#### Mass Intentions

#### Sunday, 3 April

9:00AM, (Cathedral)
Intentions of Kim Haeyong Family

9:30AM, (St. Mary) Patricia Milner+

11:15AM, (Cathedral)

Pro Populo

6:00PM, (Cathedral)
Intentions of Gerald & Lynn Mast

#### Monday, 4 April

7:00AM, (St. Mary) Communion Service

12:05<sub>PM</sub>, (Cathedral)

Intentions of the Tecklenburg Family

#### Tuesday, 5 April

7:00AM, (St. Mary) *Gregory Kerry*+

12:05 PM, (Cathedral) *A. Chambers* 

#### Wednesday, 6 April

7:00AM, (St. Mary)
Rose Marie Finnegan+
12:05PM, (Cathedral)
Intentions of the St. Paul Family

#### Thursday, 7 April

7:00AM, (St. Mary)
Sr. Mary Christina Ochoa, fsp+
12:05PM, (Cathedral)
Ashley & Ned Canning+

#### Friday, 8 April

7:00AM, (St. Mary)
Sr. Maria Tarcisia Pasquale, fsp+
12:05PM, (Cathedral)

Austin Parker Deas+

## Saturday, 9 April

5:30<sub>PM</sub>, (Cathedral)

Intentions of the Maliszewski Family+

#### Sunday, 10 April

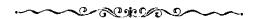
9:00AM, (Cathedral)

Pro Populo

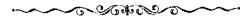
9:30AM, (St. Mary)
Rachel Pardieck Hazellwood+

11:15AM, (Cathedral) Sr. Helen Godfrey, osc

6:00PM, (Cathedral)
Intentions of Gerald & Lynn Mast



We welcome all visitors to St. Mary of the Annunciation Catholic Church. St. Mary's is the oldest Catholic Church in the Carolinas and Georgia, and is the spiritual home of a vibrant parish community. As an historical church, we are grateful for any donation that you would be willing to give. Visitor envelopes may be found in the pews for your use. Thank you for visiting us and we hope you will come back again on your next trip to Charleston.



St. Mary's Daily Mass Schedule for April: Fr. Patrick will be away visiting family and friends in Nigeria in the month of April. We wish him a very relaxing vacation and pray for his safe return! During the month of April, the 7:00AM Monday - Friday Mass schedule will be:

Monday -- 7:00AM Communion Service; Tuesday-Friday -- 7:00AM Holy Mass

Altar Server Training: Children interested in becoming Altar Servers for St. Mary's are invited to attend a training session on Saturday, 9 April, at 1:00PM in the church. Deacon Paul and Elliot Weeks will lead the training. Children must be at least 8 years old and have received their First Holy Communion. Current altar servers are urged to attend to help and to receive refresher training.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Deacon Paul will hold a training session after Mass on Sunday, 10 April for those interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister for the Distribution of Holy Communion. You must be a Confirmed member of the Church in full communion with the church to serve in this capacity. Current Extraordinary Ministers are also encouraged to attend for refresher training.

First Holy Communion Workshop is Saturday, 9 April, from 9:00am to 12:00 Noon in the Cathedral Center Hall. This is mandatory for all children who are receiving First Holy Communion. There is also a parent session, so parents must attend!

First Holy Communion is Sunday, 17 April 2016, at the 9:30am Mass. Please pray for our First Communicants preparing for this Sacrament!

Cathedral Vacation Bible School: Parents, don't miss the bus! Put your kids, grades K4 - 4th grade, on board "The Vatican Express" Catholic Kidz Camp, and let them tour with St. Jerome! Camp dates are 13 - 17 June. Reserve your seats now! Registration forms are available online and in the Parish Office.



## Traditional Latin Mass

We have added a Traditional Latin Mass at St. Marys on the first Saturday of each month. It will be a Missa Cantata or sung Mass in the Extraordinary Form or according to the Missal of Pope John XXIII. The next Traditional Latin Mass will be on 7 May, at 10:00 AM.

# St. Mary's Parish News



In your kindness, please pray for the repose of the souls of Basil J. Kerr, father of Suzanne Reed, and Lorrie Mauer, mother of Robin Pennington.

Our Lady of Fatima: The statue of our Lady of Fatima will be at the Cathedral 30 April thru 1 May. Stay tuned for more information.

**Religious Education:** Classes resume this weekend. See you in class!

That Man is You! resumes Wednesday, 6 April at 6:30pm at 119 Broad. This week's topic is: The Practice of the Presence of God. All men are welcome to attend!

St. Mary's Ladies Altar Society: St. Mary's Ladies are you wondering what do we do?? Here are some examples:

- Altar Care Teams
- Bereavement Committee
- Christmas/Easter Decorations
- Angel Tree
- Projects with the Holy Name Society
- Charity
- Fund-raising and Fellowship

Bake Sale & Spaghetti Supper

We meet every second Wednesday of the month in the Parish Hall at 6:00pm for fellowship and a light supper. Come be a part of our church community!! We need you and your ideas!!

Jubilee Year of Mercy
The Diocese of Charleston will highlight a work of mercy each month during the Year of Mercy.

#### April: Bear wrongs patiently

Do not be bitter about wrongs done against you. Place your hope in God so that you can endure the troubles of this world and face them with a compassionate spirit.

• Frustrated with someone? Step away from the situation, take a few deep breaths, pray the Our Father, asking God for patience

**PT Secretary:** The Cathedral of St. John the Baptist is seeking a Part Time Morning Secretary to answer and route incoming calls and aid in clerical work. Applicants should be Catholic, people oriented, have excellent communication skills, friendly phone presence and knowledge and love of their Catholic faith. Must have proficiency in Microsoft Office (Word, Excel and Publisher) and Adobe InDesign. Ability to learn simple website updating a plus. Interested applicants should submit their resume to rector@charletsoncathedral.com.

St. Vincent De Paul will be collecting after Mass TODAY!

## ORDER OF WORSHIP 3 April 2016

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter

The Order of Mass may be found on page 253 of the St. Isaac Jogues Missal. The Readings may be found on page 320 in the Missal.

**Processional Hymn:** H. pg. 355 I Know That My Redeemer Lives vs. 1-4

Sprinkling Rite Vidi Aquam H. pg. 374 Kvrie Missa de Angelis H. pg. 408 H. pg. 408 Gloria Missa de Angelis

Psalm 118 M. pg. 321 Psalm

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia

Homily

Offertory Hymn H. pg. 354

Ye Sons and Daughters of the King

Sanctus Missa de Angelis H. pg. 410

Memorial Acclamation Chant

We Proclaim Your Death, O Lord

Great Amen Amen Dresden

Agnus Missa de Angelis H. pg. 411

Communion Chant M. pg. 324

Mitte manum tuam

**Communion Motet** 

Sing Ye to the Lord Bairstow

Communion Hymn H. pg. 250

Ye Choirs of New Jerusalem

Recessional Hymn: H. pg. 353

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing Vs. 1-3



St. Mary of the Annunciation

April 3, 2016



#### Charleston Catholic School

A Journey of Imagination & Discovery ~25 Years~

Core Values:
Sharing Faith
Loving Family
Celebrating Diversity
Experiencing Art
Achieving Academic Excellence

The CCS 25<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary Gala and Auction will be held Friday, 29 April; from 6-10:00pm at the Cedar Room at the Cigar Factory. Tickets are \$75 per person. Sponsorships are available call the school office for more information. (843) 577-4495.

Why should you choose Catholic Education? Here are three of the top reasons:

- 1. Catholic tradition and academic excellence in a community grounded in a common faith.
- 2. Balanced curriculum including art, music and fitness.
- 3. Emphasis on moral development, service to others and leadership skills.

If you are interested in Catholic Education and would like to schedule a tour, please call the school office at 577-4495.

# Community News

After the Aisle: Strengthening Marriage and Family Conference will be Saturday, April 16, 2016 at St. Mary Help of Christians Church located on 138 Fairfield St. SE, Aiken SC 29801 from 8:30AM-3:00PM. The event is being cosponsored by the Office of Family Life.

The cost is \$35 per couple (includes continental breakfast and lunch) Check-in begins at 7:30AM, in St. Angela Hall located at 118 York St. SE. Holy Mass will be at 8:30AM in the church. To register or for more information, please e-mail stmarys-aiken.org or familylife@catholic-doc.org.

Golden Jubilee: Msgr. James A. Carter, PA, Pastor of Christ Our King Church in Mt. Pleasant, will be celebrating his 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as a priest in the Diocese of Charleston. He was raised in the Cathedral Parish and was ordained at the Cathedral. You are cordially invited to attend his Golden Jubilee Mass on Friday, 29 April, at 6:30pm at Christ Our King. A reception follows in the Christ Our King Life Center.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter: We are called to be a resurrection people and reflect Gods love and mercy in our own lives and relationships with others. Let your marriage sacrament truly reflect God's love and mercy. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend is July 8-10, 2016. Early sign up is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: <a href="http://SCMarriageMatters.org">http://SCMarriageMatters.org</a> or contact us at applications@scmarriagematters.org or 803-810-9602.

## Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord April 4th (March 25)

March 25 (Our Feast Day) is usually the Solemnity of the Annunciation, but when it falls during Holy Week, the feast is transferred to the first day after the Easter Octave.

The feast of the Annunciation, now recognized as a solemnity, was first celebrated in the 4<sup>TH</sup> or 5<sup>TH</sup> century. Its central focus is the Incarnation: God has become one of us. From all eternity God had decided that the Second Person of the Blessed Trinity should become human. Now, as Luke 1:26-38 tells us, the decision is being realized. The God-Man embraces all humanity, indeed all creation, to bring it to God in one great act of love. Because human beings have rejected God, Jesus will accept a life of suffering and an agonizing death: "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends" (John 15:13).

Mary has an important role to play in God's plan. From all eternity God destined her to be the mother of Jesus and closely related to him in the creation and redemption of the world. It is a God-given role. It is God's grace from beginning to end. Mary becomes the eminent figure she is only by God's grace. She is the empty space where God could act. Everything she is she owes to the Trinity.

She is the virgin-mother who fulfills Isaiah 7:14 in a way that Isaiah could not have imagined. She is united with her son in carrying out the will of God (Psalm 40:8-9; Hebrews 10:7-9; Luke 1:38).

With Jesus, the privileged and graced Mary is the link between heaven and earth. She is the human being who best, after Jesus, exemplifies the possibilities of human existence. She received into her lowliness the infinite love of God. She shows how an ordinary human being can reflect God in the ordinary circumstances of life. She exemplifies what the Church and every member of the Church is meant to become. She is the ultimate product of the creative and redemptive power of God. She manifests what the Incarnation is meant to accomplish for all of us.

"Alleluia! Christ is truly risen! We can make absolutely no qualification of this fact whatever. Christ has really, truly, and substantially risen, Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, from the dead. The whole Christ has risen indeed for the completion of the work of our redemption.

For just as by dying He endured all evil to deliver us from evil, so was He glorified in rising to advance us to good things, according to Romans 4:25 which says that 'He was put to death for our trespasses and raised for our justification.'"

~St. Thomas Aquinas Summa Theologiae, III, q. 53, a. 1, c.

Altar Flowers: Every member of the parish is invited to contribute to the beauty of our worship space by providing the altar flowers on a particular Sunday to the glory of God, in memory, thanksgiving, or celebration of people or events that are important to that donor. Please call the Parish Office for more information or to schedule a Sunday.

**Baptisms** are celebrated on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of every month at 10:30AM. To have your child baptized, please call the Parish Office at 843-724-8395. Please call before the birth of your child.

The Sacrament of Matrimony: Either the bride or the groom must be a practicing Catholic and registered at St. Marys for at least twelve months before scheduling a wedding date and beginning the six months marriage preparation. The bride/groom must be an active parishioner, regularly attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation, and use the envelope system in regular support of the parish. The Wedding Policy Booklet may be found on our website: <a href="maintenant/saintmaryhasellst.org">saintmaryhasellst.org</a>. Contact Stephanie Stewart for more information, weddings@charlestoncathedral.com or 843-724-8395.

Are You an Active Member? Various facilities and services are available to our active members. This includes use of the Church for Baptisms, Weddings, and other sacramental events, and includes parishioner status in parochial schools. Active Membership is determined by four things:

1. Being properly registered in the parish for a sufficient period of time.

2. Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days.

3. Use of the envelope system in regular support of the parish

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 Being active in at least one parish program, ministry, or organization.
 *Please notify the office of any changes in your address or contact information.*

## Offertory Reports

\$1,084.85 Good Friday Ash Wednesday \$135.00 Easter Flowers \$823.00 Easter \$9,046.12 Holy Thursday \$51.00

Offertory Option: You can now manage your giving online. Giving online is easy and allows you to schedule contributions and view your complete online giving history. Just follow these easy steps:

Just visit our web site (saintmaryhasellst.org), Click on the *Donate Now* button, Click on the *Create Profile* button, then

Follow the instructions to create a profile and to schedule your contributions.

**Don't forget:** Update your account with current credit card expiration dates

## Important Phone Numbers

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Wedding Information Contact Email: weddings@charlestoncathedral.com After Hours Emergency Number: 843-469-3406

# Ministers of the Liturgy

#### **Greeters and Gift Bearers:**

April 3 - Mike Savinda

April 10 - Larry & Linda Jones

April 17 - Evan Williams & Erin Gray

April 24 - Bob & Judy Imbus

#### Lectors:

April 3 - Tom Hesse

April 10 - David Burt

April 17 - Mark Calhoun

April 24 - Betsy Cahill

#### Extraordinary Ministers of the Distribution of Holy Communion:

April 3 - Al Stiles, Tom Hesse

April 10 - Tommy Hartnett, Jim Lady

April 17 - Mary Martus, Jimmy McAlister

April 24 - Mary Sease, Al Stiles

#### Hospitality:

April 3 - Hammerbacher Team Lenore Hammerbacher, Sheila Moore, Kenna Burt, Mary Frances Kastner, Erin Casey, Evan Williams

April 10 - McAlister Team Phillipa McAlister, Donna Adams, Stephanie Shackelford, Maryann Testa, Ashley Finnegan, Barbara Santella

April 17 - Jones Team Linda Jones, Judy Imbus, Dolly Lipman, Cathie Dalla Mura, Beatty Martin, Barbara Rosenbaum

April 24 - McDowell Team Jill McDowell, Judy McDowell, Denise Darling, Barbara Ankersen, Sissa Green, Susan Koval, Cindy Daniel, Mary Gastley, Helen Murphy



# Please Pray

Lilian Andrews Amanda Balcom Robin Bock Jim Brady Margaret Mary Brandt Lorraine Emanuel Patty Emerick Holly Gorman David Grant Sheila Grant Richardine Grant

Annabelle Heil Goleta Kincer Aidan Lane Johnny Marshall Anne Mosley Heather Riley Pauline Sottile Margaret Mary Sprague Jeff Todd Jessie W.