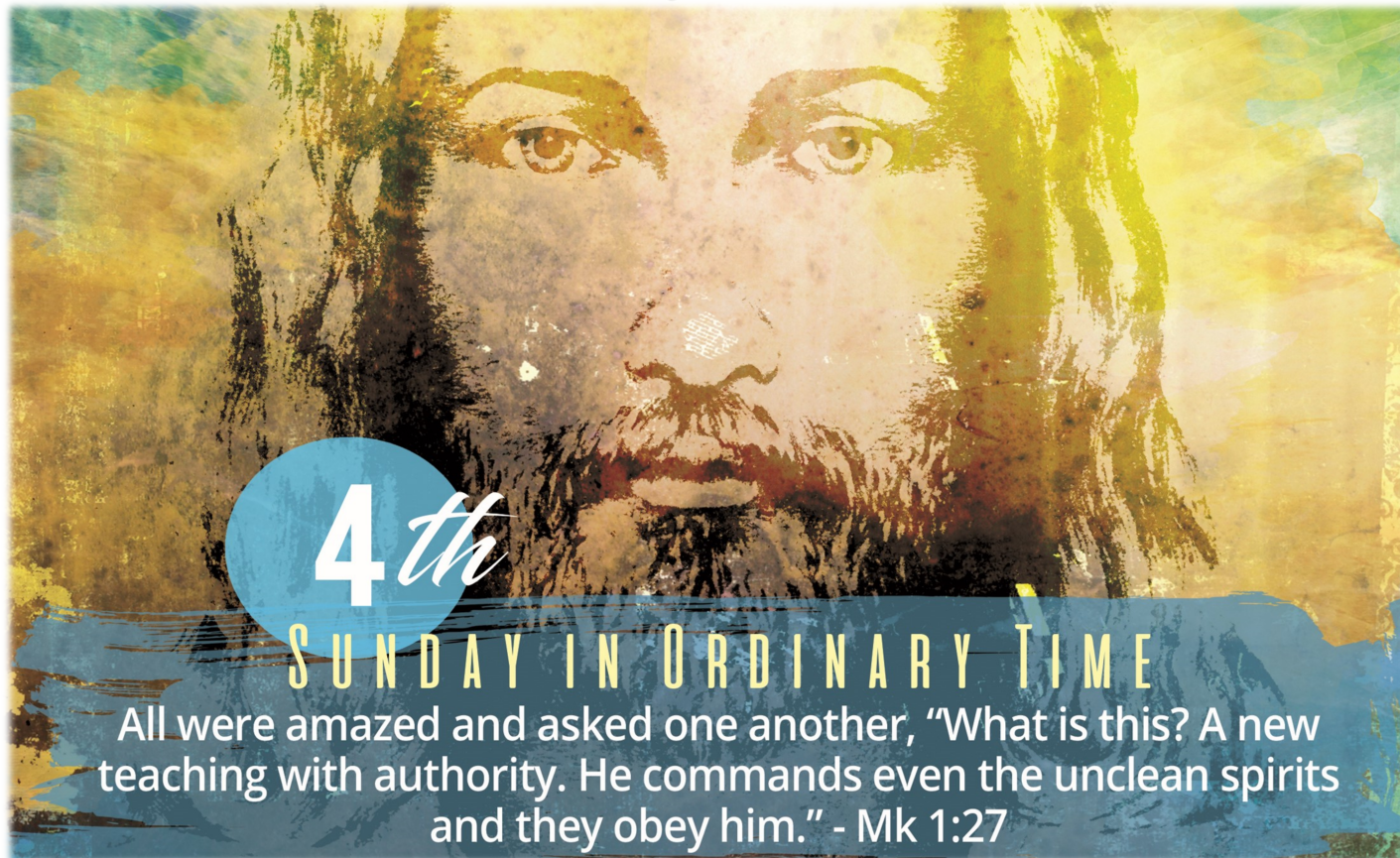


The Catholic Diocese of Charleston, South Carolina  
Saint Anne and Saint Jude Roman Catholic Church  
January 31, 2021



4<sup>th</sup>

SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

All were amazed and asked one another, "What is this? A new teaching with authority. He commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him." - Mk 1:27

**Saint Anne**

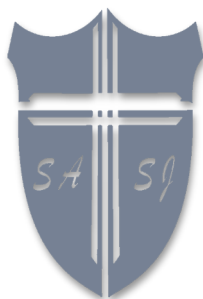
216 East Liberty St.

Mass Times:

Daily Mass: Thurs-Sat 8:15am

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 11:00am



**Saint Jude**

611 West Oakland Ave.

Mass Times:

Daily Mass: Mon-Wed 7:00am

Sunday: 9:30am, 12:30pm (Spanish)

5:00pm (English)

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

**Parochial Vicar: Fr. German Coquilla, Jr., CRM**

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

**Parish Secretary: Tina Couture Tina@sasjrcc.org**

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

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

**Dir. of Faith Formation: Nicole Macedo Nicole@sasjrcc.org**

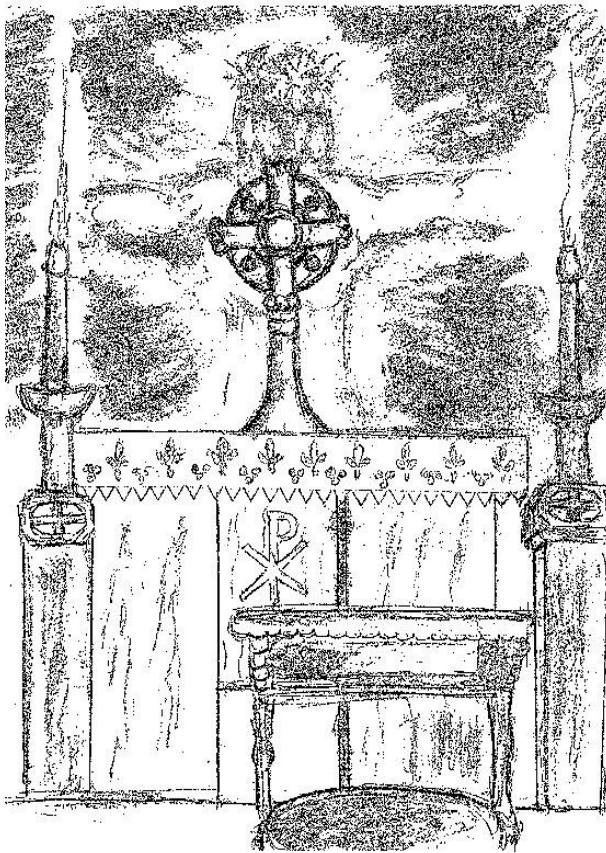
**Liturgical Ministry Coordinator : Donna Kearney Donna@sasjrcc.org**

**Youth Minister: Greg Tavarez**

**St. Lawrence Cemetery - Contact the Parish Office**

**Holy Angels Academy Principal:**

**Mrs. Kristi Doyle - kristidoyle@sumterholyangels.com (803) 775-3632**



**"COME TO ME, ALL WHO LABOR AND ARE HEAVILY BURDENED, AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST."** *Matt 11:28*

*Won't you come and Join us every TUESDAY to find HIS Peace and Mercy in this time of great trial. Just 30 Minutes or an Hour and you will feel the difference. Beginning after the 7:00am Mass ending at 6:00pm Call Ray or Betty at (803) 481-5690 to be regularly scheduled or Calvin Glisson at (803) 521-3812.*

La adoración semanal está abierta a todos. Se expone el Santísimo Sacramento del Altar todos los martes en San Judas desde 7:30am hasta las 6:00 después de rezar el Rosario.

## Holy Angels Academy

*Kristi Doyle, Principal & Denise Spivey, Vice Principal*  
11 S. MAGNOLIA ★ (803) 775-3632

Have you heard about  
**Holy Angels Academy?**

It's a new option for education in Sumter. Offering a Fresh Approach, Holy Angels Academy have opened their doors for in-person classes to all students and parents who are looking for a safe and inclusive environment for their family.

Check out our website at:

[www.sumterholyanimals.com](http://www.sumterholyanimals.com)



## CARDINAL NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Cardinal Newman will be the only private school in the Midlands, and one of only approximately 2,000 schools nationwide, to implement the AP Capstone Diploma Program - an innovative program that allows students to develop the skills that matter most for college success, such as research, collaboration, and communication. The program will launch in the fall of 2021. To learn more about this program and other ways we look to develop the gifts of all of our young men and women, contact

Director of Admissions Michelle Holbrook  
[mholbrook@cnhs.org](mailto:mholbrook@cnhs.org)



| SUNDAY<br>JANUARY 31  | MONDAY<br>FEBRUARY 1  | TUESDAY<br>FEBRUARY 2   | WEDNESDAY<br>FEBRUARY 3   |
|---|---|---|---|
| <b>Sunday Mass at St. Anne</b><br><b>8:00am English</b><br><b>11:00am English</b><br><b>Sunday Mass at St. Jude</b><br><b>9:30am English</b><br><b>12:30pm Spanish</b><br><b>5:00pm English</b><br><b>Youth Group</b><br><b>No Confirmation Class</b> | <b>Daily Mass 7:00am</b><br><b>In St. Jude</b><br><br><b>Parish Office Hours</b><br><b>9:00am-4:00pm</b><br><br><b>Religious Education</b><br><b>5:45pm-7:00pm</b><br><b>St. Jude</b> | <b>Daily Mass 7:00am</b><br><b>St. Jude</b><br><br><b>Parish Office Hours</b><br><b>9:00am-4:00pm</b><br><br><b>Adoration after Morning</b><br><b>Mass - 6:00pm ~St. Jude</b> | <b>Daily Mass 7:00am</b><br><b>In St. Jude</b><br><br><b>Parish Office Hours</b><br><b>9:00am-4:00pm</b><br><br><b>RCIA (Virtual Classes)</b> |



# Celebrating Catholic Schools Week! With Holy Angels Academy



- ◆ Monday (February 1) Priest Appreciation Day  
9:00am-Virtual Mass with the Bishop celebrating Catholic Schools Week.  
Fr. Gio and Fr. Gerry have been invited to view Virtual Mass with students in the Big Hall.
- ◆ Tuesday (February 2) Teacher Appreciation Day
- ◆ Wednesday (February 3) Share Our Love Day  
8:15-9:00am-Students will write postcards to Parishioners. If you know a parishioner that would be delighted to receive a special note from a student, please email name and address to [kristidoyle@sumterholyangels.com](mailto:kristidoyle@sumterholyangels.com) or call the school office at 803-775-3632 before Wednesday.
- ◆ Thursday (February 4) Family Appreciation Day
- ◆ Friday (February 5) Student Appreciation Day  
8:15am- Virtual Mass in Big Hall

## EMBRACING CHANGE IN CHRIST

It's officially one month since we popped the champagne, toasted 2021 and wrote down a list of resolutions. This is usually the time when we start to take a good, hard look in the mirror to assess what we have done — or have not done — with the first month of this brand-new year.

New years can be scary, can't they? Full of promise, sure, but also full of room for failure. Full of space for our old baggage, old fears and the continuation of old mistakes.

The same can be said of Christ, and the new life he offers us, if we are brave enough to accept it. Opportunities like that can be intimidating. In that moment, we might find ourselves like the man with the unclean spirit crying out: "What

have you to do with me, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us?"

Jesus is a comforter of the afflicted; he is a consoling figure, but he is also a challenging one. Sometimes we have grown attached to our afflictions. The idea of correcting bad habits or forming new ones is frankly terrifying to us. We have a voice deep inside who sees Christ and his invitation to repentance, and it cries out in fear: "I know who you are!"

When we live in the present, disavowing the baggage of the past or fear of the future, we submit ourselves to the promise of redemption. Let us be brave everyday stewards and invite Christ's healing power into our lives. We won't regret it — I'm sure the demoniac never did.

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

| THURSDAY<br>FEBRUARY 4  | FRIDAY<br>FEBRUARY 5  | SATURDAY<br>FEBRUARY 6   | SUNDAY<br>FEBRUARY 7   |
|---|---|--|--|
| <p><b>Daily Mass 8:15am<br/>In St. Anne</b></p> <p><b>Parish Office Hours<br/>9:00am-4:00pm</b></p> | <p><b>Daily Mass 8:15am<br/>In St. Anne</b></p> <p><b>Parish Office Hours<br/>9:00am-4:00pm</b></p> | <p><b>Daily Mass 8:15am<br/>In St. Anne</b></p> <p><b>Confession<br/>3:30pm– 4:30pm<br/>St. Catherine's Chapel<br/>St. Anne Location</b></p> <p><b>Vigil Mass 5:00pm<br/>at St. Anne</b></p> | <p><b>Sunday Mass at St. Anne<br/>8:00am English<br/>11:00am English</b></p> <p><b>Sunday Mass at St. Jude<br/>9:30am English<br/>12:30pm Spanish<br/>5:00pm English</b></p> <p><b>Youth Group</b></p> <p><b>No Confirmation Class</b></p> |

## GOSPEL MEDITATION

### ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

Most of us are quiet people who desire to live a good and holy life, promote the values and mission of the Gospel as best we can and desire to one day inherit the surprise of life eternal God promises to us. We are not trail blazers. We are simple people who want to do the simple things of life well. But there are others who left a more profound impact along the way of the paths they walked. Folks like Dorothy Day, Martin Luther King, Thomas Merton, Gandhi, St. Teresa of Calcutta, and many others left lasting impacts and legacies. Like Moses, they show us by word and deed who God is and what integrity and a purpose driven life look like. They show us how to be holy. We need Moses people like these to give us inspiration, hope and an example of holy living.

We do not need to do what they did or even mirror their relationship with God. Each one of us is God's special creation, with a purpose and soul known only to us. We need to learn how to open up and bring, without compromise, our soul-ness to life. We know when someone is authentic and centered because they always point to truth, even though they struggle and sin themselves, and they embody an unspoken timeless wisdom that

#### LIVE THE LITURGY

##### Inspiration for the week

Most of us are not trail blazers. Throughout history though, there have been many folks who tirelessly and persistently pursued the promptings of their hearts without giving any care to what others thought or trends dictated. Jesus is one of them. St. Teresa of Calcutta and St. Francis of Assisi are examples of others. The rest of us are people who take a more measured look at things, want to test the waters, and take our time choosing what path or person to follow. We need credible witnesses of faith. We need the Moses people in our lives to show us by word and deed who God is and what integrity and a purpose-driven life looks like. They are the pointers to truth, who even though they struggle themselves, seem to embody an unspoken timeless wisdom that just sounds and feels right. Jesus taught with this same type of authority and caught the attention of the greatest of skeptics. They were astonished. Even though we need our human prophets we can also be somewhat prophetic ourselves by putting integrity and conviction behind our embrace of the Gospel. Perhaps much to our surprise, we all have the power to be a credible witness. Are you willing to give it a try?

just sounds and feels right. Jesus taught with this same type of authority and it astonished many who listened. We do not need to move mountains, advance a cause, write books or become notable. All we have to do is become credible witnesses of the faith we profess. Moses people can teach us how to do this.

St. Oscar Romero was an amazing man and a Moses figure for sure. He saw God in the burning bush and brought the flame of Gospel faith to the poorest of the poor, challenging the evils of the society in which he lived. He was tireless and persistent. He must have gotten very close to

the problem because it cost him his life. He suspected it would. St. Romero said, "When we leave Mass, we ought to go out the way Moses descended Mt Sinai: with his face shining, with his heart brave and strong to face the world's difficulties." We can learn from this wisdom. If we allow the power of the Mass to truly transform us, we will leave that holy encounter changed. Our face will shine, and we will have courage. We can then bring what we have received to life's challenges. That sounds doable, doesn't it? Because of the example of our simple holiness, people will be amazed.

## TAX TIME

**In an effort to speed up the process of getting you your 2020 Contribution Statements**

**AND to save resources, simply call or email the Parish Office to access your information.**

**Per your request, your statement can be mailed, e-mailed or prepared for pick up.**

**We hope this will make getting your 2020 Statement faster and more convenient.**

(803) 773-3524 (Messages will be returned)

[Office@sasjrcc.org](mailto:Office@sasjrcc.org)

# GIVE ONLINE

*Easy. Safe. Convenient.*

**SIGN UP  
TODAY!**





# DIACONATE ORDINATION FOR GREGORY TAVAREZ

FEBRUARY 6, 2021

CATHEDRAL OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

CHARLESTON, SC

11:00 A.M.

\*Due to covid there are limited tickets for seating in the cathedral. There will be overflow seating in another room broadcasting the mass. A livestream to view the mass will also be available.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

ALEJANDRA NEGRETE  
JESUS VELAZQUEZ  
TAM PHAM  
WILLIAM RICKERD  
MICHELLE BRIGGS  
BARBARA DUPREE  
BRIAN CONKLIN  
DANITA RUSSELL  
PAUL GOBER  
DANIEL P. LAWLESS  
AMY FERRELL  
PETE WATCHER  
HAYES E. BAKER  
MAMIE WILLIAMS  
ANDREE BESSETTE  
ALVIN FUSETTI  
FLOSSIE BRAILSFORD  
SETH DYKE  
JEFF GUEST  
TONY MANCINI  
GAIL JOHNSON  
TALMADGE RIDDICK  
ARTHUR BERNDT III  
SHIRLEY JOHNSON  
ROBERT WALKER  
JIM ZEPKO  
ELIZABETH MILLS SUN  
BARBARA CAIN  
JIM FIELD  
MARY ELLEN MILLER  
ARCELIA FERNANDEZ  
STEVE CAPINAS  
Jamie Fernandez  
Ted Trapini  
Guiermo family

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE Class of 2021

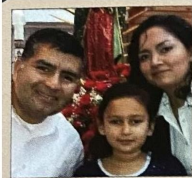


*Heavenly Father, since the time of the Apostles you have inspired the Church to commission men to assist in a special way in the pastoral mission of Christ.*

*Bless these deacon candidates and their families that they may be humble and faith-inspired in their service.*

*We ask this through Christ, our Lord.*

**Amen.**



Samuel & Leticia Aguilar



Jim & Karen Baker



Tim & Kim Baker



Peter & Laura Brown



Michael & Mandy Cavin



James & Michelle Chin



Scott & Kristy Hart



Mike & Suzanne Heidkamp



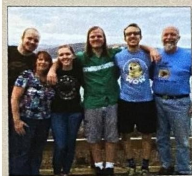
Thomas Chet & Ann Johns



Brian & Darla Justice



David & Celly Kahn



Ed & Deirdre Kelly



Greg & Cindy Tavarez



Mark & Gail Thompson



Michael & Lynne Thompson

We are so excited to share this special day with you. It has been a long 7 years (5 years plus a 2 year break) of preparation, study, prayer, and discernment for Greg and all these candidates. I hope you are able to join and watch from the safety of your homes. Please keep Greg, these candidates and their families in prayer as the day draws near when they fully commit their lives to servanthood to God, the Church, and all people.



## A Message From Father Gio

Our parish is dependent upon the weekly offertory collection to continue it's ministry, it's ability to maintain our staff and to pay bills.

The parish Would be most grateful for your continued financial support while our collections continue to be significantly affected by the pandemic. If you are able, you may drop your weekly offertory in the basket by the door, mail in your weekly offertory checks to the parish, drop them off in the mailbox at the parish office, or transition to online giving using the link on our parish website

<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/>

thank you for your generosity and your continued support to our parish.

## Sacrificial Offering January 24, 2021

SUNDAY OFFERTORY  
\$6672.33

ONLINE GIVING  
\$1960.00

## Congratulations to **Anastasia Hartman**

The recipient of a \$600.00 Scholarship  
from the

Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary



### **Parish Prison Ministry**

Serving Turbeville Correctional Institute  
Interested? Contact Tripp Jensen, KM  
703-317-7796

### **Kairos Prison Ministry**

Serving Lee Correctional Institute in Bishopville  
Contact Richard Boisvert 803-406-0653.

### **Ministerio de la Prisión**

¿Estás interesado en servir en este ministerio?  
Llama a Ma. Elena al 803 773 5606.

### **Knights of Peter Claver And Ladies Auxiliary**

#### **Your Invitation to Catholic Action**

To support parish and community activities, provide charitable support to worthy causes. To provide social and intellectual fellowship. If you are interested, then become a Knight or Lady of Saint Peter Claver. For more information, please call (803) 883-7113.

### **St. Lawrence Cemetery and Columbarium**

The columbarium is located in a beautiful garden setting in St. Lawrence Cemetery and provides a reverential place of interment for the cremated ashes of our beloved deceased. Contact the Parish Office.

**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.

**The Sumter Cursillo Movement**  
Interested? Contact Anne Marie Suchomski  
803-315-6199

### **Charismatic Prayer Group**

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

### **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. Contact John Owen, Grand Knight ([JOWEN5150@aol.com](mailto:JOWEN5150@aol.com) or 803-968-2766). Also, visit our website at [www.uknight.org](http://www.uknight.org) (council 2207).

### **Life is Worth Living:**

Nurses and Doctors All emergency workers deserve respect and gratitude and the virus drove the point home. We take a look at what Bishop Fulton Sheen had to say way back in the mid-1950s. All adults are welcome to join us in the Adult Ed room after the 8:00 AM Mass on Sundays.

Coffee and donuts are available. Masks and social distancing are in place. For more information, contact Charley Francis at 803-469-4584 or [cfrancis@ftc-i.net](mailto:cfrancis@ftc-i.net).

### **The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**

Do you want to know more about the Catholic faith? Are you thinking about joining the Catholic Church? Are you a baptized Catholic but have not received First Communion or Confirmation? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, the process for welcoming adults into the Catholic Church, has begun for St. Anne and St. Jude and Our Lady of the Skies, We will meet virtually on Wed, from 7 to 9 PM.

If you are interested or know someone who is, please call Jackie Francis, our RCIA Coordinator, at 803-469-4584

**Important!** All who plan to participate in RCIA **must** meet with Jackie Francis prior to receiving access instructions, so please call her to make an appointment as soon as possible.

### **Sacramentos:**

**Bautismo** - Favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial para obtener información sobre las pláticas para padres y padrinos.

**Bautismo en Español** - El tercer sábado de cada mes es el día disponible para bautizos. Favor de llamar a la Oficina Parroquial para programar las pláticas para padres y padrinos.

**Matrimonio**-Parejas planeando casarse en la Iglesia deben hacer una cita con el párroco al menos 6 meses antes de la boda.

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

**Unción de Enfermos** - Si lo ingresan a usted o a algún familiar en el hospital llame a la Oficina o a la Casa Parroquial para solicitar este sacramento.

**Celebración de Quince Años** - Deben de solicitar este evento con 3 meses de anticipación. El párroco tendrá que aprobarlo y asignar las clases que debe tomar la quinceañera.



*Lord, Hear Our Prayer*

**MASS INTENTIONS  
FOR THE WEEK  
JANUARY 30<sup>TH</sup>  
THROUGH  
FEBRUARY 7<sup>TH</sup>**

|           |         |   |                          |
|-----------|---------|---|--------------------------|
| Saturday  | 8:15am  | ✠Wiley Alexander                            | David Fortin             |
| Saturday  | 5:00pm  | ✠Fr. William P. McSweeney                   | Mary Jones               |
| Sunday    | 8:00am  | ✠Adele Corbett                              | Dee Reiter               |
| Sunday    | 9:30am  | ✠Edward & Dessie Williams                   | Valerie Williams         |
| Sunday    | 11:00am | ✠Ronda Felder                               | Lanease Humes            |
| Sunday    | 12:30pm | Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude          |                          |
| Sunday    | 5:00pm  | ✠Janet Casey                                | Joe Casey                |
| Monday    | 7:00am  | Intentions of Mike Bailey                   | Noreen Wall              |
| Tuesday   | 7:00am  | Intentions of Reginald Wall                 | Noreen Wall              |
| Wednesday | 7:00am  | ✠Wiley Alexander                            | David Fortin             |
| Thursday  | 8:15am  | Intentions of Thurman Clark & Tanisha Scott | Noreen Wall              |
| Friday    | 8:15am  | Intentions of Ella & Rose Hayward           | Lanease Humes            |
| Saturday  | 8:15am  | ✠John McCaskey                              | Emily Emmons             |
| Saturday  | 5:00pm  | ✠Fr. Karl Aschmann                          | Mary Jones               |
| Sunday    | 8:00am  | ✠Roland Davis                               | Charley & Jackie Francis |
| Sunday    | 9:30am  | ✠Wilbert Bracey                             | KPCLA                    |
| Sunday    | 11:00am | Intentions of Ted & Dianne Trapini          | Brenda Bethune           |
| Sunday    | 12:30pm | ✠Benjamin Driggers                          | Flor Driggers            |
| Sunday    | 5:00pm  | ✠Diane Felts                                | Ray & Betty Blanchette   |

**Religious Education  
Monday, February 1  
Next Class**

| FEBRUARY '21 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|--------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
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| 7            | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14           | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21           | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28           |    |    |    |    |    |    |

**Confirmation**

**Our Next Meeting Class # 11  
Sunday, February 7th**

| February 2021 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
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| 14            | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21            | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28            |    |    |    |    |    |    |

**SASJ Youth Ministry**

**Youth 6<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> Grade**

**Join us at 6:15pm Sunday,  
January 31st for a night of**

**Fun and Fellowship**

**We'll discuss**

**Catholic Teachings on Family!**

**Don't Miss It!**

