



<https://www.sasjrcc.org>



## Saint Anne

216 East Liberty St.

Fax: (803)778-1644

Confession:

**Sat: 3:00-4:00pm**

(or by appointment)

### Mass Times

Saturday: 4:30pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 12:00noon



## Saint Jude

611 West Oakland Ave

Confession:

**Sat: 4:30-5:30pm**

(or by appointment)

### Mass Times

Saturday: 6:00pm

Sunday: 9:15am, 5:00pm

12:00pm (Spanish)

*Diocesan Office of Child  
Protective Services*

Bonnie Sigers  
843-261-0430

# Saint Anne and Saint Jude

## Roman Catholic Church

January 27, 2019



# THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,  
because he has anointed me  
to bring glad tidings to the poor...  
and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord."*

- Lk 4:18a, 19

**Pastor : Rev. Giovannie Nunez, CRM**

**Parochial Vicar: Rev. Rufino C. Madrideo, Jr., CRM**

**Deacon Stephen Frye**

**\*Sacramental Emergency Contact Number (803) 934-1204 \***

**St. Anne & St. Jude Catholic School Principal:**

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**St. Lawrence Cemetery - John Macmaster (803) 968-3466**

**The Parish Office (located at St. Anne) (803) 773-9244 (803)773-3524**

**Mon-Thurs 9:00am - 4:00pm Friday 9:00am - 12:00pm**

## Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The RCIA, the process for welcoming adults into the Catholic Church, has started for St. Anne & St. Jude and Our Lady of the Skies (Shaw AFB). We meet Wednesdays, 7 to 9 PM in the St. Jude Parish Center at 611 W. Oakland Ave. Please call Jackie Francis, our RCIA Coordinator, at 803-469-4584 if you have any questions. The doors are open to all who want to know more about the life and teaching of the Catholic faith. Come and join us!

**Wednesday—January 30: The Early Church**

**Presenter—Greg Tavarez**

**A sincere thank you to Lauren and Kent Cunningham for the Chick-fil-A feast for RCIA hospitality January 16.**

## ¡El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos (RCIA)

Comenzará! ¿Has pensado en completar tus sacramentos para tener participación plena en la Iglesia Católica? ¿Quiéres saber más sobre la Fe? ¿Fuiste bautizado en la Iglesia Católica pero has recibido la Eucaristía ni la Confirmación? RICA, el Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos, proceso que da la bienvenida a adultos dentro de la Iglesia Católica, El curso se lleva a cabo cada domingo antes de la Misa en español, empezando a las 10:15 a.m. y terminando a las 11:45am, diez minutos antes de la Misa, en la última aula del pasillo exterior del Centro Parroquial de San Judas. Si estás interesado o sabes de alguien que se interese por favor llama a Ma. Elena Ferrell, nuestra coordinadora de RICA en español, al 803 840 5149, o habla con alguno de los Padres.

## Saint Anne Sunday Adult Education

Join the St. Anne Sunday Adult Ed group as we explore various aspects of our incredible faith. We meet after the 8:00 am Mass in the Adult Ed room (the old Kindergarten). Come by and be enriched by the faith, fellowship, and our donut ministry. For info contact Charley Francis at [cfrancis@ftc-i.net](mailto:cfrancis@ftc-i.net) or 803-469-4584.

*February 3-The Monks of Mount Athos*

## SASJ Bible Study

**Mission:** To bring the Scriptures to life for our parish community. Come journey with us as we discover who Jesus was and is. All are welcome.

We will begin a series on the Letters to the Corinthians.

**We meet on Sundays at 10:30 am in St Jude Conference Room.**

**Facebook: SASJ Bible Study**

questions? Please contact Greg at (803) 406-0201 or [gtavarez@sc.rr.com](mailto:gtavarez@sc.rr.com)



## The 521 Project

To find out the latest on Our New Church, check out the [SASJRCC.org](http://SASJRCC.org) website and click the "Our New Church" tab on the top right of your screen. The Steering Committee is working to move us forward and give our new church life. Stay in the know with monthly meeting minutes and updates. Have a question or suggestion for the committee?? Email it directly to them using the website. Check it out!!



**The Sisters of St. Mary Namur are celebrating their 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Sr. Mary Veronica and Sr. Coreen will be here next weekend. They are looking for people to help plan this Anniversary celebration. There will be a preliminary planning meeting on Sunday, January 27 in the Parish Hall at St. Jude. Everyone is welcome.**



## Get your Tickets now for our 4th Annual Saint Valentine's Day Dinner and Dance

Saturday, February 9, 2019

7:00pm—10:00pm

Saint Anne Parish Hall

\$40.00 per couple and \$25.00 for Singles

Featuring Music by DJ Derrick Rhems

Dinner Catered by Chef Josh Bentley

And photo booth by Quick Image

This Catered Dinner will be Served to you by the members of the Catholic Youth of Sumter. A professional Photo Booth will be on site. You'll go home with memories of a lifetime and you'll have the pictures to prove it. Don't miss this opportunity for a fun evening and a chance to help the Catholic Youth of Sumter.



## South Carolina Catholic MEN'S CONFERENCE

**Faith In Action**

March 2, 2019

Cardinal Newman High School / 2945 Alpine Road / Columbia, SC

### Do you want to:

Men's Issues

- Grow in your Catholic Faith?
- Deepen your relationship with Christ?
- Be a better father, son, husband and man?
- Be a spiritual leader in your family, church, work place, and community?

**This conference is for you!**

Come and fill your spiritual toolbox with the information you need to build your faith and lead your family.

Spiritual Leadership

**COST:** \$40 Pre-Registration  
\$50 at the door

**Discounts for:** Knights of Columbus  
• Knights of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem • Knights of Peter Claver • Ancient Order of Hibernians • College/HS Students •  
Early Registration  
Includes light breakfast and lunch

**REGISTRATION:**  
On-line at

[www.sccatholicmensconf.org](http://www.sccatholicmensconf.org) or mail check to: Michael D. Radl | 2823 Arrowwood Lane | Rock Hill, SC 29732

Registration at 7:30 a.m., Mass 8:30 a.m., Presentations 9:45 a.m., Conclude 4:00 p.m

**Hotel Accommodations:** Courtyard / 111 Gateway Corporate Blvd. / Columbia SC 29223 / 803-736-3600 / **Rate:** \$99.00 plus tax / By 2-15-2019

The South Carolina Catholic Men's Conference is sponsored by the South Carolina Knights of Columbus State Council in support of the Diocese of Charleston Office of Family Life & Youth Ministry.

### WOMEN'S EVENING EVENT

**Friday, March 1, 2019**  
6:30 — 8 p.m. (Registration at 6:00 p.m.)

Cardinal Newman High School  
2945 Alpine Road, Columbia SC

**Speakers: Deacon Burke-Siver and Fr. Longenecker**



**Deacon Harold Burke-Siver**  
Catholic Evangelist, Radio Host and National Speaker

Family



**Most Reverend Robert E. Guglielmo**  
Bishop of Charleston

Relationships



**Fr. Dwight Longenecker**  
National Speaker, Author and Pastor



**Fr. Raymond Flores**  
Parochial Vicar at St. Mary Help of Christian, (Aiken, SC) on loan from Brooklyn Diocese

### Tuesday Adoration at the Saint Jude Location

Weekly Adoration is open to everyone. If you would like to sign up for specific time slots, the points of contact are Calvin Glisson (803) 521-3812 and Ray Blanchette (803) 481-5690.

**First Friday Devotion / Adoration will begin at 6:30pm in St. Anne's Little Chapel February 1st**

### Rito del Martes de Adoración al Santísimo

La adoración semanal está abierta a todos. Se expone el Santísimo Sacramento del Altar todos los martes en San Judas dependiendo desde las 8am a las 6:30 después de rezar el Rosario. También los animamos a participar en la adoración mensual que se hace cada Viernes primero del mes de 6pm-8am. Se les invita a todos a asistir. Adquirirán gracias especiales por sus esfuerzos. Demos le gracias al Señor!!



### Knights of Columbus

In solidarity with our priests; supporting our parish and community through works of charity. Help us to help others by becoming a Knight. Call Chris Hilditch, Grand Knight, 803-316-6283 for more information. [www.sumterkofc.org](http://www.sumterkofc.org). Council meetings take place the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM Council Hall located at 2325 Camden Hwy.

### The Sumter Cursillo Movement

Interested? Contact Noreen Wall 803-506-4408 Or Andrea Marcella 803-481-4269

### Charismatic Prayer Group

Meets every Wednesday from 7:00pm-8:30pm in the Library at Saint Jude. Everyone is welcome!

### Prison Ministry Interested?

Contact Richard Boisvert 803-406-0653.

### Ministerio de la Prisión

¿Estás interesado en servir en este ministerio?

### Knights of Peter Claver And Ladies Auxiliary

Your Invitation to Catholic Action To support parish and community activities. To provide charitable support to worth while causes. To provide social and intellectual fellowship. If you are interested, then become a Knight or Lady of Saint

**Baptism:** Please call the Parish office to make instruction arrangements for parents & godparents.

**Baptism in English** Usually available on the 4th Saturday of the month

**Baptism in Spanish** usually available on the 3rd Saturday of the month

**Matrimony:** Couples planning to marry in the church should contact the Pastor at least six months in advance.

**Reconciliation (Saint Anne) :** Saturday 3:00-4:00pm prior to the 4:30pm Vigil Mass and by appointment.

**Reconciliation: (Saint Jude) :** Saturday 4:30-5:30pm prior to the 6:00pm Vigil Mass and by appointment.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Please contact the Priest if you are admitted to the hospital.



## PARISH YEAR FOR PASTORAL CARE

Christ's Mercy & Charity  
in works of pastoral ministry

**Launches: First Sunday of Advent 2018**  
**Culminates: Solemnity of Christ the King 2019**



[www.adornofathersfoundation.org](http://www.adornofathersfoundation.org)

## Adorno Fathers Foundation

### Sumter Catholic Young Adults: Flock17

**Who's it for:** Basically anyone 18-39ish, Single or married, Student, Professional, Military, or between jobs. Doesn't matter

keep up with us on Facebook: **FLOCK17**

contact Greg at (803) 406-0201 or

[gtavarez@sc.rr.com](mailto:gtavarez@sc.rr.com)



### THURSDAY GAME NIGHT

January 31, 2019 & February 7, 2019

WHERE: ST JUDE LOCATION

STARTING AT 6:30PM AND ENDING 8:30PM.

(Adults Only Please)



Check out the media in the Lighthouse Kiosk. There is something for everyone !!

### Sacramentos:

**Bautismos** - Favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial para obtener instrucción de arreglos para padres y padrinos.

**Bautismos en Español** - Estarán disponibles el tercer sábado del mes

**Matrimonio** - Parejas planeando casarse en la Iglesia deben contactar al Pastor al menos seis meses en anticipación.

**Confesiones (San Judas)** - Los sábados de las 4:30-5:30pm antes de la misa vespertina de las 6pm o por cita.

**Unción de Enfermos** - Favor de contactar al Sacerdote si lo ingresan a usted o a un familiar en el hospital.

# ST. ANNE & ST. JUDE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

HOME OF THE GUARDIANS

INSPIRING EXCELLENCE IN ALL OF GOD'S CHILDREN



**Kristi Doyle, Principal**  
[principal@sasjcs.com](mailto:principal@sasjcs.com)

St. Anne & St. Jude Catholic School Grades K-12  
11 S. Magnolia Street Sumter, S.C. 29150  
(803) 775-3632 **FAX** (803) 938-9074

St. Anne & St. Jude School Parents

Do you want to reward your child for something special? Or perhaps celebrate their birthday or special event in a special way? If so, have we got a deal for you. A donor has provided ten NUT (No Uniform Today) cards and you can obtain one to reward your child in a special way. To obtain a card, simply come by the school office and make a \$25 or more donation and you get one of the cards.

Because of the limited number of cards, it is strictly first come, first served; no rain-checks or IOUs. All school rules concerning NUT cards must be followed.

**\*SASJCS is in need of a qualified 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Teacher, a Part-time Spanish Teacher, & Individuals willing to donate 30 minutes per week tutoring lower school students. Contact the school with any questions.**

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

*Learn, Serve, Lead, Succeed*

**Saturday January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019 Progressive Dinner**—Americana Theme. Appetizers, beer and wine from the United States, Brisket and pulled pork with sides and delicious desserts. \$25 per person, adults only please. Call the school office for more details or to reserve your space.

**Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup>, Wacky Tacky, Student Appreciation Day.** Students get a treat at the end of the day. Free NUT Card day.

**Tuesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>, Teacher Appreciation Day.** We are providing breakfast for our teachers, faculty and staff.

**Wednesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>, Show our Love Day.** Please provide names and addresses for anyone you think would like to have a card to cheer them up.

**Thursday, January 31<sup>st</sup>, Family Appreciation Day.** We will provide dinner and games for our school families beginning at 5:30 pm.

Please send in RSVP form as soon as possible.

**Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, Priest Appreciation Day.** Please join us for the 8:15 Mass.

## Faith Formation 2018-2019 Religious Education

Sunday - 10:30am to 11:30am at the St. Jude Location

\*The First Reconciliation Retreat and Sacrament will be held on Sat. February 2<sup>nd</sup> from 10:00am—1:00pm in the Parish Hall at Saint Anne. This is for Students who are currently enrolled in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade at SASJCS, the Religious Education Sacrament Program and the RCIC Program .

JANUARY '19							20	No Class
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20	21	22	23	24	25	26		
27	28	29	30	31				

FEBRUARY '19						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28		

## Catholic Youth of Sumter

It's time for us to start planning for the **High School Diocesan Youth Conference! HSDYC 2019** is just around the corner. This is a 3-day 2-night youth rally starting on Friday March 8th and ending with mass celebrated by Bishop Guglielmone on Sunday March 10th. Youth...are you strong in your

Faith? A bit confused? Maybe you thought you had a clear picture of what you believe and something has happened to make you think twice? Maybe you are a 100% skeptic? If you answered YES to any of those questions, This weekend is geared 100% towards you. It is planned, performed, and executed by other youth in the diocese. Come and listen to the engaging speakers, take in the talent of the E-team with their funny and meaningful skits, enjoy the music and learn more and more about your Faith. This weekend is for you no matter where you are in your faith life. Mark your calendars and keep this event in mind as the one that will make you see things in a totally different way.

Oh yeah .....and you'll have some serious fun too!

- We will have registration forms available in **mid-January**. Parents, it will be important to get these back to us before **February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019**. The cost of this weekend is **\$145 per youth**. After February 15<sup>th</sup> the cost goes up to \$155 per youth and they will not receive a t-shirt. Please do not let cost be a factor in your decision to send your child. There are scholarships available. Please see Nicole Macedo or Frank Costas for information.

Check out the action from last year <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xSNYB-sBOss>

February 2 / 3	Lector	Sacristan	EMOHC	Altar Server	Usher
<a href="#">Saturday, 4:30 PM</a>	Jerry Donovan Mary Jones	Jerry Donovan	Therese DeAngeli Wayne DeAngeli Donna Kearney	John Jamison Meagan Jamison Lesley Jamison Amber Jamison	Bill Hartley Dave Martin
<a href="#">Saturday, 6:00 PM</a>	Lector Needed Ray Blanchette	Calvin Glisson	Calvin Glisson Chris Harvey Jim Kaczmarczyk	Michael Marlowe Christian Harvey	Joe Casey Calvin Glisson
<a href="#">Sunday, 8:00 AM</a>	Susanne Brotherton Jackie Francis	Karl Selden	Christine Byrd David Marcella	Jessica Puccinelli Madeleine Moore	Jack Reyling Frank Brown TG Manus
<a href="#">Sunday, 9:15 AM</a>	Cheryl Coleman Valerie Williams	Andrew Williams	Andrew Williams Bill Todt Mary Ellen Gussio	Charles Johnston Althea Vicete	Hazel McLean Ernest Gamble
<a href="#">Sunday, 12:00 PM</a> <a href="#">English</a>	Michel Fleming James Smith	John Owen	John Owen Denise Spivey Janie Stokes	James Krivejko Alexander Krivejko Shannon Sieger	John Owen Usher Needed
<a href="#">Sunday, 12:00 PM</a> <a href="#">Spanish</a>	Marisol Ferrell Veronica Duran	Manuel Ramon	Irene Dunlap Paul Dunlap Sonia Orellana	Evelyn Cruz Duran Liliana Martinez Castillo Jolly Orihuela Wyss	Maria Cruz Castillo Manuel Ramon
<a href="#">Sunday, 5:00 PM</a>	Lector Needed Greg Tavarez	Chris Black	Chris Black Calvin Glisson Minister Needed	Austin Foddrill Noah Tavarez	Sammy Burrows Calvin Glisson

**Please pray for:**

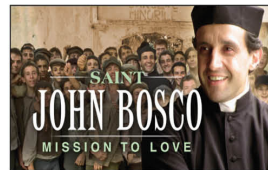
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Gail Johnson  
Richard Fales  
Francis McBride  
Rose Schenkel  
Lawrence Braswell  
Roberta Legendre  
Mary Johnson  
Tam Pham  
Marie Savio  
Cindy Hogan  
David McDonald  
William Rickerd  
Cherise Williams  
James Van Frank  
Richie Tallman  
Christopher Rosa  
Katharina Clark  
Austin Youngers  
Mary Anne Damuth  
Michelle Briggs  
Barbara Dupree  
Amani Williams  
Brian Conklin  
Rita Gallahar  
Kim DeBaal  
Ursula Guest  
Chelato Family  
Marie Fernandes  
Danita Russell  
Sally Clark  
Patricia Kohner  
Jean Jose  
Taylor Scofield  
Shirley Johnson  
Marlyn Dault  
Tony Wicker  
Roberta Carter  
Sterling Fisher  
Charlotte McPherson  
Nona Sewell  
Paul Gober  
Tonya Venezia  
Daniel P. Lawless  
Henry Langlois  
Bary Ferrell  
Amy Ferrell  
Jan Ferrell  
Pete Watcher  
Hayes E. Baker  
Timothy Subocz  
Francine Cronia  
Helen Scannapieco  
Jack Hemming Sr.  
Mamie Williams  
Alyce Brunke  
Talmadge Riddick  
Andree Bessette  
Walter Boone  
Allen Primos  
Alvin Fuseti  
Nancy David  
Flossie Brailsford  
Seth Dyke  
Estella Richardson

Looking for more Catholic content?? check out the ever changing selections at [Formed.org](http://Formed.org). Parish Code is **Y6RWDQ**

## Saint John Bosco

### A Father to the Fatherless

Saint John Bosco dedicated his priesthood to educating and housing the forgotten youth on the tough streets of Turin, Italy. Watch the inspirational tale of how he transformed the lives of countless outcasts.



*"This film has helped me realize that the Lord is with me always! Beautifully done."*

[Watch on formed.org](http://Watch on formed.org)

## Thank You For the Continued Support !!

### SACRIFICIAL GIVING

January 20th

Offertory \$ 14921.00  
Online Giving \$ 777.00  
\$ 15698.00

### Parish App!!

Still haven' downloaded the PARISH APP for your iPhone or Android Phone!! [www.Myparishapp.com](http://www.Myparishapp.com). If you would like help installing the App or a brief tutorial on the features please call the Parish Office.

**Aplicación de la Parroquia** ¿Todavía no has bajado la aplicación de nuestra parroquia? [www.Myparishapp.com](http://www.Myparishapp.com)  
Si necesitas ayuda para instalarla en tu cel o quieres aprender cómo funciona llama a la oficina de la parroquia.



## Online Giving

A Secure and Convenient way to contribute to your parish

<https://www.sasjrcc.org/onlinegiving/>

- No need to hassle with checks or cash
- 24/7 web based access
- Easily schedule recurring donations to coincide with your pay period
- Credit card option allows you to take advantage of rewards such as air miles or cash bonuses
- No need to share bank account information because you enter it directly into the Online Giving secure site
- Allows you to give even if you are unable to attend parish services
- Contribution amount is easily adjusted .

**Please help us keep this list updated.**

**United Mass Intentions  
for the week of  
January 26 through February 3**

Saturday	8:15am	✠Robert J. Hardin	Brenda Libner
Saturday	4:30pm	Intentions of Father Rufino	Foyle Family
Saturday	6:00pm	✠Mary Krupa	Grotzinger Family
Sunday	8:00am	✠Raymond and ✠Ruth Grace	Charley & Jackie Francis
Sunday	9:15am	✠John Wannamaker	Alma Wannamaker
Sunday	12:00pm English	✠Kenneth Forsberg	Donald Forsberg
Sunday	12:00pm Spanish	Saint Anne and Saint Jude	
Sunday	5:00pm	Saint Anne and Saint Jude	
Monday	7:00am	Intentions of Michael and Erica Dunlap	Winter Family
Tuesday	7:00am	Saint Anne and Saint Jude	
Wednesday	7:00am	Saint Anne and Saint Jude	
Thursday	8:15am	✠Adele J. Corbett	Dee Reiter
Friday	8:15am	✠Thelma Baker	Melissa Osborne
Saturday	8:15am	Intentions of Millie Berg	Winter Family
Saturday	4:30pm	✠Mary Hartley	Hartley Family
Saturday	6:00pm	✠Janet Casey	Joe Casey
Sunday	8:00am	✠Roland Davis	Charley & Jackie Francis
Sunday	9:15am	✠John Hathaway ✠Nancy Hathaway	Hathaway Family
Sunday	12:00pm English	✠Anita Potbin	Danielle Cullum
Sunday	12:00pm Spanish	Saint Anne and Saint Jude	
Sunday	5:00pm	Saint Anne and Saint Jude	

**Mass Intentions can be booked through the  
office Monday thru Thursday  
9:00am—4:00pm &  
9:00am to 12 noon on Friday.**

**Sunday, January 27**

**St. Anne Eucharist - 8:00am, 12:00pm  
Saint Jude Eucharist-9:15am, 5:00pm  
12:00 noon (Spanish)**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**10:30am-11:30am**

**CATHOLIC YOUTH OF SUMTER**

**6:00pm-8:00pm**

**Monday, January 28**

**Saint Jude - 7:00am - Daily Mass**

**Tuesday, January 29**

**Saint Jude - 7:00am - Daily Mass  
-Adoration-**

**Wednesday, January 30**

**Saint Jude - 7:00am - Daily Mass**

**Thursday, January 31**

**Saint Anne - 8:15am - Daily Mass**

**Friday, February 1**

**Saint Anne - 8:15am - Daily Mass**

**First Friday Adoration**

**Saint Anne Little Chapel 6:00pm**

**Saturday, February 2**

**Saint Anne - 8:15am - Daily Mass**

**Saint Anne Confession 3:00-4:00pm**

**Saint Anne Vigil Mass - 4:30pm**

**Saint Jude Confession 4:30-5:30pm**

**St. Jude Vigil Mass-6:00pm**

**Sunday, February 3**

**Saint Anne Eucharist - 8:00am, 12:00pm**

**Saint Jude Eucharist-9:15am, 5:00pm  
12:00 noon (Spanish)**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**10:30am-11:30am**

**CATHOLIC YOUTH OF SUMTER**

**6:00pm-8:00pm**

If you or a family member are admitted to a hospital or nursing facility, or are homebound and unable to attend Mass, *YOU* must notify the Parish Offices, Priest or Deacon.

*Privacy Laws* prevent hospitals or a nursing facility from notifying us directly.



Si tu o algún miembro de tu familia es admitido a un hospital, clínica de rehabilitación, residencia de ancianos, o está confinado al hogar y no puede asistir a Misa, tú debes notificarlo a la oficina parroquial o alguno de los Padres. Las leyes de privacidad no permiten que los hospitales y las demás instituciones médicas avisen a la iglesia directamente.

## GOSPEL MEDITATION

January 27, 2019

### 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"He came to Nazareth, where he had grown up." Did you grow up in a small town? Whenever you see stories of tight-knit communities, a common refrain is that everybody knows everybody and that's very difficult to change. If you leave and return, people expect you to be and act a certain way, and it's strange for them if you do not.

In today's Gospel, we see that Jesus was already moving "in the power of the Spirit and news of him spread throughout the whole region. He...was praised by all." His ministry has begun! News of his growing popularity must have preceded him to Nazareth. Upon his arrival, he "went according to his custom into the synagogue on the sabbath day." For the first few moments, he is what they expect - their hometown boy returning to pay his respects. As was common of men at the time, he takes a turn reading a passage of Sacred Scripture. It is a bold passage, one he selects intentionally. "He unrolled the scroll and found the passage where it was written: The Spirit of the Lord is upon me." After reading about holy anointings, liberation for the poor and prisoners, and physical healings, Jesus does the unthinkable.

"Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing."

We are all called to imitate Christ wherever we are. This might mean doing the unexpected! All too often we're content with the daily status quo, and so are the people around us. When we take a stand for Christian values, change our lifestyle to reflect the Gospel, and work for justice in society, we may make others uncomfortable. But Jesus doesn't call us to the same life we lived yesterday or the year before that. He is calling all of us - each and every one of us - to deeper conversion of heart. No matter what other people expect, will you love in the Spirit of the Lord today?

## MEDITACIÓN EVANGÉLICO

### 27 de enero de 2019 3º Domingo de Tiempo Ordinario

La manera como Lucas inicia el Evangelio y orienta al ilustre Teófilo a fin de comprender la solidez de la catequesis que este había recibido. El mensaje transmitido el ordenar los acontecimientos permite también a nosotros hoy, fijar nuestros ojos en Jesús. Así, nos damos cuenta de que, en Nazaret, Jesús proclama su misión: "Enseñaba en las sinagogas de los judíos y todos lo alababan" (Lucas 4:14). Los inicios son importantes porque dan base, son cimientos seguros para iniciar la proclamación de la buena nueva. Lucas tiene un excelente gusto literario. Leer su Evangelio siempre es un deleite ya que muestra claramente la misericordia de Dios por medio de su Hijo Jesús.

En su mensaje se destacan cuatro puntos importantes. 1. Jesús anuncia la buena noticia con palabras, acciones y milagros. Es decir, acciones concretas. Siempre acompañado del espíritu de Dios desde su Bautismo. 2. En la sinagoga proclama el conocido pasaje de Isaías 61:1ss. "El Espíritu del Señor esta sobre mí. Él me ha ungido para llevar las buenas noticias a los pobres, para anunciar la libertad a los cautivos y a los ciegos que pronto van a ver, para poner en libertad a los oprimidos y a proclamar el año de gracia del Señor" (Lucas 4; 18-19). El pasaje se puede resumir en lo siguiente: hacer el bien de parte de Dios a toda la humanidad. 3. Jesús anuncia que se ha cumplido la Escritura en él: "Hoy se cumplen estas palabras proféticas y a ustedes les llegan noticias de ello" (Lucas 4:21). 4. Fue en Nazaret donde dio comienzo la actividad pública de Jesús. ¿Crees que Jesús sigue actuando en su Iglesia? ¿Cómo?

## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Remember that time when you arrived at school to take a test or quiz on material you failed to read? Maybe it was on a classic book or a chapter in a science textbook. Did your blood pressure go sky high and the sweat start to show on your forehead? Squirming in the seat, you wondered what you could have done to avoid feeling this way. Then it came to you: you should have read what you were supposed to read!

Procrastination, indifference, poor scheduling of time, and stubbornness are all reasons why we fail to be prepared for a situation that arises in our lives. We lack commitment in doing what we are asked to do or what we know we should do. This is certainly true in our spiritual lives as well. We may choose to bear the label of disciple or good steward, but we don't really prepare ourselves for the daily journey of life.

Sacred Scripture can prepare us more fully for the circumstances of life, but not if we fail to read it. The words contained there are Spirit and life for us. They help us to understand where we fit into the Body of Christ and how we are to respond to the daily call of Christ. Everyday Stewards should be committed to reading and reflection of the Word of God. We know we should spend time with God's Word, but too often we fail to do so for the same reasons already mentioned. When we failed to read in school, perhaps we failed the test and it hurt our grade. When we fail in life due to lack of preparedness, sometimes the consequences are more severe.

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## LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

St. Theresa of Avila reminds us that, "Christ has no body now on earth but yours; no hands but yours; no feet but yours. Yours are the eyes through which the compassion of Christ must look out on the world. Yours are the feet with which He is to go about doing good. Yours are the hands with which He is to bless His people." We are, in every way shape and form, the Body of Christ. Our bodies are not just one single part but many. We are many, and we are all uniquely different. Yet each in his or her own way contributes significantly to the whole. We are all baptized in one spirit, and there are no distinctions that separate us. We must keep our eyes focused on the greater whole and not get distracted or consumed with particular parts. Everything and everyone must work together for the praise and glory of God.

## VIVIR LA LITURGIA - INSPIRACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Santa Teresa de Jesús nos dejó estas palabras: "Cristo no tiene cuerpo, sino el tuyo; no tiene manos o pies en la tierra, sino los tuyos; tuyos son los ojos con los que ve; la compasión en este mundo; tuyos son los pies con los que camina para hacer el bien; tuyas son las manos, con el que bendice todo el mundo." Nosotros somos, en toda manera y forma, el Cuerpo de Cristo. Nuestros cuerpos no son solo una parte, sino muchas. Somos muchos y todos somos únicamente diferentes. Cada individuo, de su propia manera, contribuye algo especial. Todos estamos bautizados en un espíritu, y no hay nada que nos separe. Debemos enfocarnos en la totalidad y no distraernos con los detalles particulares. Todo y todos debemos trabajar juntos para la alabanza y gloria de Dios.