

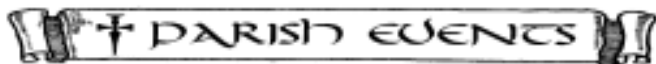


Saturday, December 6 - Sunday, December 14, 2008
*Dates marked with * differ from normal schedule*

Sat.	7:00 AM	Pro Life Intentions
	5:15 PM	Gus Groth †
Sun.	9:30 AM	For All Parishioners
	12:00 PM -	VN Mass
*Mon.	8:30 AM	For All Parishioners
	7:00 PM	Joseph Romaine †
Tue.		No Mass
Wed	7:00 PM	Jeannette Sukastes †
Thr.	8:30 AM	Paul Hudak †
Fri.	8:30 AM	Anne Kuznicki †
Sat.	7:00 AM	Special Intention
	5:15 PM	Jill Richey †
Sun.	9:30 AM	For All Parishioners
	12:00 AM	VN Mass

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Katie Belle Cooley, Will Duggan, Max Dugas, Tony Feil, Edd German, Eric Provencher, Marie Reed, Helen Tripp, and all those who are sick or shut-in.

WELCOME VISITORS: We extend a warm welcome to everyone visiting here for the first time. To register, please pick up a registration form in the Church Office or online at www.olrgreenville.net.



Monday, December 8 - Sunday, December 14, 2008

- 12/09: Media Center Open House 6:30 PM @ MC
 Hispanic Bible Study 7:30 PM @ PC
- 12/10: Adoration 5 PM
 Advent Soup Dinner & Reflection 6:00 PM @ PC
 Benediction 6:45 PM
- 12/13: JPPI Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser 6:30 PM @ PC
- 12/14: VN RCIA 10 AM @ Teacher's Lounge
 VN Prayer Group 10 AM @ Gym
 VN Choir Practice 10:30 AM @ Cry Room
 Rel. Ed. Classes 10:30 AM
 Basketball Practices 1:00 - 8:00 PM @ Gym
 VN Marriage Enrichment 1:00 PM @ PC

SERVER SCHEDULE

Sat. 12/06: L: Dave Estes & David Estes, Jr.
 EMHC: Dave Henderson, Cheryl Bever & Dennise Estes
 AS: Ali Beischer, Caitlin Mulholland, Brecken Hobbs

Sun. 12/07: L: Maurice Reed & Jim Beischer
 EMHC: John Bruce & Jerry Shamroe
 AS: Isabel Treanor, Kaitlyn Dunphy, Olivia Treanor

Sat. 12/13: L: Peter Dunphy & Eric Bricco
 EMHC: Sue Bannio, Mary Cotter, Elizabeth Duong
 AS: Jennifer O'Reilly, Laura Twomey, Christine O'Reilly

Sun. 12/14: L: Jena Mohr & Paige Hobbs
 EMHC: Kristen Aleshire & Emily Seiter
 AS: Shadi Armaly, Luis Herrera, Vincent Hrabe

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION is Monday, December 8th and is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be celebrated at 8:30 AM & 7:00 PM.

OFFERING SACRIFICE: ST. PAUL ON HOLY ORDERS will be the topic of discussion at the Adult Bible Study Sunday, December 7th, at 10:30 AM. The study will be in the Media Center.

ADVENT EVENTS

ADORATION HOLY HOUR EVERY SUNDAY IN ADVENT Sundays, from 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM. Come and receive God's blessing and peace.

ADVENT IS HERE COME REFLECT WITH YOUR FRIENDS OVER A BOWL OF WARM SOUP! It is a time of reflecting and preparing for the birth of the Incarnate Word of God. Take time out from the secular world and join us at OLR for a Advent Soup and Salad supper, Wednesday, December 10th at 6:00 PM. Advent reflections will be read through the course of the meal. Follow it up with Mass at 7:00 PM.

SPAGHETTI DINNER! The JPPI Youth Fundraiser Spaghetti Dinner will be after the 5:15 PM Mass on December 13th. JPPI Band will perform with the Young Franciscans! Pre-sale of tickets will be the week of December 6 & 7 after all three Masses outside or can be purchased at the door on December 13th.



Stewardship for 11/24: \$7,946.00

Building Fund for 11/24: \$11,505.29

Campaign for Human Development: \$786.62

Stewardship for 11/30: \$6,919.31

Building Fund for 11/30: \$5,713.00

Total Building Fund Pledges.....	\$866,752.00
Pledge Redemptions.....	\$658,637.08
Total Outstanding Pledges.....	\$208,114.92
Number of Families Participating.....	142

SECOND COLLECTION: This weekend there will be a second collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious. God bless you in advance for your generosity!

WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARISHIONERS Atun Anggara; and Peter & Minta Gibbons. We are happy to have you as part of the OLR Family.

WELCOME TO Sylvia Ngoc Thuong Tran, daughter of Nghia Trong Tran & Huong Ngoc To, who was baptized November 16th. Welcome to your new life as a Catholic!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO: 12/01: Lucy Drozda, Ikhlas Namouz; 12/02: Taylor Winge; 12/03: Brooks Cannon, Luis Herrera, Phyllis Malsch, Renee Nally; 12/04: Robert Bagnato, Claire Burke, Sean Counihan, Angela Hughes, Richard Klemans, Paul Minerva, Caroline Sunderlin; 12/05: Nicholas Alibozek; 12/06: Alissa Bache, Pam Beischer, Nancy Perham; 12/07: Alexis Legried, Alex Luzzatti; 12/08: Linh Ho, Marcia Walker; 12/09: Michael Cislo, Erik Holsen, Mariam Namouz; 12/10: Ana Maldonado; 12/11: Cristal Boyce, Doug Hine, Huong Ngo, Longinus Nnodim; 12/12: Khanh Le, Phuc Vu; 12/13: Ashlyn Byrne, Murray Howard; 12/14: Sheree Mejia, Meredith Moore.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS: If you would like to donate flowers in memory or in honor of someone, or if you would just like to contribute to the decor of the Lord's house, please pick up one of the Christmas flower envelopes, print your name and the names of those whom you wish to honor. Please return your envelopes via the offertory basket or to the Church Office no later than Monday, December 15th.

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Vigil

Children Mass @ 5:15 PM

Midnight Mass @ 12 Midnight

Christmas Day

9:30 AM & 12 Noon (Vietnamese)

CONFESSIONS IN ADVENT: Confessions will be heard on Wednesdays 5:30 -6:30 PM (with the exclusion of Christmas Eve), Saturdays 4:00 - 5:00 PM and Sundays 6:00 - 7:00 PM following the 5 PM Advent Holy Hour.

CALLING ALL ANGELS! Sign up for the Christmas Eve Pageant today! Please put registration in the red box. Due December 14th. The OLR Children's Choir needs more voices to help lead this special Mass. Please contact Tanya Czajka if you are interested in singing the Lord's praises with the children at this Mass. ALL ages are needed to sing!

SANTA NEEDS YOUR HELP packing toys December 13th. This is something the OLR School students and Religious Ed students do together every year. It is a great opportunity to help the less fortunate children have a great Christmas. Donations are down, plus they have added over 100 new families to the list this year. Pamela Garcia, who is the Salvation Army co-ordinator, has asked that each child could PLEASE bring on shirt for a child ages 10-12 that it would help tremendously. For more information, contact Margaret Roberts at 288-5647 or Sally Stryker 277-5350 x 228.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS who received First Holy Communion on November 22nd: Anthony Ort, Lucas Pelicano, Regan Pelicano, Abigail Wood, Emily Wood, Flannery Wood, & Savanna Wood.

THANK YOU TO Michael Boodle, Daniel Herr, Joe Lysek, Joey Lysek and Lennon Murphy who put up the manger on the hill last week.

THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY is looking for a warm coat or jacket for a young mother size 1X or 2X. If you can help, please call Marianne at 320-2406.

SAVE THE DATES! The annual South Carolina Stand Up for Life Pro-Life March and Rally will take place on Saturday, January 17, 2009. There will be car pooling to Columbia. More details to come in the following weeks. Also, a trip is being planned to Washington, DC on Thursday, January 22 for the annual March For Life. Anyone interested in joining the group, please contact Valerie Baronkin at 297-8838 no later than December 15th.