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## The Ascension of the Lord May 21, 2023

***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:**

5/20 Saturday 4:00 pm: Fran Ruocco\*  
5/21 Sunday 8:00 am: Our Parish Community  
5/21 Sunday 11:00 am: Intentions of Father David  
5/21 Sunday 5:00 pm: Michael Massarella\*  
5/22 Monday: Alberta Guyet\*  
5/24 Wednesday: Maria Yvonne Lopez Perez\*  
5/25 Thursday: Patricia Ann Belyski\*  
5/26 Friday: Deceased members of the Martini family\*  
5/27 Saturday 9:00 am: Sam and Lena Siple\*  
5/27 Saturday 4:00 pm: In Thanksgiving  
5/28 Sunday 8:00 am: Intentions of Father David  
5/28 Sunday 11:00 am: John and Miriam Stadelmann\*  
5/28 Sunday 5:00 pm: Our Parish Community

Mass Intention requests are available for all Masses. The offering set by the Diocese is \$10 per Mass, \$15 with a Mass card, and due upon scheduling. Please email your request for a Mass Intention/Mass Card to Maryann Ruocco at [Mruocco.FrassatiCC@gmail.com](mailto:Mruocco.FrassatiCC@gmail.com).

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

### **STAFF DIRECTORY:**

Founding Pastor: Father David Nerbun  
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Director of Friends of Frassati and Safe Haven Coordinator, Christine Delea: [cdelea@charlestdioocese.org](mailto:cdelea@charlestdioocese.org)

**Registration** - Forms are available as you exit the building or register at [www.frassatichurch.org](http://www.frassatichurch.org). If your address or phone number have changed, please send an email with your updated information to [FrassatiCC@gmail.com](mailto:FrassatiCC@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.

**Blessings** are available for expecting Mothers, sacramental marriage milestones, and your home. Please contact 843-306-3025 or [FrassatiCC@gmail.com](mailto:FrassatiCC@gmail.com) to schedule.

**Sacraments & Funerals** - Preparation is offered for all Sacraments (Baptism, First Confession, Holy Communion, Confirmation & Marriage). 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 elsewhere.

**Prayer Requests** – To add someone to our prayer list, contact Deb Wycoff at 203-768-9143 or [wycOFF1956@gmail.com](mailto:wycOFF1956@gmail.com), and reference “prayers for Frassati Catholic” as the subject.

**Safe Environment Training** - The Diocese of Charleston requires mandatory education for anyone participating in our parish ministries. Please contact Christine Delea at [cdelea@charlestandioocese.org](mailto:cdelea@charlestandioocese.org) for ministry training requirements.

**Parking/Seating** - If able-bodied, please consider parking behind the school so that our handicapped parishioners and guests can park closer. Also, consider giving up your seat of preference to make room for guests to experience our Mass.

**Name Tags** – **NEW** Frassati Catholic Church name tags are available for \$10 each. Please see a greeter or an usher for an order form. Any questions, call Deb Sentz (843) 333-1392.

**The main office is used as a 'family room' during Masses**, especially at the 11:00 am Mass, where families with young children feel more comfortable attending. Please leave this room available for young families.

**Peavey Assisted Listening System 72.9** – The Peavey System is taking longer than expected to be repaired and we expect that it will be updated sometime this summer.

**Worship Aids** are reused for all Masses. Please return your worship aid after Mass as you exit. Thank you!

**Bulletin Deadlines** - Bulletin announcements are due by Monday at 10:00 am for the following weekend. To submit an article, email Christine Delea at [cdelea@charlestandioocese.org](mailto:cdelea@charlestandioocese.org).

## PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

Congratulations to our 16 youth that are receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation from Bishop Jacques Fabre Jeune and to all the Seton seniors that are graduating this Sunday May 21st!



**Frassati Grief Ministry - Grief Share**, our weekly grief support group for all those grieving the loss of a loved one, invites you to join us on Wednesdays from 11:30 am - 1:30 pm at **St. Mark Coptic Church** (1400 Carolina Forest Blvd) through **July 19<sup>th</sup>**. For more information or to register go to [www.GriefShare.org](http://www.GriefShare.org) then click on find a group.

**Happy Hour** 🍷 Join us on **May 22, 2023**, from **5:00 pm to 7:00 pm** at the **Sneaky Beagle** located at 5040 Carolina Forest Blvd. Be prepared for good food, drinks, and fellowship with our awesome parishioners! Hope to see you there!



**Nocturnal Adoration** will be held on the first weekend of each month. The next Nocturnal Adoration will be on **Friday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> beginning at 6:00 pm and ending on Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00 am**. We know that the Eucharist gave Blessed Pier Giorgio the strength and happiness to live each day. He once said of his devotion to the Eucharist, "After a prayer vigil, I feel stronger, safer, more secure, and even happier." We need volunteers especially during the overnight hours. To sign up for a time, please visit <https://frassatichurch.flocknote.com/signup/122757>.



**The Knights of Columbus** will be hosting a Communion Breakfast on **Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am** at the Four Points by Sheraton located at 101 Fantasy Harbor Blvd, Myrtle Beach SC 29579. Tickets cost \$25 per person and is open to all.

**Breakfast includes:** Eggs, bacon, sausage, biscuits and gravy, grits, fresh fruit tray, bagels, pastries, yogurt, orange, apple and cranberry juices and a coffee station with mini desserts. For

additional information please contact Bill Trimble at 845-283-7872 or [btrimble1944@gmail.com](mailto:btrimble1944@gmail.com).

## FRIENDS OF FRASSATI & OUTREACH

**The 33rd Anniversary of Pier Giorgio's Beatification** - May 20th marks 33 years since the day when Pope Saint John Paul II declared Pier Giorgio Frassati "Blessed." At that Beatification Mass in St. Peter's Square, JP II called Pier Giorgio "the man of the eight beatitudes." As some have pointed out since, "beatitude" in Spanish is a compound word literally meaning "good adventure." Hence, Pier Giorgio was a man who found joy in all sorts of good adventures. He fused his faith and daily life so seamlessly that it became easy for him to use his love of sports, art, and politics to bring others to

the Lord, all while helping the poor and sick in Turin, Italy. Now we anxiously await his canonization. In honor of Pier Giorgio, spread joy to all you meet today in the ordinary moments of life. *Verso l'alto – Towards the Heights!*



Maria Marietti recalls:

Delfina Sartorio, who was the nanny of Pier Giorgio, recounted to me that one day she was going to the Frassati house for one of her usual yearly visits, when she heard the little one say: "Mamma, can I give all my savings to the nanny because she is not well and is poor?"

**Weekly Challenge:** If you don't tithe (give 10% of your income yet), then commit to getting their incrementally. If you already tithe, give more this week to your parish and the other charities that you financially support.



Help us serve dinner to the homeless in Myrtle Beach at the New Directions Men's Shelter on **Tuesday, May 30<sup>th</sup>**. This month we will be preparing & serving dinner at the shelter. Please sign up below if you would like to join Susan Cataldo as she leads this group to serve. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0E4DAEAC283-newdirections8>.

The **Parishioner Assistance Ministry** is here to help fellow parishioners in need! Please call the church at 843-306-3025 or email [cdelea@charlestandioocese.org](mailto:cdelea@charlestandioocese.org) if you or someone you know needs help.



The **Nursing Home Ministry** will be hosting and *Cookie Baking* on May 24<sup>th</sup> at Brightwater. Please contact Donna at [dacislak@hotmail.com](mailto:dacislak@hotmail.com) if you would like to join this wonderful group.

**Catholic Charities of the Pee Dee** needs the following: canned vegetables, chicken, spam, Vienna sausages, tuna, soup, granola bars, chips, cookies, soap, shampoo, conditioner, toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant, 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. **Donations are accepted every weekend in the baskets outside the main office.** Thank you for your generous donations!



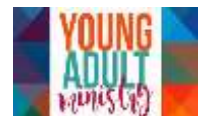
## DISCIPLESHIP & FAITH FORMATION



**Vacation Bible School** - Calling all Pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> graders! Get ready for Wilderness Adventure Vacation Bible School! This summer, we will help children better understand the seven sacraments and deepen their love for Jesus. Cat.Chat's Catholic VBS programs are specially designed to lead kids closer to Jesus while having a blast learning about the treasures of their Catholic faith. **VBS will be June 12<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm at Seton School.** Email [kkline@charlestandioocese.org](mailto:kkline@charlestandioocese.org) if you are interested in registering your child or helping out!

**Walking with Jesus: An Introduction to the Spiritual Life** - All are called to be a disciple of Jesus. Yet many of us are unaware of the major forms of prayer and the paths of spiritual development that exist to bring us closer to Christ. In this four-week class, we will draw on the riches of the Bible, the words of Jesus, and the writings of the saints to shed light on the mystery of the spiritual life. **When:** Four Mondays June 5, 12, 19, and 26. **Meeting Time:** Dinner: 6 pm to 6:30 pm. Presentation: 6:40 pm to 8 pm. **Where:** Seton Catholic School. **Speaker:** Jeff Vehige. **Sign-Up:** Katie Kline [kkline@charlestandioocese.org](mailto:kkline@charlestandioocese.org).

**Home from College?** Young Adults ages 18-28 are invited to join our Young Adult Summer Study on Sundays at 6:15pm at Seton School. Contact Katie at [kkline@charlestandioocese.org](mailto:kkline@charlestandioocese.org) for questions.



**Mepkin Abbey Excursion** - Explore Mepkin Abbey with Coastal Carolina University's Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI). Established in 1949, Mepkin Abbey is a community of Roman catholic monks located along the Cooper River, north of Charleston. Join us **June 8<sup>th</sup>** as we travel by bus to Mepkin Abbey and have lunch at The Barony House in Moncks Corner, SC. To learn more about this exciting opportunity and to purchase your tickets visit: [campusce.net/olliccu](http://campusce.net/olliccu). For questions or more information, email [olli@coastal.edu](mailto:olli@coastal.edu) or call 843-349-6554.

## DIOCESAN NEWS



Please join **Catholics for Freedom of Religion (CFFR)** as they honor the men, women, and families of our Armed Forces. They will march in the 2023 Annual Military Appreciation Days Parade held at the Market Common in Myrtle Beach on Saturday, May 27<sup>th</sup>. The parade steps off at 10:30 am and travels down Howard Avenue and Farrow Parkway. After the parade there will be a picnic with live music, exhibits, and activities at Valor Memorial Garden. If you are interested in marching, contact **Carol**

**Jean Walters**, Director CFFR, at [cjwalters@catholicsforfreedomofreligion.org](mailto:cjwalters@catholicsforfreedomofreligion.org), 631-926-0995 or 843-236-0162.

**Any teenagers or young adults** interested in repairing homes on John's Island and Wadmalaw from June 18 - 24? Visit [HomeWorksofAmerica.org](http://HomeWorksofAmerica.org) or call Cliff Moore (803) 361-8862. Accommodations provided at the Sea Islands Camp and Retreat Center, 3429 Camp Care Road, Johns Island. The cost is \$300/per person (scholarships available by the parish).

**Come to the Mountains for Catholic Summer Family Camp.** Heart Ridge Retreat Center offers weeklong Catholic family camps. It is like summer camp—but for the whole family. One price includes comfortable AC lodging, food, and all the activities. For more information or to register, visit <https://www.heartridgeministries.com/summer-family-camp.html>.



**Worldwide Marriage Encounter** - Put Spring into your marriage! The

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is a chance to look deeply into your relationship with each other and with God. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on November 10 - 12, 2023, and January 26 - 28, 2024, in North Myrtle Beach, SC. For more information visit their website at <https://SCMarriageMatters.org> or

contact them at 803-810-9602 or [applications@scmarriagematters.org](mailto:applications@scmarriagematters.org).

## SETON CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS



**Seton Catholic School** has openings at all Grade Levels. Call today, 843-903-1400 to set up a personal tour!

**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic School and Frassati Catholic Church are separate diocesan entities.** Frassati Catholic Church pays rent to use the school building for

Masses and various meetings after normal school hours. Our parishioners and volunteers should not be on school property during normal school hours without prior permission from school personnel.

**Adopt A Student** – Give the gift of Catholic Education by financially adopting a Seton student. For more information, visit <https://setoncatholicsc.org/Adopt>.

## STEWARDSHIP NEWS

**Building the Good Adventure Campaign** - Wow and thank you! Your generosity is at work to build our parish campus at Frassati Catholic Church. As of Monday, May 15, we have already had 140 families respond and have a total of \$1,218,000 pledged. We are very close to surpassing our first goal of \$1,500,000 and starting the pathway to doubling it which would allow us to expedite the entirety of Phase I that can be completed as soon as the Spring of 2026. To do this, we need everyone's help. If you have not yet turned in your pledge card, you should have received a letter in the mail asking you to consider how you can make a joy-filled sacrifice and give back to the God and parish community that continue to heal, nurture, and/or build you up. Please mail your pledge card or drop it off at one of our Masses or in the collection basket with your weekly/monthly offertory.



Any donations to Frassati Catholic should be made payable to the **Frassati Catholic Church**.

**Offerment Envelopes** - If you wish to receive or cancel offertory envelopes, please email Deacon Jim at [jhinerschitz@charlestdiocese.org](mailto:jhinerschitz@charlestdiocese.org).

**Leave a Legacy of Faith** You can provide for the future well-being of Frassati Catholic Church by including the parish in your will and/or estate plan. By making this gift, you are helping to ensure the Church continues to play an integral role in

the lives of others, thereby guaranteeing the faith and all its blessings will be passed to future generations. Please contact the church office at (843) 306-3025 or [FrassatiCC@gmail.com](mailto:FrassatiCC@gmail.com) for the form or if you would like more information.



**Online Giving** - Go to [www.frassatichurch.org](http://www.frassatichurch.org) click Giving, click on the Online Giving button. If you need help logging in, please contact Deacon Jim at [jhannerschitz@charlestandioocese.org](mailto:jhannerschitz@charlestandioocese.org). As an alternative, you can use your bank's online payment feature to mail your weekly tithe, send it to: **Frassati Catholic Church, PO Box 50665, Myrtle Beach SC 29579.**

## FRASSATI SPOTLIGHT



Friends of Frassati Outreach Collection for the homeless veteran's thrift shop. Thank you to all who donated so generously!



If you would like to submit an entry for the Frassati Spotlight, please send photo and brief description to [cdelea@charlestandioocese.org](mailto:cdelea@charlestandioocese.org).

Previous Week Collection: \$10,864

Previous Week Mass Attendance: 928

Registered Households: 694

Budgeted Weekly Expenses: \$10,125 (based on Annual Report released 9/16/2022)

**“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.



*“Now this is eternal life, that they should know you, the only true God, and the one whom you sent, Jesus Christ” John 17:3*



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