TRANSFIGURATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

NOVEMBER 15, 2026

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses
Saturday | 4:00 pm Vigil
Sunday | 8:00 am, 10:30 am

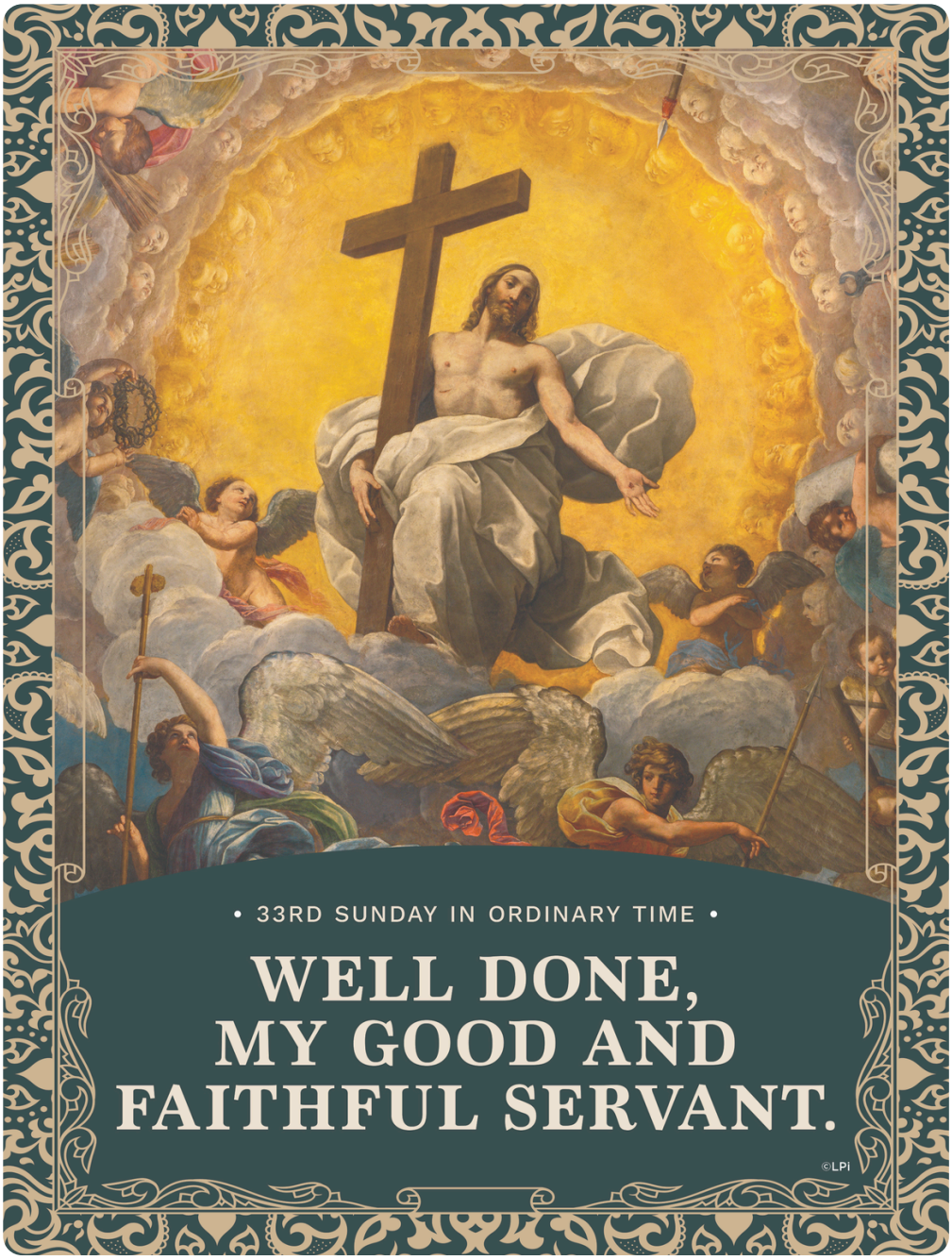
Weekday Masses
Monday | 6:00 pm
Tuesday | 6:00 pm
Wednesday | 4:00 pm
Thursday | 6:00 pm
Friday | 6:00 pm

Confession
Tuesday | 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm
Saturday | 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
And By Appointment

Eucharistic Adoration
Monday | 5:00 pm
Tuesday | 5:00 pm
Wednesday | 3:00 pm
Thursday | 5:00 pm
Friday | 5:00 pm
Saturday | 3:00 pm
Sunday | 10:00 am
First Friday Extended Adoration
2:00 pm - 8:00 pm

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PRAYER & READINGS



PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Our Sick Parishioners

Benjamin Bair, Rick Blasic, Bryan Blaze, Princey Blaze, Fred Branham, Ronke & Bumi, Alex Bringle, Mary Cammisa, Lydia Curley, Janice Dillon, Esther Ehonou, John Ehonou, Peter Ehonou, Ricky Gabonay, Linda Hill Glynn, Sherry Haggerty, Dennis & Kristine Hall, Dan & Natalie Holtel, Baby Isabella, Niaomi Lambert, Presley Lee, Kenny Martin, Ava Claire Mates, Macphason Omorogie, Rev. Fr. James McKenna, Efosa John Osagie, Frank Osagie, Grace Osagie, Pa Gregory Osagie, Teresa Osagie, Deja Quinones, Tom Robillard, Joseph Scott, Daneen Sherman, Caroline Smarr, Deborah & Dinsmore Thomas, Tran Family, Connie Turgeon, the Wallick Family, and Alan Waters.

Our Military Parishioners

Adrienne Farrell, Robert Furgal, Samuel Frugal, Drew Gatzke, Mark Greenwood, Jr., Adam Martin, Sandra McGillivray, Alex Piccuiolo, Will Smarr, and all first responders, law enforcement, missionaries, military personnel and their families.

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY

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jesskah.moore@gmail.com

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, November 15

8:00 a.m. Lord's Day Mass
10:30 a.m. Lord's Day Mass **† Mary McGillivray** *by Charles & Sharon Cammisa*
3:30 p.m. Holy Qurbana, St. Mary's Syro-Malabar Rite Catholic Mission

Monday, November 16 *- Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude, Virgin*

5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration
5:40 p.m. Evening Prayer
6:00 p.m. Daily Mass **Intentions of Danni Sherman**

Tuesday, November 17 *- Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious*

5:00 p.m. Reconciliation
5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration
5:40 p.m. Evening Prayer
6:00 p.m. Daily Mass **Healing of Mike Davis** *by Irma & Lisa Davis*

Wednesday, November 18 *- The Dedication of the Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles; Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin*

3:40 p.m. Evening Prayer
4:00 p.m. Daily Mass **† George Louis Taylor** *by Valerie Shealy*
5:30 p.m. Daily Mass at St. Theresa

Thursday, November 19

5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration
5:40 p.m. Evening Prayer
6:00 p.m. Daily Mass **† Mary Evelyn Grindle** *by John & Jackie Buzzetti*

Friday, November 20

5:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration
4:40 p.m. Evening Prayer
6:00 p.m. Daily Mass **Healing of Bob Davis** *by Irma & Lisa Davis*

Saturday, November 21

3:00 p.m. Reconciliation
3:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration
4:00 p.m. Lord's Day Mass **† Mary Alice & Carl Shinn** *by Dave & Cheri Shinn*
6:00 p.m. Vigil Mass at St. Theresa

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Ez 34:11-17; Ps 23:1-6; 1 Cor 15:20-28; Mt 25:31-46

Sunday, November 22

8:00 a.m. Lord's Day Mass **Intentions of the Parish**
10:30 a.m. Lord's Day Mass **† Phil Butler** *by Charles & Sharon Cammisa*

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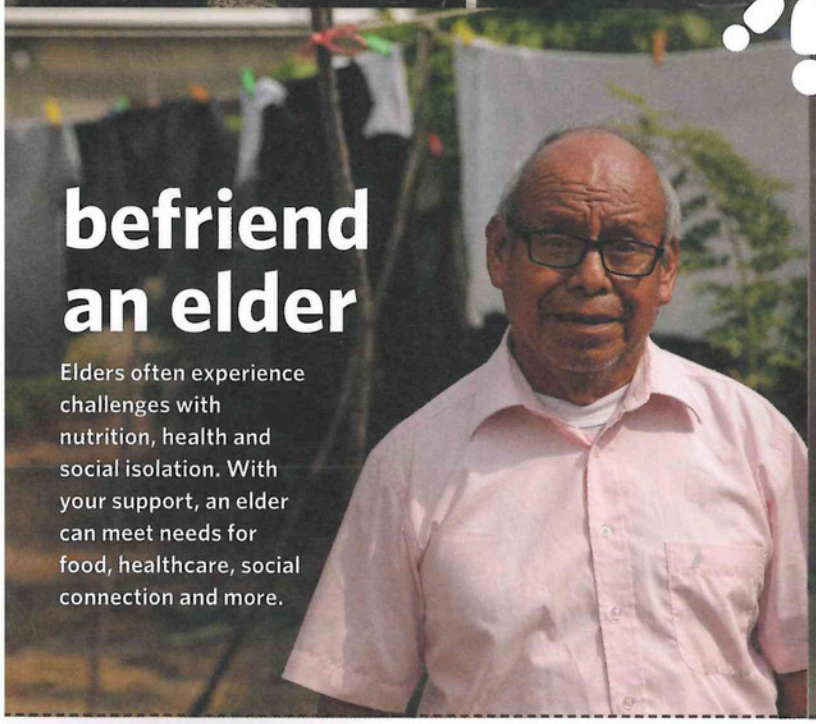
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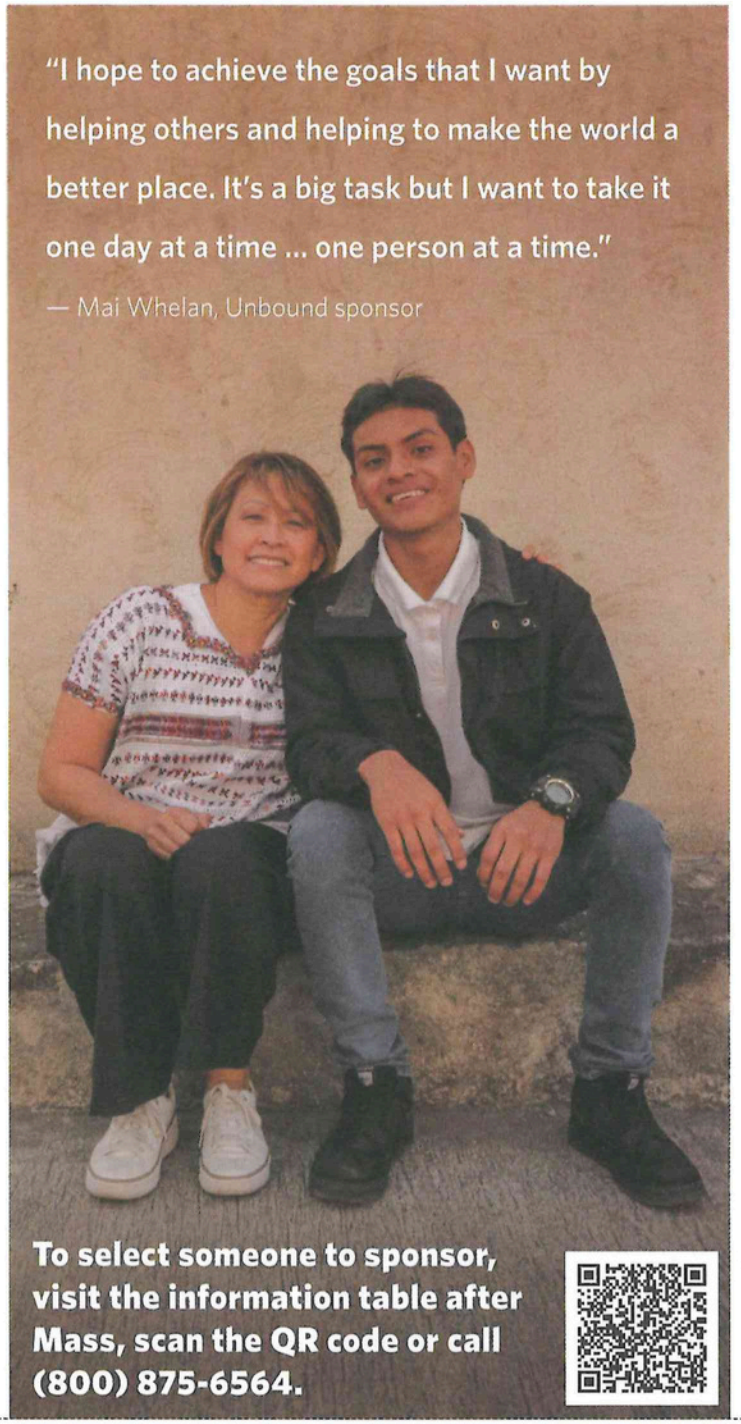
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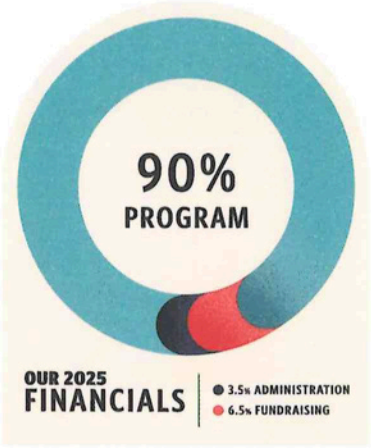
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PRAYER FOR SOULS

Dear Lord,
Bless those who have gone before us.
We entrust their precious souls to Your merciful care.
Those departed are deeply missed and dearly loved.
Be with them as they journey to eternity. Amen.

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FISCAL YEAR 26-27

Offertory

Collection for Nov. 8 .....$10,556.55
Weekly Budget $10,137.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date $175,052.49
Year-to-Date Budget $192,603.00
Deficit-to-Date ..... -$17,550.51

Second Collection

Capital Campaign $3,978.50

Next Week's Second Collection:

Catholic Miscellany Magazine

Thank you for your continued generosity!



THANK YOU

The Salesians of Don Bosco, Fr. Jim's religious community, thank the families of Transfiguration and St. Theresa for their cards, prayers, concern and even visits - all the way to Charleston - during the time of his illness.
We also appreciate the great effort you made so that Fr. Jim could have a beautiful funeral with an abundant reception afterwards. Many of his friends and family and Salesian brothers and sisters were able to participate via livestream. They too are grateful.
Fr. Jim loved the people of Transfiguration and St. Therese and felt welcome from his very first days in sweltering Blythewood. You all made him feel at home with your Southern hospitality, lively conversations, active faith and good cooking.
"May Almighty God bless you and your families" (his adaptation of the final blessing at Mass) for the love you gave Fr. James McKenna, SDB.

Fr. Dominic Tran, SDB
Provincial Superior
Salesians of Don Bosco

ADOPT-A- TURKEY

The Basilica of Saint Peter on Thanksgiving Day, November 26, 2026

ADOPT A 20 POUND TURKEY FOR ONLY $20 AND HELP US FEED THE MILLITUDES ON THANKSGIVING.

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Jesus led the multitudes with five loaves of bread and two fish. John 6: 1-5

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THE FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Nine months before the Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (8 September), the Church celebrates the Solemnity of her Immaculate Conception. The Feast of the Immaculate Conception was approved in 1476 by Pope Sixtus IV. It was extended to the universal Church by Pope Clement XI in 1708.

Acknowledging the belief held for centuries by the Fathers and Doctors of the Church, of councils and his predecessors, Pope Pius IX solemnly proclaimed the Dogma of the Immaculate Conception in 1854: "We declare, pronounce, and define that the doctrine which holds that the most Blessed Virgin Mary, in the first instance of her conception, by a singular grace and privilege granted by Almighty God, in view of the merits of Jesus Christ, the Savior of the human race, was preserved free from all stain of original sin" (Ineffabilis Deus, 1854)



THE FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
December 8th

Every year the Columbiettes hold a reception after the Mass celebrated for the Immaculate Conception. Enjoy delicious desserts, refreshing drinks, and fellowship with friends. We look forward to seeing you! Please look to future bulletins to find the confirmed time for the Mass.

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO GAVE THEIR ALL, ONE WREATH AT A TIME

While the Columbiettes are busy planning activities, enjoying fellowship, and serving our parish, we never forget those who made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom. Every year, the Columbiettes include a donation to Wreaths Across America in our annual budget. It's our way of helping ensure that the brave men and women who served our country are remembered and honored. After all, a hero should never be forgotten, and a wreath is one small way to say THANK YOU!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SOCIAL

All are welcome to join the Knights as they prepare us another wonderful meal. Bring a friend; bring the family; or just yourself and enjoy some fellowship!

Menu: Salsbury Steak & Gravy, Mashed Potatoes,
Green Beans, Dessert





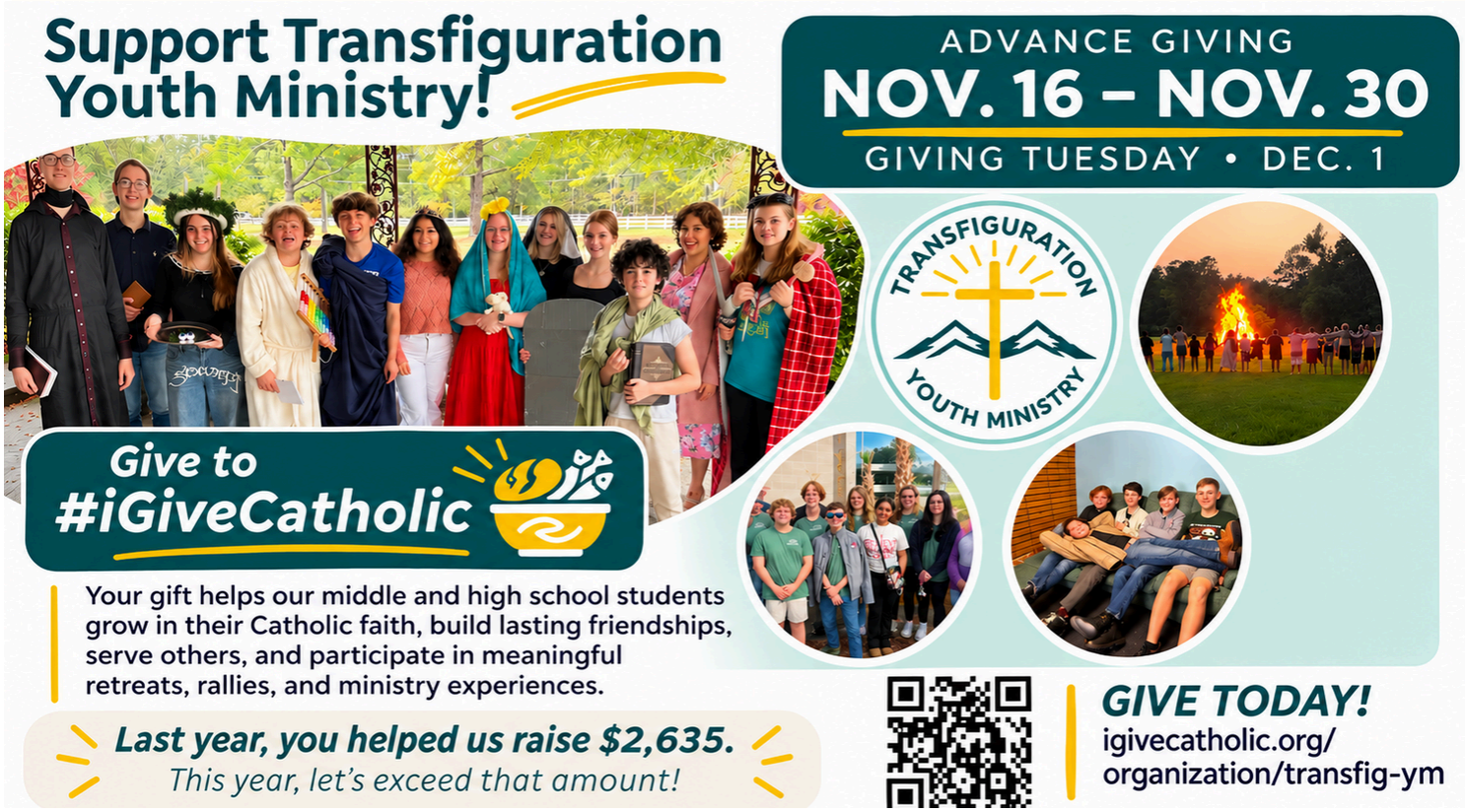
NOVEMBER YOUTH GROUP

Upcoming Events

November 18 — Social Night!
6:00–7:00 PM · Join us before the Knight's Social at 7:00 PM.

November 20 — ELF Night
6:00–8:30 PM · Learn about Advent, watch a movie, and decorate the youth room for the upcoming season.

November 22 & 29 — Fall Break
Spend time with your family for the Thanksgiving holiday



MINISTRY & EVENTS

NEXT COR MEETING

Cor with Father John Cosgrove

Saturday, November 21, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Don't miss this opportunity to experience *Cor* plus get to hear from our shepherd, Father John. You get to decide the topic! Send your questions regarding faith or other questions and concerns to the parish office: TransfigurationSC@charlestondiocese.org or Bob Wagner: rswag1971@gmail.com

Fr. John will answer questions from those present and those sent in by email. Please RSVP if planning to attend so we can get a head count for lunch. Thank you to Doug Phillips for preparing food for us!







ST PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CEMETERY WORKDAY

Thank You for Your Hard Work!

It was a beautiful day on October 31, 2026! Thirty-three men and women and a few children worked to make St Patrick's Cemetery a pleasant and comfortable environment for all visitors and families spending time with their loved ones. Several parishes/parishioners (Transfiguration, St Martin de Porres, St Thomas More, Our Lady of the Lakes, St Joseph, and possibly others) contributed and worked hard planting over 75 flowers in several flower beds, spreading over 100 bags of mulch in flower beds, around trees, etc.; weeding and trimming trees and brush along fence lines and in cemetery, stump grinding tree stumps and surface roots, filling bird feeders, locating markers, general cleanup of grounds. The workday concluded with a great lunch prepared by Joe Scott. It was a very successful and fruitful day in work, service and relationships. I encourage you to visit St Patrick's and experience the beauty and pleasant environment. Any questions, please contact Bob Wagner.

ALL SOULS DAY MASS

Well Attended!



Mass was celebrated on Monday, November 2, All Souls Day, in St Patrick's Catholic Cemetery by Bishop Jacques with 6 priests, 3 Deacons and over 100 parishioners representing local parishes as well as Charleston. Bishop Jacques commented that the number of attendees has increased significantly from around 10/20 the first year (2023) to over 100 in 2026! WOW!!! This service is becoming a 'tradition' as it has been celebrated every year since 2023 with the exception of 2025 when All Souls Day was celebrated on Sunday. The cemetery grounds were beautiful and Transfiguration's team put together a great reception shared after services. We look forward to November 2, 2027, celebrating Mass with the Bishop at St Patrick's Catholic Cemetery. Save the Date! Thank you to all who helped prepare and serve at this celebration.



DEAR TEENS AND ADULTS,

When you count your blessings this Thanksgiving, think of how you can "pay it forward" by volunteering and serving the Lord in your Parish. We would love to have YOU help out on Saturday, December 5th at the Children's Advent Workshop.



Please volunteer and help the Little Ones of the Parish on their Advent Journey. Saturday, December 5, from 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Please contact Patty Evans ASAP at: pevans@charlestondiocese.org or call 803-729-4625.

CHILDREN'S ADVENT WORKSHOP

Register Today

Parents, don't pass up an opportunity to bake, shop and/or wrap without the curiosity of little children watching!

Register for the December 5th Children's Advent Workshop for children ages 4-11. Drop off at the church at 8:30 a.m. and pick-up at 1:30 p.m. The workshop cost is $5 per child. They will experience Crafts, Advent Story, Angels, Wreath Making, Frosting Cookies, Ornament making, and more. Forms can be found on the table in the Gathering Space. MUST BE submitted by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 2nd.

BAGS FOR BADGES

We Need Your Help

Dear Parishioners,

It has been a tradition for the last 6 years that in November, we pause to not only think about being grateful to the First Responders that Protect and Serve to keep us safe… but we put action to our words of gratitude.

As in the past, the Religious Education PreK-5 students will be writing Thank You Notes to the Richland County Deputy Sheriffs and making "Bags for Badges." Deacon John contacts the Captain in each region to get the names of the deputies, and we fill bags with things they need and can use to make their job a little nicer.

There will be a bin in the PLC Gathering Space (marked "Bags for Badges") and we are hoping that we can fill it to the brim to make enough bags for the Deputies. If you are interested in filling the bags, please email Patty Evans at pevans@charlestondiocese.org to put your name on the contact list.

Gratefully,
Patty Evans, DRE



VOLUNTEER!

Advent is Right Around the Corner

Don't wait to volunteer for the Children's Advent Workshop!

Please let Patty Evans know you are willing to help!

Thank you for your generosity and care of our parish children.



"BAGS FOR BADGES"

Items to Donate

- Mini First Aid Kits and/or Band Aids
- Gum, Breath Mints, Hard candy
- Granola & Protein bars
- Packages of Goldfish Crackers, Cookies, Crackers, Packages of Snack Food
- Small packages of Kleenex
- Hand sanitizer

KID'S CORNER

THE PARABLE OF THE TALENTS

Spot 8 differences between the two pictures.





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PARISH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, November 15

7:00 a.m. Columbiettes Casserole Sale (Gathering Space)
9:00 a.m. Elem. Faith Formation (Blue & Tan Buildings)
9:00 a.m. 7th & 8th Grade, Level I Confirmation Class (Lg Clrm)
9:00 a.m. 9th Grade, Confirmation Class (Youth Bldg)
10:00 a.m. Adult Choir Practice (Sm Clrm)

Monday, November 16

6:45 p.m. O.C.I.A. (Kit Conf Rm)

Tuesday, November 17

5:15 p.m. Evans Cursillo Group (Sm Clrm)
6:30 p.m. Care Team (Kit Conf Rm)

Wednesday, November 18

4:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study with Sabols (Lg Clrm)
5:00 p.m. Columbiette Officer Meeting
5:30 p.m. Children's Choir (Sm Clrm)
6:30 p.m. Rosary
7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus Social

Thursday, November 19

6:30 p.m. E-Team Meeting (Sm Clrm)

Friday, November 20

6:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Group (Kit Conf Rm)
6:00 p.m. Youth Group, ELF Night! (Youth Bldg)

Saturday, November 21

9:30 a.m. *COR* - Men's Group (Lg Clrm)
10:00 a.m. Columbiettes State Council Board Meeting (PLC)
3:30 p.m. Adult Choir Practice (Sm Clrm)

Sunday, November 22

10:00 a.m. Adult Choir Practice (Sm Clrm)



REGISTER!



Make Transfiguration your home parish and join our flock today!

Registration is available online at TransfigurationSC.org or pick up a registration form in the Gathering Space. Registration helps us to better serve you. If you have any questions call the parish office: (803) 735-0512

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