

Welcome to St. Philip Benizi & Our Lady of Peace
Bienvenidos a San Felipe Benizi & Nuestra Señora de la Paz

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Hours of Operation/Horario

Tuesday – Thursday/Martes-Jueves

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Friday/Viernes 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Mondays – office closed/Lunes oficina cerrada

St. Philip Benizi / San Felipe Benizi

Parish Office/Oficina Parroquial

1404 Old Highway 52

Moncks Corner, SC 29461

Phone: (843) 761-3777

Mass Times / Horario de las Misas

In English:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday

8:00 AM Adoration

9:00 AM Mass

Saturday 4:25 PM Adoration

4:50 PM Rosary

5:30 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 10:00 AM Adoration

10:25 AM Rosary

11:00 AM Mass

En español:

Miercoles y Viernes

6:00 PM Adoracion

7:00 PM Santa Misa

Domingo: 1:30 PM Santa Misa

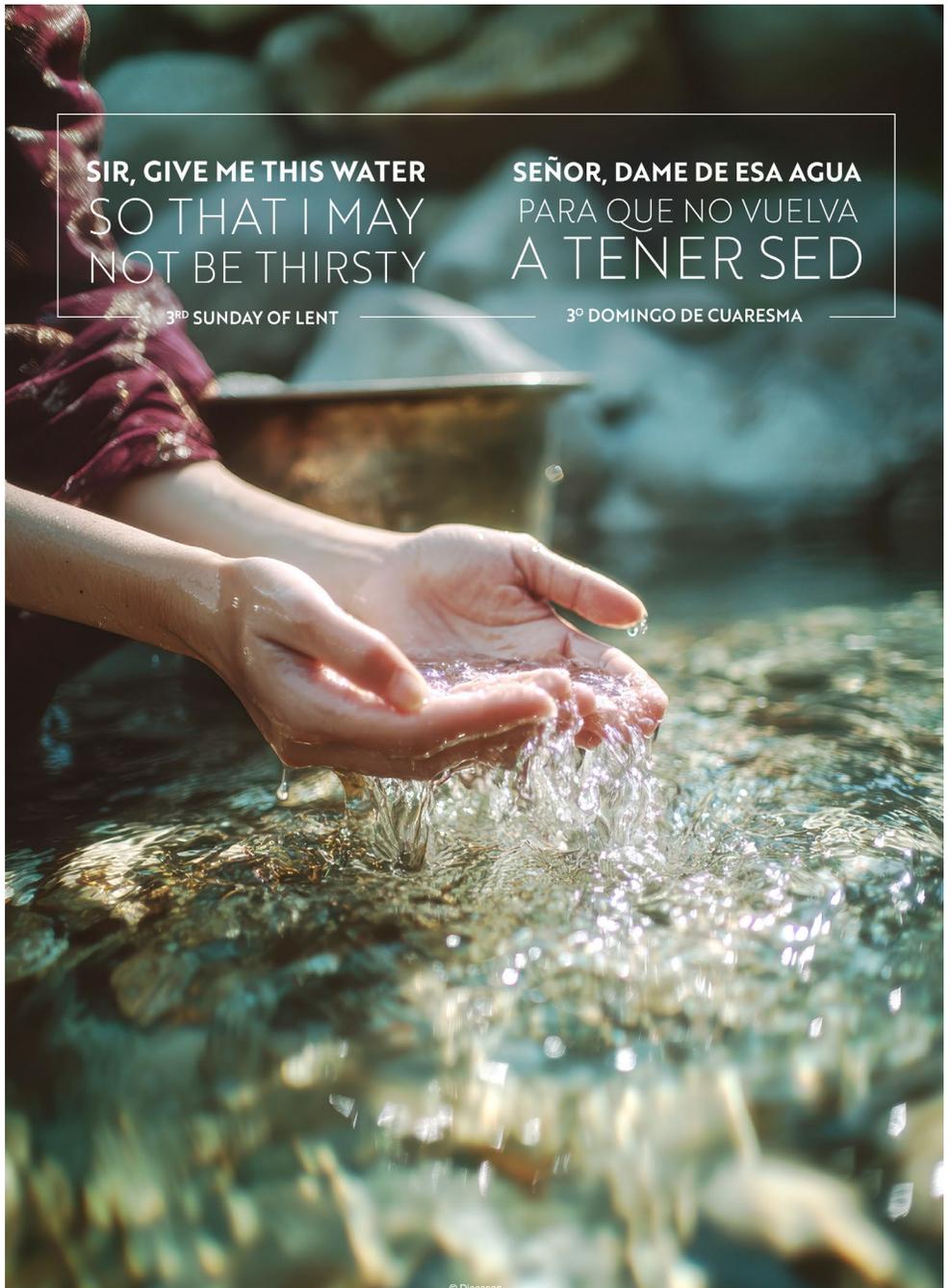
Confessions/Confesiones

Saturdays/Sabados 4:30 PM

Sundays/Domingos 10:20 AM

1 hour before all masses.

1 hora antes de todas las misas.



Our Lady of Peace/

Nuestra Señora de la Paz

224 Murray's Ferry Road

Bonneau, SC 29431

Phone: (843) 761-3777

Masses at OLP are in English /

Las misas en NSP son en ingles

Mass Times / Horario de las Misas

Thursdays/Jueves

8:00 AM –Adoration/Adoracion

9:00 AM—Mass/Santa Misa

Sundays/Domingos

8:30 AM –Mass/Santa Misa

Confessions/Confesiones

Sundays/Domingos

8:00 AM

Marriage: Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding. A Pre-Cana process is required. Please contact the office.

Marriage Tribunal: If you seek a Degree of Nullity, contact the Tribunal at tribunal@charlestondiocese.org.

Baptism: Baptism is conferred on the third Saturday of every month at 11:00 am or during a regular weekend mass. Parents must be registered and participating parishioners for a minimum of three months. Parents and Godparents must attend a baptism class and submit godparent documents. In order to obtain more information or to schedule a baptism, please contact the office.

First Reconciliation/First Communion: School-aged children should enroll in our regular catechetical program. **This is a 2-year program.** Children must have attended a prior year of faith formation.

Confirmation: Children should enroll in our regular catechetical program. Confirmation preparation is a 2-year program.

***All Sacramental students are required to submit baptism certificate and long form of birth certificate.**

Rite of Christian Initiation Adults (RCIA): Contact Deacon Michael Heidkamp to discuss conversion to the Catholic faith.



Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace, strengthen them in their trials and temptations, give them courage to

to face the perils which beset them and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Ame

Anointing of the Sick and Pastoral Visitation



If you find yourself or a loved one as a patient in a hospital and are in need of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please call the office during business hours as soon as possible. There can be unavoidable delays in a priest getting to the hospital immediately. Also, if you plan on entering the hospital for a particular procedure, you may receive the Sacrament of the Anointing prior to admission by contacting the parish office.

For after-hours Sacramental Emergencies call 843-761-3777 option 1.

Prayer Requests

Alejandra Aguilar, Jerome Barnes, Pauline Bergeron, Bill, Loretta Butler, Pat Carr, Dominick Ciccarelli, Michael Consigliere, Charles Covella, Alissa Donaghey, Andre Duhaime, Lynn Evans, COL Harold Felton, Brian Garry, Breanne Gonzalez, Dorothy Hilzendager, Helen Huggins, Rosemary Iacona, Bob & Maryann Jensen, Dedee Longueville, Kemberly McKnight, Helen Metts, Miss Terry, Mark Modica, Nancy Modica, Ginger Moraux, Stephen Myers, Gary Nero, Don & Ginny Pfefferkorn, Andres G. Rodriguez, Anneliese Sachs, Maj Frank Sasiadek, Steve Slomski, Charla Springer, Norm Stanton, Maj Bob Thomas, Sgt Don Tucciariello, Chaplain Washington, Kevin Webb

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\*\*Please contact the office to submit names to the prayer list. All names will be removed after one month at which time you may resubmit by calling the office.

*Parish Giving*

| <u>St. Philip Benizi</u> | <u>March 1, 2026</u> | <u>Our Lady of Peace</u> |          |
|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Collection               | \$3346.00            | Collection               | \$963.00 |
| Building Fund            | \$545.00             | Building Fund            | \$160.00 |
| Easter Flowers           | \$75.00              |                          |          |
| Online Collection        | \$915.00             | Online Collection        | \$180.00 |
| Online Building Fund     |                      | Online Building Fund     | \$20.00  |
| Mail In Collection       | \$750.00             | Mail In Collection       |          |

**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm** – In Memory of Andrew Masi, Jr., as requested by Kim and Wayne Gotz.

**Tuesday, March 10, 9:00 am** – Birthday Blessings for Richard Glessner, as requested by his parents.

*Readings for the Week of March 8<sup>th</sup>*

- Sunday 3/8** **Third Sunday of Lent**  
Exodus 17:3-7; Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Romans 5:1-2, 5-8; John 4:5-42
- Monday 3/9** **St. Frances of Rome, Religious (Optional)**  
2 Kings 5:1-15ab; Psalm 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Luke 4:24-30
- Tuesday 3/10**  
Daniel 3:25, 34-43; Psalm 25:4-5ab, 6 & 7bc, 8-9; Matthew 18:21-35
- Wednesday 3/11**  
Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9; Psalm 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Matthew 5:17-19
- Thursday 3/12**  
Jeremiah 7:23-28; Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Luke 11:14-23
- Friday 3/13**  
Hosea 14:2-10; Psalm 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 & 17; Mark 12:28-34
- Saturday 3/14**  
Hosea 6:1-6; Psalm 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Luke 18:9-14



**Every Friday at St. Philip Benizi during Lent in English:**

Mass at 5:00 pm followed by Stations of the Cross and a meatless potluck supper.

The Knights of Columbus will be selling State Raffle tickets after all masses until April 26<sup>th</sup>. Tickets are \$5.00 per ticket. To purchase your tickets, see a Knight.

**The Knights of Columbus Business meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 10<sup>th</sup> in the Parish Hall starting at 6:30 pm reciting the rosary followed by meeting at 7:00 pm.**

**St. Philip Benizi Ladies Guild**

The SPB Ladies Guild will meet on Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm in the St. Philip Benizi Hall. A chaplet will be prayed followed by the meeting. All ladies of the Parish are invited to attend.



**The Lake Knight News**  
**COUNCIL # 11471**

**Knights of Columbus Meeting Dates**  
**March 2026**

3/5 – Officer Meeting  
3/10 – Business Meeting

**Business meeting** starts at 6:30 pm with the Rosary; 7:00 pm meeting.  
**Officers** meeting starts at 7:00 pm.

**On-Going Canned & Non-Perishable Food Drive Benefiting the Felician Sisters in Kingstree.** Your donations can help those who are struggling to meet their basic needs through their food pantry. A designated box for your donation is in the SPB Hall. Donation of food and clothing in December was 318 lbs. Thank you!

**Support for the Ronald McDonald House** – We are collecting can pull tops to help support Ronald McDonald House. Please bring your pull tops to the office or place them in the container in the hall.

**Family of the Month** - The Knights are now taking nominations for Family of the Month. Please include a small write up on why the family should be nominated. Drop the nomination into the collection basket.



You Can Help Your Marriage or a hurting couple you might know. – Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage for over 48 years. For confidential information about, or to register for, the program beginning with a weekend on May 1st – 3rd, 2026, in the Charlotte area, contact Bill and Lyn Folsom at 727-343-6701 or email: [billynfolson@gmail.com](mailto:billynfolson@gmail.com) ( 3 L's in a row) or visit the website at [www.HelpOurMarriage.org](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.org)

**El Maguey**  
**Church Night**



El Maguey in Moncks Corner is giving back to local churches through a "Church Night" where a percentage of its sales are donated. Our church night is on the second Wednesday of the month from 5:00 pm to 10:00 pm. We are grateful for this blessing and invite all our parishioners to come out and support this local business.

“We are facing an enormous and dramatic clash between good and evil, death and life, the ‘culture of death’ and the ‘culture of life’. We find ourselves not only ‘faced with’ but necessarily ‘in the midst of’ this conflict: we are all involved and we all share in it, with the inescapable responsibility of choosing to be unconditionally pro-life” (The Gospel of Life 28).



**The Altar of St. Joseph**  
**St. Philip Benizi on Thursday, March 19<sup>th</sup>**

The St. Philip Benizi Ladies Guild invites everyone to celebrate St. Joseph Altar on March 19, 2026. Beginning with mass at 11:00 am, followed by the Blessing of the Altar. Enjoy a spaghetti meal served from 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm. Desert will be fresh baked cookies. Dine in or take out. Donations are welcome.

**Bakers are Needed.**

The St. Philip Benizi Ladies Guild needs bakers to help make Italian cookies and breads for the Altar of St. Joseph. Bakers are asked to bring the baked goods to the church hall Sunday, March 15<sup>th</sup> thru March 19<sup>th</sup>. For questions or more information, please contact Loraine Bryant at 601-590-1938.



**St. Philip Benizi**

**Retiro de Cuaresma, Sabado de 21 marzo 2026**  
**9:00 am – 4:00 pm**

**Lenten Retreat, Saturday, March 28, 2026**  
**1:00 pm – 4:00 pm**



LET'S BE TOGETHER.



*Make your gift today!*

Last weekend, our parish conducted Pledge Sunday for the **2026 Catholic Appeal of South Carolina**. Thank you to all who have already made the commitment to support this year's Appeal. If you have not had the opportunity yet, it's not too late to make your commitment! Please use the **donation form available in the hall** to make your contribution or **scan the QR code** to visit and pledge securely online!

**A Walk with Jesus for Grieving Parents One-Day Retreat**

*Lowcountry Outreach Center, Beaufort, SC*  
*April 18, 2026*

A Catholic retreat led by Deacon Henry deMena, M.A., a Catholic grief counselor with other 20 years of experience, offering a safe place to seek peace and comfort. \$10 registration fee includes lunch and materials. For more information, please contact Charlene Williams at 843.522.6512, [parishlife@stpetersbeaufort.org](mailto:parishlife@stpetersbeaufort.org), or [stpetersbeaufort.org/grievingparents](http://stpetersbeaufort.org/grievingparents)

