

# Holy Cross Catholic Church

558 Hampton Avenue • Pickens, SC 29671



Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠  
October 28, 2018



## Mass Times:

Sat ..... 4:00 PM  
Sun ..... 11:30 AM  
Mon, Wed, Fri ... 12:15 PM

## Office Hours:

Mon-Wed 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
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## HOW TO REPORT ALLEGATIONS OF SEXUAL ABUSE

### REPORT IMMEDIATELY!

**REMEMBER: YOUR ROLE IS TO REPORT. THERE IS TO BE NO INVESTIGATION BY YOU OR ANYONE ELSE AT THE PARISH**

## If you suspect abuse has occurred within a family:

Contact the Department of Social Services within the county the abuse took place.

Contact the Diocese, to report status at 1-843-261-0430.

## If you suspect an abuse has occurred that involved diocesan personnel (priests, deacons, teachers, employees or volunteers) contact:

The local police department immediately.

Call the Victim Assistance Coordinator at 843-856-0748 or 800-921-8122

Dear Parishioners,

On November 1st, Catholics attend Mass for the feast of All Saints. The feast is so important that we have the option to join in an All Saints' Mass the evening before. During this feast we rejoice that many Christians who have died have been judged by God to have been faithful to Christ and His Church, and purified through suffering or self-sacrifice in imitation of Jesus. Many thousands of these Saints have been recognized by the Church through the process called "Beatification", and somewhat fewer are "Canonized" in recognition of their world wide example. It is Jesus who judges and welcomes the Saints into heaven. It is God's Church that investigates whether or not individuals have demonstrated lives of heroic virtue, despite weakness, failings, and even sin. It is God who reveals through miracles that particular individuals are in heaven. This feast includes the celebration of all who are in heaven — not just these recognized Saints.

On November 2nd, we pray for "All Souls" — for all who have died. At death, the soul and body separate. Jesus judges each individual at death, and the soul goes to hell, purgatory in final preparation for heaven, or possibly even straight to heaven. Our Lord has cautioned us against judging others — we should leave the job to Jesus! When our loved ones die, we should not deprive them of our prayers. All Souls' Day is a day dedicated to pray for all who have died, and several popes have encouraged us to pray especially for the dead during all of November. Let's all practice the spiritual work of mercy of praying for the dead!

Fr. Jim

## Announcements

- ◇ **All Saints' Masses:** October 31, Holy Cross, 5:30 PM  
November 1, Holy Cross, 12:15 PM  
St. Luke, 7:00 PM
- ◇ **All Souls' Masses:** November 2, Holy Cross, 12:15 PM  
St. Luke, 7:00 PM
- ◇ **CLOCKS GO BACK ONE HOUR NOVEMBER 4.**
- ◇ **Adoration:** November 9, Holy Cross, 12:45 PM.
- ◇ **Mass with Anointing of the Sick:** November 16.
- ◇ There will be **no Daily Mass November 21-23.**
- ◇ **The office will close** at Noon on November 21 and reopen at 9:00 AM Monday, November 26.



# This week in our Parish

<b>Mon</b>	10/29	10:30 AM	Men's Prayer Group (CH)
		12:15 PM	Mass (HC) Offered for † Anna Tran T Nghi
<b>Wed</b>	10/31	5:30 PM	Mass (HC) Offered for † Earl Chism
<b>Thu</b>	11/1	12:15 PM	Mass (HC) Offered for All Parishioners
		7:00 PM	Mass (SL) Offered for † Angela Giacometti
<b>Fri</b>	11/2	10:30 AM	Sacred Heart Prayer Group (VH)
		12:15 PM	Mass (HC) Offered for † All Souls
		7:00 PM	Mass (SL) Offered for † All Souls
<b>Sat</b>	11/3	2:30 PM	Confessions (HC)
		4:00 PM	Mass (HC) Offered for † Jennifer Watts
		6:00 PM	Mass (SL) Offered for All Parishioners
<b>Sun</b>	11/4		<b>CLOCKS GO BACK ONE HOUR</b>
		9:00 AM	Mass (SL) Offered for † James Russell
		11:30 AM	Mass (HC) Offered for All Parishioners
		12:45 PM	RCIA (CH)

(HC) Holy Cross (CH) Holy Cross Basement Hall (VH) Villano Hall  
(SL) St. Luke (AH) St. Luke Annunciation Hall

## Stewardship Report

October 20-21..\$3,010.60  
Online Giving.....22%

*Thank you for your generosity  
and support.*



## Readings for the week of Oct 29

<b>Mon</b>	Eph 4:32—5:8/Lk 13:10-17
<b>Tue</b>	Eph 5:21-33
<b>Wed</b>	Eph 6:1-9/Lk 13:22-30
<b>Thu</b>	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
<b>Fri</b>	Wis 3:1-9/Rom 5:5-11
<b>Sat</b>	Phil 1:18b-26/Lk 14:1, 7-11
<b>Sun</b>	Dt 6:2-6/Heb 7:23-28/Mk 12:28b-34



**Calling all Knitters and Crocheters...Mary's Mantle** meetings are held on the third Monday of each month at 10:30 AM in Villano Hall. Everyone is invited. If you have questions contact Barbara Kushner or call the church office @ 878-0574.

## Support Holy Cross shop online at Amazon.

Go to [holycrossstluke.org](http://holycrossstluke.org) to get more information. This is a wonderful way to support your church.

No obligations or additional fees will be charged to you. Just shop, have fun and your church will benefit.



## Craft Bazaar

Don't let the fact that this is the last week in October SCARE you away from signing up for the November 10 and 11 **St. Luke Bazaar**. **Taking last minute registrations until October 31.**

Registration forms are under "Events" on [www.holycrossstluke.org](http://www.holycrossstluke.org)

**6th Marian Eucharistic Conference—Mary, Mother of the Eucharist—will be held on Saturday, November 10 - Sunday, November 11 at the Hilton Hotel in Greenville.** Registration after Oct. 27: \$90 and it includes a buffet lunch on Saturday and Sunday. For more information, can call (864)354-7160 or go to [www.meconferencesc.net](http://www.meconferencesc.net) **Gluten free meals will be available.**



**The facilities of Holy Cross are available to all ACTIVE parishioners.** This includes the use of the church for Baptism, Weddings & other Sacramental events. Active Membership is determined as follows:

1. Registered in the parish for 6 months.
2. Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days.
3. Financial support of the church according to your means.

**Marriage:** Those contemplating marriage should contact the office at least EIGHT months prior to the wedding date to schedule an appointment with the Priest.

**Baptism:** Parents must attend a training class prior to having a child baptized. Please call the parish office to schedule the training.