

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

May 9, 2021  
The Sixth Sunday of Easter



*Celebrate Mom*



*El día de la madre*

**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**

**Priest in Residence: Fr. Ronie Lorcha, 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: Deacon Greg Tavarez Deacongreg@sasjrcc.org**

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

**Holy Angels Academy Principal:**

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

# Holy Angels Academy

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

## Have you heard about Holy Angels Academy?

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.sumterholylangels.com](http://www.sumterholylangels.com)

AmazonSmiles is up and running and it does not cost you anything. Set-up is simple,

- go to [Smile.Amazon.com](http://Smile.Amazon.com)
- enter your userid and password from your current Amazon account or set up a new account.
- Choose Holy Angels Academy as your charity then shop away!!!

We will earn \$0.05% for every qualifying purchase. Again, this does not cost you anything. It is a way that Amazon helps us help ourselves. Please make sure you are on AmazonSmiles each and every time you make a purchase. If you shop on a mobile device, you will need to download and use the AmazonSmiles app.



Another opportunity to help our school is through the Cans for Kids project. All you need to do is collect all your aluminum products (i.e. cans, foil, pie plates, pans and cookie tins etc.). Put them into a garbage bag and toss them over the Cans for Kids enclosure at the school. Its easy, does not cost you anything and helps the school and our environment.



## CARDINAL NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Cardinal Newman is now enrolling for the current and 2021-2022 school year. If you are considering your options for your child's education, we welcome you to come see how CN is "Redefining Excellence." Scholarship opportunities are available! Please contact Michelle Holbrook at (803) 888 1642 to schedule a private tour. You may also visit [cnhs.org](http://cnhs.org) to learn more!

### 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  
Jamie Fernandez  
Ted Trapini  
Guerrero family

## Our Commitment to a Safe Environment

Diocesan Office  
of Child Protective Services

Bonnie Sigers 843-261-0430

Victim Assis. Coord,  
Louisa Storen, LISW  
is available to anyone who has  
questions or needs help.  
843-856-0748 or 800-921-8122

All adults who work with  
children at SASJRCC must:

<https://charlestondiocese.org/child-and-youth-protection/>



SUNDAY MAY 9	MONDAY MAY 10	TUESDAY MAY 11	WEDNESDAY MAY 12
<p>Sunday Mass at St. Anne 8:00am English 11:00am English</p> <p>Sunday Mass at St. Jude 9:30am English 12:30pm Spanish 5:00pm English</p> <p><b>NO Youth Group</b> <b>NO Confirmation Class</b></p>	<p>Daily Mass 7:00am In St. Jude</p> <p>Parish Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm</p> <p><b>Religious Education</b> <b>5:45pm- 7:00pm</b></p>	<p>Daily Mass 7:00am St. Jude</p> <p>Parish Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm</p> <p><b>Adoration after Morning</b> <b>Mass - 6:00pm ~St. Jude</b></p>	<p>Daily Mass 7:00am St. Jude</p> <p>Parish Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm</p> <p><b>RCIA (Virtual Classes)</b></p>

## OUR NEW CHURCH

After much prayer and deliberations, our **521 Project Building Committee** has chosen to partner with **Mashburn Construction** for the Pre-Construction Phase of our St Anne and St Jude new church building project. This phase of the building project includes preliminary planning and scheduling, cost estimation, value analysis and a thorough evaluation of our project needs. For more details, visit our parish website: [www.sasjrcc.org](http://www.sasjrcc.org) click **Our New Church** link and scroll under Updates for details. For questions and inquiries please call Dr. Mark Crabbe 803-840-1359 or Andrew Williams- 803-968-9181.

**2021 SASJ VBS**  
**TREASURED**  
 Discovering You're Priceless to God

August 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>  
 DINNER 5:30 • PROGRAM 6:00 • PICK-UP 8:15

St. Anne Location  
 216 EAST LIBERTY STREET • SUMMITER SC

Totally Catholic VBS

**vacation BIBLE SCHOOL**  
 NEW FRIENDS → CREATIVE GAMES → INCREDIBLE MUSIC  
 SUPER YUMMY FOOD → SURPRISING ADVENTURES

the best week of **SUMMER**

STUDENTS PRE-K(4) TO 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE ON [WWW.SASJRCC.ORG](http://WWW.SASJRCC.ORG) OR IN THE PARISH OFFICE

**Location**  
 ST. ANNE, 216 E. LIBERTY ST.

**Dates**  
 TUES., AUG. 3<sup>RD</sup> THRU FRI., AUG. 6<sup>TH</sup>

**Schedule**  
 DINNER 5:30 • PROGRAM 6:00 • PICK-UP 8:15

If you would like to be a part of the 2021 Vacation Bible School by donating Needed Items, we would be grateful for any of the following items:

- Craft Paper
- Plastic Table Runner (Blue or Green)
- Large Bulletin Board paper roll (Green)
- Large Bulletin Board paper roll (Black)
- Large sheets of Foam backing (Lowe's)
- Spray Paint ( Brown, Black, & Gray)
- Balloons 500 (for water balloons)
- 3 Nights of Meals:
  - ⇒ Hot dogs and buns
  - ⇒ Spaghetti and Sauce
  - ⇒ Macaroni & Cheese
  - ⇒ Juice Boxes, Bottles of Water, Tea
  - ⇒ Desserts (Brownies, Cupcakes, Cookies)



**Looking forward to things to come,**

We will have a

**NEW ALTAR SERVER** Training on **Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> 12:00pm – 2:00pm** in Saint Anne. This is a training for any interested youth who has made their First Communion.

THURSDAY MAY 13	FRIDAY MAY 14	SATURDAY MAY 15	SUNDAY MAY 16
Daily Mass 8:15am St. Anne	Daily Mass 8:15am St. Anne	Daily Mass 8:15am St. Anne	Sunday Mass at St. Anne 8:00am English 11:00am English
Parish Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm	Parish Office Hours 9:00am-12:00pm	Vigil Mass at St. Anne 5:00pm English	Sunday Mass at St. Jude 9:30am English 12:30pm Spanish 5:00pm English <b>Youth Group</b> <b>Confirmation Class #17</b>

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## Religious Education

Our Last Class of the year is Monday, May 10  
Join us for an end of year Ice Cream Social  
5:45pm- 7:00pm

### Confirmation

- Our Next Meeting Class # 17  
Sunday, May 16 3:00pm-4:45pm
- Confirmation Retreat is Saturday, May 29<sup>th</sup>
  - **The Sacrament of CONFIRMATION is Monday, June 14<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm**
  - Please make sure you are checking for email updates from the Confirmation Team.

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The Religious Education 5th & 6th graders presenting the Kids for Congo check to Fr. Ted Kalaw, CRM. Under the guidance of Mrs. Cindy Tavarez, the class raised \$5179.00 for the Adorno Mission to Africa!!

## SASJ Youth Ministry

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

No Youth Meeting on May 9th, Take your Mom out for a fun day!!

Our Next Sunday Meeting is May 16

Join us from 6:15pm-8:15pm on Sundays in the Youth Building.

### Up-Coming Events

Youth Ministry **Camp Out** at Poinsette Park on **May 22 & 23.**



Registration forms are available **NOW**  
**May 17** is the registration Deadline.



## GOSPEL MEDITATION

### ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

“Remain in my love,” and, “I call you friends,” are powerful words that are found in John’s Gospel. Most of us probably have them committed to memory or have at least heard them proclaimed dozens of times. They are words that can easily become trite and quickly glossed over without fully pondering and digesting their profound beauty. When we take the time to immerse ourselves in them, they can radically change our lives and our relationships. They can open up new doors of adventure and hold countless possibilities for meaning. The essence of love and friendship are things that can easily be taken for granted. They have always been there and are a significant part of our lives. Many would say that they could not live without love and friendship, and they put a great deal of care into preserving, deepening and sustaining them. Love and friendship share a mutual relationship with each other that deserves more reflection.

Where does love come from? We can consider relationships that have not succeeded and conclude that they were somehow due to our “failures in love.” In doing so, we assume that human beings are the ones responsible for love, its success and also its failure. While our weakness, emotional composition and sinfulness can easily impact our ability to love, its origin is not human. God is love. God is love’s author and

#### **LIVE THE LITURGY** **Inspiration for the week**

God is love. These three simple words deserve a great deal of attention. They have the power to transform our relationship with God from something that is static and distant to one that is personal and real. We all know the power of love and how important it is to completing all of the human and divine circuits of our lives. But we do not often consider the awesome fact that it is given to us as a gift and is not simply part and parcel of the human package. God is the author of love and love itself. When we truly love another human being, it is really God being God in and through us. The love to which we are called and the love of which the Gospel speaks is a selfless love that seeks the wellbeing of not only our significant others but of all of our brothers and sisters. This love, which is of God, is a love that will endure all things and bring immeasurable joy when experienced. It is the most sincere form of friendship.

origin. When we love, it is God who loves in and through us. It is because of this divine closeness that Jesus is able to call us friends! It is not because of anything we have done but simply because of who we are. Realizing and contemplating this awesome reality becomes a game changer across the board. It gives us reason to clear the table of anything that can adversely affect the way we love so that we can open the door for its author to shine forth.

Coming upon this truth is what leads folks like St. Francis of Assisi to leave that which is comfortable and worldly and live a radical life. They relate with the love of God that radiates in and through all living things and appreciate their sacredness. It was having an intimate experience of God’s love and friendship that propelled St.

Francis and others to embrace simplicity, act nonviolently, pursue humility, love enemies, care for the earth and open up avenues for true justice. Understanding this profound truth will also help us find peaceful solutions to world’s problems, restore relationships with our sisters and brothers, bring the grace of loving stewardship to creation and heal many wounds. Once we begin to see how wonderfully holy all of life really is, we discover joy. We lose our need for fear, develop a fierce fortitude, act prudently and seek justice. There is great power in love because it comes from God. It will never fail. It also enjoys the company of two other friends who are eager to become our friends as well: faith and hope. These are just as important to have and to share.

## Thomas B. Jenkins Memorial Scholarship

In order to be considered for a scholarship you must meet the following criteria:

- a. Active parishioner as determined by the pastor or administrator of St. Anne and St. Jude Catholic Church in Sumter
- b. Hold a High School diploma from an accredited South Carolina high school or homeschool association
- c. Have completed one or more years at an accredited junior college, college or university
- d. Minimum Cumulative College GPA of 2.5



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





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 del Santísimo es semanal y está abierta a todos. Se expone el Santísimo Sacramento del Altar todos los martes en San Judas de las 7:30 am a las 6 pm seguida del Santo Rosario y la Novena a Ntra. Sra. del Perpetuo Socorro. Los invitamos a pasar unos minutos con nuestro 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. 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).

**The Sumter Knights of Columbus present a "Nobody's Perfect" Rosary Challenge for the month of May. Gifts will be awarded for those who pray the Rosary between 10 and 30 times a month. Flyers available in the churches or contact [martygreen007@att.net](mailto:martygreen007@att.net)**

### Ministerio de la Prisión

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

#### Parish Prison Ministry

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

#### Kairos Prison Ministry

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

#### Knights of Peter Claver And Ladies Auxiliary

##### Your Invitation to Catholic Action

To support parish and community activities, 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 Peter Claver. For 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.

#### The Sumter Cursillo Movement

Interested? Contact Anne Marie Suchomski  
803-315-6199

**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 Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

##### Would YOU like to Know More?

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? If you are interested, know somebody who is, or would like to know more, please call Jackie Francis, our RCIA Coordinator, at 803-469-4584, or speak with your parish priest, deacon, or the Catholic coordinator at Shaw AFB.

#### Theology as a Science

We begin our "Introduction to Theology" series by looking at some terms which help define what theology is, and isn't. 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)

#### 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.



**MASS INTENTIONS  
FOR THE WEEK  
MAY 8<sup>TH</sup>  
THROUGH  
MAY 16<sup>TH</sup>**

Saturday	8:15am	✠ Ann Moore	Dee Reiter
Saturday	5:00pm	✠ Maria (Em) Follin	Lila Blackmon
Sunday	8:00am	Mothers Day Novena	
Sunday	9:30am	Mothers Day Novena	
Sunday	11:00am	Mothers Day Novena	
Sunday	12:30pm	Mothers Day Novena	
Sunday	5:00pm	Mothers Day Novena	
Monday	7:00am	Mothers Day Novena	
Tuesday	7:00am	Mothers Day Novena	
Wednesday	7:00am	Mothers Day Novena	
Thursday	7:00pm	Mothers Day Novena	
Friday	8:15am	Mothers Day Novena	
Saturday	8:15am	Mr. & Mrs. Lee Gomez 50th Wedding Anniversary	Richard Boisvert
Saturday	5:00pm	Mothers Day Novena	
Sunday	8:00am	Mothers Day Novena	
Sunday	9:30am	Mothers Day Novena	
Sunday	11:00am	Mothers Day Novena	
Sunday	12:30pm	Mothers Day Novena	
Sunday	5:00pm	Mothers Day Novena	



Love  
one  
another

**A Message From Father Gio**

Our parish is dependent upon the weekly offertory collection to continue its ministry, its 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  
May 2, 2021**

**SUNDAY OFFERTORY**

**\$8848.00**

**ONLINE GIVING**

**\$2650.00**