Cathedral Active Parishioner Policy

A Registered and Active family/individual is one who:

- 1. Has formally registered and is participating in the life of the parish community for at least 3 months.
- 2. Attends Mass at Cathedral at least 75% of all Sundays.
- 3. Contributes financially to the parish according to ones means.
- 4. Places the offertory envelope each week in the collection basket, even if empty. (If you forgot your envelope there are extra envelopes in the pews and tables at the back of the church.)

Active member status in our database is essential for requesting the following:

- Parishioner tuition rate as CCS and BE High School
- Endorsement to serve as a sacramental sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation
- Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation or Marriage (for oneself or for one's children, either at Cathedral or in another parish)

Placing your envelope in the Sunday collection basket is an important aspect of parish stewardship. We are not called to make an equal gift but an equal sacrifice in proportion to the blessings given to us by God. The offertory basket carried in procession to the altar symbolizes our shared sacrifice offered to the Lord in thanksgiving. Placing your envelope in the basket, even if you have given electronically, symbolizes our share responsibility to support the Church and our parish and a communal offering of thanks.

If you use electronic transfer to make your offertory contribution and other gifts, simply check the box "I attended Mass and/or gave electronically" on the empty envelope and then drop it in the collection basket. All envelopes in the collection basket are recorded in our parish database.

Once six months elapses without any envelopes or online donations received, the account is marked as Inactive and envelopes are no longer distributed. To begin receiving stewardship envelopes please contact Stephanie Stewart at executive.assistant@charlestoncathedral.com.

For answers to frequently asked questions, please visit: www.charlestoncathedral.com/active-parish-policy-faq.

Sacrament of Marriage: Either bride or groom must be registered at the Cathedral at least 12 months before scheduling a date and beginning the 6 month marriage preparation. The bride/groom must meet the Active Parishioner Policy requirements. The Wedding Policy Booklet may be found on the Cathedral Website. Please contact Mrs. Stephanie Stewart at weddings@charlestoncathedral.com for more information.

Baptisms: Parents desiring Baptism of their children must be registered at the Cathedral Parish and meet the Active Parishioner Policy requirements. More information on Baptism, including an online form, may be found on the Cathedral Website. To schedule to have your child baptized, please contact Ms. Cheryl LaRose at secretary@charlestoncathedral.com.

Mass Schedule 19 February - 26 February

Saturday 18 February	10:00 am Confessions	
	5:30 pm Vigil Mass	Stavros Bouziotis +
Sunday 19 February	9:00 am Mass	Timothy Prezzano +
	11:15 am Solemn Mass	Pro Populo
Monday 20 February	12:05 pm Mass	Cleveland Smith +
Tuesday 21 February	12:05pm Mass	Frank & Lenna Parker +
Wednesday 22 February	7 12:05 pm Mass & Distr	ibution of Ashes <i>Msgr. J. Roth</i> +
	No Confessions	
	6:30 pm Mass & Distrib	oution of Ashes Pro Populo
Thursday 23 February	12:05 pm Mass	Jonathan Arden Argoe
Friday 24 February	12:05 pm Mass	Sarah Travers, Ranon Travers
Saturday 25 February	5:30 pm Vigil Mass	Steve Adams +
Sunday 26 February	9:00 am Mass	Alfred Garcia +
	11:15 am Solemn Mass	Pro Populo
	2:30 pm Rite of Election	n

Sunday Morning Masses are broadcast live in the lower chapel for overflow capacity. Please come upstairs for Communion.



Weekly Offertory Reports - 12 February 2023

Offertory Electronic Offertory	\$8,311.56 \$5,461.50
Total Offertory	\$13,773.06

Sincere thanks for your generosity. Every gift matters!

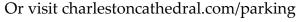
Automatic Online Giving! If you wish to give electronically, it may be done via our secure web portal. Use the QR code above or go to charlestoncathedral.com and click on the blue and green online giving button at the top of the page.

Donate by text! Send a text to 843-580-1719 with the amount you would like to contribute. Make sure to use the dollar sign before the amount. (example: \$25).

Catholic Appeal of South Carolina (formerly Bishop's Annual Appeal) donations should be made payable to: Catholic Appeal of South Carolina. **Bicentennial Payments** should be made payable to CCFSC. Mail to Bicentennial Campaign Office, P.O. Box 31257, Charleston, SC 29417

Parking Pass 18-19 February

Scan barcode for 3 hours parking at City Garage 93 Queen Street.





THE CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

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PARISH BULLETIN

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: Year A

19 February 2023

Most Rev. Jacques Fabre-Jeune, CS Bishop of Charleston Monsignor D. Anthony Droze, VG Administrator Pro-Tempore vicargeneraldroze@charlestondiocese.org

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Deacon Jim Letendre

Deacon Charles Olimpio

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Mrs. Margaret Hill Bookkeeper

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Parish Office Hours: 9 am-4 pm Monday-Friday

Office Number: 843-724-8395

After Hours Emergency Line: 843-724-6376 (in the event of a medical emergency or death after office hours)

www.charlestoncathedral.com

Pregnant? Need Help? Birthright 843-556-4403 Lowcountry Pregnancy Center 843-553-3505 St. Vincent de Paul Society 843-727-1577

PARISH NEWS

WEEKDAY MASS & WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

- <u>Daily Masses</u> are at 12:05 pm Monday-Friday
- <u>Wednesday Adoration</u> begins after 12:05 pm Mass until Night prayer at 6:30 pm and Benediction at 7:00 pm.
- Wednesday Confessions are at 12:30 pm

The Parish Office will be closed Monday 20 February for Presidents Day.

TEARING US APART BOOK & SPEAKER

On March 8 at 7:00pm in Cathedral Parish Center, Alexandra Desanctis, contributing writer at National Review, will speaking about her new book "Tearing Us Apart: How Abortion Harms Everything And Solves Nothing. Her book with be available for sale. All are welcome.

ADORATION WEDNESDAY

Join us for Adoration on Wednesdays from 12:30 pm - 7:00 pm on Wednesdays! We hope to have multiple Weekly Adorers sign up for each timeslot and available substitutes.

Enjoy the Café Cathedral Fellowship!

Café Cathedral is open after Sunday morning Masses. Join fellow parishioners and help build our community with fellowship and fresh coffee & delicious breakfast items. **Want to volunteer?** Help with set up, clean up or take the linens to be washed after the Cafe ends on Sundays. Email parish.secretary@charlestoncathedral.com.

E-Newsletter

Do you receive our Friday E-Newsletter? Get the big news, timely for that weekend sent every Friday. Contact Diane Horkey at: parish.secretary@charlestoncathedral.com.

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Charles Bateman, David Carter, John Devane, Brittani DeVore, Zachary Drescher, Michael Keenan, Cheryl LaRose, Candy O'Brian, Joe Swartz

The above names have been submitted for prayers during the last 30 days or have been identified as long term need for prayer. Please contact the office to add a name to the list.



Ash Wednesday 22 February 2023

Mass & Imposition of Ashes
12:00 pm Msgr. Droze celebrant
6:30 pm Bishop Fabre-Jeune celebrant
There will be no Confessions & no Adoration on Ash Wednesday



Cathedral's Knights of Columbus Fish Fry

Join the St. Finbar Council for their Very First Lenten Fish Fry! On Fridays, March 3rd & 31st, from 5-7:30 pm in the Parish Hall. \$15 for adults and \$12 for Children – *Cash or Check Only*. Tickets sold after all Masses starting this weekend. Orders Can be for Dine-In or To-Go and include: Fried Fish, Cole Slaw, Texas Toast, Iced Tea & Kids Mac-N-Cheese. Help support Cathedral's KOC Council this Lent!

Adult Education Classes: Marian Catechist Apostolate

Join Cathedral's Home Study course designed by Fr. John Hardon and used by Mother Theresa to catechize the nuns of her order. This is a home study that would meet monthly on the first Wednesday starting March 1st at 6:30 pm to review information and watch a video. For more information, please call the office at 843-724-8395.

THE CHARLESTON CATHOLIC SCHOOL

CCS is accepting student applications for the 2023-2024 school year from Grades K4 - 8. CCS emphasizes Faith-Family-Diversity-Arts-Academics. Visit www.charlestoncatholic.com, Admissions Tab.

40 Days For Life: Pro-Life

Help save lives by praying for an end to abortion in your community from February 22 - April 2! And mark your calendars especially for Cathedral's Vigil Day on Saturday 11 March from 9 til 10am. For question, please call Cheryle at 843-696-0604. Please get involved protecting, serving and loving the women and children of SC. To see how you can get involved, visit: www.bornforthis.life.



EVENTS AT CATHEDRAL 19 February - 26 February



Sunday 19 February 10:15 am Mardi Gras Lenten Gathering!

10:15 am Religious Education

Monday 20 February Parish Office Closed: President's Day
Tuesday 21 February 9:00 am Faith sharing: Conference Room

10:30 am Bible Study: Conference Room

Wednesday 22 February Ash Wednesday - NO ADORATION Thursday 23 February 12:30 pm Prayer Apostolate: LC Sunday 26 February 10:15 am Religious Education

10:15 am High School Youth: Conference Room

10:15 am Café 12:15 pm Café



St. Vincent de Paul Collection

St. Vincent de Paul will be begging for alms after all Masses next weekend, 25-26 February. All donations go to help with rent, utilities and medical care for those in need on the peninsula.

Bulletin Advertisers Needed!

Our bulletin is soon going to be printed by Diocesan again. Jenny Lusk from Diocesan is working to reinstate that ads that used to run in the bulletin and secure NEW bulletin advertisers. We are grateful that this crucial communication piece is provided to our parish at no cost thanks to the generous support of our bulletin sponsors. Please call her if you're interested in placing a NEW advertisement in the bulletin on behalf of your business, family, favorite charity or to memorialize a loved one. Bulletin sponsors recognize the tremendous value of connecting with our church family, and we ask our parishioners and guests to patronize our supporters when using a local service. Jenny can be reached at 913 -205-6387 or JLusk@Diocesan.com.

SONGS FOR LENT: Daily Reflections on the Psalms

It is not too late to sign up for Lenten daily reflections! Starting Ash Wednesday, 22 February, St. Mary of the Annunciation parishioner Betsy Cahill will be offering daily reflections on a psalm verse from the daily lectionary. Contact betsy@betsycahill.com with questions. To subscribe visit: http://eepurl.com/gj22CH.