



**SACRED HEART  
ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**



**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - OF  
THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY - EF**

**23 January 2022**

888 King Street, Charleston, SC 29403

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

**SACRED HEART MASS TIMES:**

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 p.m.  
 Sunday Masses: 10 a.m.  
 12 p.m. (Latin)  
 First Friday Mass: 6:30 p.m. (Latin)  
 First Saturday Mass: 10 a.m. (Latin)

**Weekday Mass:**

Wednesday - Friday: 7 a.m.

**Confessions:**

Sundays until 10 minutes prior to each Mass.  
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**CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY AT THE  
CITADEL, Summerall Chapel-*during school  
sessions.***

Sunday Mass: 7:00 p.m., Thursday: 6:30 p.m.

**Confessions:**

Sundays until 10 minutes prior to Mass.

**PARISH OFFICE**

**Pastor**—Reverend Renaud West  
 rwest@charlestondiocese.org

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 svalent@charlestondiocese.org

**Music Director**—Valentino Piran  
 vpiran@charlestondiocese.org

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday—Friday  
 8am-4pm

**Parish Office Phone:** 843.722.7018

**MEDICAL EMERGENCY  
REQUIRING A PRIEST:**

843.640.5868





**Saturday 1/22, 4:30pm:** Henderson Family  
**Sunday 1/23, 10am:** Pro Populo  
**12pm:** Henderson Family  
**Wednesday 1/26, 7am:** No Mass  
**Thursday 1/27, 7am:** No Mass  
**Friday 1/28, 7am:** No Mass

A Mass can be offered for your loved ones, living or deceased, or for yourself, by calling the Parish office, 843-722-7018, or emailing [info@sacredheartcharleston.org](mailto:info@sacredheartcharleston.org)



If you would like to offer **Altar Flowers** on a particular weekend as a memorial, a birthday, or an anniversary celebration, contact the parish office at 843-722-7018. The cost is \$80.00 for the pair of vases.

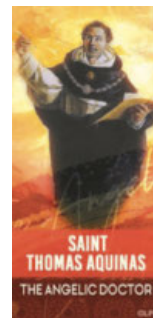


**Are you interested in singing the choir?** Or becoming a cantor? Please contact our Music Director, Dr. Valentino Piran, for more information at [vpiran@charlestdioocese.org](mailto:vpiran@charlestdioocese.org).

Our Latin Mass Choir practices every Thursday at 6pm in the church. *Come and praise God in song!*



**St. Thomas Aquinas | January 28**



One of the most famous members of the Dominican Order, St. Thomas Aquinas (1225 – 1274) is well known by many for his theological work, “The Summa Theologiae.” Born in Italy, his mother wanted him to become a Benedictine and had high hopes that he would eventually become abbot of Monte Cassino, where he spent much of his youth. But nothing could shake him from his vocation to become a Dominican priest. He went to Paris and then to Cologne, where he finished his studies with Albert the Great.

His greatest contribution to the Catholic Church is his writings. The unity, harmony, and continuity of faith and reason, of revealed and natural human knowledge, encompasses his writings. The Summa Theologiae, his last and, unfortunately, uncompleted work, deals with the whole of Catholic theology.

The patron saint of teachers, theologians and students, St. Thomas Aquinas died in 1274. His life and the impact he had on the whole Church, however, remains alive today.



**Weekly Collection Counts**

January 8th-9th 2022

Offertory	\$2,458.25
Online Giving	\$2,835.00
Capital Improvements	\$1,640.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$120.00
Votive Candles	\$25.00
Mass Intentions	\$20.00
First Offering	\$118.00
Church in Latin America	\$100.00
Catholic Charities	\$10.00

Envelopes: 36 | Online: 54

*There will be a second collection next week for the Church in Latin America*



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Dear Friends in Christ,

This week, I will be in Texas on retreat with 30 other priests from around the country. Please pray for all of us as we are renewed in our own spiritual lives and commitment to our ministry.

The sacristy is coming along well. I'm sorry that I haven't posted videos of our progress there as I did for the rectory. However, the door into the sacristy from the bell tower foyer is unlocked. Please feel free to poke your head in and see the brand new floor, wardrobe, and the vanity for the sacrarium that should be there soon. There are a few items in there that may still take a while, such as the two small stained glass windows that will be installed, most of it should be done in the coming weeks. Many thanks for your continued support and prayers that are making these much-needed projects possible!

You'll notice that I have made some adjustments to the parish logo. There are two versions, one that you'll see in the bulletin and worship aide, and another that you'll see on the website, Facebook and Instagram pages. The idea behind it was a development of the previous logo, which was based on the image of the Sacred Heart used by the Catholic armies of the Vendee during the French Revolution. These armies were fighting for the rights of God and the Church in the face of the attempted complete decimation of the Faith in France in the 1790's. The new logo incorporates a crown, which emphasizes the kingship of Christ, and also notes the parish's location on the most famous street in Charleston. Later this year, I hope to have various items available, such as car magnets, shirts, and coffee mugs, displaying the new logo. I hope you all like it, and let us continue to pray for and encourage our friends and family to join us at Sacred Heart!

In the Heart of Jesus,

Fr West

## Back to School

### CCS Spelling Bee



Congratulations to our CCS Spelling Bee winners and participants!

Gabe (7th grade) - First Place

Therese - (7th grade) - Second Place

Andres (6th grade) - Third Place



### Practice Gratitude

We can learn from St. Paul's attitude of gratitude. St. Paul had more reason than most to consider himself a victim. He suffered blindness, threats on his life, beatings, imprisonment, shipwreck, betrayal by friends, and many more such things, any one of which might be enough to throw many of us into spasms of self-pity and victimhood. But, Paul told the Philippian Christians that his difficulties were all joy to him because they had served to advance the cause of Christ! He saw his trials as opportunities for experiencing and sharing God's goodness. *Conversion of St. Paul, January 25. St. Paul pray for us!*



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