



DIVINE REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOL

Established June 17, 1956

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Bishop of Charleston

Reverend Father Raynier Q. Dabu, CRS
Pastor

Deacon Jim Baker

Deacon Thomas Provost Deacon Jesse Schuman

Mrs. Beth Martyn, Principal

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, August 10, 2025

"Be alert to God's presence even in the least expected times, places and events. You will be ready to respond to God's call."
(Luke 12: 32-48)



I see the dawning of a new missionary age which will become a radiant day bearing an abundant harvest.
- Pope St. John Paul II

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Church Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 9:00am to 3:00pm
Closed Wednesdays and Holidays

Mass Times

Saturday Vigil- English 5pm and Spanish 6:30pm
Sunday- English 8am and 10:30am. Spanish 1:00pm
Tuesday & Thursday- 6pm
Wednesday & Friday- 7am
First Saturday- 9am

School Office Hours

Monday-Friday from 9:00am to 3:00pm
1104 Fort Drive Hanahan, SC 29410
843.553.1521

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: Saturday 3:30 – 4:30pm in the Church, during Adoration on Thursdays at 6:30pm, and by appointment only during church office hours.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY: Friday mornings at 11am at the clubhouse at The Elms community in North Charleston. Contact Elizabeth at usmcfan@att.net to learn more.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA): Call Deacon Tom Provost at 843.327.5548, to discuss conversion to the Catholic Faith. Classes begin September 7th. Please call for information.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: Contact the church office for Marriage Preparation, Baptism, and Tribunal Cases. Please know that you must be a registered, attending and contributing parishioner of the parish before any arrangements are made.

Parish Membership

Active members of our parish are identified by their generosity of time, talent and treasure. Stewardship at is determined by:

- 1.) Being registered for at least 3 months (required of everyone who is at least 18 years of age) and the weekly participation in worship, unless ill or homebound.
- 2.) An identifiable financial support of the Parish. Please use the parish envelope system or OSV Online Giving. If you do not have the means to make a financial contribution, please place an empty envelope in the offertory basket so your attendance at the weekend Mass can be counted.
- 3.) Involvement in at least a ministry, a program, an activity or an organization in the parish.

These criteria listed above are used to appraise or verify parishioner status for sponsorship, parochial schools, participation in sacramental, educational, pastoral and social ministries, activities and enrichment programs, and use of facilities and services. Members will be marked "Inactive" after 6 months of inactivity and/or failure to use the envelope system.

NEWS YOU CAN USE

WELCOME BACK!

Fr. Ray would like to thank you for your patience and understanding while our church was undergoing renovation! We are asking for you to continue to bear with us as some of the details get completed. Over the next few weeks, items from the punch list will be addressed and some backordered materials will be installed. However, as you can see, our church is a beautiful place of worship once again!

MASS TIMES FOR THE ASSUMPTION

On Thursday, August 14th, we celebrate The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary with a 6:00pm with a bilingual Vigil Mass. Friday, August 15th, at 7am and 9am Mass will be celebrated for this Holy Day of Obligation. Adoration and Confessions have been canceled.

The Prayer Chain at Divine Redeemer STAY CONNECTED WITH FELLOW PARISHIONERS!

Have you ever been disappointed to hear too late of the illness or passing of a fellow parishioner? Have you ever wanted to offer prayers for those struggling or celebrate moments of joy?

If you answered YES!, consider adding your email to the parish prayer group, DRstandinginthegap@gmail.com! Request prayers for yourself or pray for the requests of others. To join the Prayer Chain, call Nancy Davis at 843.554.6089.



JOIN OUR PARISH FAMILY...

If you are not yet a registered member of our parish, please consider joining us by completing a New Parishioner Registration Form. The forms are available in the literature rack found in the church vestibule or from the church office. It may be dropped in the offertory basket, mailed or brought to the church office. You will then receive offertory envelopes through the mail after you have registered. **Only active registered parishioners will receive a monthly mailing of Offertory Envelopes for Divine Redeemer Church.**

BUILD YOUR BUSINESS

To help our many entrepreneurs in our parish, business owners may provide a business card that would be copied once a month and placed as a flyer in the bulletin. The advertising is free

for all parishioners. **Only active Divine Redeemer Church parishioner's businesses will be featured.** Please know that neither the Diocese of Charleston, corporation sole and/nor Divine Redeemer Church are responsible for any work, and/or services provided by the businesses listed in the bulletin.

DIVINE REDEEMER YOUTH GROUP



The Youth Group is open to all youth age 13-18yrs. A mandatory registration meeting is on August 24th at 11:30am in the parish office. Our first youth group meeting is Sept. 7th at 11:30am in Caddell Hall. Contact Deacon Jim at [843.509.1581](tel:843.509.1581) or jbakerlex2112@gmail.com for more information.



MASS INTENTIONS...

Are available for deceased loved ones, in thanksgiving, or for personal intentions. Mass Intention envelopes can be found in the magazine rack in the vestibule. You may then place the envelope in the offertory basket. You may also call or email the church office. **Per the Bishop, the Diocesan suggested stipend per Mass Intention is \$10.** Please note that no more than 10 Mass Intentions (space permitting) per family can be made more than two months in advance.

THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Our next meeting is scheduled for August 12th, at 7pm, in the church office conference room. New members are always welcomed.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ON THURSDAYS

English Adoration will be at 6:30pm the first, third, and fifth weeks; Spanish Adoration will be at 6:30pm the second and fourth weeks.

Fr. Ray or Fr. John are available for Confession during Adoration. See the monthly calendar for the updates and cancellations.

BLESSED FR. MICHAEL MCGIVNEY MASS & POTLUCK



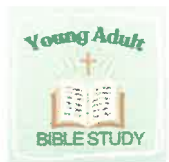
Please join us for a special Mass honoring the Blessed Fr. Michael McGivney this Wednesday, August 13th at 6pm with the Knights of Columbus, followed by a pot-luck in Caddell Hall.



ADULT BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES!

***Join us, as we reflect on the upcoming Sunday readings! The group meets at 11am at the Elms Clubhouse in North Charleston. Contact Elizabeth for location questions and details at usmcfan@att.net

***Deacon Tom invites you to dive deeper into your faith using scripture, theology, the saints and more! The class will meet Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm in a DRCS classroom. The next class will be held on July 30th at 6:30pm. Contact Dcn. Tom at taprovost@att.net for more information.



Young Adult Bible Study

All young adults, +18 yrs. (college)-35 yrs. old, are invited to join the NEW Young Adults Bible Study here at Divine

Redeemer! The group will meet **Thursday evenings at 7pm**, in the parish office conference room. Scan the QR Code to join the DRC Young Adult GroupMe for event updates and information!



CCD 2025-2026

Classes begin on August 17th. We are looking for Juniors and Seniors in high school who are in need of volunteer hours, parents with children enrolled in CCD class, or even retirees! Divine Redeemer CCD is in need of a teachers for the upcoming school year. Please call the church office for more information!



DRCS EAGLES' NOTES

The First Day of School

The first day of the 2025-2026 school year will be Wednesday, August 13th, with 12pm dismissal. After School Care will not be available. Regular School Office hours of 7:30am until 3:30pm will resume the first day of school.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

HELP FOR THOSE IN NEED...

It's getting hotter and the electric bill keeps getting higher! If you or someone you know is in need of food or assistance with utilities, please have them contact the St. Vincent de Paul Society at 843.727.1820. The SVDP organization based out of Divine Redeemer Church helps those who live in Hanahan and the North Area.

EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

HOME DELIVERED MEALS

Do you know of someone who is a home-bound senior and is in need of a nutritious meal? The senior-in-need (age 60 and older) is asked to call 843.554.2275. An assessment will be completed, and if eligible, a five day supply of frozen meals will be delivered to their door. The Trident Area Agency on Aging serves the tri-county area and is not affiliated with the Catholic Church.

A NIGHT WITH CHRIS BRUNELLE

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church invites you to a night of joyous music with Chris Brunelle! August 22nd at 7:30pm at IMCC, 510 St. James Ave. Goose Creek, SC. The concert is FREE, however good will offerings are welcome!

RESPECT FOR LIFE

DIAPER DONATIONS NEEDED!

It's summertime! Summer means watermelon picnics, family vacations, and lazy days at the beach, but it also means fewer donations coming in to meet the material needs of our clients. At Lowcountry Pregnancy Center, we give away thousands of diapers and wipes each week! We currently have an urgent need for wipes and diapers in size 6. We're also extremely low on diapers in sizes 3, 4 & 5. Even our diaper stock in sizes 1 & 2 is lower than usual. Here's how you can help: Deliver or ship diapers and/or wipes to Lowcountry Pregnancy Center, 7481 Northside Drive, Suite B, North Charleston, SC, 29420. Our office hours are Monday - Thursday, 9:00am to 5:00pm. You may also visit our Amazon wish list to conveniently order diapers, wipes, and other baby supplies for LPC clients.

MASS SCHEDULE/INTENTIONS

Rosary 30 minutes before Mass

Saturday, August 9– Blessed Virgin Mary

5:00 pm Vigil - † George "Skip" Williams

6:30 pm Spanish Vigil Mass-

Sunday, August 10– Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am- *Pro Populo*

10:30 am - † George "Skip" Williams

1:00 pm Spanish Mass-Keyla Moreno-Garcia, Birthday

Monday, August 11 – St. Clare, Virgin

No Mass or Communion Service

Tuesday, August 12 – St. Jane Frances de Chatal, Religious

6:00 pm –

Wednesday, August 13– Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest; Martyrs

7:00 am- † Betty Jean Mouzon

Thursday, August 14– St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

6:00 pm Bilingual Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Vigil- † Alline Williams

No Confession or Adoration

Friday, August 15– The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00 am- † Anthony F. Cayetono

9:00 am-

Saturday, August 16 – St. Stephen of Hungary; BVM

5:00 pm Vigil - † George "Skip" Williams

6:30 pm Spanish Vigil Mass- † Angela Ulloa

Sunday, August 17– Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am - *Pro Populo*

10:30 am – † Martin & Heddy Litwin

1:00 pm Spanish Mass- Analia Avila-Perez

Online Giving

In order to help cut cost, please consider Online Giving as an option to make a donation to our Parish. Visit www.divinereedeemerchurch.org and look for the Online Giving button or simply scan the QR Code to learn more. The monthly mailings will be stopped for those who regularly contribute online. All of the envelope categories are available through Online Giving on our website. You may call tech support at 1-800-348-2886 and they can assist you to resolve any problems you may be having with the website. May God bless for your prayerful and financial support of our Parish and School.



CHURCH MINISTRIES AUGUST 16-17

If you are not able to serve, please remember to call a substitute.

SATURDAY – Special Arrangements for Church Cleaning.
Contact Sacristan, Jim Martin, at 843.572.0943 if church is locked.

Martha Society Ministry:

N.Ramierz-Gonzalez, R. Avila-Aguilar, M.Monzon, O.Velazquez, G. Perez Brigaola, A. Hernandez

SATURDAY – 5:00 pm Vigil Mass

Lector:	S.Martin
Ushers:	A. Antol, J. Lowe, D. Meeks, Volunteer Needed
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	K.Baker (Choir Loft)
Altar Servers:	A. Lowe, A. Espinoza, Volunteers Needed

SUNDAY – 8:00 am Mass

Lector:	D. Albia
Ushers:	R. Donovan, Pt.Davis, B.Adjor, O.Cabading
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	P. Loeber (Choir Loft)
Altar Servers:	N., S., & N. Brooks

SUNDAY – 10:30 am Mass

Lector:	M.Rebuck
Ushers:	C.Passarello, P.Kammerer, C.Feeley, P.Stuart
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	H.Nguyen (Choir Loft)
Altar Servers:	C., T., & B. Stuart

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Thank you for your generosity.

Week of August 2-3, 2025

WEEKLY OFFERTORY WITH ENVELOPES AND ALL NON-DESIGNATED CASH	\$6,970.00
WEEKLY OFFERTORY THRU Online Giving	\$3,720.00
HOLY DAY OFFERTORY	\$25.00
* TOTAL WEEKLY OFFERTORY	\$10,715.00 total

Building Fund Donations for the week of August 2-3, 2025 thru Offertory Envelopes and Online Giving is **\$589.00.**

Thank you for your donation!

The next Diocesan collection, **Disaster Assistance**, will be taken up this weekend, August 9/10. We will send 3% of our Sunday Offertory to the diocese for this purpose in lieu of taking up a second collection. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

BLESSING BOX AT DIVINE REDEEMER

TAKE WHAT YOU NEED, LEAVE WHAT YOU CAN!



**“AS EACH ONE HAS RECEIVED A GIFT, USE IT TO SERVE
ONE ANOTHER AS GOOD STEWARDS OF GOD’S VARIED
GRACE.” 1 PETER 4:10**

While everything is appreciated, there are some items to avoid...

- **Avoid glass jar foods in the heat of summer and cold of winter.** They will explode in the box. Use your judgment with the weather on items you place in the box.
- **Avoid keeping food in your box that has reached its expiration date.** While some food is still good after the expiration date, use your judgement. We want to give the best quality food possible.
- **Avoid putting razors or grooming shears in the box.** Children may go to your box so it's better to error on the side of caution.
- **Avoid clothing.** Your box may become a place others think is okay to donate old clothing, furniture, or household goods. There are other donation services like the Salvation Army or Goodwill that are better equipped to handle those items.
- **Avoid medications.** As with razors or grooming shears, never put medication in the box. Even over-the-counter medications could be taken incorrectly, especially by children or those with allergies. Let's keep everyone safe by avoiding medications.

Examples of donations include:

- Any Canned Vegetables and fruit
- Any Canned meat; tuna, salmon, potted meat, etc.
- Chili, Ravioli, Soup, Manwich, Pasta Sauces, Beans, Lentils
- Boxed meals; macaroni and cheese or hamburger helper
- Bottled water, Gatorade, etc.
- Baby food, baby cereal, formula
- Peanut butter or Nutella
- Oatmeal, Cream of Wheat, Breakfast bars, Grits
- Snacks such as crackers, fruit cups, beef jerky, nuts and seeds



**Divine Redeemer honors
Blessed Fr. Michael McGivney
August 13th**

Join us for a special Mass on August 13th , at 6pm, as we honor Blessed Fr. McGivney, founder of the Knights of Columbus, a central figure in the growth of Catholicism in America, and a model today of faith in action. Let us reflect upon his profound teachings and unwavering dedication to spreading the message of love.



**Join us in Caddell Hall for a
pot-luck after Mass!**



**La Iglesia Divino Redentor
Honra a el Beato RV. Michael
McGivney
El 13 de agosto**

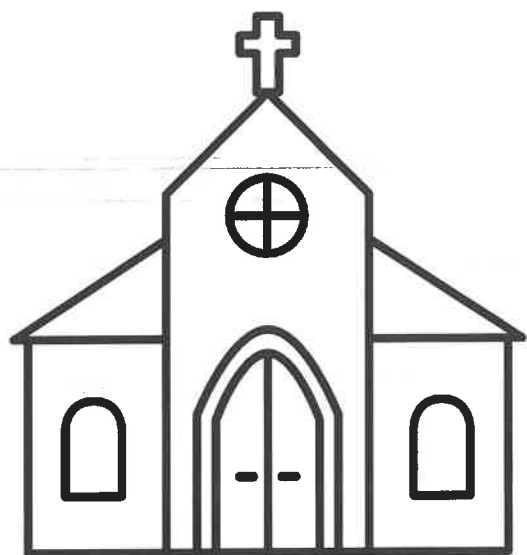
Lo invitamos a una misa especial el 13 de agosto a las 6:00 pm, en honor a el Beato Rev. Michael McGivney, fundador de los Caballeros de Colon, figura central en el crecimiento del Catolicismo en América , y un modelo hasta hoy de la fe en acción. Reflexionemos sobre la profundidad de sus enseñanzas y su inquebrantable dedicación para divulgar el mensaje de amor.



**Habr  un convivio en la
cafeter a (Caddell Hall)
despu s de la misa.  Todos
invitados!**

THE BLOOD CONNECTION **BLOOD**DRIVE

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Zach, Father of cancer patient, Eliza Cate

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an appointment!
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thebloodconnection.org

CATECHISTS NEEDED *to help lead our children to Jesus*

"LET THE LITTLE
CHILDREN COME TO ME, AND DO NOT
HINDER THEM, FOR THE KINGDOM OF GOD BELONGS
TO SUCH AS THESE." - *Mk 10:14*



ANSWER THE CALL!

Will you answer the call to pass the
faith onto God's children? No
experience is needed, just a love of
Christ and His Church!

Please call or email Jessica at 843.553.0340
or dre@divineredeemerchurch.org

"If we don't teach our children to follow Christ, the world will teach them not to"

Divine Redeemer Catholic Church

August 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31 *No CCD on August 31st 8am & 11am *Bilingual Mass of Rededication on August 31st. Parish potluck to follow in Caddell Hall					1 Mass 7:00 am Adult Bible Study 11:00 am at The Elms Clubhouse Sp Choir Practice 8:00 pm	2 First Saturday Mass 9:00 am Confessions 3:30-4:30 pm Vigil Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Spanish Mass 6:30 pm
3 Mass 8:00 am & 10:30 am Sp Mass 1:00 pm CCD Registration after Eng & Sp. Masses in church office conference room	4 Women's Cursillo in church office conference room 3:30 pm	5 Mass 6:00 pm	6 Church office closed Mass 7:00 am Novena 5:30 pm Scripture Study 6:30pm in DRCS classroom Choir Practice 6:30-8:00 pm	7 Mass 6:00 /Young Adult Bible Study 7:00pm in church office conference room Sp Choir Practice 8:00 pm	8 Mass 7:00 am Adult Bible Study 11:00 am at The Elms Clubhouse Sp Choir Practice 8:00 pm	9 Confessions 3:30-4:30 pm Vigil Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Spanish Mass 6:30 pm
10 Mass 8:00 am & 10:30 am / Building Fund	11 Women's Cursillo in church office conference room 3:30 pm	12 Mass 6:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul mtg in church office conference room 7:00 pm	13 Church office closed Mass 7:00 am Novena 5:30 pm Blsd. Fr. McGivney Mass 6pm, potluck in Hall 7pm Scripture Study 6:30pm in DRCS classroom Choir Practice 6:30-8:00 pm	14 THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN Bilingual Vigil Mass 6:00pm *No Adoration or Confession Sp Choir Practice 8:30 pm	15 THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN <i>(Holy Day of Obligation)</i> Mass 7:00 am & 9:00am Adult Bible Study 11:00 am at The Elms Clubhouse Sp Choir Practice 8:00 pm	16 DRCC Catechist Retreat 1:30apm-3:30pm in Caddell Hall/ Confessions 3:30-4:30 pm Vigil Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Spanish Mass 6:30 pm
17 Mass 8am & 10:30am CCD begins 9:10-10:10 am Sp CCD "Meet & Greet" Orientation Sunday 11:45am to 12:45pm in Caddell Hall/ Sp RICA 11am to 12:45pm Sp Mass 1:00 pm/SVDP	18 Women's Cursillo in church office conference room 3:30 pm	19 Mass 6:00 pm	20 Church office closed Mass 7:00 am & 9:00 am Novena 5:30 pm/ Scripture Study 6:30pm in DRCS classroom/ Choir Practice 6:30-8:00 pm	21 Mass 6:00 pm Eng. Adoration/Confession 6:30-8:00pm /Young Adult Bible Study 7:00pm in church office conference room/Sp Choir Practice 8:00 pm/Finance Council mtg 6:45 pm in church office	22 Mass 7:00 am Adult Bible Study 11:00 am at The Elms Clubhouse Sp Choir Practice 8:00 pm	23 Confessions 3:30-4:30 pm Vigil Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Spanish Mass 6:30 pm
24 Mass 8:00 am & 10:30 am CCD 9:10-10:10 am Sp CCD begins 11:45am-12:45 pm/Sp RICA 11am to 12:45pm/Sp Mass 1:00 pm School Support Collection	25 Women's Cursillo in church office conference room 3:30 pm	26 Mass 6:00 pm Pastoral Council mtg 6:45 pm in church office conference room	27 Church office closed Mass 7:00 am & 9:00 am Novena 5:30 pm Scripture Study 6:30pm in DRCS classroom/ Choir Practice 6:30-8:00 pm	28 Mass 6:00 pm /Sp. Adoration/Confession 6:30-8:00pm /Young Adult Bible Study 7:00pm in church office conference room Sp Choir Practice 8:00 pm	29 Mass 7:00 am Adult Bible Study 11:00 am at The Elms Clubhouse Sp Choir Practice 8:00 pm	30 Confessions 3:30-4:30 pm Vigil Mass 5:00 pm Vigil Spanish Mass 6:30 pm

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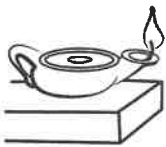
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