



CATHOLIC COMMUNITY at CAROLINA FOREST

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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time January 29, 2023

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Our Mission: Preparing disciples for the good adventure.
Our Vision: One joy-filled family on the good adventure.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday (Vigil) 4:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am, 11:00 am
& 5:00 pm

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 5:30 pm
Thursday 7:00 pm (Adoration 6:00 pm)
Saturday 9:00 am

Confessions

Thursday 6:00 pm
Saturday 2:30 pm
Sunday 10:30 am, 4:00 pm
& after Masses

MASS INTENTIONS:

1/28 Saturday 4:00 pm: Intentions of Father David
1/29 Sunday 8:00 am: CCCF
1/29 Sunday 11:00 am: John Marsalisi, Sr.*
1/29 Sunday 5:00 pm: Joseph Mazza*
1/30 Monday: Rich Lata*
2/1 Wednesday: Edward Kniola*
2/2 Thursday: Stephen Smigielski*
2/3 Friday: Robert Mennis*
2/4 Saturday 9:00 am: Amy Hurst*
2/4 Saturday 4:00 pm: Stephen Smigielski*
2/5 Sunday 8:00 am: Michael Massarella*
2/5 Sunday 11:00 am: CCCF
2/5 Sunday 5:00 pm: Intentions of Father David

We are accepting Mass Intention requests for all masses. The offering set by the Diocese is \$10 per Mass, \$15 with a Mass card. Please call or email us at ccatcf@gmail.com.

At the 4:00 pm, 11:00 am and 5:00 pm weekend Masses, if a prayer intention was requested by you and you would like to bring up the gifts (bread and wine) please see the Mass Coordinator before Mass.

**Rest of the soul*



Thursday, February 2nd is Candlemas, also known as "The Presentation of the Lord". We will have a 5:30 pm Mass at Seton and bless ANY candles you bring. Additionally, we will bless special Holy Family candles that will be distributed to each CCCF family/household. We encourage you to light this candle, bless your food, and pray the Holy Family consecration prayer at a daily family meal.

World Day for Consecrated Life: February 2nd - 5th. World Day for Consecrated Life will be celebrated by the Church on February 2nd and in parishes the weekend of February 4th. Please pray for all those who have made a commitment to the consecrated life and thank them on their special day. May the men and women you have called continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.



Ash Wednesday Masses: February 22nd

12:00 noon St Mark Coptic Orthodox Church, 1400 Carolina Forest Boulevard
5:30 pm Seton Catholic School

Registration - Cards are available as you exit the building or register at www.catholicsatcarolinaforest.com. If your address or phone number has changed, please send an email with your updated information to ccatcf@gmail.com.

Holy Communion for the Sick/Homebound - Please see Deacon Jim or a sacristan before/after Mass to arrange for an Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister to bring Holy Communion to someone you know that is sick or homebound.

Sacraments & Funerals - We offer preparation for all the Sacraments (Baptism, First Confession, Holy Communion, Confirmation & Marriage). If you or someone you know are struggling physically, psychologically, spiritually or have an upcoming surgery, please call 843-306-3025 to schedule either the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick or the Last Rites. Funerals are typically held at Seton School, but sometimes can be arranged to be done elsewhere.

Blessings - If you or someone you know is expecting a child, or celebrating a major milestone (5, 10, 15 years, etc.) in your sacramental marriage and would like a blessing after Mass, or if you would like a priest or deacon to bless your home, please contact us at ccatcf@gmail.com.

Need Prayers? If you would like for someone to be added to our prayer list, contact our intercessory prayer team leader, Fern Daniels at 843-397-2728 or kfed@aol.com, and reference "prayers for the Catholic Community" as the subject.

Safe Environment Training - The Diocese of Charleston requires mandatory education ("Safe Environment Training") and resources to create and maintain safe environments for minors and vulnerable adults. Please contact our Safe Environment Coordinator, Susan Cataldo at ccfsafehaven@gmail.com for volunteer training requirements.



Handicap Parking at Seton is limited. If you are able-bodied, please consider leaving the parking spaces closer to the front door available for the handicap and elderly members of our parish.

Name Tags - If you are interested in a CCCF name tag, see a greeter for an order form. Please complete the form and return it along with \$10 (payment). Any questions, call Deb Sentz (843) 333-1392.

The main office is used as a 'family room' during the weekend Masses, especially at the 11:00 am Mass, where families with young children feel more comfortable attending, and their young children have a bit more freedom to move around. There are books, children bulletins, paper, and crayons for the children to use. Please try to leave this room available for these young families.

Our Community is equipped with a **Peavey Assisted Listening System 72.9**. We have four receivers in the sacristy available for use during Mass. Check with an usher or greeter if you need to use one for Mass. You may purchase your own transmitter through FullCompass.com or Amazon. Send an email to ccatcf@gmail.com for order information.

Bulletin Deadlines - Bulletin announcements are due no later than Monday at 10:00 am for the following weekend. To submit an article, email Christine Delea at cd.ccatcf@gmail.com.

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS



Blood pressure checks will be done after all the Masses next weekend (Feb 4th & 5th).



Choir Spring season has started! On the days we sing in Mass we meet at 9:45 am (for the 11:00 am Sunday Mass), and 2:45 pm (for the 4:00 pm Saturday Mass) to warm-up then stay afterwards for rehearsal. Come join the fun! Dates for spring: January 29, February 5, 12, 18, 26, March 5, 12, 18, 26 and April 2, 6, 8 (Easter Vigil). Contact Laura at lauracandlerwhite@gmail.com to sign up.

Grief Ministry News - We continue our work in preparation of launching our Grief Share® program at CCCF. We welcome any community members who would like to serve in this ministry. Additionally, for anyone who has lost a loved one and cannot wait for our program to begin, please visit www.griefshare.org and go to find a group, type in your zip code, as directed, and a list of local Grief Share groups will appear. Grief Share is an open group program, meaning you can join at any point in the 13-week program.

Are you in an irregular marriage? Are you divorced, remarried, and never received a declaration of nullity? Are you separated from the sacraments? A "Declaration of Nullity" is not the dissolution of an existing marriage, but rather a determination that consent was never validly exchanged due to a failure to meet the requirements to enter validly into a sacramental marriage. If you would like to talk with someone at the parish regarding a declaration of nullity, please call

the parish office at (843) 306-3025 or send an email to ccatcf@gmail.com . We have trained case assistants that can walk you through the process.

FRIENDS OF FRASSATI & OUTREACH



Help us bring dinner to the homeless in Myrtle Beach at the New Directions Men's Shelter on **Tuesday, January 31st and Tuesday, February 7th**. We need volunteers to donate food and supplies, and a few to serve at the shelter each day. There will be **ONE sign-up for both of these dates**. To sign up, please go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0E4DAEAC283-newdirections4> or email cd.ccatcf@gmail.com.



The Nursing Home Ministry is planning visits to Myrtle Beach Manor, Brightwater Senior Living, Indigo Carolina Forest, and Reflections Assisted Living each month, bringing joy and fellowship to the residents. *They will be hosting Bingo on **February 1st** at Reflections Assisted Living.* Please contact Donna Cislak at dacislak@hotmail.com for more information or to volunteer.



Thank you to everyone who donated blood last weekend and made our inaugural blood drive a huge success! Over 40 parishioners donated blood, keeping the beds in the mobile unit full the entire day. The technicians expressed how impressed they were with the support shown by our community – especially during January when blood is in such need. Blood donations are one of the most important gifts you can give to others in need!

Rides to Mass – If you know of someone that needs a ride to Mass, please email cd.ccatcf@gmail.com. Our Parishioner Assistance ministry will contact you. We are also able to help with visiting the homebound, delivering groceries, preparing meals, light housework/yardwork, Christian fellowship and much more. Please send an email to the above address or call the church at 843-306-3025 if you or someone you know needs help.



Several times Antonio Cellerino with amazement noticed that Pier Giorgio had no money in his pocket. One evening when they left late from a get-together, he heard him insisting on walking all the way home. But Antonio Cellerino had seen the tram arriving and stopped him: "Let's get on it," he said. "But I don't have money for the tram," Pier Giorgio immediately responded. All of it was gone, all of it had been surrendered to the hands of his poor – the little they gave him at home. But this time a fortune came out of it. Because luck called Antonio Cellerino to offer him a ride on the tram that day. **(Excerpts from La Carita, edited by Luciana Frassati, pg. 47-48)**

Weekly Challenge: It's humbling and edifying to know people more generous than ourselves. Find a way to give one of those generous people a helping hand.



Catholic Charities of SC - For I was hungry, and you gave me food" (Mt 25:35). **We collect food each Sunday for Catholic Charities of the Pee Dee.** They are in URGENT NEED of canned peas, corn, yams, potatoes, chicken, spam, Vienna sausages, tuna, soup, ravioli/pasta meals, granola bars, chips, cookies, bars of soap, shampoo, conditioner, toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant (travel & regular size), adult diapers, toilet paper, tissues, paper towels, unscented laundry detergent, dryer sheets, bleach, white vinegar, disposable razors, baby powder, foot powder, socks, children's books, coloring books and crayons. PLEASE CHECK DATES ON DONATED FOOD. The pantry is also in need of plastic grocery bags. Thank you for your generous donations!

DISCIPLESHIP & FAITH FORMATION



Family Faith Formation resumes **Sunday, January 29th at 9:30 am** at Seton. All are welcome! Please contact Jeff Vehige at jeffvehige09@gmail.com for more information.

Do you have a teen in your life that you want to share the love of Christ with? If so, invite them to join Frassati's CREW! Frassati's CREW is our new youth program for middle and high school teens. Teens will share in fellowship, formation, and joy as we gather during CREW nights! Join us for fun games, small group discussions, and prayer! **Frassati's CREW meets every 2nd and 4th Friday from 6:15 to 8:00pm.** Contact Katie Kline at kkline1414@gmail.com to RSVP. Dinner will be provided.



The Catholic Community at Carolina Forest has a subscription to **FORMED**. We will be using several movies, Bible studies and programs for our faith formation going forward. They also have free faith-based audiobooks and electronic books. Sign up for FREE at formed.org/signup and select "Catholic Community at Carolina Forest". If you need help signing up, call us or send us an email.

DIOCESAN NEWS

Men's Discernment Retreat 2023 - February 3rd – 5th. This retreat is designed for young adult men who would like to go more deeply in discernment of their possible call to priesthood or religious life. Participants join priests in days of prayer, fellowship, sharing and discussions. This is a beautiful time where young men can have their questions answered and hear the stories of others who have carried out this discernment before, plus spend time in conversation with other men traveling the same road. Cost \$25 to register. Email vocations@charlestdiocese.org for more information or to register.

Webinar on the Book of Exodus (Zoom) – February 9th | 3:30 – 4:30 pm. The Office of Catechesis and Christian Initiation invites you to join in a webinar on the book of Exodus. To register, please contact cathy@charlestdiocese.org

Marriage Enrichment Conference - Saturday, February 11th 11:00 am – 6:00 pm, Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, Charleston, SC. Couple: \$64 | Individual: \$40. On-site Childcare: \$5/child. Scholarships for couples and individuals are available. Register now <https://forlifeandfamily.org/events/th23-chsc/>



Calling all women to the **Annual Catholic Women's Conference** on Saturday, **February 25th** at St. Joseph's Catholic School in Greenville, SC. Featuring 20 workshops, a delicious catered lunch, vendors, Catholic artists, music performance, and Mass. One of the guest speakers leading a workshop is our very own parishioner, *Laura Boronski*! Early bird registration is now open for \$35 until Feb. 1st, and discounts are offered for groups of 15 or more. Sign up at www.heartridgeministries.com/belonging

The South Carolina Council of Catholic Women Convention will be held in Myrtle Beach March 3rd – 5th at the Landmark Resort. This year the SCCCW Myrtle Beach Deanery is hosting this event. Women from all over SC, Georgia and North Carolina come together to promote **Spirituality, Leadership, and Service**. Details and reservation information can be found at <https://www.scccw.org/>.

Women's Discernment Retreat - April 1st. This is an invitation to participate in a day of reflection for women ages 18-35 interested in or considering consecrated religious life, held at St. Joseph Church in Columbia, and the Sisters of Life and the Dominican Sisters of St. Cecilia (Nashville) will relay the beauty of the consecrated life. They will share treasured moments from discernment and their encounters with Christ. To register, email vocations@charlestdiocese.org.

SETON NEWS



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic School (SEASCC) and the **Catholic Community at Carolina Forest (CCCF)** are separate diocesan entities. CCCF pays rent to utilize the SEASCC building for Masses and various meetings after normal school hours/functions. CCCF parishioners and volunteers should not be on SEASCC property during normal school hours/functions without prior permission from school personnel. We appreciate CCCF parishioners and volunteers abiding with this requirement. Any donations to CCCF should be made payable to the **Catholic Community at Carolina Forest**.

Seton Catholic School has open spots at all Grade Levels 6 - 12, and small class sizes. Call the office today, 843-903-1400 to set up a personal tour!

Tax Credit Options for Special Needs Students: The SC Department of Revenue will begin to accept Parental Refundable Credit applications and the Educational Credit Needs Children Fund on February 1, 2023. A tax credit is available for parents or guardians of exceptional needs students. Credits are approved on a first come first-serve basis. MyDORWAY.dor.sc.gov.

STEWARDSHIP NEWS

Attention all USHERS - Please mark your calendar for an important meeting on **Saturday, February 11th** from 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm to review the new Usher's Guide. All current and prospective Ushers are encouraged to attend.

2022 Tax Statements - With the change to the IRS tax code, many people will no longer be able to itemize charitable contributions for tax purposes. 2022 Year End Contribution Statements have been mailed to those who made a one-time donation of \$250 or more (per IRS regulations) or have made cumulative contributions for the year totaling \$5,000 or more. If you do not fit this criterion and still require a tax statement, please request via email to CCatCF@gmail.com.

Offertory Envelopes - Offertory envelopes will be mailed bi-monthly, the next batch of envelopes for March/April will be delivered to your home around the middle of February. If you would like to receive CCCF offertory envelopes, please email Deacon Jim at jhannerschitz@charlestandioocese.org.



Online Giving - Go to www.catholicsatcarolinaforest.com, click Register/Contact/Giving, click on the Online Giving button. As an alternative, you can use your bank's online payment feature to mail your weekly tithe, send it to: **Catholic Community at Carolina Forest, PO Box 50665, Myrtle Beach SC 29579**

Online Giving Update - Thank you for your generous support of our parish during our One Joy-Filled Family on the Good Adventure Program! ***If you currently use online giving, please make sure you go into the application and update your giving to reflect your new commitment.*** If you do not remember what you have committed to or if you need help logging in to the online giving application, please contact Deacon Jim at jhannerschitz@charlestandioocese.org. Your generosity shows your willingness, as a faithful steward, to be a part of the ongoing mission of CCCF.

"As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another as good stewards of the manifold grace of God." 1 Peter 4:10. As a faith community, we have many needs, and we know each of you have many gifts. Please share your time, talent, and treasure.

Previous week Collection: \$10,174 Previous week Mass Attendance: 781 Registered Households: 588
Budgeted weekly expenses: \$10,125 (based on Annual Report released 9/16/2022)

There will be a second collection *next weekend* for the Rent and Building fund.



"We need to build up society in the light of the Beatitudes, walking toward the Kingdom with the least among us."

Pope Francis

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