

DIOCESE OF CHARLESTON

Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church

"Growing our Catholic Faith -- at Folly Beach"

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Pastor

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MISSION STATEMENT: To give honor and glory to God, by loving one another as He has commanded, and by reaching out with love and compassion to those in need.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (Vigil)..... 5:00pm
Sunday.....9:00am, 11:00am
Wednesday & Thursday.....9:00am
First Friday.....9:00 am
Holy Day of Obligation..... TBA

SACRAMENTS

Confession Saturday 3:30-4:30PM
Marriage.....Six Months Prior to Date
Baptism.....First and Third Sunday
Call Parish Office prior to birth of child

Parish Office Hours
Monday—Friday 9am-1pm

Email office@olgc-follybeach.org

This bulletin and additional parish information is available online at our website:

www.olgc-follybeach.org

Your suggestions and comments are welcome. The website includes a suggestion page.

LOCAL ASSISTANCE NUMBERS
Lowcountry Pregnancy Center
843-553-3505
Birthright
843-556-4403



Jesus, I Trust In You.

MASS INTENTIONS

Divine Mercy Sunday	
Saturday Vigil	April 26
5 PM	Daniel Gomrick †
Sunday	April 27
9 AM	Donna Kintsch †
11 AM	For the People
Wednesday	April 30
9 AM	Dr. Malcolm Brennan Sr †
Thursday	May 1
9 AM	Ann Siegfried
First Friday	May 2
7 PM	Kathy and Jim Nicklaus
Third Sunday of Easter	
Saturday Vigil	May 3
5 PM	For the People
Sunday	May 4
9 AM	Richard Sonnen †
11 AM	Dr. Malcolm Brennan Sr. †
Wednesday	May 7
9 AM	NO MASS
Thursday	May 8
9 AM	NO MASS

Emergency Calls If you have an EMERGENCY CALL for a priest and the parish office is closed, please call the main number for the office (843/588-2336). After-hours calls are being handled by office personnel who have been given instructions on how to reach Father Miles at all times. Since this is a "live" service, they will continue to try and reach someone until they succeed.

ON THE CALENDAR

April 27th - May 3rd

27 Sun	Breakfast	Hall	10:00A
27 Sun	First Communion		11:00 MASS
27 Sun	First Communion Reception		12:15P
27 Sun	Mercadante Baptism Church		2:00P
28 Mon	Christian Meditation	Hall	8:00A
30 Wed	MASS	Church	9:00A
30 Wed	Choir Practice	Church	5:30P
30 Wed	Faith Formation	Hall	7:00P
01 Thur	MASS	Church	9:00A
02 Fri	First Friday Mass	Church	10:00A
02 Fri	Rosary Guild	Hall	10:00A
03 Sat	RECONCILIATION	Sacristy	3:30P

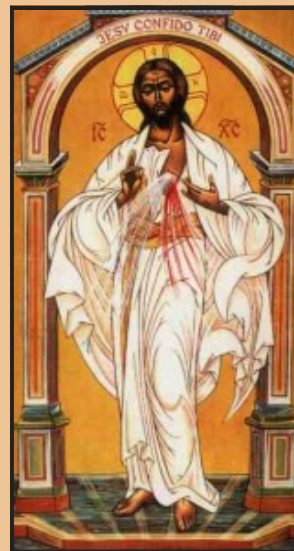


WELCOME, SANTINO!
Please take a moment to say a prayer of thanksgiving and welcome for our newest parishioner, SANTINO MERCADANTE, whose baptism is today after the First Communion Reception.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Acts 2: 42-47; Ps 118: 2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 Pt 1: 3-9; Jn 20: 19-31

"Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." With those words of comfort, Jesus reaches out to us across the chasm of time. This is not only the Second Sunday of Easter, but also Divine Mercy Sunday. Divine Mercy Sunday is a relatively recent development within the Church, having been established by Pope John Paul II the year 2000. Today is also a monumental day in the history of our Church as Pope John Paul II and Pope John XXIII will be canonized and become St. John Paul II and St. John XXIII, respectively.



The readings for this Sunday are replete with forgiveness and love. In the first reading from Acts we hear about the earliest days of the Church, how the Apostles and other followers of Jesus banded together to support and to help one another. In the second reading, the beginning of Peter's first letter to those followers throughout what is now Turkey, St. Peter speaks of the mercy of the Lord to us through salvation. However, he cautions us that following Jesus is not and will not be trouble-free.

The Gospel from John relates also the beginnings of the Church. By bestowing the Holy Spirit upon His followers ("He breathed on them and said 'Receive the Holy Spirit'"), Jesus made them the first stewards of the Church. We, too, are stewards of the Church. In their Pastoral Letter on Stewardship (*Stewardship: A Disciple's Response*) our U.S. Bishops declared, "We are all stewards of the Church." With Easter so fresh to us, now is the time to accept that responsibility.

OFFERTORY

April 20, 2014	Offertory & Church Maintenance:
Budget:	\$ 3,700.00
Actual:	\$ 8,168.00
Difference (+/-):	\$ 4,468.00
Percent:	221%
Month to Date: 03/31/2014	
Budget:	\$ 16,466.00
Actual:	\$ 17,775.00
Difference (+/-)	\$ -8,891.32
Percent:	108%
Year to Date: 03/31/2014	
Budget:	\$ 155,813.00
Actual:	\$ 150,020.00
Difference (+/-)	\$ -5,793.00
Percent:	96%

This week's second collection is for Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Next week's second collection is for Church Maintenance.

NEWS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Knights of Columbus Council #6250, James Island, SC is hosting our 14th Annual Charity Golf Tournament. It will be held on Sunday, May 4 @ The Charleston Municipal Golf Course on James Island. The captain's choice event will have an 8:30 am shotgun start and the cost will be \$65 per person. All Ladies and Seniors will be allowed to use their own tees. All proceeds will benefit local charities. Steak dinner and prizes at Nativity School Hall, 1061 Folly Road, following event. For entry form or to sponsor please contact David Errthum @762-1504 or e-mail Errthums@aol.com

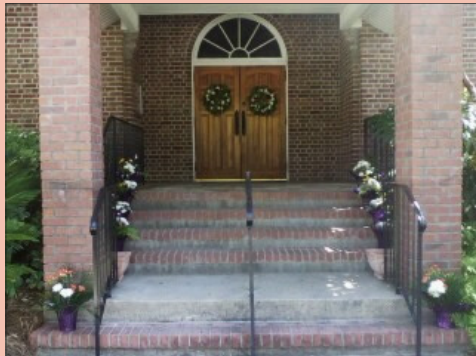
MEN'S CLUB CATFISH FRY ON SATURDAY, MAY 17TH, 4PM TO 7PM

Mark your calendars now for the Men's Club Catfish Fry. Tickets will be going on sale soon!



EASTER DECORATIONS

Thank you from Father Miles and the entire parish to those who cleaned, moved furniture back and forth and decorated for our Easter celebrations. For those who did not have the opportunity to see the beautiful cut and live flowers filling the Church with the new life of spring, here is a pictorial tour.



Many thanks to Charlie and Sue Birkmire, and her sister Kate Sheerin for the clever sourcing of live and cut flowers at the best prices, and the creative arrangements inside and outside the Sanctuary. And many thanks again to all our parishioners' generosity for the Easter flowers.



She has some shine around her nose; thanks Marilyn! And thanks to various Charleston yards for her beautiful wreath eyes!



Mary and Joseph spent several days in the Sacristy, and were greeted by this beautiful scene when they returned. Kathy and Jim Nicklaus' banners have served the Parish well for many years.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers, and for our active duty soldiers and families.

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| Jerry Alverson | Kathy Nicklaus |
| Jean Apostolou | Peter Paolini |
| Tom Bahringer | Johnette Picard |
| Val Bivens | Becky Poole |
| Moses Calle | Joe Porcelli |
| Richard Christensen | Rachel |
| Gary Cline | Mary Richtermeyer |
| Jobie Dixon | Bob Rueter |
| Denise Dougherty | Gregory Russell |
| Joey Dougherty | Nancy Scarborough |
| Mary Dougherty | Margaret Sheedy |
| Catherine Eyer | Diane Sieber |
| George Eyer | Ann Siegfried |
| Nora Faust | Sandy Souter |
| David Forbes | Special Intention |
| Ruth Gerth | Elvira Touriño |
| Robert Hens | Ashley Townsend |
| Marilyn Hill | Lois & Les Ulichnie |
| Jim Johnston | Connie Welle |
| Linda Kay | Joe Wham |
| Betsy Moran | Margaret Ann Wright |
| Edward Montgomery | Margie Wright |
| Mary Murphy | Susan Yeomans |
| Jim and Beverly Nash | Bob Young |

- Msgt. Charles Cook, SCANG
- Maj. Alec DeCastro, USAFR
- Capt. Anthony B. DeLaRosa, USA
- WO2 Armando B. DeLaRosa Jr., USA
- Maj. Stewart Eyer, USAF
- LCpl. Michael E. Hens, USMC
- Maj. Brian J. Heslin, USMC
- Gen. John Hesterman, USAF
- Staff Sgt. Travis LaRue, USAF
- LTJG Anthony Licari, USN
- Staff Sgt. Christopher Lowther, USMC
- Capt. Mark Matthews, USN
- LTC. Geof McLaughlin, USA
- Reggie Sampson, USA
- Cdr. Jerrold N. Sgobbo, USCG
- 1Lt. Bryan D. Weber
- Pvt. Jorden Weir

Prayer Requests If you would like to add (or remove) a name of a loved one either on our Prayer List or Serving in the Military list please call or email the Office. Remember to include the rank and branch of service.

Flower Donations If you would like to donate the flowers in the Church in memory or in honor of a loved one, you may simply call the Office to do so. Keepsakes Florist provides us with delivery of two arrangements weekly.