



Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Church

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WEEKEND MASS *Upper Church*

Saturday 5:00 pm, Anticipated
Saturday, 8:00pm, *Neocatechumenal
Way Mass (Lower Church)*

Sunday 8:00 am, 10:30 am, 5:00 pm

WEEKEND CONFESSIONS

Saturday, 3:30-4:30 pm

Sunday, 9:00-10:00 am

DAILY MASS

Monday, 8:30 am, Lower Church
Tuesday, 12:00 pm, Lower Church
Wednesday, 6:00 pm Upper Church
Thursday, 10:00 am, Lower Church
Friday, 10:00 am, Lower Church

DAILY CONFESSIONS

Upper Church
Wednesday, 4:30-5:30 pm
Or by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday, 11am-5pm, Lower Church
Wednesday, 7am-5pm, Upper Church
Thursday, 7-8 pm, Lower Church

June 23, 2024

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The second sacrament of initiation is Confirmation. In Confirmation the individual confirms their commitment to God. If you like, it is the second half of baptism, where the gift of the Holy Spirit is not only confirmed in the person's life but is fulfilled and completed.

Confirmation is ordinarily administered by the bishop because the sacrament is also a public ceremony of the individual's full admission into the Catholic Church, and the bishop represents the apostolic authority of the whole Catholic Church in his diocese.

While Confirmation is usually administered to young people around the age of fourteen, it is also administered to people who are received into full communion with the church from other Christian groups, to adults who have just been baptized, and to Catholics who, for whatever reason, were never confirmed. In these cases, the bishop will often delegate Confirmation to the parish priest. That is why you will see the parish priest confirm at the Easter vigil or when a person is received into full communion.

A priest may also confirm a person who converts on their deathbed. On one occasion I was blessed to baptize, confirm, hear a confession, give communion, and marry a person who wanted to get right with the church before their illness ended in death. The only sacrament he did not receive on that day was ordination!

The proper subject for Confirmation is a person who has not been confirmed. If there is any doubt, the person will be conditionally confirmed. The proper minister is the bishop or priest to whom it is delegated. The proper form is the spoken words, "Be sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit". The proper matter is sacred chrism and the laying on of hands.

Your Pastor,
Fr. Longenecker

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Parish Operating Financials

Collections for week ending June 16, 2024

Needed: \$ 22,000.
Received: \$ 27,430.
Surplus: \$ 5,430.

Fiscal Year-to-Date Collections through Week #51 in the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2023

Needed: \$ 1,122,000.
Received: \$ 1,206,689.
Surplus: \$ 84,689.

Capital Campaign-Land Acquisition

5.2 acres on Augusta Rd. \$ 309,952. Diocesan Loan (total interest & principal remaining) 2023-2028: 5-year term

Pledge Commitments Made: \$ 564,715.
Pledge Payments Received: \$ 401,368.
Needed: \$ 146,605.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Nancy Alibozek, Delores Almaraz, Barbara Andersen, Ruth Ballard, Laurie Bernard, Eric Best, Jim Bever, Glen Bishof, Sandra Brock, Doug Bryant, Will Busby, Martha Catel, Claudia Caldwell, Alex Camp, Carson Family, Kathleen Crawford, Margaret Culkin, Rose Cusumano, Christy Dias, Marian Eleazer, Sarah & Teresa Fuller, Larry & Cynthia Good, Bridget Gracon, Michael Granger, Phillip Greene, Ma'May Grimm, Ed Harden, Janet Hardy, Donald Hargis, Theresa Hargreaves, Kathy Hess, Kathy Illingworth, Ingrid Ireland, Bob Jackowski, Bethe Kitchen, Kenneth Landgrover, Gerry Loesch, John Loesch, Katherine Lowry, Anna Lunn, Madeline McKiernan, Lisa Meyer, Dianne Morrison, Marjorie Munson, Mrs. That Nguyen, Kim Orr, Marlowe Pastor, Dcn. Ray & Nancy Perham, Thien Pham, Andres Prestoza, Jacob & Jaxson Rivera, David Rubardt, Sonam Sherpa, Nancy & Earl Smith, Emily Stiffler, Frank Striplin, Peter Stryker, Tedrick Family, Justin Timbers, Cheryl Wallace, Carolyn Watson, Mary Lou Whelan, Kayla Wiegand, Steve Wiltberger, Marcia Wolff, Jim Wood, Mary Louise Worthy & family, and all who are sick.

PARISH CALENDAR

Saturday, June 22, through Sunday, June 30

(Mass Intentions are shown in italics)

All Masses are held in Upper Church unless otherwise noted.

Saturday, 6/22	3:30 - 4:30 pm - Confessions (Upper Church) 5:00 pm - Mass, <i>For Betty Kerchner+</i>
Sunday, 6/23	8:00 am - Mass, <i>For OLR School Faculty & Staff</i> 9:00 - 10:00 am - Confessions (Upper Church) 10:30 am - Mass, <i>For Katie O'Brien Vogg+</i> 5:00 pm-Mass, <i>For The People</i>
Monday, 6/24 Lower Church	8:30 am - Communion Service
Tuesday, 6/25 Lower Church	12:00 pm - Daily Mass <i>For Mike Culbertson +</i>
Wednesday, 6/26	7:00 am - 5:30 pm - Eucharistic Adoration 4:30 - 5:30 pm - Confessions (Upper Church) 5:30 pm - Benediction 6:00 pm - Daily Mass <i>For Paul Bever, Jr. +</i>
Thursday, 6/27 Lower Church	10:00 am - Daily Mass <i>For Ted Kelly</i>
Friday, 6/28 Lower Church	10:00 am - Daily Mass <i>For Mariann Klink+</i>
Saturday, 6/29	3:30 - 4:30 pm - Confessions (Upper Church) 5:00 pm - Mass, <i>For Frank Littleton+</i>
Sunday, 6/30	8:00 am - Mass, <i>For OLR School Faculty & Staff</i> 9:00 - 10:00 am - Confessions (Upper Church) 10:30 am - Mass, <i>For Fr. Brian Mulcahy, OP</i> 5:00 pm-Mass, <i>For The People</i>

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP



Save the date for these upcoming events:

July 21 - Senior Sendoff Bonfire: Bonfire at the Millegan Family property for a huge game of capture the flag, a bonfire, and the rosary. Dinner will be provided. This will be the last official meeting with our seniors, and will allow us to say goodbye before they head out into the world.

August 25 - Annual YG Day AWAY, with Sunday Mass at Look-up Lodge.

September 6-9 - Junior/Senior Pilgrimage St. Augustine Florida to the La Leche Shrine, and in commemoration of the first Thanksgiving Mass in America.

Providing a Catholic framework on the truth and meaning of sexuality, love, and family.



SAVE THE DATES

September 11, 18, and 25

"Real Love & Real Life" retreat at OLR for 7th and 8th graders and their parents.

Guadalupe Hall, each session, 6:45-9:15pm

\$45 per family, Register [HERE](#)

SCHOOL NEWS

August 12 First Day of School
NOON Dismissal



School Office Summer Hours

9am-1pm Monday - Thursday, and by appointment

SCHOOL POP-UP UNIFORM SALE

SUNDAY JULY 14

9-10:30am Guadalupe Hall

Donate your students' too small, but gently used uniforms, and swap or buy uniforms for next year!

Drop off old uniforms next Sunday, June 30, from 9am-10:30am in Guadalupe Hall or in the school office by July 1. Only items that fall under current uniform policy for 2024-2025 will be accepted for the sale. Items WILL NOT be accepted the day of the sale.

To receive credit for swap or volunteer hours, your family's name and number of items must be clearly labeled in the bag. Contact Katie Pajak at katedries91@gmail.com with event questions, or if you would like to volunteer at the sale.

MOTHER TERESA HOUSE

"Give yourselves unswervingly to God. Conform yourselves in all things to his glory, to his holy will."
Mother Teresa

In 2 Corinthians St. Paul said, *"He indeed died for all, so that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised."* When we live for Him, we are called to serve. At Mother Teresa House, we serve all, no matter their circumstances or life choices, as they are Jesus in our midst. Many do not want to make an effort to change their circumstances, but we continue to offer assistance in love and pray for their change of heart. Pray for the grace to no longer live for yourselves, but only for Him. In serving others, we serve Him.

*Chris Loewer, Director of Outreach
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Please note . . .

On the following dates, instead of the Monday Daily Mass, our Deacons will conduct a Communion Service.

June 24

July 1, 8, 15

SAVE THE DATE FOR LOOK UP LODGE



Annual Family Retreat

Saturday, September 14

Don't Miss the Deadline

Sign Up [HERE](#)

St. Vincent de Paul Society

In the Gospel today, Jesus calms the sea and then asks the disciples "Why are you lacking in faith." In our life's journey, we also must learn to believe in God's presence and to trust in his care.

In May, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to continue to show God's love and care to others by distributing food to over 200 families and spent \$2,047. for utility and rent bills for 7 families.

Recently baptized was
Isabella Gianna Johnson
daughter of
Phillip & Tabea Johnson



We welcome Isabella as a new member of the OLR family.

Spiritual Adoption
WEEK 12: June 23



If the region near the mouth is stimulated, Baby will open his mouth and suck a finger. He is breathing well, and he can now rotate his head. Baby has come a long way since beginning his life at conception.

St. Martha's Book Club invites you to join our discussions in Guadalupe Hall, 12:30-2:00 pm.



Monday, July 1 - "Persuasion"
by Jane Austen

Call Marianne at (864) 360-2406 for information.



Fr. Stephen Dyas



The life of Mary Magdalen and its Significance Today – the Apostle to the Apostles"

July 17, 6-7pm
Refreshments following.

Her story is very much like our own, broken and wounded, but God's greatness and love brings healing and transformation, impelling us to go forth.

14 S. Main Street
Greenville, SC

We are especially grateful for the **3 lives saved in Greenville** that we know of. ***We can truly say that prayer and fasting is the answer.*** A big thank you to all who participated for your sacrifice and dedication.



Abortions continue to be performed daily at the Greenville Women's Clinic. If you are able, select a day and time that works for you and continue with us for 40 Days 365 at the abortion facility. We are there from 8:00 am until 3:00 pm. Please sign up on the 40 Days for Life 365 Calendar at www.40daysforlife.com/greenville.

We need sidewalk advocates and prayer warriors there daily, beyond the 40 Days Campaigns. Help spread the word to others about this important life-saving effort. For more information, please call Judy 864-506-0964 or Ingrid 864-329-0044.

Sidewalk Counseling Training:

Online/virtual training and in-person training are both offered. Contact Judy Masterson at 864-506-0964, or info@sidewalkadvocatesgreenville.org.

Please note . . . the First Saturday Pro-Life Mass and Healing Service for July 6, has been **CANCELED**.

Our next Pro - Life Mass will be held on Saturday, August 3, at 9:30am in Upper Church.

SEVEN SISTERS APOSTOLATE

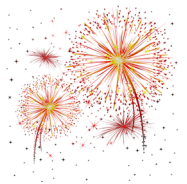
The Seven Sisters Apostolate is a beautiful ministry praying for our parish priests. We are looking for women to make a weekly prayer commitment for Fathers Longenecker and Ballard.

This ministry involves one woman praying one holy hour on her assigned or predetermined day of the week, every week for a one-year commitment. It can be done at home or in any nearby Catholic Church, and does not need to be in an adoration chapel. Please go to <https://sevensistersapostolate.org/> for more Information. If you are interested, please contact Pat Wilder at patwilder@verizon.net.

The parish and school offices will be **closed July 1-5**, for the week of the July 4th holiday.

The daily Masses will be celebrated at their usual times, however, there will **NOT** be a Mass on Thursday, July 4.

Confessions and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will also be held at their usual times.



Please see the OLR websites at olr.church and olr.school for all the most recent news and announcements.

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