

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday, September 29th, 5:00 pm**  
 Mark Sheehan  
 by Karen and Mike Macedo

**Sunday, September 30th, 8:00 am**  
 † Edna Macedo  
 by Karen and Mike Macedo

**Sunday, September 30th, 10:00 am**  
 † Brian Hunt  
 by Sharon and Frank Davis

**Sunday, September 30th, 1:00 pm**  
 The People of the Parish

**Monday, October 1st, 12:05 pm**  
 † Donna Walker and  
 † Elizabeth Kimbrough  
 by Mary and Pat Herrington

**Tuesday, October 2nd, 12:05 pm**  
 † Freda Joseph  
 by the Shickory Joseph Family

**Wednesday, October 3rd, 12:05 pm**  
 † Jean Sundheimer  
 by John and Mary Cribb

**Thursday, October 4th, 12:05 pm**  
 Don Donahue  
 by Jean and Frank Mudd

**Friday, October 5th**  
**No Mass or Communion**

**Saturday, October 6th, 5:00 pm**  
 † Vito Alcamo  
 by Joanne Urso

**Sunday, October 7th, 8:00 am**  
 Anthony Moreland  
 by Frank and Jean Mudd

**Sunday, October 7th, 10:00 am**  
 † William Sirignano  
 by Mary and Aaron Condon

**Sunday, October 7th, 1:00 pm**  
 The People of the Parish

*Parish Support*

The offertory collection for September 22nd and 23rd was \$7,539.95. **This includes \$160.00 from online giving.** This is \$2,139.95 over our weekly goal of \$5,400.00.

**Picture Time!**

Due to weather, appointments for having pictures taken for our new directory were canceled. A new date will be scheduled for sometime in November. You will be contacted in the near future to reschedule.

**The Benefits of Membership** • Active membership is determined by regular attendance at Mass, regular use of your envelope to support the Parish, and having a Registration Form on file for at least six months. Various facilities and services are available to active members. Requests for envelopes should be accompanied by a Registration Form, which are available in the Parish Office or by calling the Parish secretary at 843-546-7416.



If you would like to add or delete a prayer request, or if you or someone you know is hospitalized or homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist, please call the Parish office.



*Pray for the homebound, those in healthcare centers, and those who need your continuous thoughts and prayers:*

Elizabeth Flaherty-Lovy, Tracey Green Wakeland, Johnny Cribb, Bonnie Geitz, Mattie Miguel, Sydney Johnson, James A. Harrelson Jr., Kristin Melfi Fournier, Paul Tretina, Chris Dixon, Marty Alfonsi.

*Pray for the speedy, or continued, recovery of:*

Keith Williamson, Aric Burks, Victoria Beltran, Michael Bryant, Jr, Karen Smith, Kevin Matteredo, Sandy Hill, Jane Sementilli, Joseph Pelliccio, Nancy Engel, "Bud" Williamson, Jack Myer, Jim Lauro, Addison Stringer, Lucille Jacobs, Sean Sheely, Irene Burks, Elijah Davis, Rachel Ecle, Wallace Moulton, Bill Jackson, Joe Lawrimore, Cynthia Dawson, George Nichols, Jennifer Gray, Nancy Harvath, Andrew Childers, Cameron Cook, Joanne Urso, Bryan Couture, Joan Kenny Marshall, Ellie Thomas, Donna Jones, Dr. Matt Stover, Carol Lusby, Amelia Muffolet, Brandie Barr, John John Benford, Christi Sorokach Miller, Barbara Mahaffey, John Belusz, Pat Teel, Shelly Rossi, Hal Ness, James DelGuidice, Dan South, Frankie Prox O'Donnell, Anthony Maslowski, Kim Howard, Winifred Poit, Cristen Lebel, Mady Cavanaugh, Mary Ann MacDonald, Hayley Wolfe, Gwen Banks, Jamison Dumm, Rita Bonifati, William Bonifati, Chuck Vanover, Laurie Duden, Ophelia Johnson, Eugene Edwards, Arthur Cannon, Wayne Johnson, Sandra Garrett, Murrey Lord, Lu Hanley, Carolyn Hicks, Shelly Savage, Jeff Johnson, Diane Cuptray, Mateo Lara, Jose Pulido, Thomas Shubrick, Terry Kelly, Dan Kowaleski, Cindy Early, Lorna Campagna, Konrad Zeiske, Krystina Millar, Theresa Michau, Savannah Marie Mincey, Paul Renault, Sr. Mary Frances Bassick, Gregorio Viray, Barbara Dumm, Mark Mercer, Sheila Grapes, Carol Zeiske.

*Pray for those in our Military:* Jonathan Greene, Brandon Parker, Joseph Fairfield, Sheena McGee, J. Thomas Joseph, Jason A. Schroeder, Tirik Drayton, Jay Rivers, Brian Eduardo Vazquez.



*The Flowers on the Altar are in memory of Paul M. Duncan, Jr, Mary K. Moore and Donna D. Scott by Paul and Jeanette Duncan*



**The Knights Corner**

**"Holy Family Light Our Way in Love and Charity"**

Here's hoping you were able to avoid the flood damage that occurred as a result of Hurricane Florence. Special THANKS to those who were able to provide assistance or aid during this time of need.

THANKS to Soccer Challenge 2018 Chair Paul Soard, for organizing and carrying-out this year's youth program for ages 9-14!!! Brian Clark, Bob McMahan, Chris Voso, Colin Peterson, and Paul Duncan volunteered last Saturday, September 22nd to operate the program at Beck Field. All participants received certificates for competing. First place trophies were awarded to: Manuel Pulido-9yrs, Alan Disciplina-10yrs, Angal Olquin-11yrs, and Evelyn Alarcon-13yrs. The trophy winners go on to Districts at PBOC October 14, 2018 and those winners will qualify for Knights of Columbus State Competition later this year!

Our Seminarian Breakfast this Sunday was postponed to a later date due to the weather. Funds will go to the two seminarians we committed to support again this year for 2018 -2019: Deacon Jimmy Touzeau and a new seminarian that will be selected by the Council in conjunction with the Diocese of Charleston.

Our final Columbus Hope Drive for 2018 will be Friday, October 12 and Saturday, October 13, 2018 at Walmart. To date, through three drives, we have raised \$9,124.16 toward our 2018 goal of \$10,000 for Special Olympics, The J.O.Y. School and Georgetown Disabilities. A truly GREAT JOB! Please sign-up ASAP to volunteer for our final drive this 2018 year, with Chair Colin Peterson at 843-344-9771.

Saturday, October 27, 2018 is this years Bridge-To-Bridge Run Annual Fund-raiser for Friendship Place. We are in need of six volunteers to staff our assigned water stations between the bridges. To volunteer for this worthy cause, please contact Chair Colin Peterson at 843-344-9771.

We will soon have sign up for all 3rd Degree Knights and their spouses to join the 4th Degree Georgetown-Pawleys Island Rev. Phillip Grant Assembly Reception. A 4th Degree Exemplification is scheduled for Saturday, October 27, 2018 at St. Andrews in Myrtle Beach. Please contact Sir Knight Colin Peterson at 843-344-9771 for advance register.

Reserve the date of Saturday, December 8, 2018 for our Council 3067 Tara Hall Golf Tournament at Heritage Golf Course. Contact Chair Dwight Frazier at 609-351-4422 to volunteer and/or play!



**Weekly Readings**

**Sunday:** Nm 11:25-29 Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14 Jas 5:1-6  
Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48  
**Monday:** Jb 1:6-22 Ps 17:1-3, 6-7 Lk 9:46-50  
**Tuesday:** Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23 Ps 88:2-8 Mt 18:1-5, 10  
**Wednesday:** Jb 9:1-12, 14-16 Ps 88:10-15 Lk 9:57-62  
**Thursday:** Jb 19:21-27 Ps 27:7-9, 13-14 Lk 10:1-12  
**Friday:** Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5 Ps 139:1-3, 7-10, 13-14  
Lk 10:13-16  
**Saturday:** Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17 Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91,  
125, 130 Lk 10:17-24  
**Next Sunday:** Gn 2:18-24 Ps 128:1-6 Heb 2:9-11 Mk 10:2-1

**Liturgical Roles**

<b>October 6th Saturday 5:00pm</b>	<b>October 7th Sunday 8:00 am</b>	<b>October 7th Sunday 10:00 am</b>
<b>Lectors:</b> P Ness	B Pittman	P Lazzari
<b>Ushers:</b> J Lauro P Medved C Peterson C Walker	N Giesler MJ/P Karre W Hoppe	B/B Jackson P/P Parsley
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</b>		
A/A Vega K Chewning	P/J Duncan F Altman	C Walker S Grapes T Howard
<b>Servers:</b> E Starnes	Jeanette Duncan	S Grapes

**If you are unable to serve when you are scheduled, please remember to find a substitute.**

**FORMED®**

Our pick of the week is: *The Three Secrets to Sharing the Faith*. Want to tell others about your Catholic Faith, but don't know where to start? Afraid you're not smart enough, knowledgeable enough, or outgoing enough?

Don't worry, says Catholic Answers apologist Trent Horn. With a few simple tips and a little practice, *anyone* can be an effective apostle and evangelist. In *The Three Secrets to Sharing the Faith*, Horn draws on his long experience dialoguing about religion and life issues (with people ranging from politely curious to downright hostile) to identify for you the most important steps to initiating such discussions—and making them fruitful.

In clear language illustrated with real-life examples, Trent explains:

- Why you don't need to know all the right answers—just how to ask the right *questions*
- How to control the direction of an argument when you get stumped
- Keys to finding and building common ground with even the most argumentative opponent
- How to keep discussions civil and positive—whether they're with family at the dinner table or strangers on Facebook

...and many more insights that will take you from hesitant to confident. You don't need to be tongue-tied anymore. Watch *The Three Secrets to Sharing the Faith* today and become a more fluent champion of God's Church and his truth.

**New Daily Mass Schedule**

Effective Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, our daily Mass schedule will change for a six-month trial period. Daily Mass will be at 12:05 pm, Monday through Thursday. We will pray the Angelus at noon and follow with Mass at 12:05. Following Mass on Mondays, we will pray the Miraculous Medal Novena. On Tuesdays through Thursdays, we will pray the Rosary following Mass. Please come and pray for the renewal and purification of Holy Mother Church.

**PARISH EVENTS**

**St Mary's Altar Society** meets in the Parish Hall every 3rd Tuesday from September through May at 3:00 pm. Meetings will resume September 19th. All are welcome!



**Mass Intentions for 2018 and 2019** may be arranged by calling the Parish Office at 843-546-7416.

To dedicate Flowers for the Altar for 2018 or 2019 please contact the Parish Office to confirm names and dates.



**Wednesday Morning Gospel Study Group** meets in the Parish Hall at 9:30 am. Please join us to read and discuss the next Sunday's Gospel and Fr. Dowling.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Father Wilson has added another time for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. In addition to Thursday mornings from 8:30-11:30 am, starting on September 24th, we will now have adoration on Monday evenings from 6:00-8:00 pm. Please come and adore our Lord for an hour or two. We have volunteers covered for Thursday mornings, but if you would like to volunteer for Monday evening, please call the parish office.

**Religious Education Classes**

If you have not yet registered your child/ren for Religious Education classes this year (2018-2019), you may still do so by coming by the parish office Tuesday through Friday. We will not be registering students after Masses this month. All children grades 1-12 are encouraged to register for classes.

**Catechetical Helper**

We are off to a wonderful start this year in our Religious Education program! However, we are in need of a Catechetical Helper for grades 5 / 6. If you would be able to help in this ministry, please call Sister Bonnie at the parish office, 843-546-7416.

**God's House, Our Home**

Over the next few weeks, you will be hearing about the upcoming "God's House, Our Home" initiative at St. Mary Our Lady of Ransom Church. This initiative is very important as we move forward with the mission and vision of St. Mary's. We, as a parish family, have changed so many lives in our community as we have served God's people. In order to continue our mission and ministries, we encourage all parishioners to spend time in prayer and discussion with your family reflecting on the needs of the parish and your current giving level. We look forward to seeing all of our parishioners at Mass especially during our special Commitment Weekend on October 28<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions regarding the "God's House, Our Home" initiative, please feel free to contact the parish office. Thanks so much! We pray God's richest blessings on your family. Father Wilson

**Fall Festival Coming Soon ~ Save the Date!**

Mark your calendars on **October 20, 2018** and join us for a wonderful day full of great food, delicious bake goods, awesome yard sale items, dancing, music, exciting silent auction, and kids activities! Mary Boelke has agreed to chair this year's festival. Please contact her if you are interested in volunteering to help with the festival.

**RCIA**

If you, or someone you know is interested in receiving the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and/or Communion, please contact Sister Bonnie in the parish office (843-546-7416). Also, if you or someone you know from a different faith tradition is interested in the possibility of becoming Catholic, please contact Sister Bonnie.