

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

www.sasjrcc.org  
December 5, 2021

*second Sunday of*  
**ADVENT**



**Saint Anne**

216 East Liberty St.

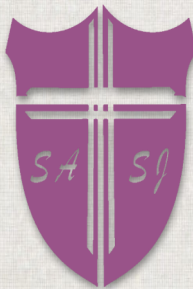
Mass Times:

Daily Mass: Thurs-Sat 8:15am

Vigil Mass 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 11:00am

Saturday: Confession 3:30pm-4:30pm



**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@sumterholyanimals.com (803) 775-3632**

# Holy Angels Academy

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

Offering a Fresh Approach, Holy Angels Academy has 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)

**Holy Angels Academy has introduced the "Adopt A Student" Program. Information Packets have been mailed to every parish household. Additional Packets are available in the back of the Churches.**

**Parents, DO NOT let the Financial Obligation keep you from considering our Parish School for your Children.**



## CARDINAL NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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:

- GLORIA FIORINI
- PAM EAKER
- CLAIRE BLACK
- ALICE FOXWORTH
- DAVID MARCELLA
- EDWARD MILLISKI
- COLEEN REYLING
- JAMES PACK
- DIANNE TRAPINI
- JESUS VELAZQUEZ
- TAM PHAM
- WILLIAM RICKERD
- MICHELLE BRIGGS
- BARBARA DUPREE
- BRIAN CONKLIN
- DANITA RUSSELL
- PAUL GOBER
- AMY FERRELL
- HAYES E. BAKER
- MAMIE WILLIAMS
- ANDREE BESSETTE
- FLOSSIE BRAILSFORD
- SETH DYKE
- JEFF GUEST
- TONY MANCINI
- GAIL JOHNSON
- TALMADGE RIDDICK
- ARTHUR BERNDT III
- SHIRLEY JOHNSON
- ROBERT WALKER
- ELIZABETH MILLS SUN
- BARBARA CAIN
- JIM FIELD
- MARY ELLEN MILLER
- ARCELIA FERNANDEZ
- JAMIE FERNANDEZ
- TED TRAPINI
- ANA JOSEPHINA
- HERNANDEZ-ZARATE

### Our Commitment To A Safe Environment

As Christian adults, we have a moral and legal responsibility and are entrusted by God with the spiritual, emotional and physical well being of minors and vulnerable adults as they participate in activities within or sponsored by our Diocese. It is our responsibility and commitment to provide an environment which is safe and nurturing.

In order to achieve this, the diocese has a Safe Environment Program that implements training, screening, background checks and other procedures that are designed to reduce the risk of sexual abuse of children and vulnerable adults. Every parish, school and Diocesan agency has the program and each is responsible for program implementation and continuation.

**Diocesan Office of Child Protective Services**  
Bonnie Sigers 843-261-0430

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

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

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## FREE FOUR-YEAR-OLD KINDERGARTEN

Choose a 4-year-old kindergarten program in your area. Our statewide network of providers are committed to safe, healthy classrooms and quality learning experiences for every child.



SUNDAY DECEMBER 5	MONDAY DECEMBER 6	TUESDAY DECEMBER 7	WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 8
<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>Confirmation Class #7</b></p>	<p>Daily Mass 7:00am St. Jude</p> <p>Parish Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm</p>	<p>Daily Mass 7:00am St. Jude</p> <p>Parish Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm</p> <p><b>Adoration</b> <b>After Morning Mass -</b> <b>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>Religious Education</b> <b>Attend Mass Together</b></p> <p><b>RCIA</b> <b>7:00pm-9:00pm ~St. Anne</b></p>

# 3<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL SASJ NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS.....

## DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE IN NEED THIS CHRISTMAS?

THIS YEAR, SAINT ANNE AND SAINT JUDE CHURCH WILL BE FOCUSING OUR FINANCES AND HELP ON THE INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES IN OUR OWN PARISH COMMUNITY.

### HOW IT WORKS:

- IF YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW (IN OUR PARISH) IS IN NEED THIS CHRISTMAS, FILL OUT AND RETURN THE BRIEF INFORMATIONAL FORM TO THE PARISH OFFICE NO LATER THAN

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29<sup>TH</sup>**

\*THIS FORM IS AVAILABLE FROM THE PARISH OFFICE, ON THE BACK TABLE OF EITHER CHURCH LOCATION OR ON OUR WEBSITE [WWW.SASJRCC.ORG](http://WWW.SASJRCC.ORG). CALL THE OFFICE, WE'LL EMAIL A FORM AT YOUR REQUEST.

- INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES WHO ARE CHOSEN (BASED ON NEED) WILL BE ASSIGNED AN ALPHA-NUMERIC CODE. NO NAMES OR IDENTIFYING INFORMATION WILL BE USED. GIFT ITEMS REQUESTED WILL BE PLACED ON TAGS AND HUNG ON THE TREES OR WREATHS IN CHURCH ON THE WEEKEND OF **DECEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup> / 5<sup>TH</sup>**.
- PARISHIONERS WHO WISH TO HELP SOMEONE IN NEED, SELECT A TAG, PURCHASE A GIFT, AND RETURN THE WRAPPED GIFT TO THE PARISH OFFICE.

WRAPPED GIFTS NEED TO BE RETURNED TO THE PARISH OFFICE BY **DECEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup>** FOR DISTRIBUTION BEFORE CHRISTMAS!!

## Christmas Eve Mass

Friday, December 24<sup>th</sup>

5:00pm Children's Mass ~ St Anne

8:00pm Mass ~ St Anne

12:00 Midnight Mass ~ St Jude

## Christmas Day Mass

Saturday, December 25<sup>th</sup>

8:00am Mass ~ St Anne

10:00am ~ St Jude

12:00pm ~ St Jude (Spanish)



The angel said to them,  
"Do not be afraid; for  
behold, I proclaim to you  
good news of great joy that  
will be for all the people."

-Luke 2:10



### The Immaculate Conception

Wednesday, December 8

7:00am St. Jude

8:15am St. Anne

12:15pm St. Anne

6:00pm St. Jude

7:30pm St. Jude (Spanish)

### Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Saturday, December 11<sup>th</sup>

Rosary 6:30pm ~ Saint Anne

Mass 7:00pm

An Outdoor Fellowship  
will be held after Mass.



THURSDAY DECEMBER 9	FRIDAY DECEMBER 10	SATURDAY DECEMBER 11	SUNDAY DECEMBER 12
Daily Mass 8:15am St. Anne  Parish Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm	Daily Mass 8:15am St. Anne  Parish Office Hours 9:00am-4:00pm	Daily Mass 8:15am St. Anne <b>CONFESSION ST. ANNE 3:30PM-4:30PM</b> Vigil Mass at St. Anne 5:00pm English Our Lady of Guadalupe 6:30pm St. Anne	Sunday Mass at St. Anne 8:00am English 11:00am English  Sunday Mass at St. Jude 9:30am English 12:30pm Spanish 5:00pm English <b>NO Confirmation Class</b>

**Confirmation**  
**9th grade**  
**Every Other Sunday**  
**3:00pm—4:45pm**  
**St. Jude Parish Hall**

December '21						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	S
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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DECEMBER '21						
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**Religious Education**  
**K(4) -8th Grade**  
**Wednesday**  
**5:45pm– 7:00pm**  
**St. Jude Parish Hall**



## ADVENT SERVICE PROJECT 2021

This year, the SASJ Confirmation Class is collecting items to help the woman, teens and children who are currently at Camp Atterbury in Indiana.

The National Guard estimates nearly 7,000 evacuees are being housed at the base in Southern Indiana. Nearly half of the Afghan refugee population at Camp Atterbury is under 14 years old, with families averaging seven to eight people. They are in desperate need of the following items to help care for these families.

Please help us in collecting the following items:

- Diapers for 6 months and up
- Baby Wipes
- Feminine Care Products
- Hygiene Essentials (Soap, Shampoo, Toothpaste, etc....)
- Warm Clothing (Gloves, Scarves, Hats, New Socks, Coats, Blankets)

Collection Dates are  
**November 28<sup>th</sup> – December 12<sup>th</sup>**

*Confirmation Class*  
**2021-2022**



*Saint Anne and Saint Jude*  
**Catholic Church**

## LIVE THE LITURGY

*INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK*

Sometimes, especially when life gets overwhelming and difficult, we can find ourselves feeling a bit downhearted and miserable. Wallowing in this uncomfortable darkness seems to be our norm and it's difficult to see a way out of, or through, this experience. If we listen carefully enough, we will hear God's voice calling out deep within, beckoning us to seek out its source and discover the inner calm and peace that can prevail over the darkness of despair. Faith tells us that God has already begun the creation of a good work in us and is with us, bringing it to completion, until Christ Jesus comes again. It is this light of God's glory for which we are asked to pave the way and straighten the paths of our lives so that it can shine. With all that life can ask of us and bring to us, it is our task to constantly discern what is of value. So that we do not get so weighed down by things that we no longer see, or feel, God's salvation.

**SASJ Youth Ministry**  
**Youth 6<sup>th</sup> Grade to 12<sup>th</sup> Grade**  
**Sunday 6:15-8:15pm**

**Sunday, December 5th for Youth Group**

**YOUTH, Join us every 1st & 3rd Wednesday for IGNIGHT at St. Jude from 5:45pm– 7:15pm a Scripture Deep Dive !!**

**This is a perfect event for anyone who wants to dig a little deeper into the Gospels !!**  
**For more information, contact [Deacongreg@sasjrcc.org](mailto:Deacongreg@sasjrcc.org)**



**PARISH  
PASTORAL  
PLAN**

Check out the entire Pastoral Plan at: [www.sasjrcc.org](http://www.sasjrcc.org)

OR open the camera app on your smart phone and hold it up to the QR Code



Join Us For **IGNIGHT** *In Search of God Night* on the first and third Wednesday of the month. 5:45–7:15pm at St. Jude

Our Next **IGNIGHT** is Wed, December 15th Beginning in January, join us for **IGNIGHT** as we begin a new series **“This is our Faith”**. Geared toward the adults in our community, but everyone is welcome. Starting **January 5th, Fr. Gio will Present “What is Faith” !!**

**El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos (RICA)**

¿Quieres ser parte de la Iglesia Católica en forma plena? ¿Quieres saber más sobre la fe católica? ¿ Te bautizaron, pero no has hecho tu primera Comunión ni te has confirmado? RICA es el proceso para dar la bienvenida a adultos como miembros plenos de la Iglesia Católica. El curso va de septiembre a mayo de cada año y se lleva a cabo los domingos, en el Centro Parroquial de San Judas, de 10:30 am a 12:15 pm, precisamente antes de la Misa en español de las 12:30. ¡Las puertas están abiertas para quienes quieran saber más sobre las enseñanzas de la fe católica! Si estás interesado o conoces a alguien a quien le interese por favor llama a Ma. Elena dejando un texto al 803 840 5149, o dejando un recado hablado al 803 773 5606. También puedes hablar con cualquiera de los sacerdotes.

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

Are you thinking about joining the Catholic Church? Do you want to know more about the Catholic faith? Are you a baptized Catholic but have not received First Communion or Confirmation? RCIA is the process for welcoming adults into the Catholic Church. RCIA for St. Anne & St. Jude and Our Lady of the Skies (Shaw AFB) meets on Wednesdays, 7 to 9 PM, in the St. Anne Parish Hall at 216 E Liberty Street. The doors are open to all who want to know more about the life and teaching of the Catholic faith!

If you are interested or know someone who is, please call Jackie Francis, our RCIA Coordinator, at 803-469-4584 or speak to your parish priest or the Catholic coordinator at Shaw AFB. It is with deep gratitude that we start a new year of thank yous for our RCIA hospitality volunteers.



**COME AND JOIN US IN  
CELEBRATING  
CHRISTMAS  
NOVENA MASSES**

- Dec 15<sup>th</sup> – Opening Mass  
6:00pm St. Anne  
5:00pm Confession  
Potluck Fellowship to follow
- Dec 16<sup>th</sup> – 6:00pm St. Jude  
5:00pm Confession
- Dec 17<sup>th</sup> – 6:00pm St. Jude  
5:00pm Confession
- Dec 18<sup>th</sup> – 5:00pm St. Anne  
3:30pm Confession
- Dec 19<sup>th</sup> – All Weekend Masses
- Dec 20<sup>th</sup> – 6:00pm St. Jude  
5:00pm Confession
- Dec 21<sup>st</sup> – 6:00pm St. Jude  
5:00pm Confession
- Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> – 6:00pm St. Jude  
5:00pm Confession
- Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> – Closing Mass  
6:00pm St. Anne  
5:00pm Confession  
Potluck Fellowship to follow



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 (839) 465-3913.

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).

### 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 The Parish Office (803) 773-3524

### 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

### SASJ Sunday Adult Ed Group

The Creed: Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son, Part II

We continue our examination of the reality of God's only begotten Son, Jesus Christ and the mystery of the Incarnation. We meet in the Adult Ed room at St. Anne after the 8:00 AM Mass on Sundays. Coffee and donuts are available. For more information, contact Charley Francis at 803-469-4584 or [cfrancis@ftc-i.net](mailto:cfrancis@ftc-i.net).

### Catholic Sewing Group

The Catholic Ladies of Sumter sewing group consists of ladies who like to be involved in making things for people in nursing homes or hospitals, the military or the homeless and the parish. You do not have to know how to sew. If you can sort fabric, match colors, cut, iron cut pin or visit, you are more than welcome to join us, and if you would like, we can teach you! The more hands, the more we can accomplish. Our quilts are our biggest projects, but we also knit and crochet lap quilts, hats and scarves for the coat sale. We made bibs for baptism and stoles for confirmation. We meet on Mondays at noon. We look forward to having you join us call Joan Mudd, president, Ladies Guild, 803-236-9649 or Mary Weir, Ladies Sewing Group, 803-316-8459

**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 3:30-4:30pm prior to the 5:00pm Vigil Mass and by appointment.

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

### Sacramentos:

**Bautismo** - Favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial para obtener información sobre las platicas 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.

**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.

## Sacrificial Offering November 28th, 2021

**SUNDAY OFFERTORY**  
**\$ 5168.00**

**ONLINE GIVING**  
**\$ 1460.00**

### 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. If you are able, you may drop your weekly offertory in the basket during mass, mail in your weekly offertory checks to the parish, 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 of our parish!

### Did you know that our parish has an Email Prayer Chain?

Email or call Andrea Marcella with your prayer requests (803) 840-3892 or amarcella1206@yahoo.com



## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK DECEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup> THROUGH DECEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup>

Saturday	8:15am	✠Brian Fitzgerald	
Saturday	5:00pm	✠Mary Jean Wessely	Margaret Sullivan
Sunday	8:00am	✠Wanda Martinsky	Blanchette Family
Sunday	9:30am	Intentions of Michelle Knaff	Gloria Domrese
Sunday	11:00am	✠Jennifer Murphy	Murphy Family
Sunday	12:30pm	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	
Sunday	5:00pm	✠John & Fay Riggs	Riggs Family
Monday	7:00am	✠Richard Jansen	Tess Duggan
Tuesday	7:00am	Intentions of Jim & Barbara Acchino Healing mass	Eaker Family
Wednesday	7:00am	✠Robert E. Connelly	Fran Cecil
	8:15am	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	
	12:15pm	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	
	6:00pm	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	
	7:30pm	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	
Thursday	8:15am	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	
Friday	8:15am	✠Karen Krumback	Weimer Family
Saturday	8:15am	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	
Saturday	5:00pm	✠Monica Harbuck	Margaret Sullivan
	7:00pm	Hispanic Community	
Sunday	8:00am	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	
Sunday	9:30am	Intentions of The Domrese Family	Gloria Domrese
Sunday	11:00am	✠Matias Justin	Weimer Family
Sunday	12:30pm	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	
Sunday	5:00pm	Parishoners of St. Anne & St. Jude	

### OUR NEW CHURCH UPDATE NOV 1, 2021

- Projected monies available for our building project is 4.45 million dollars (soft costs estimated at .6 million), 3.85 million net for site work and building. OFOF D&L 48720 3.24 million cash It's TIME 1.21 million pledges Total monies 4.45 million cash and pledges.
- We have applied for a loan from the Diocese for 1.2 million, based on our outstanding pledges only. Because we have ongoing pledges redemption, we will probably need a loan for only 500k.
- We had a meeting with Mashburn Construction on October 25 to review our updated building plans and assess value engineering. We have a follow up meeting with Mashburn on Nov 18 in Columbia.
- We plan a BRAC presentation on Thursday 11 November for approval of our updated site plan and construction documents.
- We have formed a 10 member Artifact Committee to catalogue and recommend which artifacts we transfer to our new church and the timing of the transfer. Our first meeting was on October 11 and the second meeting was October 25. This committee is also pricing pews for our new church.
- We are in the process of obtaining civil engineered civil site plan approval from The Sumter Planning Commission (on their meeting agenda for December 13) and obtaining building permits.
- Pending BRAC and Loan approval, we plan to have a "shovel in the ground" in January 2022 and worship in our new church by Christmas 2022.

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.