



SECOND  
SUNDAY  
OF LENT

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2021

# ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00PM
Sunday	8:00, 9:30 & 11:30AM

### DAILY MASS

Monday – Thursday 9:00AM

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday	3:30-4:30PM or by appointment
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### HOLY DAYS

Check the bulletin and website

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday	9:30AM - 4:00PM
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**PARISH MEMBERSHIP**

Active members of our parish are identified by their generosity of time, talent, and treasure. Their stewardship is determined by:

- 1) Being properly registered and active for at least three months**
- 2) Faithful participation at weekly liturgies**
- 3) Regular and identifiable support of the parish**

These criteria are used to verify parishioner status for sponsor certificates; enrollment in parochial schools; participation in sacramental, educational, pastoral, and social ministries, activities and enrichment programs; and use of facilities and services. No activity shown for three months will move a person to inactive status.

The USCCB specifies that all adult members who have contact with youth or vulnerable adults in any parish-related activity are required to be screened by Child Protective Services. Please call the office for details.

**SACRAMENTAL POLICY**

**First Reconciliation/First Communion:** Celebrated in the 2nd grade, with 2 year preparation period required.

**Confirmation:** celebrated in the Fall of 9th grade according to the Bishop’s schedule. The candidate must consistently attend 6th, 7th, and 8th grades.

**Marriage:** Engaged couples must be active parishioners for at least 6 months prior to the wedding and successfully complete the marriage preparation program.

**Baptism:** Parents should be registered and active for at least 6 months. A Baptism Preparation class must be taken by one or both parents if this is your first child, or if it has been over three years since you’ve taken a Baptism class. The class can be taken either here or at another parish. Forms indicating the eligibility of Godparents (16+yrs of age, baptized/confirmed Catholic in good standing) must be received prior to setting the date for the baptism. Assistance in finding a suitable Godparent can be arranged upon request.

**HOSPITALIZED/HOMEBOUND**

Call the Parish Office to arrange for prayer, visitation, and Holy Communion. Please request the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick prior to entering the hospital. Do not wait until a loved one is critical to inform the staff! A priest is not always available to respond to emergency situations.

**HEARING IMPAIRED**

Listening devices are available. Please ask an usher for assistance.

**BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE**

Names and intentions in our Prayer Book are remembered in all daily Masses.

**PARISH INFORMATION**

Brochures, fliers, registration packets, educational materials, and other items can be found on our Information Wall located across from the Parish Office.

To receive parish emails and/or texts, go to our website ([stbenedictparish.org](http://stbenedictparish.org)) or to [flocknote.com/StBenedict6](http://flocknote.com/StBenedict6) or text “ROME” to 84576

**PARISH SUMMER OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday: 9:30 AM-4:00 PM  
Friday: Office Closed

**Parish Office Staff & Emails**  
**(@charlestdiocese.org)**

- Pastor: Fr. Mark Good.....stbenedict**
- Deacon Ed Long.....stbenedict**
- Deacon Stan Aviles.....stbenedict**
- Religious Education: Louise Henesy.....lhenesy**
- Pastoral Associate: Dan Lord.....dlord**
- Office: April Johnston.....ajohnston**
- Maintenance: Mike Fischer.....mfischer**
- Reception/Liturgical: Virginia Falcone.....vfalcone**
- Youth Minister: Ryan Altenbach.....raltenbach**

# THE ROMAN MISSAL



# THE ORDER OF MASS

## INTRODUCTORY RITES

**Entrance Antiphon:** Remember your compassion, O Lord, and your merciful love, for they are from of old. Let not our enemies exult over us. Redeem us, O God of Israel, from all our distress.

**Priest:** In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **All: Amen. Priest:** The Lord be with you. **All: And with your spirit.**

## PENITENTIAL ACT

All: I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, (striking breast) through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

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All: O earth, praise the Lord, glorify and exalt him, O God, Only God, who takes away our sins, pray for us, the Father, with the Holy Spirit, Amen.  
Priest: All: Sit

*Gloria omitted during Lent*

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## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

**FIRST READING** (GN 22:1-2, 9A, 10-13, 15-18)

God put Abraham to the test. He called to him, "Abraham!" "Here I am!" he replied. Then God said: "Take your son Isaac, your only one, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah. There you shall offer him up as a holocaust on a height that I will point out to you."

When they came to the place of which God had told him, Abraham built an altar there and arranged the wood on it. Then he reached out and took the knife to slaughter his son.

But the LORD's messenger called to him from heaven, "Abraham, Abraham!" "Here I am!" he answered. "Do not lay your hand on the boy," said the messenger. "Do not do the least thing to him. I know now how devoted you are to God, since you did not withhold from me your own beloved son." As Abraham looked about, he spied a ram caught by its horns in the thicket. So he went and took the ram and offered it up as a holocaust in place of his son. Again the LORD's messenger called to Abraham from heaven and said: "I swear by myself, declares the LORD, that because you acted as you did in not withholding from me your beloved son, I will bless you abundantly and make your descendants as countless as the stars of the sky and the sands of the seashore; your descendants shall take possession of the gates of their enemies, and in your descendants all

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the nations of the earth shall find blessing—all this because you obeyed my command."

The Word of the Lord.

**R: Thanks be to God.**

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM** (PS 116)

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.**

I believed, even when I said, "I am greatly afflicted." Precious in the eyes of the LORD is the death of his faithful ones.

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.**

O LORD, I am your servant;

I am your servant, the son of your handmaid; you have loosed my bonds.

To you will I offer sacrifice of thanksgiving, and I will call upon the name of the LORD.

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.**

My vows to the LORD I will pay

in the presence of all his people,

In the courts of the house of the LORD,

in your midst, O Jerusalem.

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.**

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**SECOND READING** (ROM 8:31B-34)

Brothers and sisters:

If God is for us, who can be against us?  
He who did not spare his own Son  
but handed him over for us all,  
how will he not also give us everything else along with him?

Who will bring a charge against God’s chosen ones?  
It is God who acquits us, who will condemn?  
Christ Jesus it is who died—or, rather, was raised—  
who also is at the right hand of God,  
who indeed intercedes for us.

The Word of the Lord.

**R: Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

**R. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory.**

From the shining cloud the Father’s voice is heard: this is my beloved Son, listen to him.

**R. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory.**

**GOSPEL** (MK 9:2-10)

**Priest:** The Lord be with you. **All:** And with your spirit.

**Priest:** A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

**All:** Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus took Peter, James, and John and led them up a high mountain apart by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them. Then Elijah appeared to them along with Moses, and they were conversing with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus in reply, “Rabbi, it is good that we are here! Let us make three tents: one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.” He hardly knew what to say, they were so terrified. Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, “This is my beloved Son. Listen to him.” Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them.

As they were coming down from the mountain, he charged them not to relate what they had seen to anyone, except when the Son of Man had risen from the dead. So they kept the matter to themselves, questioning what rising from the dead meant.

The Gospel of the Lord.

**R: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**PROFESSION OF FAITH**

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, [bow] and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man [bow ends]. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

**PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**

**Response: Lord, hear our prayer.**

**THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

PRESENTATION AND PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

*Bread and wine are brought to the altar table, and everything is prepared for the celebration of the Paschal Mystery. The bread is offered to the Lord first, followed by the wine, accompanied by prayers, to which all may respond:*

**Blessed be God forever.**

**Priest:** Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

**All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

**THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYERS**

**Priest:** The Lord be with you.

**All: And with your spirit.**

**Priest:** Lift up your hearts.

**All: We lift them up to the Lord.**

**Priest:** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right and just.**

### SANCTUS

**All:** Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

**Priest:** The mystery of faith.

**All: Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.**

## THE COMMUNION RITES

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

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### AGNUS DEI

**All:**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

**Priest:** Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

**All:** Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.

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## CONCLUDING RITES

*Stand*

**Priest:** The Lord be with you.

**All:** And with your spirit.

**Priest:** May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

**All:** Amen.

**Priest:** Go forth, the Mass is ended.

OR

Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord.

OR

Go in the peace, glorifying the Lord by your life.

**All:** Thanks be to God.

## POST-MASS PRAYERS

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all evil spirits who prowl throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.



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# EXAMINATION OF CONSCIENCE

This Lent, take advantage of the Sacrament of Confession given to us by Our Lord, so that you can be spiritually cleaned, healed, and ready for the Resurrection of Our Lord!

To help prepare yourself for Confession, use the guide below and on the next page. It's based on the Ten Commandments, and very useful for a thorough examination of conscience.

## **FIRST COMMANDMENT**

"I am the Lord your God. You shall not have strange gods before Me." (Ex 20:2,3)

Did I doubt or deny that God exists?  
Did I refuse to believe what God has revealed to us?  
Did I believe in fortune telling, horoscopes, dreams, the occult, good-luck charms, tarot cards, palmistry, Ouija boards, seances, reincarnation?  
Did I deny that I was Catholic?  
Did I leave the Catholic Faith?  
Did I give time to God each day in prayer?  
Did I love God with my whole heart?  
Did I despair of or presume on God's mercy?  
Did I have false gods in my life that I gave greater attention to than God, like money, profession, drugs, TV, fame, pleasure, property, etc.?

## **SECOND COMMANDMENT**

"You shall not take the Name of the Lord your God in vain." (Ex 20:7)

Did I blaspheme or insult God?  
Did I take God's name carelessly or uselessly?  
Did I curse, or break an oath or vow?  
Did I get angry with God?

## **THIRD COMMANDMENT**

"Remember that you keep holy the Sabbath Day." (Ex 20:8)

Did I miss Mass Sunday or a Holy Day of Obligation through my own fault?  
Did I come to Mass on time? Leave early?  
Did I do work on Sunday that was not necessary?  
Did I set aside Sunday as a day of rest and a family day?  
Did I show reverence in the presence of Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament?

## **FOURTH COMMANDMENT**

"Honor your father and your mother." (Ex 20:12)

Did I disobey or disrespect my parents or legitimate superiors?  
Did I neglect my duties to my husband, wife, children or parents?  
Did I neglect to give good religious example to my family?  
Did I fail to actively take an interest in the religious education and formation of my children?  
Did I fail to educate myself on the true teachings of the Church?  
Did I give scandal by what I said or did, especially to the young?  
Did I cause anyone to leave the faith?  
Did I cause tension and fights in my family?  
Did I care for my aged and infirm relatives?  
Did I give a full day's work for a full day's pay?  
Did I give a fair wage to my employees?

## **FIFTH COMMANDMENT**

"You shall not kill." (Ex 20:13)

Did I kill or physically injure anyone?  
Did I have an abortion, or advise someone else to have an abortion?  
Did I use or cause my spouse to use birth control pills (whether or not realizing that birth control pills do abort the fetus if and when conceived)?  
Did I attempt suicide?  
Did I take part in or approve of "mercy killing" (euthanasia)?  
Did I get angry, impatient, envious, unkind, proud, revengeful, jealous, hateful toward another, lazy?  
Did I give bad example by drug abuse, drinking alcohol to excess, fighting, quarreling?  
Did I abuse my children?

## **YOU CAN TEAR THIS PAGE OUT!**

This Examination of Conscience (plus a statement on the regulations for Lenten fasting and abstinence) continues on the next page.

### **SIXTH & NINTH COMMANDMENT**

"You shall not commit adultery." (Ex 20:14) "You shall not covet your neighbor's wife." (Ex 20:17)

Did I willfully entertain impure thoughts or desires?  
Did I use impure or suggestive words? Tell impure stories? Listen to them?

Did I deliberately look at impure TV, videos, plays, pictures or movies? Or deliberately read impure materials?

Did I commit impure acts by myself (masturbation)?  
Did I commit impure acts with another - fornication (premarital sex), adultery (sex with a married person)?

Did I practice artificial birth control (by pills, device, withdrawal)?

Did I marry or advise anyone to marry outside the Church?

Did I avoid the occasions of impurity?

Did I try to control my thoughts?

Did I engage in homosexual activity?

Did I respect all members of the opposite sex, or have I thought of other people as objects?

Did I or my spouse have sterilization done?

Did I abuse my marriage rights?

### **SEVENTH & TENTH COMMANDMENTS**

"You shall not steal." (Ex 20:15) "You shall not covet your neighbor's goods." (Ex 20:17)

Did I steal, cheat, help or encourage others to steal or keep stolen goods? Have I made restitution for stolen goods?

Did I fulfill my contracts; give or accept bribes; pay my bills; rashly gamble or speculate; deprive my family of the necessities of life?

Did I waste time at work, school or at home?

Did I envy other people's families or possessions?

Did I make material possessions the purpose of my life?

### **EIGHTH COMMANDMENT**

"You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor." (Ex 20:16)

Did I lie?

Did I deliberately deceive others, or injure others by lies?

Did I commit perjury?

Did I gossip or reveal others' faults or sins?

Did I fail to keep secret what should be confidential?

### **OTHER SINS**

Did I fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday?

Did I eat meat on the Fridays of Lent or Ash Wednesday?

Did I fail to receive Holy Communion during Eastertime?

Did I go to Holy Communion in a state of mortal sin?

Did I go to Holy Communion without fasting (water and medicine permitted) for one hour from food and drink?

Did I make a bad confession?

Did I fail to contribute to the support of the Church?

### **AN ACT OF CONTRITION**

O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended you, and I detest all my sins, because of Your just punishments, but most of all because they offend You, my God, who are all-good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of Your grace, to sin no more and to avoid the near occasion of sin.  
Amen.

Read more: [http://www.ncregister.com/info/confession\\_guide\\_for\\_adults/#ixzz3SDUyPIJT](http://www.ncregister.com/info/confession_guide_for_adults/#ixzz3SDUyPIJT)

## Lent Regulations 2021

**Ash Wednesday** and **Good Friday** are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

For members of the Latin Catholic Church, the norms on **fasting** are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. On days of **abstinence**, meat should not be eaten at any meal. The law of abstinence binds all Catholics who have completed their 14th year.

If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday night) as the "paschal fast" to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily his Resurrection.

May this Holy Lenten Season help us deepen our faith, hope and love through a life of deeper prayer, penitential practices, and works of charity.

## Please pray for the Sick & Homebound

Bob Walker, Jim Gaydos, Averno Washington,  
 Carlos Ottati, Angela Demo, Roger Hart, Erin Burton,  
 Rosemary Bogden, Jayne Loss, Jimmie Brown,  
 Pat Troester, Christine Gavin, Jan Hughes,  
 Charlie Kroeger, Stacey Koepenick, Natasha & baby Ava,  
 Rosemary Koch, James Runey, Gayle Langendorfer,  
 Mitch Britt

*To add a name of a friend or relative, please ask their permission; likewise, please notify the parish office to delete names.*

## Pray for Active Military/First Responders

-All critical Skill Operators/Special Ops personnel who cannot be named or listed for security reasons.

-**LCpl Alec Brimmer**—USMC, Twenty Nine Palms, CA

-**Office Max Fuentes**—Chicago Police Dept.

-**Senior Airman Ryan Hill**—U.S. Air Force, serving at Travis AFB California

-**Captain David Mancine**—Mount Pleasant Fire Dept.

-**Officer James Mason, Jr.**—Westerville, OH Police Dept.

-**Detective Lawrence Mathew**—St. Louis Police Dept.

-**Captain Paul O'Connor**—

Engine Co 14 D.C. Fire and EMS Dept.

-**Savannah Reid**—U.S. Navy

-**1st Lieutenant Peter Paul Rosaschi, IV**—

U.S. Marines, now stationed back in Camp Lejeune, NC

-**Petty Officer 1st Class Gregory Tessing**—

U.S. Coast Guard, Atlantic City, NJ

-**LT Andrew Tezza**—U.S. Army, Fort Lee, VA

-**LT J. Austin Tortorici**—U.S. Navy

-**Jesse Vincent**—U.S. Army, serving in Afghanistan

-**Private Connor Wallace**—U.S. Army, Fort Bragg, NC

-**Recruit Ilya Watson**—USMC

Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, CA

-**Private First Class Max Watson**—U.S. Army,

Schofield Barracks, HI

-**Cpl. Thomas Witt**—US Army, 2nd Infantry Division,

JBLM, Washington

*Do you have a family member who is currently deployed or is a first responder? Send their name, rank, branch, or any other relevant information to [dlord@charlestandioocese.org](mailto:dlord@charlestandioocese.org) to add them to the list!*

## Mass Intentions & Mass Schedule

For the week of Feb 27—Mar 7

Sat 27	5:00 PM	Larry Jensen+
Sun 28	8:00 AM	Shirley Tralies+
Sun 28	9:30 AM	St. Benedict Parishioners
Sun 28	11:30 AM	Elizabeth Daniel
Mon 1	9:00 AM	Rosemary Bogden
Tue 2	9:00 AM	Owen J. Peterson+
Wed 3	9:00 AM	Tina Jones+
Thu 4	9:00 AM	Charles Ainey+
Fri 5	9:00 AM	<i>First Friday</i>
Sat 6	9:00 AM	<i>First Saturday—BVM</i>
Sat 6	5:00 PM	Gail Emondi
Sun 7	8:00 AM	St. Benedict Parishioners
Sun 7	9:30 AM	James Michael Boyle+
Sun 7	11:30 AM	Cathy Curtis



## St Benedict Grief Ministry

If you're suffering from the loss of a loved one,  
 we're still here to serve you

Though we cannot meet in person, we are offering

### **Zoom Support Group sessions**

For the Zoom link, or if you have any questions,  
 please email Mary Helen Gammon & Jane Talbot:

[griefministry@stbenedictparish.org](mailto:griefministry@stbenedictparish.org)



# What are you doing for Lent?

10 IDEAS FOR A MORE MEANINGFUL LENTEN SEASON

## 1. Give up sin

Show your love for God by keeping his commandments. Turn away from sins.

## 2. Fast

An empty stomach can lead to more attentive prayer. Give the money you saved on food to others in alms.



## 3. Pray

Be in constant prayer. Pray for your family and friends, for those who suffer, and for the Church and the world.

## 4. Do good works

Help those in need. Pray for them and be ready to serve them in their time of need.



## 5. Give alms

Help the poor and support the good works of the Church. Give cheerfully to God who has given us everything we have.



## 6. Abstain

Give up meat or other desirable foods during Lent, especially on Friday, the day of Christ's saving death on the cross.



## 7. Do meditative reading

Nourish your faith by spending time in quiet reading and reflection. Prayerful reading of God's word each day will open your heart to the Spirit, and let God's thoughts and ways influence yours.

## 8. Control desire for possessions

Build up treasures in heaven rather than on earth. Cut down on material possessions, eliminate frills, lessen wants, share yourself – your time and your talents – with others.

## 9. Control desire for entertainment

Too much entertainment and other distractions can lead to less or no time for the works of the Lord.

## 10. Carry out duties in life

Serve God by living out your vocation in love each day. God is calling each of us to be a living sacrifice. Offer your daily life through Christ!



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Text from Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops' "Living Lent"



## Birthright of Charleston needs your help!

Our clients and their unborn babies are especially vulnerable during these uncertain times. It is more important than ever that we make sure these women know that Birthright of Charleston is here to support them throughout their pregnancy. Birthright of Charleston operates solely on donations, but the highly contagious nature of the COVID-19 virus has made it almost impossible for us to conduct our traditional means of fundraising. Find out how you can help by visiting

[www.birthrightofcharleston.org](http://www.birthrightofcharleston.org)



**St. Vincent De Paul**  
Serving those in Need

**Financial Assistance Helpline:** 843-727-1883

We also set aside some funds to help parishioners who require financial assistance, on a purely confidential basis. Call Bob Abramski at 843-352-7529.

### Twin Sheets for Children in Need

As part of the St Vincent de Paul Furniture Ministry, we give away a lot of beds. When we see twin beds on the list, we know we're serving children in need and we like to provide linens with every bed. Because most of our donations come from hotels, we rarely have twin sheets. You can help! And, if you have children and want to help them develop a sense of service and giving to others, you can make this a learning activity. Of course, we welcome donations from everyone even if you don't have children! If you're able, please bring a new or gently used set of twin sheets and leave them in the bin in the Narthex. We'll be collecting sheets through the end of February.

## Financial Stewardship

Date	Offertory Basket	Online Giving	Weekly Total Income
2/21	\$10,362.00	\$5,903.00	\$16,265.00
Capital Building Fund		Week	
Basket & Online		\$1,439.00	

2nd Collection this week: Catholic Miscellany



## Altar Flowers

*For loved ones  
and special occasions*

To purchase, contact the office:

[ajohnston@charlestdiocese.org](mailto:ajohnston@charlestdiocese.org)

*It's a special way to honor someone, and adds beauty to the church that everyone can enjoy!*



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

After the 9 AM daily Mass Monday-Thursday  
We encourage all to spend this special time with Our Lord Jesus!

## Employment Opportunity

A Charleston area Catholic Church is looking for a FULL-TIME SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST to work 40 hours a week. Duties include general receptionist tasks such as answering telephone calls and assisting walk-in persons, coordinate baptisms, prepare families and appropriate staff for funerals, update church registers with sacramental information, draft letters, and assist the pastor and other staff members in administrative duties. Must be very familiar with MSWord and Excel and have the ability to learn other programs as needed. Candidate should possess strong organizational and time management skills. Knowledge of the Catholic faith and confidentiality are essential. Benefits are provided. If you are interested, please send a resume, cover letter and salary expectations to [chasblessedsac@gmail.com](mailto:chasblessedsac@gmail.com)

## Ministries/Organizations

### Community Building

Susan Zeleniak 703.328.2334

- Hospitality
- Men's Ministry
- Moms Group
- New Members Welcome
- Women's Club
- Prayer Shawl
- Boy Scouts
- Girl Scouts

### Discipleship/Outreach

Dan Lord 843.216.0039

- Knights of Columbus
- Pro-Life Ministry
- Homebound/Hospital Visits
- St. Vincent de Paul Society
- Grief Ministry
- Seafarer's Society
- Somerby/Merrill Gardens

### Faith Formation & Religious Education

Louise Henesy 843.216.0039

- Adult Faith Formation
- RCIA
- Religious Education (GREP)
- Sacramental Preparation
- Youth Ministry
- Vacation Bible School
- Child Protection

### Prayer & Worship

Dan Lord 843.216.0039

- Adoration
- Altar Guild
- Altar Servers
- Choir/Music
- Extraordinary Ministers
- Lectors
- Liturgical Arts
- Ushers
- Mass Coordinators
- Ministry Scheduling
- Greeters
- Offertory processions
- Sacristan

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