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The King in Disguise

November 22, 2026



St Joseph's Knights Football Seniors greet morning carpool

Our Mission

We joyfully welcome all and vibrantly worship Jesus Christ through our Catholic faith, enriched by African American spirituality. We live as a community of disciples, called to mission through evangelization, education, and works of social justice.

Our Vision

Transform our society so that the lost are found, the hungry are fed, and the community flourishes in Christ—by being a wellspring of hope for all.

Sunday Worship

Vigil Saturday 5:00 PM (Gospel)

Sunday 8:00 AM (Gospel), 10:00 AM (Family Mass), and 12:00 PM (Contemporary)

Sunday Masses are recordings of the 8:00 AM Mass and will be posted on our YouTube page shortly after Mass has ended.

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Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday from 8 AM to 4 PM |
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CHALLENGE OF THE WEEK

This week, let one person lead you to Christ.
Think of someone who's alone, sick, grieving, or new.
Then go to them. Bring a meal. Sit with them. Offer a ride or a hand.
It doesn't have to be big. It has to be real.
Love that stays in our hearts never reaches anyone. So let your love get up and walk.
Jesus said, "Whatever you did for one of the least brothers of mine, you did for me."

TOGETHER WE PRAY FOR

Individuals

Abby Diblin, Alice Rigler, Ann Fournier, Ann Moore, Ann Nechodom, Annette Martin, Bernice Latimore, Bill Higgins, Billy Mayes, Brian Jenkins, Carolyn Lenhard, Charlene Palmer, Chester Williams, Clarice Hanly, Clenty Fair, David Burnett, Dee Dee Dzikowicz, Dennis William Delaney, Donna Neeley, Donna Nickels, Dr. Jeff Giguere, Drew Butterfield, Elaine Greggs, Ellaniose Johnson, Eric Kuhn, Erica Hardy, Gregory Kuhn, Hazel Hill, Jarda Booker, Jason Latimore, Jen Duhe, Jonathan Turner, Joseph Neito, Joyce Croce, Laura Drummond, Laurie Rappl, Lillie Davis, Lori McGinley, Margaret Morris, Marie Bendawall, Marilyn Daly, Martha Cotel, Mary Ann Turner, Mary Cormican, Matthew Bryson, Maureen Lukovic, Megan Counihan, Melvin Armstrong, Michael Davis, Nicole Campbell Little, Olivia Brown, Ornella Muth, Rhonda Brown, Richard Palmer, Ruth Henderson, Sharon Bryant, Sharon Patton, Sherri Hoffman, Stephan Pleasant, Stuart MacNaughton, Tara Cleary, Thelma Williams, Tom James, Wilbert Morgan, and Willie Davis.

Families

Carlos & Madalena Lopes Family, Barb & Vern Prinzing, Diblin Family, Duhe Family, Catherine & Michael Branca, Karen Randall & Family, Scott Cely Family, Michael & Ruth Walters, Tessa & George Skoniecki, Juan & Christina Francisco, June Schammel & Family, Faye Schneider & Family, and The Glenn Family.

Please note: All names will be removed from the lists after 3 months unless the Parish Office is notified. Please contact Ellie Roberts at 864-233-7717 x2.
Those in red are newly added.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

SATURDAY, 11/21
5 PM Thomas B Hardy ✝ , requested by Rosemary and Bob Stein

SUNDAY, 11/22
- 8 AM Maxwell Strasberg ✝ requested by Marianne Strasberg
- 10 AM
- 12 PM

MONDAY, 11/23
- 11 AM

TUESDAY, 11/24
- 11 AM

WEDNESDAY, 11/25
- 11 AM

THURSDAY, 11/26 (Thanksgiving)
- 9 AM

SATURDAY, 11/28
5 PM

SUNDAY, 11/29
- 8 AM Chris Kerechanin ✝ requested by Cathy Kerechanin
- 10 AM
- 12 PM

Mass intention is also a wonderful gift for any special occasion: birthday, anniversary, in thanksgiving for a prayer answered, etc.
Please call the parish office to schedule a Mass Intention.

Important Dates Ahead

- **November 22nd - Women's Council Bake Sale after all Sunday Masses**
- **November 25th** - Parish Office Closes at 12:00 PM
- **November 26th-27th** - Parish Office Closed for Thanksgiving
- **November 29th - First Sunday of Advent**
- **December 5th** - Christmas Poinsett Parade
- **December 6th** - Family Advent Retreat and St. Nicholas Party at 3:30 PM
- **December 6th - Second Sunday of Advent**
- **December 8th - Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day) - 11 AM & 6 PM Mass**
- **December 12th** - Living Waters Bible Study Brunch Social at Eggs Up Grill in McAlister Plaza
- **December 11th & 12th - *"The Light we Wait for! Preparing our Sacred Ground for Advent. A Journey in the genius of Black Spirituality."***
- **December 12th** - Christmas Toy Drive Event at 10:00 AM
- **December 13th - Third Sunday of Advent**
- **December 13th** - Youth Ministry Christmas Party Outing at Main Event at 5:30PM
- **December 19th - 5:00 PM Vigil Mass, 6:00 PM Christmas Concert & 7:00 PM Parish Christmas Party**
- **December 20th - Fourth Sunday of Advent**

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parish Family,

Every week, I am deeply grateful for your faithful presence and active participation in the life of our parish. Your time, prayers, and generosity allow us to serve God and our neighbors in truly meaningful ways.

Over the past year, we have seen the fruit of your gifts everywhere—from the new pews in our sanctuary and the launch of our Alpha ministry, to the Food Pantry serving over 200 neighbors daily and your steadfast support of our school through its leadership transition.

As we look toward the future, we want to hear from you. Our strategic leadership committee—made up of parishioners from across our community—is kicking off a **short feedback survey**. Your experiences and insights will directly shape our ministry decisions, helping us strengthen our liturgies, events, outreach programs, and volunteer opportunities.

Churches naturally evolve, yet our mission remains the same: we are people called by God to serve.

Please keep an eye out for the survey link in an upcoming Flocknote. Thank you for lending your voice and helping our parish family continue to grow.

Peace and all good,



Fr. Emerson

Please grab a copy of Fr. Emerson's Reflection in the Church Lobby

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Weekly Collection for November will be provided in the end of the month due to the holidays.

UPDATE ON CATHOLIC APPEAL 2026

Parish Goal: $103,771.00
Collected to Date: $99,134.00
96% of Goal

Consider Online Giving:
52% of our YTD giving this year has been online.
Sign-up for online giving by scanning the QR code:
Every gift matters — together we make a difference!

Nov. 21st & 22nd Second Collection: International Ministries and Missions

The Office of International Ministries partners with the Diocese of Sololá-Chimaltenango in Guatemala to host regular medical missions and support high-need communities. Through initiatives like Project San Pedro, we help children stay in school by providing financial assistance, nutritional support, clothing, on-site medical care, and safe housing.

Scan QR code to Donate

To learn more:
https://www.charitiessc.org/sponsor-a-child

Welcome to St. Anthony's!

If you are visiting from out of town, we give you a hearty "Welcome, y'all!"

If you are new to St. Anthony's, welcome home! Please introduce yourself after Mass or meet one of our ushers - we would love to help answer any questions you may have.

If you are new to the Catholic faith, or perhaps been away for a while, we are happy that you are here! At the front of the pew in the missalette, you can find the readings for today's Mass. Please talk to Fr. Emerson or Deacon Phil Allen, and we would be happy to help you figure out next steps on your faith journey.

If you missed Mass on Sunday, check out our YouTube Channel for the Mass Recording:

Joining St. Anthony's

Registration is the way that one lets us know, "St. Anthony's is my parish!"

Scan QR code to Register:

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC SCHOOL
Phone: (864) 271-0167
Website: www.stanthonyschoolgvl.org

CHILD PROTECTION SERVICES
Diocesan Office: (843) 261-0430

DO YOU NEED HELP?
Financial Assistance: (864) 233-7717 ext. 0

Food Pantry: M-Th from 9 AM - 1 PM

Catholic Charities: (864) 331-2626 (at San Sebastián Catholic Church)

DON'T MISS OUT ON SCHEDULE CHANGES

To stay updated on the latest events and updates in our parish, please **scan the QR code to view our calendar:**

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Parish Staff Highlight: Charlita Glenn



Charlita Glenn is a lifelong parishioner of St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, where she grew up as the seventh of eight children born to James and Bertha Perry, who were married for nearly 60 years. The Perry family was once one of the largest families in the parish. A graduate of Berea High School and Furman University, Charlita began working part-time at the church as a teenager and now serves as the Finance Coordinator, overseeing financial operations, including offertory collections and accounts payable. Charlita and her husband, Ronnie, have been married for 15 years. Together, they share a blended family of five adult children, seven grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren. Her lifelong connection to St. Anthony and her years of dedicated service make her a valued member of our parish family!

Favorite Scripture: Psalm 23 "The Lord is My Shepherd"

GET INVOLVED

YOUTH MINISTRY UPDATE: BOWLING!









For more information to join the Teen Youth Ministry, contract Kyle Hall. khall@charlestondiocese.org

THANK YOU ❤ to everyone who came by for the opening of St. Anthony's Resale Ministry! We were so happy to welcome you and share this special ministry with you. We receive new donations every Sunday, so be sure to stop by each week. We've already received some wonderful toys and treasures that would make great Christmas gifts! 🎁 We look forward to seeing you soon at the White House Ministry, 327 Gower Street!

For more information contact Susan SRankin@charlestondiocese.org – 864-918-6373

DROP SHOP

Resale Ministry is Open to DROP your Donations and SHOP

Sundays 9:00 - 3:00

and Shop Tuesday's 9-3 and Wednesdays 9-6PM.

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH

CHRISTMAS PARTY & TOY DRIVE

SPREADING JOY, ONE TOY AT A TIME!



SATURDAY, DEC 12TH @ 10AM

309 Gower Street, Greenville SC 29611

How You Can Help

Sign up to be a volunteer!
It takes a small army of Santa's elves to make the magic happen! We're looking for merry parishioners that would like to help with the party setup on Friday and/or the party Saturday

Donate gift cards or new toys to bring a smile to a child's face this Christmas!

Drop Off & Make a Difference!

We are accepting toys and gift cards now through December 6th.
Please Drop Off your Donations in the Social Hall

CONTACT: Ray Lecuyer at: (864) 990-7184 or ray7222@gmail.com

FOOD PANTRY NEWS & NEEDS

Current Pantry Needs:

- Small pop-top cans of tuna or chicken
- Jars of jelly
- Cans of soup
- Pasta (any shape or kind!)

Winter Gear Collection: As the weather cools, we are collecting gently used coats, heavy flannels, gloves, hats, and blankets for men and women.

Want to Volunteer?
Contact Suzanne Richmond at 513-226-4125.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH — NOVEMBER 22ND-29TH

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd

Second Collection: International Ministries and Missions

Women's Council Annual Bake Sale after Sunday Masses
SAP Social Hall

9:00 AM - Men's Club Breakfast
SAP Social Hall

10:00 AM - Children's Liturgy
Multipurpose Room

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23rd

11:00 AM - Daily Mass
Church

7:00 PM - OCIA
Multipurpose Room

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24th

11:00 AM - Daily Mass
Church

6:00 PM - Living Waters Bible Study
Zoom

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25th

No That Man Is You

11:00 AM - Daily Mass
Church

No CCD/Religious Education

4:00 PM-6:00 PM - Adoration & Confession
Church

7:00 PM - Men's Bible Study
Zoom

FORMATION

TRANSFORM YOUR FAITH THIS SEASON!

We are blessed to offer three opportunities for fellowship and study: the **Living Waters Bible Study, Men's Bible Study, and Women's Bible Study**.

Don't miss out on the chance to grow your faith and build community! **Scan the QR code to view schedules, get more information, and sign up today**.

JOIN US FOR ADORATION



Wednesdays, 4:00-6:00 PM, and the 2nd Friday (Dec. 11th) at 5:00 PM. We encourage everyone to stop by the sanctuary to spend some personal time with the Blessed Sacrament — He is waiting for you!

NEWS FROM CCD

CCD Teacher, Kyle Herr teaches 5th graders to pray the Rosary.







THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH — NOVEMBER 22ND-29TH

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26th

Parish Office Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday



9:00 AM - Daily Mass
Church

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27th

Food Pantry Closed

No Daily Mass

No Rosary Walk

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28th

4:00-4:45 PM - Confessions
Church

5:00 PM - Vigil Mass
Church

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29th



First Sunday of Advent

No Men's Club Breakfast

No Children's Liturgy

PARISH UPDATE

Parish Information & Sacramental Arrangements

- **Active Parishioner Status:** To schedule a Baptism or Wedding, families must be registered, active parishioners. An active parishioner is one who regularly attends Sunday Mass and actively supports the life of the parish through the contribution of time, talent, and treasure. If you need to register, please contact the Parish Office.

- **Baptism:** Our **next Baptism Orientation class** is **Thursday, December 17th at 6:00 PM in the Parish Office**. Parents must contact Amy Ryberg Doyle to register.

- **Holy Matrimony:** Please contact Ellie Roberts, our Pastor's Assistant & Operations Manager, to begin your wedding preparations. She will assist you with reserving your wedding date, Pre-Cana classes, and all other necessary arrangements.

- **Funeral Arrangements:** In your time of loss, our parish family is here to support you. Please contact Ellie Roberts: eroberts@charlestondiocese.org to schedule a meeting with Fr. Emerson and to organize all funeral arrangements and liturgies.

Are You Receiving Our Parish Emails?

Don't miss out on the latest parish news!
Sign up for our Flocknote emails (E-News), sent every Wednesday, Friday, and Sunday.

Scan for eNews

Bulletin Submission Deadlines

Please view the following bulletin submission deadlines for the remainder of the year. Our deadlines are moved up due to the holidays:

- **Nov. 29th - due Wed, Nov. 18th**
- **Dec. 6th - due Fri, Nov. 20th**
- **Dec. 13th - due Thurs, Dec. 3rd**
- **Dec. 20th - due Thurs, Dec. 10th**
- **Dec. 27th - due Mon, Dec. 14th**
- **Jan. 3rd - due Thurs, Dec.17th**

Ministry & Council Directory

Scan QR Code for Directory

Welcome New Parishioners!

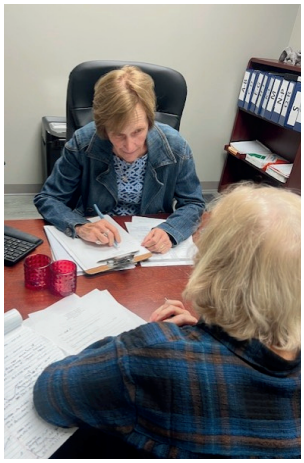
Armando and Aurora Galvan

Children's Liturgy Schedule

Sundays | 10 AM Mass

- **Nov. 29th - No Children's Liturgy**
- Dec. 6th - Children's Liturgy
- Dec. 13th - Children's Liturgy
- Dec. 20th - Children's Liturgy
- **Dec. 24th & 25th - No Children's Liturgy**
- **Dec. 27th - No Children's Liturgy**
- **Jan. 3rd - No Children's Liturgy**
- Jan 10th - Children's Liturgy Resumes

Neighborhood Assistance Ministry



In the month of October the neighborhood assistance fund helped 8 families with children avoid having their electricity disconnected. The fund also helped 88 households with making on time payments to utility companies in the Greenville area.

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Deacon Anthony Cassandra (Retired)

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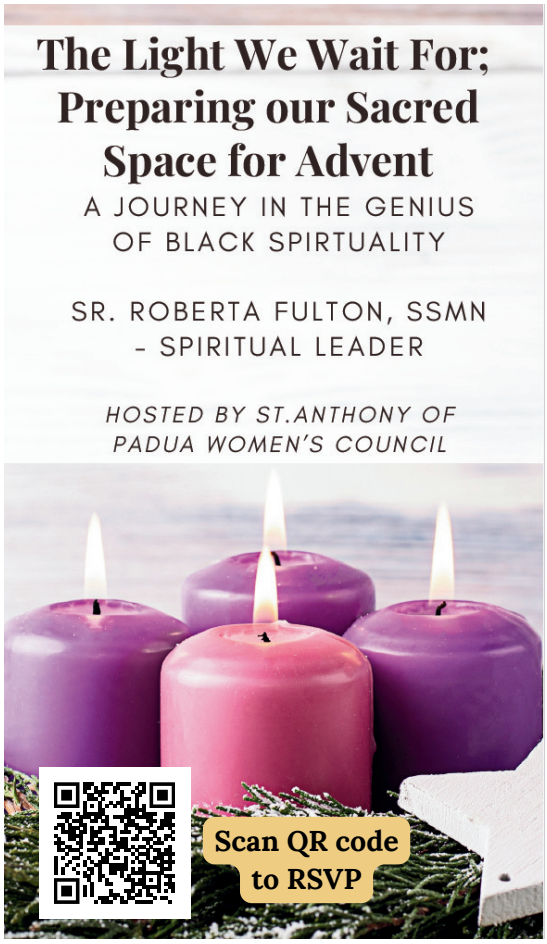

To view the event brochure & details, please scan QR code

❓ Got Questions About the Faith? Ask Fr. Anselm!

Have you ever had a question about the Catholic faith that you were too shy to ask, or just wanted a deeper explanation of? Father Anselm is opening up a brand-new Q&A Corner!



Whether it's about the sacraments, the saints, Catholic traditions, or Church history, we want to hear what's on your mind.

- **Scan QR code to Submit Questions**
- **Stay tuned:** Watch upcoming newsletters and bulletins to see if your question gets featured and answered by Fr. Anselm!

CPA VOLUNTEER NEEDED – PRO BONO SERVICE

The **MICAH Program, Inc**., a 501(c)(3) nonprofit serving neighbors in financial need in Upstate South Carolina, is seeking a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) willing to prepare and submit our annual federal and South Carolina state tax filings on a pro bono basis.

Ideally, the CPA will have experience preparing tax returns for 501(c)(3) charitable organizations.

This is a wonderful opportunity to support a local, 100% volunteer-based catholic lay ministry nonprofit making a difference in the lives of our neighbors.

Interested? Please contact us:
Email: info@micahprogram.org
Website: www.micahprogram.org

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