



All Saints

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#### April 19, 2020



#### **PARISH STAFF**

#### **SACRAMENTS**

Pastor: Rev. John Giuliani, C. O., 803-493-1714

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#### Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m. Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, Thursday & Friday Mass: 9:30 a.m.

#### **Reconciliation/Confession Times**

Saturdays: 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

#### **Church Office Hours**

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

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

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

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

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

#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

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

#### Stewardship Reflection on Lectionary Readings — April 19, 2020

#### Second Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy)

#### ACTS 2:42-47; PS 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 PT 1:3-9; JN 20:19-31

The Christian steward approaches life with an "Easter vision" rooted in gratitude for and confidence in the salvation our Lord has won for us through His death and Resurrection. Today's readings on this Divine Mercy Sunday teach us how this approach plays out in daily life and reminds us that we can have complete trust in the mercy of God to lead us, step by step, to heaven.



Our first reading, from the Acts of the Apostles, describes this beautiful way of life as it was practiced by the first Christians. "They devoted themselves to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life, to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers." And, "They ate their meals with exultation and sincerity of heart, praising God and enjoying favor with all the people." This is a snapshot of the very first community of Christian stewards living out their daily life — embracing prayer (the breaking of the bread), formation (the teaching of the apostles), hospitality (the communal life and fellowship through joyful meals together) and mutual service. What an inspiration to us modern-day stewards!

The Easter season is not the time to let up in the practice of our faith now that Lent is behind us. Rather, it is a time to live our faith with deeper joy and gratitude as we bask in the celebration of our Lord's victory over sin and death for us. St. Peter summarizes this Easter outlook eloquently in our second reading. Our daily lives should be a reflection of this attitude: "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who in his great mercy gave us a new birth to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is... kept in heaven for you." St. Peter acknowledges that life can be difficult however, saying that "In this you rejoice, although now for a little while you may have to suffer through various trials."

Certainly it is challenging to live for heaven when the things of the earth — job stress, family crisis, health troubles, political strife — loom large on the horizon. We can find ourselves becoming cynical like the Apostle, Thomas, in our Gospel passage today — until he had an encounter with the merciful Savior. We all recall the famous line from Thomas who was not present with the other Apostles during Jesus' first appearance after the Resurrection. Beaten down by the events of the last several days, Thomas refuses to believe that the others had indeed "seen the Lord" as they claimed.

Thomas stubbornly declares he would not believe their story about the Lord unless he placed his finger into the nail marks and his hand into His side. Yet, these doubts did not repel our Lord. They actually drew Him to Thomas in an extraordinary way. Our merciful Lord saw that beneath the hubris in Thomas' statement were pain and disappointment. Our Lord is mercy itself. And so He did not condemn Thomas, but calmed his doubts and fears, and allowed Thomas to actually touch those Sacred Wounds.

What amazing grace.

When we are tempted to give in to doubts to the faith, for whatever the reason, all we need to do is seek the Lord — in prayer, in the sacraments, through the encouragement of our Christian communities — and just as He did for Thomas, our Lord will mercifully restore our Easter vision and fill us with His joy and peace.

- Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants

#### **TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading — Those who believed shared all things in common. (Acts 2:42-47)

Psalm — "Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, his love is everlasting." (Psalm 118)

Second Reading — God has given us new birth. (1 Peter 1:3-9)

Gospel — "May Lord and my God! (John 20:19-31)

We celebrate God's mercy today—that gift of compassionate forgiveness that is offered to all. For generations people had turned away from God, failing to respect the law or the prophets. Yet God sent us the Son, who took upon himself the sins of the world in order to redeem us all. Let our presence here today be a sign of our gratitude as we lift up our hearts and voices to the author of divine mercy

#### **MAGNIFICAT**

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#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

	April 15	
9:30 am	Paul Burley	†
	April 16	
9:30 am	Juanita Garcia	+
	April 17	
9:30 am	Van Arnum Family	†
	April 18	
5:00 pm	Rose Petrassi	†
	April 19	
8:00 am	Amelia Drazin	†
11:0 am	Miriam and Dick Gibson	†

Fr. Ed will be saying these Mass Intentions at the Oratory as he is able.

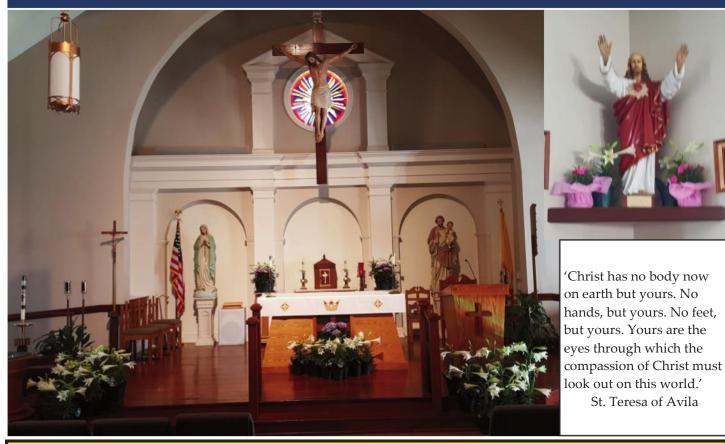
#### **2 Corinthians 4:16-18**

Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all. So fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

#### An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace
You as if You were already there and unite
myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be
separated from You.

Amen.



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#### **EWTN**

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#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Faith Formation, Joanne Kazista	.367-3299	
Confirmation		
Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)		
Preschool Bible Story Hour		
Baptism Class, Deacon Andy Fatovic and		
Deacon John Hall	.831-9095	
R.C.I.A., Fr. John Giuliani	.831-9095	
Adult Faith Study,		
Jon & Pat Varvel	.831-8247	
Bible Study,		
Fr. John Giuliani	.831-9095	
Women's Bible Study		
Dana Hogue	-451-5707	

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Wedding Coordinator, Ricki Alley831-2063

#### **PARISH ORGANIZATIONS**

Men's Club, Kirk Bumbe	er	704-502-8170
Women's Organization,	Lidia Sundber	g 526-2547

#### **REGISTRATION**

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

#### **CLOSED WEEKENDS FOR 2020**

May 16 - 17	June 20 - 21
July 18 - 19	August 15 - 16
September 26 - 27	November 14 - 15
December 26 - 27	

#### **MINISTRIES**

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Adult Senior Fellowship, Peggy Hamilton701-7334		
Altar Servers, Deacon Andy 609-439-6134		
Annulments, Rita Kincaid		
Bereavement Ministry, Joan Epping831-8060		
Catechists, Joanne Kazista367-3299		
Dining Out Group, Mary Long746-5881		
Employment Search Ministry, Lou Foery627-4743		
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Deacon Andy		
Finance Council, Jerry Epping831-6838		
Friends of the Oratory, Jon Varvel831-8247		
Greeters, Stephanie Cates831-0075		
GriefShare, Charlene Horgan704-517-9193		
Historian, Russ Bumba315-6802		
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Martha's & Mary's, Mickey Dillon322-9924		
Music Coordinator, Kathy Lichter684-1492		
Organist 5:00 p.m., Kaye Lewis831-1983		
Organist 11:00 a.m., Cecilia Carlson389-3233		
Contact 8:00 a.m., AJ Rohaly 704-941-7455		
Children's Choir, Mary Beth Hall818-8206		
Newcomers Ministry, Mary Long746-5881		
Parish Pastoral Council, Fr. John Giuliani		
831-9095		
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Prayer Shawl Ministry, Kathy Rapp684-7852		
Ranger Rosary, Julie Byrne704-825-4386		
Respect for Life, Connor Leahy746-5545		
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Ushers, Deacon Andy 609-439-6134		
Wholistic Ministry, Pam Cullen 443-223-1326		
Middle and High School Youth		
Ministry, Fr. John Giuliani,831-9095		

## PARISH ALLOWED ORGANIZATIONS

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Fertility Care (NFP), Grace Targonski	. 717-817-1417	
Friends of Bill W	675-6411	
Girl Scouts, Melinda Bumber	. 815-919-4503	
Girl Scouts, Kristy Strong	. 810-241-3631	
Knights of Columbus Council, Bob Altenburg		
	. 631-379-4119	
Knights of Columbus Assembly, Joe Albanese		
-	. 704-493-8600	
Legion of Mary, Kate Eastaway	. 918-671-0970	

## BLESSINGS OF FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

The tithe for the weekend of April 12th is for the Pastor's Discretion.

#### Collection for the 4/5/2020 Weekend

Offertory	\$5,197.00	
Offertory (Online Giving)	\$5,326.00	
Friends of the Oratory		
Building Fund	\$345.00	
Holy Land		
Catholic Relief	\$115.00	
Easter	\$670.00	
Votive	\$74.86	
Home Missions	\$20.00	
Families in need	\$500.00	
Adults: Children:		
Total Attendance:		
The Building Fund total is	\$259,965.77	
Weekly Offertory Budget	\$13,955.00	
Offertory Collection this week	\$10,523.00	
•	(-\$3,432.00)	
Total Attendance: The Building Fund total is Weekly Offertory Budget Offertory Collection this week	\$13,955.00\$10,523.00	

The tithe of \$519.00 for the weekend of April 5th is for the Sisters of Charity.

We will post all current information from the Diocese of Charleston on our website. For your convenience Online Giving is available on our website at allsaintslakewylie.com.

#### **UPCOMING COLLECTIONS**

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