenex
- ◆ Hand sanitizer



CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

December 13

3:00 PM

(details coming soon)

CARDINAL NEWMAN CADENCE
CREW is again selling 8" poinsettias
for delivery to Cardinal Newman
School on Friday, December 5,
2025. If you purchased these last
year, you know how magnificent
these plants are! They make great
Christmas presents! Poinsettias are
\$20/each and sales benefit the Car-
dinal Newman Music Department.
You can purchase one online now
using the QR code or by going to:

[https://www.cnhs.org/arts/
music/poinsettia-fundraiser](https://www.cnhs.org/arts/music/poinsettia-fundraiser)

CARDINAL CADENCE CREW

Annual Poinsettia Sale!

Gorgeous 8" plants in three colors.
Perfect for holiday decorating!
Order today, pick up on Dec. 5!



New Adult Bible Study

Are you comfortable in knowing your faith but maybe still feel uneasy to speak about it with others? Then, this course is for you!

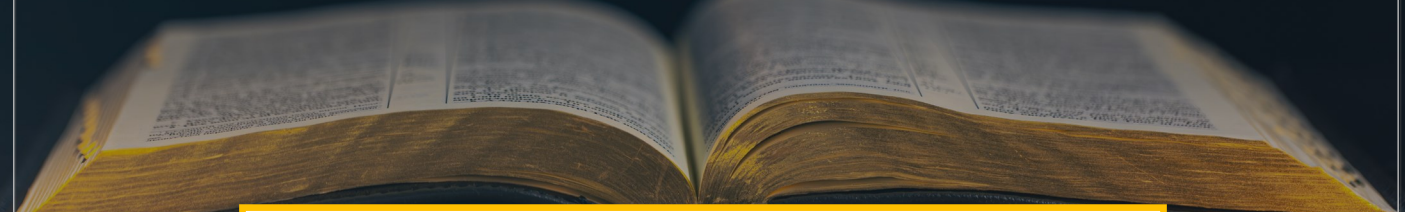
With respect and honesty, you will learn how to answer questions with your family, friends and others in regular conversations.

What: 8-week Apologetics Course

When: 4:30pm on 2nd & 4th Wednesdays; start Jan. 14—end Apr. 22

Where: Large classroom

Come for an easy potluck dinner at 4:30; course is from 5pm—7pm.



Contact Ken or Marybeth Sabol at:
(803)718-0557 (text for a call back is welcome) or email
marybeth.123@hotmail.com for more information.



November 16, 2025 (3 pm)

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Transfiguration Kids Corner

Name: _____





Worship, Intentions & Prayers



Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, November 16

8:00 a.m.	<i>Lord's Day Mass</i>	Rose Nostadt+	by Greg & Jeanne McCarty
10:30 a.m.	<i>Lord's Day Mass</i>	Glenn Matthews+	by the Columbiettes

Monday, November 17—*St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious*

5:00 p.m.	<i>Eucharistic Adoration</i>		
5:40 p.m.	<i>Evening Prayer</i>		
6:00 p.m.	<i>Daily Mass</i>	Int. of Leon Wolinski	by Michael & Brenda Cerkez

Tuesday, November 18—*Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul; St. Rose Duchesne, Virgin*

5:00 p.m.	<i>Reconciliation</i>		
5:00 p.m.	<i>Eucharistic Adoration</i>		
5:40 p.m.	<i>Evening Prayer</i>		
6:00 p.m.	<i>Daily Mass</i>	Joseph Daniel Medina+	by John & Kathy Paxton

Wednesday, November 19

3:40 p.m.	<i>Evening Prayer</i>		
4:00 p.m.	<i>Daily Mass</i>	Int. of Blanche Ellis	by Arlene Bakutes
5:30 p.m.	<i>Daily Mass at St. Theresa's</i>		

Thursday, November 20

5:00 p.m.	<i>Eucharistic Adoration</i>		
5:40 p.m.	<i>Evening Prayer</i>		
6:00 p.m.	<i>Daily Mass</i>	Glenn Matthews+	by John & Kathy Paxton

Friday, November 21—*The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

5:00 p.m.	<i>Eucharistic Adoration</i>		
5:40 p.m.	<i>Evening Prayer</i>		
6:00 p.m.	<i>Daily Mass</i>	Myron Cancilla+	by Transfiguration Parish

Saturday, November 22

3:00 p.m.	<i>Reconciliation</i>		
3:00 p.m.	<i>Eucharistic Adoration</i>		
4:00 p.m.	<i>Vigil Mass</i>	Intentions of the Parish	
6:00 p.m.	<i>Vigil Mass at St. Theresa's</i>		

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43

Sunday, November 23

8:00 a.m.	<i>Lord's Day Mass</i>	Joseph Daniel Medina+	by Peter & Shirley Sipowicz
10:30 a.m.	<i>Lord's Day Mass</i>	Gary Alan Martek+	by the Knights of Columbus

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, Larry Avins, Fred Branham, Molly Branham, Alex Bringle, Amy Brown, Enrique Caballero, Jr., Mary Cammisa, Bill Campbell, Mr. Clark, David Coble, Frank Daresta, Jr., Marvin Davant, Janice Dillon, Jack Eson, Jack, Wendi & Morgan Griffith, Sherry Haggerty, Kristyne Hall, Janet Hargrove, Kenny Jackson, Kristi Jarvis, Becky Jones, Zachary Komen, Naomi Lambert, Noah Langan, Dr. Melanie Ledo Barone, Amy Leonard, Boyd Marivittori, Kenny Martin, Ava Claire Mates, Patrick McLeod, George Mori, Lib & Ernie Neumeister, Sherri Nichols, Joe Ondracek, Therese Parthania, Jimmy Phillips, Joe Raimondi, Travis Spires, Dave Strominger, Dick Strominger, Rex & Beth Taylor, Deborah Thomas, Bob Underwood, and the Wallick Family.

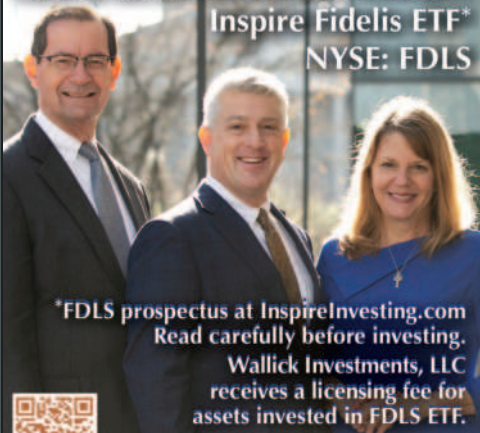
For the safety of.... Kayla Francisco, Robert Furgal, Drew Gatzke, Rachel Graham, Mark Greenwood, Jr., Dominick Laibly, Reuben Paul, Alex Piccuolo, Will Smarr, Gavin Zamora, all first responders, law enforcement, missionaries, military personnel and their families.



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