

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, Jan. 11th 5:00 pm**  
† J.E. McCaffrey  
by Father Richard C. Wilson

**Sunday, January 12th, 8:00 am**  
† Sharon Kabat  
by Brenda Gorski

**Sunday, Jan. 12th, 10:00 am**  
† Kristy Rae Smith  
by The Joe Isaac, Jr. Family

**Sunday, January 12th, 1:00 pm**  
The People of the Parish

**Monday, January 13th, 5:30 pm**  
† Freddy Tagui Jimenez  
by Barbara Mathis

**Tuesday, Jan. 14th, 8:00 am**  
† All The Souls of Purgatory  
by Paul DiRuzzo

**Wednesday, Jan. 15th, 5:30 pm**  
†  
by Father Richard C. Wilson

**Thursday, Jan. 16th, 8:00 am**  
†  
by Father Richard C. Wilson

**Friday, January 17th**  
No Mass

**Saturday, Jan. 18th 5:00 pm**  
Nancy Shanley  
by Pat and Maryanne

**Sunday, January 19th, 8:00 am**  
†  
by Father Richard C. Wilson

**Sunday, Jan. 19th, 10:00 am**  
† Thomas Delahunt  
by The Delahunt Children

**Sunday, January 19th, 1:00 pm**  
The People of the Parish

### Parish Support

The offertory collection for Christmas Day, December 25th was \$6,376.00. The offertory collection for December 28th and December 29th was \$5,541.00. This includes \$367.00 from online giving. This is \$141.00 over our weekly goal of \$5,400.00. The collection for Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God was \$1,253.00. The offertory collection for January 4th and 5th was \$6,125.25. This includes \$1,758.00 from online giving. This is \$725.25 over our weekly goal of \$5,400.00.

Thank you for worshipping with us! If we can help you in your walk with Christ in any way, please call the church office.



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

Elizabeth Flaherty-Lovy, Tracey Green Wakeland, Bonnie Geitz, Sydney Johnson, James A. Harrelson Jr., Kristin Melfi Fournier, Chris Dixon, Jim Geitz, John Howard, Barbara Mahaffey, Elizabeth Del Duca, Carolyn Hicks, Betty Barr.

### 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 Larimore, 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, Brandie Barr, John Benford, Christi Sorokach Miller, 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, Hayley Wolfe, Jamison Dumm, Rita Bonifati, William Bonifati, Chuck Vanover, Eugene Edwards, Arthur Cannon, Wayne Johnson, Sandra Garrett, Murrey Lord, Lu Hanley, Shelly Savage, Diane Cuptray, Mateo Lara, Terry Kelly, Lorna Campagna, Konrad Zeiske, Krystina Millar, Theresa Michau, Savannah Marie Mincey, Paul Renault, Gregorio Viray, Barbara Dumm, Mark Mercer, Carol Zeiske, Linda DiPetrillo, Maureen Delahunt, George Chiha, Mark Sheehan, Tammy Miychell, Frank Del Duca, Mary Hopper Richardson, Brandy Barr, Victoria Barr, Maria Handy, Francy Green, James Manford, Pasquale Manto, Thomas Lusby.

### 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.



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 at 843-546-7416.

### Bishop's Annual Appeal

Due to our parish's participation in the Diocesan Capital Campaign last year, we will be exempt from participation in the Bishop's Annual Appeal (BAA) this year. Of course if you have envelopes and would like to still contribute, you can, but there will be no formal BAA campaign this year for our parish.

Our 2019 BAA campaign was a huge success. We should have the year-end numbers soon. Thanks so much for your generosity!

### Parish Mission Feb 29<sup>th</sup>-March 3<sup>rd</sup>: Hold the Date

Al Barbarino, a Lay Franciscan will be at St. Mary's from Feb 29<sup>th</sup>-March 3<sup>rd</sup>. Since the 1980's, Al has had a music and speaking ministry to Catholics since the 1980's. He has ministered at dozens of parishes in the United States and in several countries. Al will speak at all of the Masses that weekend and for two-three nights after. Please hold the date on your calendar.

### A Word of Life

When I meet another parent of a child with Down syndrome, there is usually a moment of instant recognition and understanding. Our eyes meet, and we smile conspiratorially, as if we're in on the same secret: the fundamental truth that every life is a good and perfect gift. ...Our love for our children has nothing to do with their abilities. We love them simply because of who they are, and understanding this teaches us how to truly love everyone." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "A Perfect Gift" ([www.respectlife.org/a-perfect-gift](http://www.respectlife.org/a-perfect-gift))

January 12th, 2020 *The Baptist of the Lord*



*Weekly Readings*

**Sunday:** Is 42:1-4, 6-7 Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10 Acts 10:34-38 Mt 3:13-17  
**Monday:** 1 Sm 1:1-8 Ps 116:12-19 Mk 1:14-20  
**Tuesday:** 1 Sm 1:9-20 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8 Mk 1:21-28  
**Wednesday:** 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20 Ps 40:2, 5, 7-10 Mk 1:29-39  
**Thursday:** 1 Sm 4:1-11 Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25 Mk 1:40-45  
**Friday:** 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a Ps 89;16-19 Mk 2:1-12  
**Saturday:** 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a Ps 21:2-7 Mk 2:13-17  
**Next Sunday:** Is 49:3, 5-6 Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10 1Cor 1:1-3 Jn 1:29-34

**Liturgical Roles**

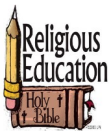
<b>Jan. 18th Saturday 5:00 pm</b>	<b>Jan. 19th Sunday 8:00 am</b>	<b>Jan. 19th Sunday 10:00 am</b>
<b>Lectors:</b> M Roberts	N McMahan	A Joseph
<b>Ushers:</b> J Lauro P Medved C Peterson	B Roberts M/T Clarke G Johnson	M/T MacManus D Canna
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</b>		
A Vega A Petrino B Mathis	M/B Clark	J/B Renault T Howard
<b>Altar Servers:</b> B Mathis	J & J Espinoza	Ja Duncan
<b>Altar Care:</b> M Roberts	C Humphries	L Hernández
<b>If you are unable to serve when you are scheduled, please remember to find a substitute.</b>		

**Parish Registration**

We warmly welcome new members to our parish community. Please register with our parish in order to participate in various programs, ministries and activities. Please either visit our website at [www.stmaryourladyofransom.org](http://www.stmaryourladyofransom.org) and complete the form under "Newcomers" or visit the church office and fill out a registration form.

**Marriage Encounter Weekend**

**"For whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted." Learn how to be humble in your marriage.** Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on Jan 31--Feb 2, 2020 in North Myrtle Beach, SC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://SCMarriageMatters.org> or contact us at [applications@scmarriagematters.org](mailto:applications@scmarriagematters.org) or 803-810-9602.



Welcome back everyone. Hope you enjoyed your Christmas season. As we begin 2020 we continue with our religious education. Classes resumed today with breakfast before classes.

*A Promise to, A Pledge to Heal*

*Our goal at St Mary remains that the Parish be aware of and support the Safe Environment we seek to foster.*

**PARISH EVENTS**

**St. Mary's Altar Society**

St. Mary's Altar Society meets every third Tuesday at 3:00 pm in the parish hall. All ladies of the parish are welcome.



**Mass Intentions for 2020** may be arranged by calling the Parish Office at 843-546-7416.



**To dedicate Flowers for the Altar for 2020** please contact the Parish Office to confirm names and dates.



**The Knights Corner  
"Holy Family Light Our Way  
in Love and Charity"**

**HAPPY 2020!** Our K of C Council 3067 meets the 2nd Thursday of each month at Maryville Social Hall at 2009 South Fraser St. in Maryville. The next meeting will be held February 13th. A current membership card is required and can be obtained at the door. The Business Dinner starts at 6:15 pm with the Business Meeting following at 7:15 pm. The Officers meet before these meetings at 5:30 pm in the conference room.

The K of C 4th Degree Assembly 3272 meets the 4th Thursday of each month at Father Pat's Kitchen at PBOC in Pawleys Island. The meetings start at 6:30 pm and are followed by a dinner. Thursday, January 23 will be our next meeting/dinner. A current membership card is required for admission and qualified members can receive a card at the door.

The Annual Stand Up For Life Rally, sponsored by the S.C. Citizens For Life to protest the decision to legalize abortion throughout the United States, is this Saturday in Columbia. Please pray for the innocent victims of Abortion.

The membership and family are invited and encouraged to attend the Annual Columbus H.O.P.E. Foundation Banquet Thursday, January 16th at St. Mary's Parish Hall, whereby we will present checks for \$3,200 to Special Olympics, The J.O.Y. School and Georgetown Disabilities!

The Annual S.C. State K of C Charity Fundraiser continues through December. Please contact local chair Bob McMahan at 843-729-6463 to participate. This Drive culminates Saturday, February 1st at the State Mid-Winter Meeting and Charity Ball in Columbia.

We have mailed \$500 checks directly to each of the two Seminarians our Council continues to support: Brother Hardey Aguilar CRM studying with the Adorno Fathers in New Jersey starting this month; and Daniel Perry, 1st Pre-Theology at St. Vincent de Paul Regional Seminary in Boynton Beach, FL.

Need volunteers for two upcoming January projects. If you are able to help please call Mike Macedo (843-325-7191) on the Seminarian Breakfast and Paul Soard (843-933-5949) on the Youth Free Throw Championship.



**Food Pantry Drive:** January 18 - 19, 2020: Donations of can and dry goods can be left at the St. Mary's Church Narthex that weekend; and will be delivered to St. Cyprian's Outreach and Georgetown Helping Hands.