



# ST. MARY MAGDALENE CATHOLIC CHURCH

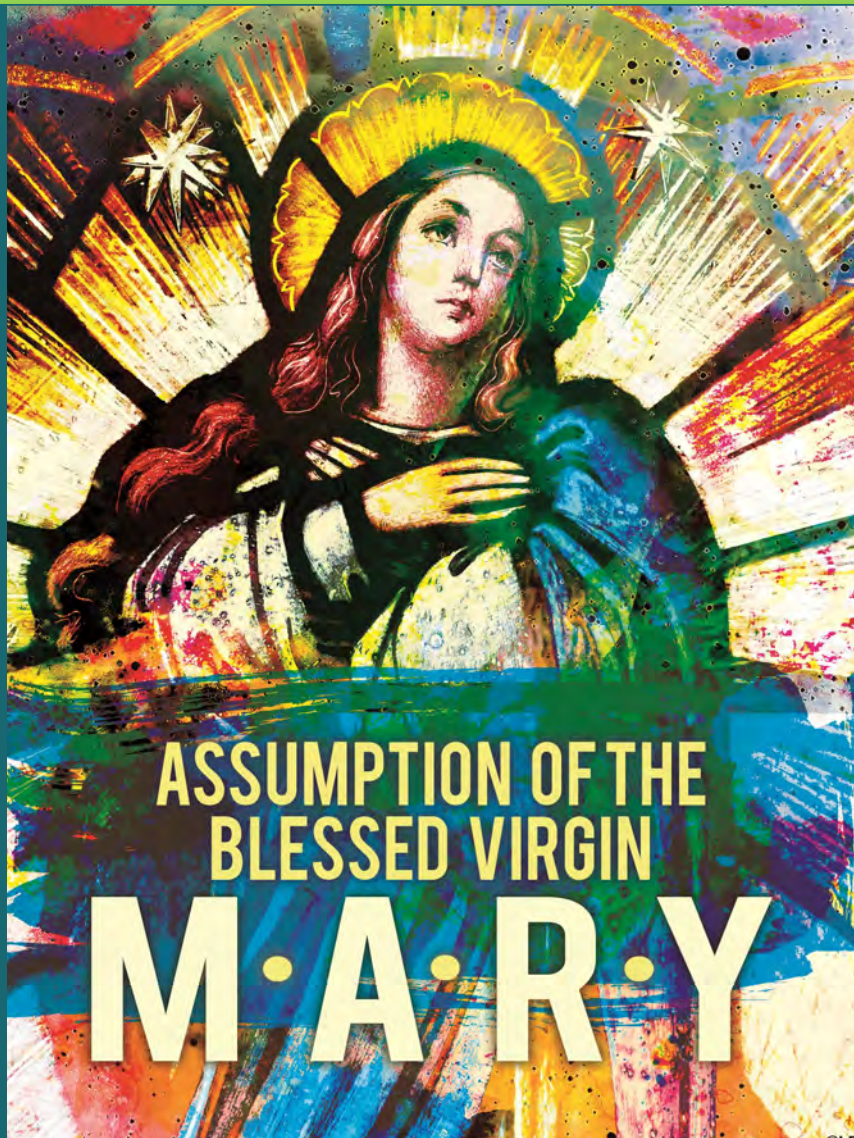
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**August 15, 2021 - Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
**Father Theo Trujillo, Pastor**



## ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN M·A·R·Y

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WELCOME SOCIAL AND INTRODUCTION TO  
THE NEXT STUDY.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, OR THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2  
SEE P.5

### MASS SCHEDULE

**Monday—Friday**  
\*8:30 a.m. and noon

Tuesdays (Young Adults) at 7 p.m.  
*Except the 1st Tuesday of the month*

**Saturday**  
\*8:30 a.m.  
Vigil: 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. (español)

**Sunday**  
7:30 a.m., \*9 a.m., 11 a.m.,  
\*1 p.m. (español) and 6 p.m.

**Mass Readings/Lecturas**  
[www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org)

**Polish**  
Last Sunday of the month at 3 p.m.

**Filipino**  
First Saturday of the month at 10 a.m.

**\*this Mass will also be  
Livestreamed**  
on the Parish Facebook page  
[facebook.com/SMMsimpsonville](https://facebook.com/SMMsimpsonville)  
and on our website at [smmcc.org/492](http://smmcc.org/492)

### Reconciliation

Saturdays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass  
and from 3:30-4:45 p.m.

### Childcare

For the 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday Masses,  
childcare is available in the Conner Ministry  
Building for children 4 and under.

# SPIRITUAL LIFE

## Just Click on It!

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Visit our bulletin web page at [www.smmcc.org/bulletin](http://www.smmcc.org/bulletin) for live links or scan the QR code on your phone.



*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let the perpetual light shine upon them.*

*May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

Please pray for the eternal repose of ...

*Frank M. Esterle*

May his soul rest in peace.

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, August 14

8:30 a.m. † Jerome Millman and Robert E. Hartman

5:00 p.m. † Brenda Mc Clain

7:00 p.m. St. Mary Magdalene Parish

### Sunday, August 15

7:30 a.m. † Blaine K. Rogers

9:00 a.m. † Mary Lou Menghini

11:00 a.m. † Emilia and Boleslaw Chmara

1:00 p.m. † Rosa B Falcon

6:00 p.m. † Helen Barrett

### Monday, August 16

8:30 a.m. † Paul Lormand

Noon Jurgen & Elizabeth Berthold

### Tuesday, August 17

8:30 a.m. † Janet Barry

Noon † Ryan Storrie

7:00 p.m. † Danny Garry

### Wednesday, August 18

8:30 a.m. † Mary Blaze

Noon † Lt. Mark Barrett

### Thursday, August 19

8:30 a.m. † Scott Granato

Noon Grace Finnell

### Friday, August 20

8:30 a.m. John Macioce

Noon † Robert Mendillo, Sr.

### Saturday, August 21

8:30 a.m. Joerg Schaeuble

5:00 p.m. Fanny Dela Cruz

7:00 p.m. St. Mary Magdalene Parish

### Sunday August 22nd

7:30 a.m. † Colin Douglas 'Doug' Heaton

9:00 a.m. † Joseph & Elizabeth Sylvester

11:00 a.m. † Francis Hubeny

1:00 p.m. † Carlos Andres Castro Jimenez

6:00 p.m. † Mieczyslaw and Marian Grzesiak

## Please Pray for...

Carl Jones, Martha Wehrly, Martha D. Harris, Joan Galle, Rosemary Buffardi, Kevin Burke, Paul Felton, Mary Jane Foster, Ben Coulter, Earline Geier, Peter Foster, Dorie Ferrari, Irene Johnson, Angela Ripandelli, Robert Morris, Patricia Merretta, Annette Weber, Caryn Schook, Carmela DeFlora, Audrey Connell, Alejandra Rosario, Susan Allman D'Alessandro, Steve and Reina Torelli, Rick Agron, Sharon Rivaldo, Lin Fedorka, Stacy Fedorka, Lila Childs, Gina and Dal Maness, Annette Donahue, Mike Sullivan, Carmella Depora, Kathleen Grubba, Patricia and Kevin Burke, John Furmanski, Frank Esterle, Richard George, Kathy Litzinger, Drew Butterfield, Ray Lopez, Leonard Byrne, Tom and Brenda Slonneger, Coleen McDonald, Philomena Reed, Jim Alford, Jeff Brooks, Vincenca Scire Brooks, Liz List, all affected by the Coronavirus, and our community.

*Names will remain on the **Please Pray for** list for one month. To request a name be added or kept for another month, please contact the parish office.*

## Reception of Holy Communion

Reception of Holy Communion at Mass is available for Catholics, who are in union with the Pope, not conscious of grave sin, and normally have fasted for one hour. Let us all pray for union with the Lord Jesus, that the Holy Spirit will dispel the sad divisions which separate Christians, and for the peace and unity of the whole human family.

## Pray the Rosary with Us!

Monday - Friday at 6 p.m. on [Facebook live](#)



We pray the Rosary in person after the daily noon Mass and after the 8:30 a.m. Saturday Mass.

The Respect Life Ministry prays a Pro-life Rosary on the first Thursday of the month after the 8:30 a.m. and noon Masses.

The Lay Apostolate of Jesus Christ the Returning King prays the Rosary on the second Thursday of the month at 10:30 a.m. in PLB room 107.

*All are invited to join us!*

# SPIRITUAL LIFE

## Confirmación de nuestro destino glorioso

Toda la Liturgia de hoy está llena de un profundo sentido de alegría. La antifona de entrada es un ejemplo de ello: “Alegrémonos todos en el Señor y alabemos al Hijo de Dios junto con los ángeles, al celebrar hoy la Asunción al cielo de nuestra Madre la Virgen María”. A este ambiente de gozo se unen las tres lecturas. El Apocalipsis nos describe, a vivos colores, la misteriosa visión de la mujer y el dragón. La Primera carta a los Corintios afirma la resurrección de los muertos y nuestra esperanza de resucitar. El Evangelio de San Lucas nos llena de gozo al escuchar la apertura y confianza de María a los planes de Dios en ella.

El Papa Francisco agrega estos puntos de reflexión con referencia a esta Solemnidad: “La Iglesia hoy nos invita a contemplar este misterio. Este nos muestra que Dios quiere salvar al hombre por completo, alma y cuerpo. --- La asunción de María, criatura humana, nos da la confirmación de nuestro destino glorioso. --- Nuestro cuerpo, transfigurado, estará allí. Esto --- la resurrección de la carne --- es un elemento propio de la revelación cristiana, una piedra angular de nuestra fe” (8/15/2018). Mientras llega este día de ver a Dios cara a cara, me uno a María y proclamo la grandeza del Todopoderoso: “Proclama mi alma la grandeza del Señor, y mi espíritu se alegra en Dios mi Salvador, porque se fijó en su humilde esclava, y desde ahora todas las generaciones me llaman feliz” (Lucas 1:46-47). Pidamos a la Virgen María, en esta Eucaristía, que interceda ante su Hijo por nosotros.

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## Mass Intentions

The most beautiful gift one can give to another person is the gift of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, for no other gift can ever compare to its infinite value.

Mass intentions may be requested up to 6 months in advance. Please contact Deborah Barber at the Parish Office by email at [dbarber@smmcc.org](mailto:dbarber@smmcc.org) or call 864-288-4884 x4222.

## Intenciones de Misas

El regalo más hermoso que uno puede dar a otra persona es el regalo del Santo Sacrificio de la Misa, ya que ningún otro regalo puede compararse con su valor infinito.

Se puede solicitar una intención de Misa hasta con 6 meses de anticipación. Comuníquese con Deborah Barber en la oficina parroquial al correo electrónico [dbarber@smmcc.org](mailto:dbarber@smmcc.org) o por teléfono al 864-288-4884 x4222.

## Retiro espiritual

El Ministerio Cristo Uniendo Familias los invita a participar en este retiro Kerigmático.



**Felipe**

**Retiro espiritual**

**El 4 y 5 de septiembre  
de 8:00 a.m. a 6:00 p.m.**

El costo por ambos días es \$50 e incluye desayuno, almuerzo, merienda y material. Adolescentes de 2 a 18 años pagan \$30.

Habrà cuidado de niños con cupo limitado. El costo es \$5 por niño por los dos días y es necesario registrarlos.

Para registrarse, llamar a Justina al 864-3883-3747 o a Luz María al 917-510-3599.

## Children's Choir Registration

All children entering 3-8 grade are encouraged to join the St. Mary Magdalene Children's Choir.

Rehearsals will be weekly on Thursdays in the church from 5:30-6:30 p.m. starting September 9.

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

Contact Sarah Harson at [SarahC@smmcc.org](mailto:SarahC@smmcc.org) with any questions.

## Coro de Niños

Invitamos a todos los niños que entraran al 3° - 8° grado este año a que se unan al Coro de Niños de Santa María Magdalena .

Habrà ensayos semanales los jueves de 5:30-6:30 p.m. en la iglesia. Los ensayos empiezan el jueves, 9 de septiembre.

[HAGA CLIC AQUÍ PARA INSCRIBIR A SUS HIJOS](#)

Si tiene preguntas, comuníquese con Sarah Harson al correo electrónico [SarahC@smmcc.org](mailto:SarahC@smmcc.org).

## Grupo de oración

Si deseas una vida íntima y profunda de oración con Dios, nuestro Padre Creador, te invitamos a participar en nuestro grupo de oración, Caminando con Jesús, todos los viernes de 7:00–9:00 p.m.

¡Jesús te llama y espera por ti!

# SACRAMENTS - FORMATION

## Are You Curious About the Catholic Faith?

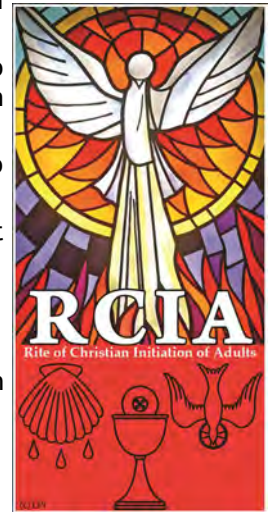
RCIA answers your questions. The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) provides an opportunity to learn about the Catholic Faith.

- It is for those who are not Catholic (baptized or not baptized). Come and learn with no commitments. If you decide to become Catholic, the program will lead to the reception of Baptism, Confirmation and Communion at Easter.
- It is for Catholics who have not received the Eucharist or Confirmation. Join us to experience the grace these sacraments can bring into your life.
- It is for Catholics who would like to learn more about our Catholic faith or to support one who is seeking our Catholic faith.

Join us Thursday evenings, starting September 16, from 6:30–8 p.m.

For Catholics who would like to help with RCIA, there will be an organizational meeting on Thursday, September 9 at 6:30 p.m.

If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Roger at [rcia@smmcc.org](mailto:rcia@smmcc.org).



### RITO DE INICIACION CRISTIANA PARA ADULTOS

#### Sacramentos para adultos

Las clases para adultos (mayores de 17 años) para recibir los sacramentos de Bautismo, Primera Comuni3n y Confirmaci3n empezarán el viernes, 10 de septiembre. Es necesario que se registren antes de empezar las clases. Para registraci3n por favor comuníquese con el Diacono Bert Chavez al 864-288-4884 ext. 4230.

#### Baptisms

For more information regarding Baptisms, contact the Sacraments Office at 864-288-4884 ext. 4224.

#### Bautismos

Para obtener más detalles con respecto a Bautismos, llame la Oficina de Sacramentos al 864-288-4884 ext. 4224.

#### Weddings

Please contact Maira Agr3n at 864-288-4884 ext. 4224 or [mairaa@smmcc.org](mailto:mairaa@smmcc.org) at least six months prior to the wedding date.

#### Para Matrimonios

Para definir los detalles de la boda, por favor, comuníquese con Maira Agr3n al 864-288-4884 ext. 4224 o [mairaa@smmcc.org](mailto:mairaa@smmcc.org) con seis meses de anticipaci3n.



Come and See!

Alpha

starts Wednesday, September 15

Sessions will be in person and via Zoom.

[Explore Alpha](#)

Alpha en espa3ol

empieza el viernes, 10 de septiembre

Las sesiones serán presenciales y por Zoom.

[Explora Alpha](#)

# FORMATION

## Clases de catecismo

¡Este año, ven a “caminar en el Espíritu” con nosotros!  
Ya pueden inscribir a sus hijos para las clases de catecismo.

Vaya a la página [www.smmcc.org/formation](http://www.smmcc.org/formation) y haga clic en el botón que dice “Registro de formación cristiana 2021-22”. Lea la explicación sobre las clases y las cuotas. Elija la mejor sesión para su (s) hijo (s) y haga clic en el enlace para llenar el formulario. ¡No olvide presionar el botón SUBMIT cuando haya terminado!

Si tiene cualquier pregunta, comuníquese con la Sra. Roth al 864-288-4884x4245 o [cindyr@smmcc.org](mailto:cindyr@smmcc.org).



## Registration for Christian Formation is now OPEN!

Come “Walk in the Spirit” with Us this Year!

Go to [www.smmcc.org/formation](http://www.smmcc.org/formation). Once there please read the introduction as a few changes have been made since the last parent meeting. Next, click on the “Christian Formation Registration 2021-22” button. Read through the explanation of classes and fee schedules. Now, choose the best session(s) for your child(ren) and click on the link and complete. Don’t forget to hit submit when you’re done!

If you have any trouble or need additional information, please contact Mrs. Roth at 864-288-4884x4245 or [cindyr@smmcc.org](mailto:cindyr@smmcc.org).

## Catholic Radio



Catholic Radio in South Carolina has been dedicated to educating Catholics in their faith, evangelizing fallen-away brethren and reaching those who may have an interest in learning more about Catholicism.

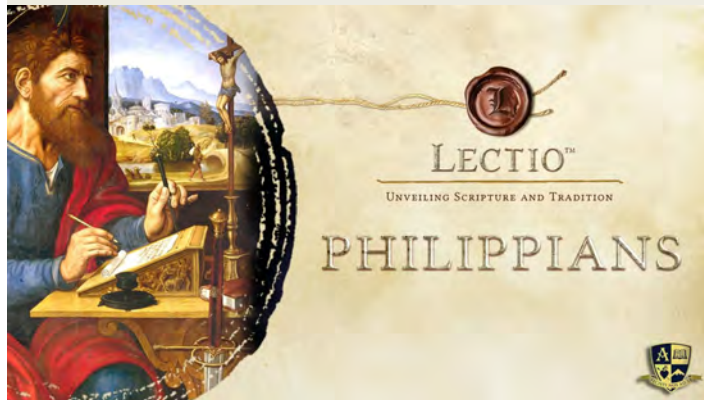
Are you growing in your faith?  
Tune in to WCKI 1300-AM.

## Women’s Bible Study

Ladies of the parish, please join us for our upcoming 6-week study starting with a Welcome Social and Introduction.

Choose your time:

**Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. starting on August 31 or  
Thursdays at 7 p.m. starting on September 2.**



In six video sessions with accompanying small group discussion and at-home workbook reflection, Dr. Tim Gray combines insight and practical guidance using the lectio divina disciplines to make the Scriptures come alive in **Lectio: Philipians: Life in Christ**.

At the heart of this letter is Paul’s eloquent hymn of Christ’s total gift of self, the model for Paul’s life. With his words and the example of his life, Paul exhorts the Philipians to have the mind of Christ, to live a life worthy of the Gospel, and, by God’s grace, to gain Christ.

**Workbooks are only \$13 ([order HERE](#)) or you can download it for free [HERE](#) with your Formed account.**

New to Scripture study, new to the area or our parish? Maybe it’s been awhile since you’ve been in a study; great! ... we look forward to meeting you or reconnecting.

Questions? Email [womensbiblestudy@smmcc.org](mailto:womensbiblestudy@smmcc.org).

## Men’s Bible Study

**Tuesday Mornings, 6:30 - 7:30 a.m.  
in the Parish Life Building and via Zoom**

Come join us for an interactive study of Scripture and meet other men seeking the wisdom and knowledge of God.

No registration is necessary. Just bring your Bible, catechism and a desire to learn and discuss the Word of God.

Have questions? Email [mensbiblestudy@smmcc.org](mailto:mensbiblestudy@smmcc.org).

# FORMATION

## Youth Ministry



Life Teen meets  
Sundays at 7:30 p.m.



EDGE meets  
Fridays at 7 p.m.



Jóvenes sin Fronteras  
se reúnen los viernes  
a las 7 p.m

Are you called to serve  
the youth of our Parish?

Contact Joe Maggio at [joem@smmcc.org](mailto:joem@smmcc.org)

## Hearing God's Voice

# SMMCC HIGH SCHOOL FALL RETREAT

@CAMP AWANITA  
SEPTEMBER 10-12

Camp Awanita Valley—600 Gap Creek Rd, Marieta, SC

The cost of \$100 includes lodging, meals, activities  
and materials.

Registration deadline: August 19

MORE INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION [HERE](#).

## Young Adult Ministry



Are you between 18 and 39 and looking to  
grow in faith, build fellowship and find  
ways to serve? Then join us!

The Young Adult Ministry meets for Mass at  
7 p.m. on Tuesdays, except the first  
Tuesday of the month. Confession is available on  
Tuesdays from 6–6:45 p.m., and Mass is held in the  
church sanctuary or parent's room on the tabernacle  
side.

**This Tuesday ONLY, August 17, we will celebrate  
the Young Adult Mass at 6 p.m.  
and then go to music bingo at 7 p.m.  
at Warehouse at Vaughn's.**

**This is only a one-time change. Come Join us!**

We hope to see you there! We invite all young adults to  
join us and grow together in faith.

Keep up with the latest by signing up to receive  
communications from us. Sign up at [Flocknote.com](https://www.flocknote.com) or  
following us on Facebook at [facebook.com/SMMCCYAM](https://www.facebook.com/SMMCCYAM).  
If you have any questions, email [youngadult@smmcc.org](mailto:youngadult@smmcc.org).



Acuerdate de Dios en los  
días de tu juventud.  
Eclesiastes 12:1

## Grupo Juvenil Sin Fronteras

Te invita a sus reuniones de jóvenes  
todos los viernes.

Comenzando desde el 13 de  
Agosto, 2021  
7:00 pm - 9:00pm

Lugar: Parish Center  
Para mas informacion comunicarse  
[jovenes@smmcc.org](mailto:jovenes@smmcc.org)



# MINISTRIES IN ACTION

## Stephen Ministry

### Christ Caring for People through People



That's the motto of Stephen Ministry. The Stephen Minister's role is to bring God's love into the lives of people who are going through a difficult time or experiencing a crisis. What do Stephen Ministers do? They listen, care, support, encourage, and pray with and for a person who is hurting. And amid this

confidential, one-to-one, caring relationship, God's healing love comes pouring through.

If you or someone you know is facing a crisis—large or small—and could benefit from the caring presence of a Stephen Minister, please contact us at 864-537-4089 or [stephenministry@smmcc.org](mailto:stephenministry@smmcc.org). Our Stephen Ministers are ready to care for you!

## Audio/Visual (AV) Ministry

We are looking for volunteers to assist during Mass and at other Parish functions to run our A/V systems.

The main job is the livestreaming of Masses. The task involves starting the feed, monitoring the camera angle and checking for good sound.

Serve your Parish and help bring the Mass to parishioners who cannot attend in person. You can volunteer for the Mass time you attend. Training will be provided.

Contact Michael McGarry at [michaelmc@smmcc.org](mailto:michaelmc@smmcc.org) or call 864-537-4235 to set up training or if you have any questions.



### Ministerio de Audio / Visual (AV)

Necesitamos voluntarios para manejar el sistema audiovisual (A/V) durante la misa.

La deber principal es la transmisión en vivo de las misas. La tarea implica iniciar la transmisión, monitorear el ángulo de la cámara y verificar un buen sonido.

Puede servir a su parroquia y ayudar a llevar la misa a los feligreses que no pueden asistir en persona. Puede ser voluntario en la misa a la que asiste. Habrá capacitación.

Comuníquese con Michael McGarry al correo electrónico [michaelmc@smmcc.org](mailto:michaelmc@smmcc.org) para programar la capacitación o si tiene alguna pregunta.

## Engaged Encounter Ministry

Married couples can also benefit from Engaged Encounter by becoming presenting teams. Writing the presentations provides an opportunity to examine and grow in your relationship. Your marriage will be enriched by sharing your experiences with the engaged couples, and they will have a realistic view of what marriage is. You are surrounded by couples who value the Sacrament of Marriage.

If you are interested in being a part of this faith-filled ministry, please contact Bob and Mary Reimer at [southcarolinaregistration@engagedencounter.com](mailto:southcarolinaregistration@engagedencounter.com) or call 864-420-2633.



While many of us have enjoyed a summer vacation, the blood supply in the Greenville area has gotten DANGEROUSLY LOW! Please help infuse new life into the blood supply to our local hospitals and clinics.

Remember that our cancer patients are the biggest recipients of your donations!

**Saturday, August 21, from 7:30 a.m. until noon**, the Blood Connection will be at our Parish to make it easier for you to donate, and maybe even lower your blood pressure. Join us for fellowship, fun, and homemade goodies!

Sign up [online here](#) or this weekend after Mass.

# MINISTRIES IN ACTION

## Meeting and Welcoming New Parishioners



Do you enjoy meeting and welcoming new parishioners to the parish?

Our Welcome Committee is looking for parishioners to join our fun group. We meet once a month to plan out our three quarterly *New Parishioner Socials*.

Our first meeting will be held on **Monday, August 23, at 6:30 p.m.** in the Parish Life Building in room 107.



*"Do not neglect hospitality, for through it  
some have unknowingly entertained angels."*  
Hebrews 13:2

What a wonderful way to give our time and talents back to God!

Please contact us at [welcome@smmcc.org](mailto:welcome@smmcc.org) if you have any questions. We hope to see you at the meeting!



## Popcorn and Nut Sale



The St. Mary Magdalene BSA Scouting Ministry: Cub Scout Pack 420, Scouts BSA Troop 420G, and Scouts BSA Troop 420B will be selling delicious popcorn and nuts at all Masses next weekend, August 21 and 22.



Products range in price from \$10-35. They can accept cash, cards, and checks.

Thank you for supporting our scouts!

## Attention Veterans

The St. Mary Magdalene Military Support Ministry has medical equipment available to loan to St. Mary Magdalene veterans and those on active duty.

We have available wheel chairs, walkers, an upright walker, a hospital bed table, a kneeling scooter and a six-stair chair lift.

If you are in need of any of these items on a short- or long-term basis, please contact Ronald Searl at [the\\_jedi\\_knight1@hotmail.com](mailto:the_jedi_knight1@hotmail.com).

## The St. Vincent de Paul Donation Shed

From all of us at the Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVdP), thank you for your unwavering support. We are overwhelmed by your generosity -- financially, with food donations, and with your prayers. In turn, we have been able to reach out to those in need during the entire pandemic with food and utility assistance.

Due to some recent incidences, here are some reminders for drop off at the donation shed:

- Clothing that is donated should be clean, gently used, and placed in plastic bags. Please do not put loose clothing in shed.
- We do not accept used bike helmets or child car seats due to safety and liability issues.
- We take small appliances in working condition but for donation of a larger appliance or furnishings, please call our SVdP line at 864-537-4274 and leave a voice message.
- We do not take electronics, TVs, or computer equipment.
- Please do not leave items on the ground outside the shed.
- Please do not give us items that are broken or missing parts.
- Please do not leave food donations in the donation shed at it can draw insects and small animals into the shed. You can leave food donations in the basket located in the Narthex.

Thank you for your ongoing support of this ministry.

# PARISH LIFE

## Your Offertory

We thank you, Lord, for the opportunity to give back a portion of your goodness to us.



Make your Sunday offertory at  
[www.smmcc.org/online-giving](http://www.smmcc.org/online-giving)

If you are an Online Giving user and want to cancel receipt of all envelopes, please email [bsnyder@smmcc.org](mailto:bsnyder@smmcc.org).



**STEWARDSHIP**  
**A WAY OF LIFE**  
*prayer • participation • generosity*

"They gave as much as they were able, and even beyond their ability." (II Corinthians 8:3)

## Corresponsabilidad - Una forma de vivir

"Pues doy testimonio de que con agrado han dado conforme a sus fuerzas, y aun más allá de sus fuerzas". (II Corintios 8:30)

## Have You Signed Up for Online Giving?

Are you using Online Giving with our parish? Here are some ways Online Giving benefits our parish and you!

### Benefits for You:

- Convenient - Access your account via the internet anytime and anywhere
- Secure and Confidential - Adheres to banking security standards
- Flexible - Start, stop, or change your contributions at any time
- Simple - No need to contact the church office or your bank
- Contributions via direct withdrawal (ACH) or credit card

### Benefits for the Parish:

- Stable Contributions: Regularly scheduled gifts occur automatically, which allows the parish to effectively manage monthly expenses.
- Secure and Confidential: No need to store member account information.
- Efficient: Participation saves time and expenses in bookkeeping.
- Current: A tool for people who prefer using electronic services.

## Pastoral Staff

### PASTOR

Fr. Theo Trujillo

### PAROCHIAL VICARS

Fr. Ray Nacino

Fr. Michael Cellars

### PRIEST IN RESIDENCE

Fr. Robert Falabella

### DEACONS

Dcn. Bert Chavez

Dcn. Joe Ciavardini

Dcn. Ivan O. Hawk III

Dcn. Roger Schonewald

## Parish Offices

The Parish Offices are open  
Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

We are also available to help you by phone and by email. Please visit our Parish Office web page, [www.smmcc.org/67](http://www.smmcc.org/67), for contact information.

It is always helpful if you make an appointment with us. As a large parish serving our parishioners, ministries and community, please note that while the main parish office may be open, other departments keep different hours.

## Offertory for Fiscal Year

July 2021 - June 2022  
as of August 8, 2021

Current Week Actual	Current Week Budget	Current Week Actual/Budget
\$54,608	\$57,974	94%
Year-to-Date Actual	Year-to-Date Budget	Year-to-Date Actual/Budget
\$359,008	\$347,842	103%



Mass Attendance for  
August 7/8: 3,040

**WE ARE THANKFUL  
FOR THE GIFTS  
AND FOR THE  
GIVERS!**

# PARISH LIFE - IN THE COMMUNITY

## Contact Information

Has your contact information changed?

Please contact Beth at [bsnyder@smmcc.org](mailto:bsnyder@smmcc.org) if you have a new address, phone number or email address.

## Cambio en datos

¿Ha habido algún cambio en sus datos?

Por favor, póngase en contacto con Beth al correo electrónico [bsnyder@smmcc.org](mailto:bsnyder@smmcc.org) si usted tiene una nueva dirección, número de teléfono o correo electrónico.

## Support the Parish while You Shop!

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## Rosary for Life

Please pray the Rosary for Life for the protection of the unborn and the end of abortion with us, on zoom or in person at Planned Parenthood in Columbia, August 21, 2021, at 8:00 a.m.

For more information please contact Deacon Greg or Maureen at [RespectLife@OLLchapin.org](mailto:RespectLife@OLLchapin.org)

## Worldwide Marriage Encounter

The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend offers married couples an opportunity to get off the treadmill of life and focus on each other.

Sign up to attend the upcoming WME Weekend January 28-30, 2022 in North Myrtle Beach.

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