



Rev. C. Thomas Miles, JCL
Pastor

Anita Praytor
Administrative Assistant

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

ConfessionSaturday 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

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.

Our Lady of Good Counsel staff members and volunteers who work with our children participate in training for and exceeding in providing a safe environment. They are required to be familiar with the Diocesan Policy and Code of Conduct. Please take a moment to visit the Diocesan website links below.

Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services - 843-853-2130 x209
<http://sccatholic.org/child-protection-services>
Diocesan Victim Assistance Minister - 800-921-8122
<http://sccatholic.org/child-protection-services/victim-assistance>
Policy and Code of Conduct -
<http://sccatholic.org/child-protection-services/resources>

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Fifth Sunday of Easter May 18, 2014



MASS INTENTIONS

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Saturday Vigil **May 17**

5 PM For the People

Sunday **May 18**

9 AM Ann Siegfried

11 AM Dr. Malcolm Brennan Sr †

Wednesday **May 21**

9 AM NO MASS

Thursday **May 22**

9 AM Marilyn Hill †

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Saturday Vigil **May 24**

5 PM Peggy Leonard †

Sunday **May 25**

9 AM Ann Siegfried

11 AM For the People

Wednesday **May 28**

9 AM Christine Colabelli †

Thursday **May 29**

9 AM Philip Mahoney †

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

MAY 18TH—MAY 24TH



19 Mon	Christian Meditation	Hall	8:00A
21 Wed	NO MASS		
21 Wed	Choir Practice	Church	5:30P
22 Thur	MASS	Church	9:00A
22 Thur	Pastoral Council	Hall	6:00P
24 Sat	RECONCILIATION	Sacristy	3:30P
25 Sun	BREAKFAST	Hall	10:00A

MEN'S CLUB BREAKFAST ON MAY 25TH!

Next Sunday (and each 4th Sunday of the month) after the 9 AM Mass, the Men's Club will serve a buffet breakfast in Fr. Kelly Hall of grits, scrambled eggs, bacon and sausage, pancakes, biscuits and gravy, fruit, orange juice and coffee. At \$6 per person, it's the best deal in town!



MOTHER'S DAY INTENTIONS

In addition to last week's insert of Mass Intentions, Dr. J. Leo Brueggeman remembers in the Mother's Day Mass Intentions his mother, Cecilia M. Brueggeman. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fath honor their mothers with Mass Intentions, Veronica Fath and Ann Chassereau.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Acts 6: 1-7; Ps 33: 1-2, 4-5, 18-19; 1 Pt 2: 4-9; Jn 14: 1-12

Catholics are familiar with the fact that the Church has structure. Not only is the organization of the Church carefully configured, but our Church structures – our buildings – stand as an ongoing testament to our faith and our love of God. One might say that the readings for this Fifth Sunday of Easter take the image of these edifices and place us carefully into them.



The first reading from Acts includes the establishment of the Permanent Diaconate (as we know it) as part of the Church organizational structure. More than that is communicated in that reading nonetheless. You will note the reference to Hellenists and Hebrews. It is valuable to know that both of these groups were Jewish. The Hebrews tended to be from Judea and follow those traditions while the Hellenists were located away from Jerusalem and followed Greek culture in most ways. It is also worth knowing that those first seven Deacons named in Acts all had Greek names. In other words, they were most likely Hellenists. The word "Deacon" finds its roots in the Greek word "diakonos" which means "servant." This reading makes it clear to us, in anticipation of the other readings on this Sunday, that whoever we are and wherever we are from, we are an important part of the Church, and we are all called to serve.

In his letter, the second reading, St. Peter calls Jesus the "living stone." Peter then makes it clear that we are all called to be "living stones" as well. Jesus, as the Cornerstone, is the foundation from which we build, but each of us must be prepared to place ourselves and our faith on this foundation of Christ to build and maintain the Church, the one body of which we are all a part. This is an element of the basic message of stewardship — that the Church, our parishes, our faith communities, find their strength in the ways we each use our gifts to serve the Church and one another. It is not that each of us standing alone, a stone by itself, does not have worth, but Peter wants us to accept that together we are stronger and more capable of doing God's work more completely and effectively.

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OFFERTORY

May 11, 2014

Offertory & Church Maintenance
Budget: \$ 3,700.00
Actual: \$ 2,682.00
Diff (+/-): \$ -1,018.00
Percent: 72%

5/11/2014

Parish Families active: 200
Families participating in offertory this week: 58
% Participation: 29%

Year to Date: 03/31/2014

Offertory & Church Maintenance
Budget: \$ 155,813.00
Actual: \$ 150,020.00
Diff (+/-) \$ -5,793.00
Percent: 96%

This week's second collection is for Church Maintenance. Next week's second collection is for Catholic Communication Campaign.

Pet Stewardship -Why does Folly Beach prohibit animals on the beach from 10am-6pm May 1 through Sept 30? It is too hot for them! If the pavement or sand burns your feet or the sun is hot on the top of your head, it feels the same to pets! Please be good stewards and keep pets safe from the heat outdoors and high temperatures in locked cars.



NEWS

OLGC JOINS BLESSED SACRAMENT, NATIVITY FOR CONFIRMATION

In the last 10 days, five of our parishioners committed themselves more fully to their baptisms in the sacrament of Confirmation.

The Most Reverend Robert Guglielmo, Bishop of the Diocese of Charleston, celebrated the sacrament.

On May 8th, Austin Angelo Shrum was confirmed at Church of the Nativity.



On May 12th, the OLGC PSR students were confirmed at Blessed Sacrament. From left to right are Michael Chandler Owens, Alexandria Rae Manchester, Robert Lee Hooffstetter and William James Lacey.

Please congratulate our Confirmandi, and continue to keep all of them in your prayers.

The **Vocations Office** is pleased to launch its new vocations website. Some who have already visited the site have described it as “easy to navigate,” “engaging,” and “dynamic”! The website is full of vocation resources for all. Please visit: www.charlestonvocations.com. Additionally, the Vocation Office continues its presence on social media. Please follow us on Facebook: “Charleston Vocations,” and on Twitter: “FatherKirby.”



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REFLECTIONS

Today’s Gospel from John occurs during the Last Supper. Jesus is well aware of His impending Crucifixion. He is also conscious of the fact that this is the beginning of the series of events which will culminate with Him departing this earthly existence. You might say the Lord wishes to soften the blow of His exodus. He assures the Apostles that He will always be with them just as the Father is always with Him, in Him as He is in the Father.

That image of the Church and our faith being the House of God returns in the Lord’s reference to the fact that, “In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places.” In some Scriptural translations they use the word “mansion” in place of “dwelling place.” In Latin the word “mansio” means “dwelling.” For us as the building blocks on which the Church is built and thrives, the word “mansion” may have extra meaning. Truly the Father’s house to which Jesus refers is in Heaven. We serve and build structures and lives here on earth that are meaningful, but they pale in comparison to what is promised in Heaven. Jesus reminds us, “Amen, Amen, I say to you, whoever believes in Me will do the works that I do.”

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

- 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.