

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Diocese of Charleston

206 North Main Street, P. O. Box 812, Abbeville, SC 29620



Church



Prayer Garden

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Parish Office Hours: Sun. after Mass and by appointment

Mass Schedule: Tuesday 6 pm, Thursday 6 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am

Confession: Tuesday & Thursday after Mass,

Sunday 7:30-8:00 am, and by appointment.

First Friday Mass 6 pm

Good Shepherd Mass Schedules:

Wednesday & Friday: 9:00 am

Saturday: 5:00 pm, Confession: 3:30-4:30 *and by appointment.*

Sunday: 11:00 am

Baptism: Please call the Pastor for an appointment.

Marriage Preparation: Call the parish office at least six months prior to the wedding to schedule an appointment with the Priest.

Pastoral Care: Holy Communion may be received at home, in a nursing home or in the hospital. If you find yourself unable to attend Mass and want to receive Communion, either you or an immediate family member may call the office to make the necessary arrangements.

Anointing of the Sick: Anyone in danger of death from a serious illness, an emergency situation or from advanced age ought to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. If you know, in advance, that you will be entering the hospital for a procedure, it is preferred that you receive the Anointing **prior** to entering the hospital. To arrange the reception of the Sacrament, please call Fr. Bob's "Emergency" phone number.

MISSION STATEMENT

"In the spirit of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, we are called to holiness to celebrate and proclaim the love of Jesus through Word and Sacrament. Through the spiritual growth of our youth and our service to others, we strive to create a legacy of faith with a special love for the Eucharist, Mary our Mother, our Parish Family and the entire Community."

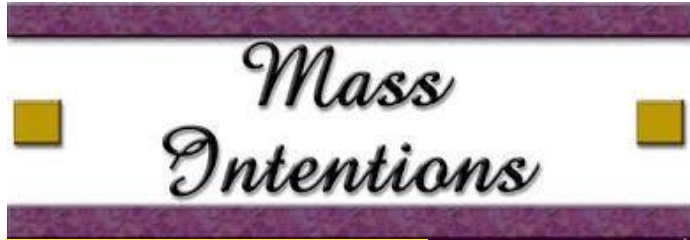
Third Sunday in Ordinary Time January 21, 2018



**"Come after me, and I will make you
fishers of men"**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading.....Jonah 3:1-5, 10
ResponsePsalm 25:4-5,6-7,8-9
Second Rdng.....1Corinthians 7:29-31
Gospel.....Mark 1:14-20



Sunday, Jan 21, 8:30 AM

Mass is offered in memory of Steve Culler, requested by Heidi & Gene Rodillo

Tuesday, Jan 23, 6 PM

Mass is offered in memory of Carl Martin and Ed & Bernadette Martin, requested by Betty & Ken Reece

Thursday, Jan 25, 6 PM,

Missa Pro Populo, Mass for the people

Sunday, Jan 28, 8:30 AM

Mass is offered in memory of Jimmy White & Jim Cothran, requested by Mary White

Tuesday Jan 30, 6 PM

No Mass intention has yet been requested

Thursday, Feb 1, 6 PM

Missa Pro Populo, Mass for the people

First Friday, Feb 2, 6 PM

Missa Pro Populo, Mass for the people

PRAY FOR OUR SICK & HOME-BOUND:

Charles & Tracy McElrath, William Johnson, Frank Loomis, Mary White, Kate Barbato, Amanda Powers, Dave & Terry Cumming, Diane McMahan, Blondie Karls, Mary Carhart Williams, George & Karen Bell, and those intentions written in our Community Book of Prayer.

Names will remain on the list for one month if more time is needed please renew your request

PASTORAL CARE VISITS

Because of the Right to Privacy Laws, Sacred Heart is not notified of parishioners who are hospitalized, homebound, or have entered a health care facility.

We must hear from you or a family member if you would like to be visited by someone.



- Jan 21 Usher/Greeter- Karen Sherwood
Lector – Christine Schott
E.M. — Kokou Abalo
- Jan 28 Usher/Greeter-Mike Regan
Lector – Marilyn Buffaloe
E.M.— Tom Frosceno

If you are unable to fulfill your commitment, please arrange for a replacement and let the office know

Sacred Heart and the Diocese of Charleston are committed to ensuring a safe environment for children and vulnerable adults. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Father Sayer, the Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services at 843-853-2130 ext. 206 or the Victims Assistance Minister at 800-921-8122.

In accordance with Diocesan mandates the following documents are available in the office: Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator Brochure (English & Spanish), "How to Report Allegations of Sexual Abuse" flyer, and Sexual Misconduct or Abuse Report Form.

FINANCIALS

<i>Sunday Collection Jan 14</i>	\$ 990.
Registered Families	54

Upcoming Diocesan Collections

Church in Latin America

January 28

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY MEMBERS

Case Richmond Sam Ware David Whitener
Conner Grant Jon Ramsey Mason Gentner
Hayden Grant

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Amen.



God Bless America, In God We Trust



Church News

Volunteers needed

Please share your time and talent, Ushers, Lectors, EM's & Church cleaners are always needed, if you would like to share the load, please contact Jeff

We are the "Green Bean Church" for the U.C.M.A.C. food pantry

Please leave your contributions in the basket in the vestibule

The new parish directories are in Please see Jeff in the office to pick yours up

The Trinity Episcopal congregation will be holding their 11:00AM service here in our church each Sunday until their remodeling is completed, please tidy up the pews before you leave

BREAKFAST

Today we will have our 3rd Sunday Light Breakfast after Mass in the Social Hall, please join us for fellowship

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"For the world in its present form is passing away." If change in our lives is our lot, let us learn how to change with and for our spouses by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME) weekend. The next weekends are: Feb 2-4, 2018 in Clemmons, NC and Aug 3-5, 2018 in Chapel Hill, NC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://SCMarriageMatters.org> or contact us at applications@scmarriagematters.org or 803-810-9602.

Counters:

JAN—Rose Holley/Betty Reece
FEB---Tom Frosceno/Dave Armstrong

Church Cleaning:

JAN— Adrienne Padner
FEB---Patty & Noel Naumoff

"He took what is mine in order that He might impart to me what is His. He took it not to overturn it but to fill it."

— St. Ambrose

America's Deadly Silence!

Abortion is the most common, least regulated medical procedure and the number one killer in America.

More lives are lost each year through abortion than all deaths due to cancer, heart attacks, accidents, AIDS, natural disasters, wars, illness and diseases combined.

The savagery of war, the atrocities of the Nazi holocaust, graphic violence, natural disasters and critical and bloody medical procedures are routinely shown on the media. But never an abortion!

Women are denied critical information on the risks of an abortion, including increased risk of Breast Cancer, Post Abortion Syndrome, the sale of body parts etc.

The truth about abortion has been censored by the media, silenced by our courts, politicized by our politicians and even silenced in our churches and schools.

Babies in the womb have no voice except yours and mine. We cannot remain silent any longer!

Pro-Life Articles Author

I am the New Year.

I am an unspoiled page in your book of time.
I am your next chance at the art of living.
I am your opportunity to practice what you have learned during the last twelve months about life.

All that you sought the past year and failed to find is hidden in me; I am waiting for you to search it out again with more determination.

All the good that you tried to do for others and didn't achieve last year is mine to grant -- providing you have fewer selfish and conflicting desires.

In me lies the potential of all that you have dreamed but didn't dare to do,
all that you hoped but did not perform,
all you prayed for but did not yet experience.
These dreams slumber lightly, waiting to be awakened by the touch of an enduring purpose.

I am your opportunity to renew your allegiance to Christ who said,
"Behold, I make all things new" (Rev. 21:5).
I am the New Year.

MEDITATION

"Many people seem to worry themselves a great deal more over the things they cannot help than over the things that they can. ... This want of proportion is doubtless observable in myself. Do I think more of the accidents of birth, fortune, and personal appearance than of the self that I have created? For I myself am responsible for myself. 'To be born a gentleman is an accident; to die one is an achievement.' Other things, then, I may not be able to help; but myself, I can. As I am at this very moment, as my character is—truthful or untruthful, pure or impure, patient or impatient, slow to wrath or quick-tempered, eager, enthusiastic, energetic, or lazy and dull and wasteful of time—I have no one to thank but myself ... the fact remains that I myself alone am responsible for my own character; for character is an artificial thing that is not born, but made."

— Fr. Bede Jarrett, p. 371-2

"Love takes up where knowledge leaves off."

— St. Thomas Aquinas