# Saptism of the Lord

After Jesus was baptized, he came up from the water and behold, the heavens were opened for him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon him.

Matthew 3:16



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January 10, 2021



# PARISH STAFF

## SACRAMENTS

Pastor: Rev. John Giuliani, C. O., 803-493-1714 Parochial Vicar: Rev. Edward McDevitt, C. O., 803-526-7875 Deacons: Deacon John Hall Deacon Andrew J. Fatovic

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Sr. Pushpa Jose

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Mass Schedule Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m. Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Tuesday Communion Service 9:30 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.

# **MASS INTENTIONS**

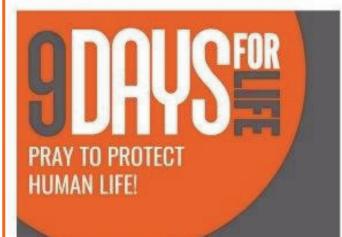
	January 9	
5:00 pm	John Hoye	+
	January 10	
8:00 am	Donald Needham	+
11:00 am	JoAnne Saltarello	+
	January 13	
7:00 pm	Ron Marsella	+
	January 14	
5:00 pm	Rosinha Rodrigues	+
	January 15	
9:30 am	Mike Muscatell	+

# THE WEEK AHEAD

Saturday 1/9, Christmas Weekday 9:00 am - 12:00 pm Men's Renewal - McGivney 4:00 pm Confessions 5:00 pm Mass + John Hoye Sunday 1/10, THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD 8:00 am Mass + Donald Needham 9:00 am Faith Formation B 11:00 am Mass + JoAnne Saltarello 6:30 pm Faith Formation B Monday 1/11, Weekday 6:30 pm Women's Renewal - McGivney 7:00 pm Boy Scouts - St. Peter Tuesday 1/12 Weekday 9:30 am Communion Service 6:00 pm Knights of Columbus Officers - McGivney Wednesday 1/13, Weekday 9:30 am Mass + Ron Marsella 6:00 pm Women's Bible Study - McGivney Thursday 1/14, Weekday 9:30 pm Mass + Rosinha Rodrigues 10:00 am Women's Bible Study - McGivney 5:00 pm Women's Bible Study via Zoom 5:30 pm Legion of Mary - Lending Library

## **THE WEEK AHEAD continued**

Friday 1/	<b>15, Weekday</b> (Sunday Obligation Mass)
9:30 pm	Mass + Mike Muscatell
	Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion
Saturday	1/16, Weekday
10:00 am	- 1:00 pm Men's Renewal - McGivney
11:00 am	Giacometti Baptism
3:30 pm	Prayer Shawl - McGivney
4:00 pm	Confessions
5:00 pm	Mass + Tom Inderrieden
Sunday 1/17, Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:00 am	Mass + Richard Nyman
9:30 am	Faith Study - McGivney
11:00 am	Mass + Addis and Leonard Assman
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#### JANUARY 21 – 29, 2021

9 Days for Life is a novena for The protection of human life. Each day's intention is Accompanied by a short Reflection and suggested Actions to help build a culture of life.

Join today at www.9daysforlife.com!

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## **TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading — Come to the water. (Isaiah 55:1-11) Psalm - "You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation." (Isaiah 12) Second Reading — To love God is to keep God's commandments. (1 John 5:1-9) Gospel — The Spirit of God descends like a dove. (Mark 1:7-11)

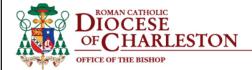
Isaiah proclaims the Lord's invitation: "All you who are thirsty, come to the water." John the Baptist invites everyone to come to the water as well, but tells them that the one who is coming will baptize with the Holy Spirit. John tells us that the Spirit testifies to the truth. Reborn in the waters of baptism and filled with the Spirit, we listen to God's word, searching for the truth.



The flowers on the altar this weekend were donated by Julie Byrne in memory of Robert Koch

Christ gave us a great gift of Himself on Christmas. He calls us to give of ourselves to everyone, especially our spouse. Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and learn how to be the best gift you can be for your spouse. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on Jan 29-31, 2021 in North Myrtle Beach, SC and Apr 15-May 6, 2021 in VIRTUAL 3RE, SC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at:

<u>https://SCMarriageMatters.org</u> or contact us <u>atapplications@scmarriagematters.org</u> or 803-810-9602.



My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

On December 30th of this year, I will turn 75 years of age and in accordance with Canon Law, I must submit my resignation as Bishop of the Diocese of Charleston to the Holy Father.

It has been a wonderful twelve years as your bishop and I thank each of you for your support and prayers. These years have been full of great promise and substantial growth thanks to each of you and our faithful priests and religious serving in the diocese. Although I will have sent in my resignation, nothing changes until the Holy Father accepts it and appoints a new bishop; that could take a few months or even longer and, until that time, I will remain your bishop.

I have indicated to the Holy Father that I will continue to serve in this capacity as long as he desires.

May Christmas blessings, be yours in abundance and may 2021 be a source of blessings for us all

In the Lord's Peace,

+ Pohert E Guglielmore

Most Reverend Robert E. Guglielmone, *Bishop of Charleston* 



The South Carolina Council of Catholic Women Reverend William F. Pentis Memorial Scholarship was established in 2009 to honor Father Pentis, an Oratorian Father, who served as Moderator for the Council and provided spiritual support for more than 30 years. This scholarship is for graduating high school Catholic females. Application information for 2021 can be found through the link below:

https://www.scccw.org/scholarship

For your convenience Online Giving is available on our website at allsaintslakewylie.com.

## Stewardship Reflection on Lectionary Readings

#### January 10, 2021 — The Baptism of the Lord

Our Christmas season concludes with the beginning of Jesus' public ministry, the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Jesus was not baptized because He needed to repent — rather, He was revealing who He is and what He came to do. By submitting to the baptism of John, He affirmed His humanity, revealed His divinity as the Son of God, and signaled His mission to save man from sin.

Although Jesus' baptism was just the beginning of His ministry, it revealed all that He came to accomplish. And it is from His mission that we can receive the Sacrament of Baptism — the moment we become adopted sons and daughters of God. From that moment, we belong to Christ — we become His stewards. Our lives should be a reflection of this relationship. The way we live and act should reveal Whose we are. Our readings today call us to reflect on what it means to be a Christian steward — to belong to Christ.

The prophet Isaiah shares a message of hope, "Why spend your money for what is not bread, your wages for what fails to satisfy? Heed me, and you shall eat well, you shall delight in rich fare." We can take these words from Isaiah and ask ourselves, "Who is the king of our hearts?" As Christian stewards, it should be God. We often fill our thoughts and our lives with things that satisfy us only for a moment. If we truly do belong to Christ, then we will make Him our top priority. And what we fill our lives with should reveal that He is King. Remember, the Lord will satisfy the deepest longings of our hearts. He will fill us with a feeling of lasting peace and contentment.

John, reminds us that belonging to Christ requires commitment, "For the love of God is this, that we keep his commandments." In our fast-paced lives, we should ask ourselves, what commands our life? Is it God and His commands? Keeping Christ's commandments will not only deepen our relationship with Him but also help us become better stewards to others, "In this way we know that we love the children of God when we love God and obey his commandments." Through our faithfulness, we will become stewards of Christ's love and mercy. It is out of love that God gave us these commandments, and if we truly belong to Christ, we will keep them.

In Mark's Gospel account of Jesus' baptism, he reveals the intimate relationship between God the Father, God the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Once Jesus was baptized, the Holy Spirit descended upon Jesus and God the Father proclaimed, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased." By our baptism, we have become God's beloved sons and daughters. We, too, have access to an intimate relationship with God. But like all good relationships, it flourishes with effort. How we spend our time and share our gifts says a great deal about Whose we are. We must do our part as Christian stewards to spend time with the One to Whom we belong, and to serve the One we love.

As we celebrate the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord today, let us reflect on what it means to be a son or daughter of God. Let us resolve with conviction to make God the King of our hearts, live by His commands, and share with Him our time and gifts. Let us pray that our lives might be a reflection of our relationship with Christ.

- Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants



## **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Faith Formation, Joanne Kazista		
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	

# SUPPORT OF THE PARISH

Building Maintenance, Jim Tully831-8256
Bulletin, Wendy Mason
Flowers & Plants, Linda Schifferle 704-678-5385
Kitchen Keepers, Rich and Sue Kruger 847-878-9725
Landscaping, Jim Tully831-8256
Parish Liaison, Mary Cussen 708-785-6112
Safe Environment, Joanne Kazista
Safety Team, Joe DePalma 704-301-8149
Saint Vincent de Paul, Fr. Ed McDevitt831-9095
Sound, Jim Bryant
Wedding Coordinator, Ricki Alley831-2063

### **PARISH ORGANIZATIONS**

### 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 2021**

January 30-31 March 27-28 May 29-30 February 27-28 April 3-4 June 19-20

#### **MINISTRIES**

Adult Senior Fellowship, Peggy Hamilton701-7334
Altar Servers, Deacon Andy
Annulments, Rita Kincaid
Bereavement Ministry, Joan Epping
Catechists, Joanne Kazista
Dining Out Group, Mary Long746-5881
Employment Search Ministry, Lou Foery627-4743 Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist,
Deacon Andy
Finance Council, Jerry Epping
Friends of the Oratory, Jon Varvel
Greeters, Stephanie Cates
GriefShare, Charlene Horgan
Historian, Russ Bumba
Homebound Ministry, Deacon Andy 609-439-6134
Lectors, Deacon Andy
Martha's & Mary's, Mickey Dillon
Music Coordinator, Kathy Lichter
Organist 5:00 p.m., Kaye Lewis
Organist 11:00 a.m., Cecilia Carlson
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
Prayer Angels, Carla Cullon831-8549
Prayer Shawl Ministry, Kathy Rapp684-7852
Ranger Rosary, Julie Byrne 704-825-4386
Respect for Life, Connor Leahy
Sacristans, Stephanie Cates
Ushers, Deacon Andy 609-439-6134
Wholistic Ministry, Pam Cullen
Middle and High School Youth
Ministry, Fr. John Giuliani,

# PARISH ALLOWED ORGANIZATIONS

Boy Scouts, Chad Beaulieu	
Friends of Bill W	675-6411
Girl Scouts, Kristy Strong	
Knights of Columbus Council, Bob Altenburg	
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Knights of Columbus Assembly, Scottie Tilley	

# BLESSINGS OF FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

#### Collection for the 1/3/2021 Weekend

Offertory	\$7,838.00
Offertory (Online Giving)	
Friends of the Oratory	\$812.00
Building Fund	\$1,021.00
Christmas	\$350.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$1,219.00
Church in Latin America	
Votive	\$62.00

# Adults: 338 Children: 76 Total Attendance: 414

The Building Fund total is .....\$312,309.78 Weekly Offertory Budget.....\$12,400.00 Offertory Collection this week ......\$15,800.00

Thank you for your generosity.

The tithe of \$1,580.00 for the weekend of January 3 is for the Sisters of Charity.

The tithe of for the weekend of January 10th is for Clover Area Assistance Center.

#### UPCOMING COLLECTIONS-2021

January 2-3	Building Fund
January 23-24	Church in Latin America
February 6-7	Building Fund
February 13-14	Bishop's Stewardship
	Appeal
February 17	Eastern Europe
February 20-21	Black and Indian Missions



Don't forget that the Parish Pantry in the main kitchen has been stocked. You may come in anytime the church is open to take advantage of the pantry.





Are you interested in getting into healthcare to help your community and start a new career? Belaire Health Care Center is offering a course through Gaston College that will allow you to work as a Temporary Nurse Assistant. If selected, we will hire you and provide you the training so you can help care for and about those who may need it most. We also have opportunities to go through a complete CNA training program where you would be able to be paid to become certified as a nursing assistant. The temporary nursing assistant training is a great first step towards potentially being selected to go through the complete CNA training class. 2065 Lyon St, Gastonia, NC 28052 Leslie Sauceda, HRM • 704-867-7300 • Isauceda@mfa.net

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