



# Saint Joseph Catholic Church

Diocese of Charleston  
Franciscan Friars



**Sunday, January 8, 2012**  
**The Epiphany of the Lord**

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**The Parish Office**  
Shook Center  
1303 McLees Road, Anderson SC

### Hours

Monday - Thursday 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.  
Friday 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

### Parish Staff

Rev. Paul M. Williams, OFM. [pw4ofm@aol.com](mailto:pw4ofm@aol.com)  
Pastor x109  
Rev. Br. Henry Fulmer, OFM [brhenry@sjccs.net](mailto:brhenry@sjccs.net)  
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Director of Parish Finance x104  
Chris Cole [chris.cole@sjccs.net](mailto:chris.cole@sjccs.net)  
Director of Music x108

## Mass Schedule

### Daily Mass

Tuesday & Thursday 5:30 p.m.  
Wednesday & Friday 8:30 a.m.

### Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.

### Confession

Saturdays 4:00 p.m.  
Or by appointment.

## Saint Joseph Catholic School



### School Office Hours

Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m.

### School Staff

Mary Ann Wheeler [maryann.wheeler@sjccs.net](mailto:maryann.wheeler@sjccs.net)  
Principal x200  
Linda McCormick [linda.mccormick@sjccs.net](mailto:linda.mccormick@sjccs.net)  
School Bookkeeper x102  
Ellen Fant [ellen.fant@sjccs.net](mailto:ellen.fant@sjccs.net)  
Administrative Assistant x200

*Building Faith & Knowledge for Life!*

**K-4 through Grade 7**

1200 Cornelia Road, Anderson, SC  
Phone: 864-908-3746

## Welcome to St. Joseph Catholic Church

### Register at St. Joseph:

If you attend St Joseph on a regular basis and consider it to be your "church home," please register. Registration forms are available in the Lucite pocket in the left hand bottom corner of the bulletin board in the church vestibule. You may also download a Parish Registration Form from our website at [sjccs.net](http://sjccs.net). Click on "About SJCCS" at the top of the home page, then on "Policies and Forms" on the drop down menu. The "Parish Registration Form" can be found under the "New Parishioners" heading. Completed forms may be emailed, faxed or dropped off in the office; or if you prefer, you may place completed registration forms in the collection basket at Mass.

### Pastoral Announcement:

**Please note:** If you are ill or about to be hospitalized for surgery and wish to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call the parish office to make an appointment before hospitalization. In the event of an emergency, please call the parish office. For after-hours emergencies, use the prompt for emergencies.

### Safe Environment Program at St. Joseph Parish:

St. Joseph Church & School is committed to ensuring a safe environment for our children and for upholding the "National Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People" as established by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. (USCCB)

#### All Adults who work with children must:

- Attend the "Protecting God's Children" Program
- Be screened by Law Enforcement
- Adhere to the DOC Code of Conduct. ( a copy is available in the church office)
- Read and Sign the DOC Sexual Abuse Policy and Procedures. (a copy is available in the church office)

For more information on how to report an allegation of abuse, go to [www.catholic-doc.org](http://www.catholic-doc.org) and click on 'Sexual Abuse Policies and Procedures' on the left side bar. Then click on "How to Report an Allegation of Sexual Misconduct by Church Personnel."

#### St. Joseph Safe Environment Coordinator:

Br. Henry Fulmer, OFM 864-225-5341, x 101

#### Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services:

843-853-2130, x 209

Diocesan Victim Assistance: 1-800-921-8122

## Parish Office Announcements

**Lost & Found:** The Parish Lost & Found is located in the Parish Office. Inquiries: 864-225-5341 or [info@sjccs.net](mailto:info@sjccs.net)

**Holiday Office Hours:** The Parish Office will be closed Monday, January, 16, 2012 in Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, and will reopen on Tuesday, January 17 at 9:30 a.m.

**Bulletin Submission Deadlines:** The bulletin announcement submission deadline for Sunday, January 22, 2012 is NOON on Thursday, January 12, 2012. Thank you.

**Religious items/pamphlets:** Please do not leave religious paraphernalia around the church without the express permission of the Pastor. If you would like Fr. Paul to review your materials, please contact the parish office. Thank you.

**Volunteers Needed:**

Volunteers are needed to lead the parish in praying the **Holy Rosary** before weekend Masses. If you are interested in volunteering to help with this devotional ministry please contact Connie Mackay at 864-225-3182.

**Pilgrimage to Italy:**

Br. Henry is planning a pilgrimage to Italy, which will include visits to Venice, Florence, Assisi, and Rome. This will be a 11 Day Trip beginning November 5, 2012. Anyone interested in joining Br. Henry on this pilgrimage, please pick up a flyer located under the welcome bulletin board in the vestibule of the church.

Mass Intentions

**SUNDAY JANUARY 8: Epiphany of the Lord**

5:00 pm (Vigil): For the People of the Parish  
 8:30 am: † Joseph Caccavo rb Irene Routolo and Family  
 11:00 am: † Robert Pothier rb the Oellette Family

**MONDAY JANUARY 9: The Baptism of the Lord**

NO MASS

**TUESDAY JANUARY 10: Weekday in Ordinary Time**

5:30 pm: † Ray Cabler rb Ellen Plowden

**WEDNESDAY JANUARY 11: Weekday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 a.m.: Michael Tumer rb Ellen Plowden

**THURSDAY JANUARY 12: Weekday in Ordinary Time**

5:30 p.m.: † Ray Cabler rb Ellen Plowden

**FRIDAY JANUARY 13: St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

8:30 am: Allen Crim rb Ellen Plowden

**SUNDAY JANUARY 15: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 PM (Vigil): Diana rb Vern Garcia  
 8:30 am: For the People of the Parish  
 11:00 am: † Bruce Evan Menghini  
 rb Rick & Jan Heithaus

Daily Readings

**SUNDAY JANUARY 8: Epiphany of the Lord**

Is 60:1-6 Ps 72:1-2,7-8,10-11, 12-13 Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6  
 Mt 2: 1-12

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NO MASS Is 42:1-4, 6-7 Ps 29:11b Jn 1:32-34

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1 Samuel 1:9-20 (Ps) 1 Samuel 2:1 Mk 1:21-28

**WEDNESDAY JANUARY 11: Weekday in Ordinary Time**

1 Samuel 3:1-10,19-20 Ps 40:8a & 9a Mk 1:29-39

**THURSDAY JANUARY 12: Weekday in Ordinary Time**

1 Samuel 4:1-11 Ps 44:27b Mk 1:40-45

**FRIDAY JANUARY 13: St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

1 Samuel 8:4-7,10-22a Ps 89:2 Mk 2:1-12

**SUNDAY JANUARY 15: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1 Samuel 3:3b-10,19 Ps 40:2,4,7-8,8-9,10 1 Cor 6:13c-15a,17-20 Jn 1:35-42



*Please keep them in your prayers...*

Andy Fenwick, Anton Tkachyk, Bernell Windfield, Bertha Harwood, Bob Conard, Cooper Christianson, David Dunford, Dorothy Harrington, Dorothy Morgan, Edward Chicvara, Ella Trudel, Elizabeth Wikle, Flor Maria Achong, Frank Gilbert, Greg Gates, James Duffy, James Lamb, James (Rocky) Tinker, Jeanette Lord, Jerry Carroll, Joan Dowd, Joel McKee, Frank Lombardi, Josephine Sullivan, Karen E. Hayes, Kathryn McGinnis, Kathy & Vincent Lowe, Kelly Bearden, Kim Leatherwood, Kim & Martin Battcock, Luisa Ching, Lynn Herold, Madeline Jordan, Marti Bennett, Marion Sylvester, Mary Ann Van Deusen, Mary Jo Soncrant, Mary Lou DeMunck, the Menghini & Slaughter Families, Pasquale Esposito, Pat Braziel, Paula Carranco, the Petratos Family, Peter Brinkerhoff, Richard Blind, Robert Norton, Rosemary Bagatuza, Sherri Eadie, Stanley Johnson, Susan Boothe, Ted Schlinkert, Thelma Bryson, Thomas Payton, Timothy Michael Snider, Tom Strall, Trish Howell, and Velma Bryson

*Let us pray for the eternal repose of the souls of our loved ones and friends.*

*May the faithful departed be aided by our prayers.*

*"Eternal rest grant unto them, Lord; and let perpetual light shine upon them."*



St. Joseph Catholic School

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# OPENHOUSE

January 8, 2012 Noon to 2 PM

K4 - 8th Grade

(864)908-3746

1200 Cornelia Road, Anderson, SC

[www.sjccs.net](http://www.sjccs.net)

### Religious Education

#### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):

There will be no R.C.I.A. on Sunday, January 8 or 15, 2012. R.C.I.A. will resume meeting on Sunday, January 22, 2012 at 9:45 a.m. in the Shook Center.

#### Religious Education & Youth Group:

*Br. Henry wishes all students a Happy New Year and Welcome back to R.E. and CY4C!*

**Attention all those preparing to make their first Communion and Confirmation:** please, remember that it is particularly important to keep up with attendance and class work as we begin the new year.

CY4C (High School & Middle School Students) meets each Sunday from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in Fr. Friend Hall.

When CY4C resumes on January 8, Br. Henry and Fr. Aubrey will begin a lesson on the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Contact Br. Henry, x 101, or Michael Stein, x 103, in the parish office, 864-225-5341, x 101 for more information

#### Thomas Aquinas Study

A new group is forming to study the writings of St. Thomas Aquinas. The first lessons will be on the basics. All are welcome to join. We will meet Sundays from 9:45 – 10:45 am (between the Masses) in the Church Hall, beginning Nov. 20. For more information, contact Murray Daw at 716-9986 .

#### Catholic Youth Rally for Life:

Gather with hundreds of youth and Bishop Guglielmone at the Township Auditorium in Columbia on Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 2 PM. March from the State House to the Township at 1:15 PM after the South Carolina Citizens Stand Up For Life Rally. Ike Ndolo Band will perform. This event is sponsored by The Catholic Diocese of Charleston Offices of Youth Ministry and Family Life.

### Parish News

#### Lay Carmelites of Greenville:

The Lay Carmelites of Greenville will be holding an information meeting for prospective new members. The meeting will be February 4, 2012 at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church at 10 a.m.. Please call Dave Young at [864.633.8578](tel:864.633.8578) or Carolyn Amond at [864.320.7889](tel:864.320.7889) for questions or more information. <https://sites.google.com/site/laycarmelitesofgreenville/Home>

#### Guess Who's Turning 50?

*(It's you... Br. Henry)*

Join fellow parishioners in celebrating **Br. Henry's 50th Birthday** with a Potluck Supper on Saturday, January 28 in Fr. Friend Hall immediately following the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Please bring a Salad- Pasta, Salad, Green(s), Jell-O Salad, etc.—to share. The Entrée & Beverages will be provided.

#### New Beginnings Job Transition Support at St. Mary Magdalene Church:

Our mission is to provide support services to community members who need help with career development and job search. We provide support in self-assessment, objective setting, networking, resume writing, interviewing skills, and job search strategies. In addition to interactive Workshop sessions, each participant will be assigned a mentor who is available for one-on-one support. Meetings are normally on the second and fourth Thursday of each month from 7-9 PM in Room 2410 of the Conner Ministry Building. The next meeting will be held on January 12, 2012. For more information visit [www.smmcc.org](http://www.smmcc.org).

#### Pilgrim Mary:



Families are invited to pray the Holy Rosary each day while the Our Lady of Fatima Statue is in their home. Contact Ann Canello to schedule your family's week: 864-225-5362. Pick up and drop off of Our Blessed Mother Statue will be in the closet of the New Choir Room (formerly, the Nursery)

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Icon Image:**



The Knights of Columbus and St. Mary of the Angels and St. Joseph parishes are honored to sponsor a one week program of devotion to Our Lady of Guadalupe from February 5 to February 12, 2012. An ICON of Our Lady of Guadalupe is on loan to the Knights as part of this program and will be on display at St. Mary's Parish for the week. The ICON has been blessed by Pope Benedict, contains a patch of dirt from Mount Tepeyak in Mexico where our Lady appeared, and has been touched to the Tilma, or cloak, where she left her image making it a 3rd class relic. The program is being produced by the Latino Knights of Columbus Round Table and is open to all parishioners. More information will be provided as we approach the celebration.

**Parish Calendar of Events for Week of January 8, 2012**

**January 8, 2012, Sunday:**

**The Epiphany of the Lord**

**Masses, 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m., Church  
R.E. , 9:40 a.m., School.  
CY4C, 5:30 p.m., Fr. Friend Hall.  
NO R.C.I.A.**

**January 10, 2012, Tuesday:**

**Mary's Prayer Cenacle (MMP), Rosary 9:30 a.m.,  
Church; Meeting, 10:00 a.m., Shook Center.**

**Daily Mass, 5:30 p.m., Church**

**Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7 :00 p.m., Fr.  
Friend Hall**

**January 11, 2012, Wednesday:**

**Daily/School Mass, 8:30 a.m., Church.**

**Choir, 7:00 p.m., Choir Room (Church)**

**January 12, 2012, Thursday:**

**Daily Mass, 5:30 p.m., Church.**

**January 13, 2012, Friday:**

**Daily Mass, 8:30 a.m., Church**

**January 14, 2012, Saturday:**

**Confessions, 4:00 p.m., Church**

**Mass (Vigil), 5:00 p.m., Church**

**January 15, 2012, Sunday:**

**Masses, 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m., Church.**

**R.E., 9:40 a.m., Church.**

**CY4C, 5:30 p.m., Fr. Friend Hall**

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**Parish News**

**Upcoming Second Collections:**

- January 7 & 8:** Parish Charity Appeal
- January 14 & 15:** Parish School Support
- January 21 & 22:** Church in Latin America (Diocesan)

**St. Joseph Catholic High School:**

St. Joseph's Catholic Middle School & High School "Bring A Friend To School Day" is Friday, January 13 for middle school students. Call the school (864-234-9009) or visit [www.sj catholic school.org](http://www.sj catholic school.org) for more information.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter:**

*In today's gospel the magi came to present their gifts to Jesus and to honor him. Your love as husband and wife is a gift to one another as well as a gift from God.* Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend to receive the tools needed to make the most of this precious gift. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is February 24-26, 2012 in Myrtle Beach. Please apply early. For more information, go to [wwmes4.org](http://wwmes4.org) or call Ted ♥ Mary Harden at 803-810-9602.



In this week's edition of the Carpenter, read a profile of parishioners David & Sharon Cowart, whose lives changed dramatically when they adopted three young sisters from Russia.

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**Finance Information**

- Sunday, December 11, 2011 Collection:**  
\$ 10,370.25
- Sunday, December 18, 2011 Collection:**  
\$ 10,781.00
- Sunday, December 25, 2011 Collection:**  
\$ 12,240.00
- Christmas Offering as of December 31, 2011:**  
\$ 15,383.00
- Solemnity of Mary. Mother of God, January 1, 2012 Collection:**  
\$ 2,406.46
- Sunday, January 1, 2012 Collection:**  
\$ 10,145.45
- Religious Retirement Fund (Diocesan ) as of Sunday, December 25, 2011:**  
\$ 2,020.28
- December Parish Charity Appeal as of Sunday, December 31, 2011:**  
\$ 1,571.00
- January 2012 Parish Charity Appeal as of January 1, 2012:**  
\$ 125.00
- December School Support (Parish) as of Sunday, December 31, 2011:**  
\$ 2,262.12
- January 2012 School Support as of January 1, 2012:**  
\$ 60.00
- Building Fund as of September 30, 2010:**  
\$ 226,316.00

*Thank you for your support  
and generosity!*