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V. And the Word was made flesh.

R. And dwelt among us.

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*Hail Mary,
full of grace,
The Lord is with thee.*



December 15, 2024

All Saints

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m., 9:45 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday Communion Service 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday Mass: 9:30 a.m.

Reconciliation/Confession Times

Saturdays: 2:45 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. or by appointment

Church Office Hours

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

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Roman Catholic Diocese of Charleston, South Carolina

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: The celebration of Baptism is a moment of Grace for those to be baptized, for their families, and for the entire Parish Community. Preparation class is held the last Wednesday of each month at 7pm. Please call the office to RSVP. A Parish is a certain community of the Christian faithful stably constituted in a particular church, whose pastoral care is entrusted to a pastor (*Code of Canon Law #515*). Therefore, it is important for parishioners to register for contact and pastoral reasons. You must have a sponsor letter from the parish in which each of the godparents reside. A godparent must have received the sacraments of Baptism, Penance, Holy Communion and, if married, have been married in the Catholic Church.

Marriage: Couples planning to be married must see a priest at least six months prior to the planned marriage. Couples seeking to be married at All Saints need to fulfill the All Saints pre-marriage process. The Wedding Coordinator and/or the Pastor will provide the couple with the guidelines and secure the date and time of the wedding. Do not set a date in advance until you have spoken to the pastor.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the Parish Office if you or a member of your family need the Sacrament of Anointing.

After Hours Sick Calls: In case of serious illness after hours, please call 803-493-1714 and leave a message.

MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Catholic Community dedicated to proclaiming Christ's message of love and salvation through worship, sacraments, and ministries.

MASS INTENTIONS

December 14		
4:00 pm	Kevin Petty	†
December 15		
8:00 am	Valentina Fuentes	†
9:45 am	Reverend Robert Hall	†
11:30 am	Stephen Popina	†
December 18		
9:30 am	Arthur Tomko	†
December 19		
9:30 am	Lia Canete	†
December 20		
9:30 am	Don and Mary Lintner	

THE WEEK AHEAD

Saturday 12/14, Saint John of the Cross, Priest, Doctor of the Church

- 11:00 am Garry Baptism
- 1:00 pm—2:30 pm Cookies with Santa and St. Nick**
- 2:45 pm Choir Practice
- 2:45 pm Confessions
- 3:30 pm Rosary
- 4:00 pm Mass + Kevin Petty
- Solidarity Fund in Africa*

FOOD DRIVE

Sunday 12/15, THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

- 7:30 am Rosary
- 8:00 am Mass + Valentina Fuentes
- 9:15 am Rosary
- 9:15 am Faith Study - McGivney
- 9:30 am Faith Formation
- 9:45 am Mass + Reverend Robert Hall
- 10:30 am Adult Choir Practice
- 10:50 am Children’s Choir Practice
- 11:00 am Rosary
- 11:30 am Mass + Stephen Popina
- 6:00 pm HS Youth Group
- 6:30 pm Faith Formation
- Solidarity Fund in Africa*



FOOD DRIVE

Monday 12/16, Advent Weekday

- 7:00 pm Safety Team - McGivney
- 7:00 pm GriefShare - Lending Library
- 7:00 pm Beta Group - St. Jude
- 7:30 pm Boy Scouts - PLC

Tuesday 12/17, Advent Weekday

- 9:30 am Communion Service
- 10:00 am Legion of Mary - McGivney
- 6:00 pm Knights of Columbus Assembly - PLC

7:00 pm Advent Penance Service

Wednesday 12/18, Advent Weekday

- 9:30 am Mass + Arthur Tomko
- Meet and Greet
- 11:00 am Cenacle of Divine Mercy - McGivney
- 7:00 pm GriefShare - Lending Library

Thursday 12/19, Advent Weekday

- 9:30 am Mass + Lia Canete
- Adoration after Mass until 11:30 am
- 10:15 am St. Monica’s Group - Lending Library
- 3:00 pm Choir Practice
- 6:00 pm Legion of Mary - McGivney
- 6:30 pm Choir Practice
- 7:00 pm RCIA

Friday 12/20, Advent Weekday

- 9:30 am Mass + Don and Mary Lintner
- Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion
- 10:30 am Faith Sharing - St. Monica

Saturday 12/21, Advent Weekday

- 9:00 am—12:00 pm Men’s Renewal - McGivney
- 2:00 pm Prayer Shawl - McGivney
- 2:45 pm Choir Practice
- 2:45 pm Confessions
- 3:30 pm Rosary
- 4:00 pm Mass + Ed Mooney

Sunday 12/22, FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

- 7:30 am Rosary
- 8:00 am Mass + Christine Laca
- 9:15 am Rosary
- 9:45 am Mass + Joan Regan Layton
- 11:00 am Adult Choir Practice
- 11:00 am Rosary
- 11:30 am Mass + Rose Liguore, Angie Greco, and Phyllis DeLorenzo



THE ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE IS TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17TH AT 7:00 PM.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading - The Lord will sing joyfully because of you. (Zephaniah 3:14-18a)
 Isaiah 12 - "Cry out with joy and gladness: for among you is the great and Holy One of Israel."
 Second Reading - Rejoice in the Lord always, for the Lord is near. (Philippians 4:4-7)
 Gospel - They all asked whether John might be the Christ. (Luke 3:10-18)

We hear it at least a few times over the next two weeks: "It's better to give than to receive." We recognize this when we see the expressions of joy in a child's face or tears of appreciation from a parent or spouse when they open a gift we've given them. Jesus himself said the same words to his disciples, though in a context more like the one we hear today with John the Baptist preaching to the crowds to share what they have with those who have less. As we prepare for the Lord's coming, let us share from the bounty the Lord has blessed us with and give to those in need. In our hearts, may we continually relearn the blessings of giving.

OPLATKI CHRISTMAS TRADITION

Polish, Slovak, and Lithuanian families observe this centuries-old tradition. The word Oplatki means "Angel Bread". The wafers come with Christmas images stamped on the wafer. Each wafer comes in an envelope with the Oplatki tradition printed on the back.
 A wafer is broken by the head of the family and distributed to each member with a simple prayer for God's grace and the welfare of the present and absent members of the family. Each member of the family is wished a joyful feast.
Oplatki wafers will be available the week before Christmas.



The flowers on the altar this weekend were donated by Judy and John Donovan in honor of their families in this hopeful season.



Christmas Gift Certificates

The annual Knights of Columbus Golf outing is scheduled for May 19, 2025 at the Tega Cay Golf Club.

Securing a spot for your favorite golfer will make a great Christmas gift. The registration fee is \$150 per golfer which includes golf, driving range, putting green, lunch, dinner, prizes, silent auction, and more.

Registration forms and a gift certificate can be obtained from Frank Bender (email: fbender215@aol.com) or use the QR code to register on-line.



FOOD DRIVE



The All Saints Council of the Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a food drive as part of their Food for Families Program. Please take all food items for FOOD FOR FAMILIES to the main kitchen. PLEASE NO CANNED CORN or GREEN BEANS. Collection will take place this weekend. We collected 8,022# of food and \$1,350.00 last month for the Thanksgiving food drive. **Thank you for your generosity.** The next food drive will be January 4th and 5th.

Welcome Our New Parishioners

- Mr. Eric Derion and
Mrs. Danielle Beliveau-Derion*
- Mr. Mark Distaso*
- Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Graham*
- Mr. and Mrs. Brian Mason*
- Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nicolosi*
- Mr. and Mrs. Nate Miller*
- Ms. Cheryl Motsinger*
- Mr. and Mrs. Fil Olivieri*
- Mrs. Jane Hopey*
- Mr. and Mrs. Michael Corrigan*
- Mr. and Mrs. Greg Lucas*
- Mr. and Mrs. John Durkin*
- Mr. Juan Guitian and
Ms. Giobeth Negron*
- Mr. Laya Doulmer and
Ms. Clairet Alvarez*
- Mr. Gregory Oglietti*
- Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Saumell*
- Ms. Celvys Lopez and family*
- Mr. and Mrs. Michael Riemer*
- Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Boxall*

For your convenience Online Giving is available on our website at www.allsaintslakewylie.com.

Save the Date



Friday, February 14, 2025
The 12th annual

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St. Philip Neri Catholic Church parish hall

Plan to enjoy a festive evening of celebration and joy in the spirit of St. Philip Neri!

All are welcome!

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**Tickets and details will be available in early
January 2025**

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<https://rockhillortory.org>

Father John does not solicit money by email or text. If you have questions or concerns about being asked to do something, please check with the office at 803-831-9095.



Holiday Schedule

Tuesday, December 17 th	Christmas Penance Service	7:00 pm
Tuesday, December 24 th	Christmas Eve	2:00 pm, 4:00 pm, 7:00 pm (incense)
Wednesday, December 25 th	Christmas Day	9:00 am, 11:00 am
Tuesday, December 31 st		4:00 pm Vigil Mass
Wednesday, January 1 st	Solemnity of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)	9:30 am, 11:30 am



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Faith Formation, Joanne Kazista367-3299
 Confirmation
 Children’s Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)
 VBS Coordinator, Lucinda Woodard
465-3128
 Baptism Class, Deacon Andy Fatovic and
 Deacon John Hall831-9095
 R.C.I.A., Joanne Kazista367-3299
 Adult Faith Study,
 Jon & Pat Varvel831-8247
 Faith Sharing,
 Joanne Kazista367-3299
 Women’s Bible Study
 Johne Dobbs 217-254-5261

SUPPORT OF THE PARISH

Bulletin, Wendy Mason 831-9095
 Flowers & Plants, Linda Schifferle 704-678-5385
 Kitchen Keepers, Rich Kruger847-878-9725
 Joe Quercia516-635-6415
 Parish Liaison, Mary Cussen.....708-785-6112
 Restore Mobility 704-906-6021
 Safe Environment, Linda Schifferle..... 704-678-5385
 Safety Team, Linda Schifferle..... 704-678-5385
 Saint Vincent de Paul, Lou Foery 627-4743
 Sound, Jim Bryant..... 704-371-9469
 Wedding Coordinator, Ricki Alley 831-2063

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Men’s Club, Kirk Bumber 704-502-8170
 Women’s Organization, Tena Bougor .. 802-989-9422
 Mary Streng... 803-746-5254

REGISTRATION

If you are new to our parish, you are encouraged to register as soon as possible. Registration in a parish is the norm. It is helpful information for enrollment in Religious Education programs, sacramental preparation, and sponsorship certificates. Registration forms are in the Vestibule.

CLOSED WEEKENDS FOR 2024

(Closed weekends mean there will be no selling or collecting of items.)

December 21-22

CLOSED WEEKENDS FOR 2025

January 18-19 February 22-23

MINISTRIES

Adult Senior Fellowship, Carla Cullon 831-8549
 Altar Servers, Deacon Andy 609-439-6134
 Annulments, Janie Davis803-412-2708
 Bereavement Ministry, Joan Epping 704-301-4745
 Catechists, Joanne Kazista..... 367-3299
 Dining Out Group, Mary Long 746-5881
 Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist,
 Deacon Andy609-439-6134
 Faith and Family Fellowship, Kristen Dineen
703-772-1938
 Feed the Flock, Charlotte Worobec 941-234-5060
 Finance Council, Jerry Epping..... 831-6838
 Friends of the Oratory, Jon Varvel 831-8247
 Greeters, Stephanie Cates..... 517-5134
 GriefShare, Deacon John Hall 628-8956
 High School Youth Ministry,
 Yuri Batten.....501-264-5610
 Historian, Russ Bumba 315-6802
 Homebound Ministry, Deacon Andy609-439-6134
 Lectors, Deacon Andy.....609-439-6134
 Living Through Grief, Trish Kuhlkin 493-0299
 Marthas & Marys, Dana Hogue704-451-5707
 Grace Caldwell..... 479-650-7708
 Middle School Youth Ministry,
 Joanne Kazista..... 367-3299
 Music Coordinator, Kaye Lewis..... 831-1983
 Organist 4:00 p.m., Kaye Lewis 831-1983
 Organist 11:30 a.m., Cecilia Carlson 389-3233
 Contact 8:00 & 9:45 a.m., Scottie Tilley...704-519-5006
 Children’s Choir, Adrienne Curran..... 617-997-2433
 Newcomers Ministry, Rosemary Caputo..... 831-9919
 Parish Pastoral Council, Fr. John Giuliani 831-9095
 Prayer Angels, Carla Cullon 831-8549
 Prayer Shawl Ministry, Kathy Rapp 684-7852
 Ranger Rosary, Julie Byrne704-578-2800
 Renewal Ministry,
 Men’s, Deacon John Hall 628-8956
 Women’s, Janet Rasmussen704-718-2582
 Respect for Life, Connor Leahy 746-5545
 Sacristans, Stephanie Cates 517-5134
 Saint Monica Prayer Group, Beth Egan.....704-577-4535
 Ushers, Connor Leahy 746-5545
 Wholistic Ministry, Pam Cullen 443-223-1326

PARISH ALLOWED ORGANIZATIONS

Boy Scouts, Chad Beaulieu860-869-7622
 Girl Scouts, Lucinda Woodard.....803-465-3183
 Knights of Columbus Council, David Walters
814-553-2228
 K of C Membership Director, Joe Quercia.....
516-635-6415
 K of C Assembly, Stephen Markley.....704-860-9052
 Legion of Mary, Kate Eastaway918-671-0970



BLESSINGS OF FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Collection for the 12/1/2024 Weekend

Offertory	\$19,277.65
Offertory (Online Giving)	\$7,256.00
Total Offertory	\$26,633.65
Building Fund	\$2,084.00
Friends of the Oratory	\$1,580.00
Christmas Flowers	\$155.00
Holy Day	\$160.00
Christmas	\$90.00
Votive	\$40.00

Adults: 970 Children: 197

Total Attendance: 1167

The Building Fund total is	\$553,718.75
Weekly Offertory Budget	\$17,440.00
Offertory Collection this week	\$26,633.65
.....	(+\$9,489.65)
Yearly Budget	(+\$49,408.15)
Endowment Fund	\$92,575.00

Thank you for your generosity.

The title of \$2,663.00 for the weekend of December 1st is for the Sisters of Charity.

Thank you and All Saints parish for your most generous donation to our Hurricane Helene Relief Fund. We have been overwhelmed by the kindness of parishes and individuals from all over the world!

Our parish facilities were spared from significant damage, however, many in our community were affected. All our Hurricane Relief funds will support those in our parish and the local community who have lost their homes and businesses in this disaster. Your generosity and prayers during this challenging time of restoration and recovery are a clear demonstration of true Christian charity. May God abundantly bless you always.

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