

March 31, 2024



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The Resurrection of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ

All Masses will be held in the Founders Center

Holy Saturday, March 30

8:00PM The Great Vigil and First Mass of Easter with Initiation of Catechumens and Candidates. Please bring bells from home to ring at the Gloria

Easter Sunday, March 31

7:00AM Mass in English

9:00AM Mass in English

11:00AM Mass in English

1:00PM Mass in Spanish



Liturgies

Weekday Masses
Listed inside under
Worship this Week

Tuesday 7:00PM Spanish Mass

Weekend Masses: Saturday 4:00PM

Sunday 8:00AM & 10:00AM 1:00PM- Español

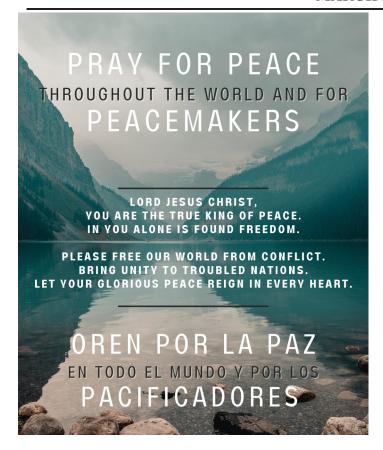
Reconciliation

Saturdays at 3:00PM-3:45PM

Sundays

9:00AM-9:45AM 12:00PM-12:45PM

Tuesday-Friday Following the Mass



MORNING MASS MUNCHERS will resume this Thursday, April 4. Please join us for a delicious breakfast and fellowship following the 9:00AM Mass and Rosary at 10:00AM in the Parish Hall. Please contact Shirley at dorsett156@gmail.com for any questions or to let her know you will attend. Bring a dish to share.

The Eucharistic Revival calls us to renew our love and reverence for Jesus' presence in the Eucharist.

ON THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH AT ALL THE MASSES we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following communion for 10 minutes then the Mass will conclude with benediction and the final blessing.

A PHILIPPINE/TAGALOG MASS AT ST. JAMES with Father Noel Tria Sunday, April 7, at 4:00PM in the Founders Center

Followed by a community dinner in the Founders Center. Everyone is invited to attend.

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MONDAY

Church Offices Closed

Easter Holiday

WEDNESDAY

Community Adoration and Benediction

5:00PM. Founders Center

High School Youth Ministry Men of St. Joseph

6:00PM, Youth Room 6:00PM, Conference Room

THURSDAY

Morning Mass Munchers **Choir Practice**

10:00AM, Parish Hall 7:00PM. #15

FRIDAY

Small Faith-Sharing Group **Divine Mercy Chaplet**

10:00AM, Conference Room 3:00PM, Founders Center

NEXT SUNDAY-DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

NO Breakfast during renovations. We will resume in April. **RCIA** 11:15AM-12:30PM, Conference Room **Divine Mercy Rosary Procession** 2:30PM, Outside **Divine Mercy Sunday Chaplet and Holy Hour**

Tagalog Mass

3:00PM, Founders Center 4:00PM, Founders Center followed by Community Dinner

COMING EVENTS

First Communion Retreat

First Holy Communion

Saturday, April 13, 9:00AM-2:00PM, Founders Center Saturday, May 18, 11:00AM,

Church

DIVINE MERCY: The 3 degrees of mercy toward your neighbor-by deed, by word, by prayer-contain the fullness of mercy. "By this means a soul glorifies and pays reverence to My mercy." Jesus (Saint Faustina Diary 742)

Join us to recite the Divine Mercy Chaplet on Friday, April 5, at 3:00PM in the Founders Center.



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

The Divine Mercy Sunday celebration on April 7, will begin with the Rosary Procession at 2:30PM, followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00PM in the Founders Center. A short Holy Hour (about 30 minutes) will follow after the Chaplet. Please join us for this wonderful event filled with graces and blessings.

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

WORSHIP THIS WEEK March 30 -April 7

Holy Saturday

8:00pm Vigil Mass For the Parish

Easter Sunday

Tue.

7:00am Mass + Thomas Homisak 9:00am Mass + Eileen Smith 11:00am Mass In honor of

Stephen and Marie Tantillo

1:00pm Spanish Mass + Francisco Ruiz

*Rosary and Confession available following daily Masses

Mon. NO Mass

12:00 noon Mass In honor of St. James Eucharistic Ministers

7:00pm Spanish Mass + Antonio Diaz

Wed. 9:00am Mass of the sick

+ Brittany Lyn McGrath

Thu. 9:00am Mass + Joseph McMullen Fri. 9:00am Mass + Thomas Rafferty

Rosary 30 minutes prior to all weekend Masses

Sat. 4:00pm Mass + Grace Sorensen Sun. 8:00am Mass + JC Doyle

9:00am-9:45am Confession

10:00am Mass + Joseph Venner

12:00pm-12:45pm Confession

1:00pm Spanish Mass For the Parish

+ symbol for deceased

NURSING HOME MASSES are held at 3:00PM

Thursday, April 4-Brookdale Assisted Living

Thursday, April 11-Anderson Oaks

Thursday, April 25-Carolina Gardens

We invite you to come and join us for these Masses and help us bring the love of our community to these residents.

OUR CONDOLENCES to the family and friends of our parishioner, Lynn Olson, who died on February 9, 2024 in New York near her family. Please keep them in your prayers.



Please continue to pray on a daily basis for God's protection upon those serving in our military and their families. May God keep them safe and may God Bless America!

OFFERTORY: We thank everyone who gives so generously to our weekly collection.

DUE TO EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINE the collection figures for March 24, will be posted in next week's bulletin.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND, APRIL 6 AND 7, WILL BE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT AND MAINTENANCE. Please be generous. Full report next week. This will be a second basket collection next weekend.

J. JAMES CATHOLIC CHIRCH

Youth Ministry

High School youth ministry will NOT meet this week. Our next Middle School youth night will be on Monday, April 8.

Our High School Retreat is April 5-7.

SUPPLIES NEEDED

In preparation for our mission trip this summer, the youth ministry is seeking donations of the following items (we need 15 of each item). Items can be dropped off to Taylor in the Youth Ministry office.

1. Paintbrush 6. Paint Scraper

2. Roller Cover 7. Rags

3. Drop cloth 8. Safety Goggles

4. Painters Tape
5. Paint tray (or small 9. Work Gloves (adult-sized) 10. Face Mask (for scraping/

bucket) painting)

HOMEBOUND AND NURSING HOME EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED: Are you interested in joining our ministry that serves our homebound and nursing home parishioners. We will be having a training for EM's in April. Watch the bulletin for the date and time. If interested, please contact the church office or email lindaferris307@yahoo.com.

OFFICE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: We are looking for more office volunteers. We have one opening on Tuesday morning on a rotation of every other week. We are also looking for more substitutes to cover when our regular volunteers are sick or away. This is a great way to get to know other parishioners and learn more about St. James. Please contact Kathy at the church office if your are interested in joining this ministry. Call 843-347-5168.



ATTENTION!

HANDICAPPED PARKING SPOTS REQUIRE A HANDICAPPED PLACARD OR PLATE. This is out of respect for those who are medically qualified to park in handicapped spots. Thank you for your cooperation with this request.



THANK YOU to everyone who supported the Ladies Guild Bake Sale last weekend...to everyone who helped make Holy Week and Easter a beautiful experience...to everyone who helped make the first-ever Living Stations of the Cross in downtown Conway possible and thank you to everyone who came out to support it...to everyone who donated to our Easter flower fund and to those who decorated the Founders Center so beautifully for the Easter Season....tithe thank you's from Coastline Women's Center, Shepherd's Table, and Engaging Minds.

Website: www.stjamesconway.org



DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR DONATION OF NON-PARISHABLE FOOD ON SUNDAY OR DURING THE WEEK. We give this food to our local pantries at Churches Assisting People and Catholic Charities. The need is great at this time of the year. Help feed the hungry in our area.

Items Needed: peas, corn, green beans, fruit, beets, mixed veggies, kidney beans, black eyed peas, baked beans, pork n beans, granola/snack bars, chips, cookies, fruit snacks, cereal jelly/peanut butter, rice, packets/box mac & cheese, ensure/boost, oatmeal, pop tarts, grits, pancake mix.



NRLC Conference 2024 nrlc@nrlc.org

We Love Both: Standing Strong with Moms and Babies We are pleased to announce that registration is OPEN for National Right to Life's 53rd Annual Conference, Friday-Saturday, June 28-29, 2024 at the Crystal Gateway Marriott (1700 Richmond Highway) in Arlington (Crystal City), Virginia 22202.

2024 has already proven to be an exciting year. The election cycle is in full swing as we approach November's presidential and congressional contests. Pro-lifers in states across the country are working hard to protect mothers and their unborn children against a dishonest but well-funded adversary. The NRL Conference in June, in the shadow of our nation's capital, will be an important time for pro-life advocates from across the country to come together, exchange ideas, and learn more ways that we can protect and promote Life.

Registration: We have a pre-registration rate for adults, a student registration rate, and registration rates for Friday only and Saturday only. Tickets are available for the Friday morning Prayer Breakfast and the Saturday evening Gala.

Conference: The Conference kicks off Friday, June 28 with the Prayer Breakfast. Our confirmed speaker is Fr. Paul D. Scalia, pastor of St. James Catholic Church in Falls Church, Virginia, and well-known speaker and author. The Prayer Breakfast will be followed by our first General Session. We will hold our annual Oratory Contest, and will conclude the weekend with a Gala on Saturday evening.

Hotel: Hotel room reservations at the Crystal Gateway Marriott can be booked <u>here</u> (scroll down the page to "Check Availability"), or by calling the hotel directly at (800) 393-3680 or (703) 920-3230.

The National Right to Life Conference has a special rate of \$149/night, plus tax (this rate is good only if you book before June 5, 2024; you must mention that you are with National Right to Life when making the room reservation in order to receive this rate). There is a special NRL Conference rate of \$31/day for on-site parking at the Marriott.

If you have any questions, please email Casey Coffin, ccoffin@nrlc.org. We look forward to seeing you in June!

PAPAL BLESSING

If you are celebrating your 50th or 75th Wedding Anniversary in April or May and would like to receive a Papal Blessing, please turn in the following information to the church office at 843-347-5168.

Groom Name and Bride Maiden Name Date of Marriage, Catholic Church name and city & state of marriage

Once we receive the certificate from Rome you can pick it up from the church office. If you would like a special blessing from Father Oscar at Mass, please call Paula at the office to schedule. NOTE: We will run this each month so anyone with 50th or 75th anniversary can get a Papal Blessing for their anniversary.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER EXPERIENCE: He is risen! May the joy of Easter be with you. Let Worldwide Marriage Encounter help you resurrect the romance in your marriage. Sign up today to attend one of the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on November 15-17, 2024 in NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC and January 31-Feb 2, 2025 in NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC. 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.

ARE YOU STRUGGLING WITH ADDICTION?

Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church, North Myrtle Beach, SC offers a Catholic in Recovery Group that uses God, scripture, sacraments, and the 12 steps of recovery as a solution. For more information call Frank at 843-516-0707. You can also google Scott Weemer to learn more about Catholic in Recovery.

Essential Transportation/
Medical Transportation
HCCOA
Horry County Council on Aging, Inc.

Providing Assistance and Support Programs to Horry County Senior Adults Since 1975

HCCOA Essential Transportation enriches the lives of seniors n Horry County by providing rides to vital place such as the grocery store, pharmacy, etc, fostering an independent lifestyle for our senior population. We are a team dedicated to providing safe and reliable rides, in clean and comfortable vehicles, allowing our clients to maintain a meaningful and dignified life.

Call HCCOA today at 843-248-5523 to get more information about our Medical Transportation service or visit hccoa.org to get more information.

We are trying to keep our prayer list current, if you have been removed and still want to be on the list, please contact the church office. We ask that you please call the office to add and remove names as needed.

Please help us keep this updated

THE PRAYER LIST: Please pray for the physical and spiritual well-being of parishioners and friends: Art Askew, Larry Mathias, Mickey Hinkle, Rose Proctor, Linn McCready, Joseph Mander, Venita Proctor, Troy Butler, Rose Suess, Kevin Daniels, Phil Dattos, Sally Velehoski, Donna O'Brien, Ann Groben, Richard Groben, Chizoma Ekechukwu, Naureen Collins, Irene F., Danner Thompson, Jr., Joshua Melton, Jim Earley, Ed Dillard, Betsy Bilderback, Kline and Rissos, Elizabeth Balazs, Ray Cucola, Al Cucola, George Cucola, Angelo Pillo, Maria DiMascie, Cheryl and Mark Lauer, Minerva Melendez, Felicia and Nicola Lacusso, Giovanni Gizzi, Jan Smith, Tom Pellegrini, Annie Martin, Randy Lloyd, Gary Capuicho, John de Salse, Jim Curry, Eleanor Parkinson, John Evans, Gloria Escobar de Aristizabal, Susan Panteleo, Sheila Mulvaney, Marsha Temple, Kevin Monahan, Liz Mass, Kurt Korczyk, Debbie Hebert, Lillian Jolguera, Bruce Brech, Ken and Ann Messier, Charles Hayes, Sean Hayes, Cheryl Scerba, Bill McEvoy, Fr. John Blazek, Tom Fahey, Maryanne Maphis, Braylee Mackin, Roger Mason, Marion Fallone, June Berube, Bernard Swann, Betty Wilson-Jones, Yvette Collison-Sowers, Jennifer Best, Buddy Wojciechowski, Fedelia Rojo, Kathy Waldron, Kathy Dominick, Sophie Osborne, Margaret Forlano, Carolyn Messner, Kara Small, Ben Labunski, Joan Polon, Jasper "Jay" Bonelli, Judy Ponzurick, Keri Martorano, Bob Dorsett, Alexis Kirt, Michael Palumbo, Billy Ray Hughes, Sr., Bill Freeman, Kathleen McGinnis, Joyce Delp, Deborah Garofolo, Charlie Prasad, Mindy Tanner, John Higgins, Robert Campbell, Maureen Florio, Helen Alston, George Scerba, Francesca Moneo, and Barbara Rivera.

WHEN YOU OR A LOVED ONE IS IN THE HOSPITAL: Would you like an Extraordinary Minister to bring communion? Would you like a priest to administer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick? Please call the office and let us know.



St. James New Mission/Vision Statement Go and make disciples/Vayan y hagan discipulos A community of joyful disciples/Una comunidad de discipulos alegres

Pastoral Staff
PastorFather Oscar Borda, ext. 222
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Medical Emergency Number—when you need a priest:
843-457-4012
DeaconTim Papa
Executive AssistantPaula Loehr, ext. 221
Religious Education Director
Felipe Castillo, ext. 234
Director of Evangelization
Sister Lucia Vazquez, ext. 229
Youth MinisterTaylor Lilly, ext. 235
SecretaryKathy Caughey, ext. 224
Maintenance DirectorEarl Videan, ext. 232
Director of MusicGene Borkes
OrganistsGene Borkes, Bradley Hardee
RCIASunday, 10:00AM-12:00 Noon
Blood Pressure Screening3rd weekend of each month
Eucharistic Adoration
Pro-Lifeopen
Ladies Guild3rd Monday, 10:00am (SeptJune)
Knights of Columbus4th Degree4th Monday, 7:00pm
Knights of Columbus2nd Wednesday, 7:00pm
Catholic Charities1-855-377-1357
Catholic Charities Immigration Attorney803-327-7144
524 Charlotte Ave, Rock Hill, SC 29730
Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services843-853-2130 ext. 209
Diocesan Victim Assistance Minister800-921-8122
Safe Environment CoordinatorTaylor Lilly, ext. 235

To email staff members, use first initial, last name@stjamesconway.org

Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:30AM - 3:30PM

Religious Education/Catecismo: Call Felipe Castillo at 843-347-5168, ext. 234.

Infant Baptism: The Sacrament is normally celebrated during a weekend Liturgy. Please call the office to register for the preparation process with Felipe Castillo: fcastillo@stjamesconway.org.

Marriage: By arrangement at least six months before the proposed wedding. Paula Loehr, ext. 221.

Ministry to the Sick: Call to request visitation. Please let us know when loved ones are in the hospital.

Bulletin Articles: Items of communal interest must be at parish office no later than 9:00am Monday. Kathy Caughey, ext. 224.

New Parishioners: Welcome! There are several ways you can register, on our website, or by stopping by the church office during office hours.

Altar Flowers \$150: Call the office to arrange donations in memory of a loved one, or in honor of a special occasion.

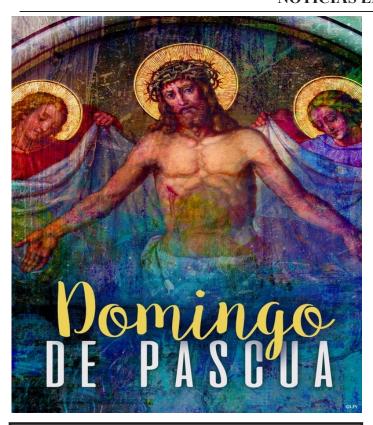
Religious Articles are available for purchase Monday-Friday, 9:30am-3:30pm. Special orders are always welcome. Contact the church office at 843-347-5168.

Columbarium: Available to all registered Catholics of the Diocese. Call the church office for more information.

Tree of Life: This is a great way to remember your loved ones or honor a special occasion. Donations start at \$250. Contact the parish office for details.

Prayer Chain Request: If you have a special request the St. James Ladies Guild Prayer Chain would like to pray for you. Simply call Irene at 203-430-5756..





NOVENA Y CORONILLA DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA a celebración del Domingo de la Divina

La celebración del Domingo de la Divina Misericordia el 7 de abril comenzará con la Procesión del Rosario a las 2:30PM seguida de la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia a las 3:00PM en el Centro Fundadores. Después de la Coronilla seguirá una breve Hora Santa (de unos 30 minutos). Únase a nosotros en este maravilloso evento lleno de gracias y bendiciones.

COLECTA: Damos gracias a todos los que aportan generosamente en nuestra colecta semanal.

Jesus, I Trust in You

DEBIDO A LA FECHA LÍMITE DEL BOLETÍN ANTICIPADO, las cifras de recaudación del 24 de marzo se publicarán en el boletín de la próxima semana.

SEGUNDA COLECTA EL PRÓXIMO DOMINGO 7 ABRIL SERÁ PARA LA MEJORAMIENTO CAPITAL Y MANTENIMIENTO. Por favor, sea generoso. Esta será una segunda colecta de canastas el próximo fin de semana.

Sábado Santo 30 de Marzo

8:00PM La Gran Vigilia y Primera Misa de Pascua con la Iniciación de los Catecúmenos y Candidatos

Domingo de Pascua 31 de Marzo

1:00PM Misa en Español

ESTE LUNES

Las oficinas de la Iglesia estarán cerradas

ESTE MARTES

6:00PM-6:45PM Confesiones en el Centro Fundadores 7:00PM Misa 8:00PM Hora Santa

ESTE MIERCOLES

6:00PM **Grupo Juvenil, #11** 7:00PM **Matrimonio, #7** 8:00PM **Coro**

ESTE VIERNES

3:00PM Divine Mercy Chaplet

PROXIMO DOMINGO

NO Desayuno

NO Educación Religiosa

12:00PM-12:45PM Confesiones, Centro Fundadores

12:30PM Rosario Centro Fundadores

1:00PM Celebración de la Santa Misa en el Centro Fundadores

2:30PM Procesión and Rosary

3:00PM Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia

Escuela de la Fe "Cristo Maestro"

Díocesis de Charleston Oficina del Ministerio Hispano

Invita a todos los hispanos mayores de 18 anos a conocer y fortalecer su fe cristiana—católica a través de estudios teológicos ofrecida por instructors con conocimiento teológico.

Las clases serán **PRESENCIALES**, todos los **Lunes** dos veces por mes, de 7:00PM-9:00PM. En la Parroquia St. James, ubicado 1017 Academy Dr., Conway, SC 29526.

Horario de clases 2024

Curso 9: El Nuevo Testamento II

Abril 8 y 22

Curso 10: Cristología Mayo 6 y 20/Junio 3 y 17

Coordinador local: Jovita Velazquez, al cellular 703-595-6845 & Felipe Castillo, 843-877-2541.

Coordinador de la formación en la Fe, para Adultos Hispanos: Hna. Guadalupe Flores, OLVM, al 843-480-2095,

email: gflores@charlestondiocese.org.

Felices Pascuas!