GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC CHURCH



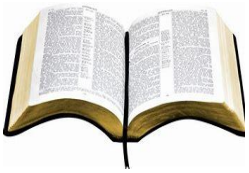
November 14 & 15, 2026

Thirty Third Sunday

MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday	**9 am**	**Confession at 8:30 am**
Friday	**9 am**	**Confession at 8:30 am**
Saturday	**4 pm**	**Confession at 3:30 pm**
Sunday	**11 am**	

Glory & Praise Book Cycle A Number 949



First Reading:	Proverbs 31: 10-13, 19-20, 30-31
Responsorial:	Psalm: 128: 1-5
Second Reading:	1 Thessalonians 5: 1-6
Gospel:	Matthew 25: 14-30

Livestream Mass on YouTube at Good Shepherd Catholic Church McCormick

Welcome

We welcome all visitors and invite you to join us again for worship. Please sign our guest book and feel free to write your prayer intentions in our Community Book of Prayer. If you would like to help us with the support of our Church campus, please place an offering in the "Welcome" envelopes located on the back of the pews and drop it in the offertory basket.

Mission Statement

Good Shepherd Catholic Church is passionately committed to service, in accordance with the pastoral vision of the Diocese of Charleston, to being servants of God and good stewards of the Sacred Mysteries. We strive to be a holy and God-centered community growing in joyful righteousness and living without fear by the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Empowered by the Spirit, we will help inspire, educate, and support our community and work for unity among the Churches.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, Nov 14th 4 pm + Virginia Castle
requested by Castle Family and Bud Webster
requested by Schmidt Family and Rod Wurst
requested by Lois Wurst

Sunday, Nov 15th 11 am
+ Dorothy Ficocelli requested by Vince Ficocelli

Wednesday, Nov. 18h 9 am + Charlie Wrobel
requested by the Schmidt Family.

Friday Nov. 20th 9 am + End of Abortion

Saturday, Nov. 21st 4 pm + Brian Zust
requested by Barb Zust

Sunday, Nov. 22nd 11am + Deceased members of Women's Club

They are happy who fear the Lord, who use their gifts and talents in the service of one another, especially the poor and the needy. They shall be known as children of the light and will be ready for the Lord's return.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov.18	Healing Mass	9:00 am
Nov.21	Solemnity of Jesus Christ	
Nov.26	Thanksgiving Day	9:00 am

Next weeks readings:
Solemnity of Jesus Christ

First Reading: Ezekiel 34: 11-12, 15-17
Second Reading:1 Corinthians 15: 20-26, 28
Gospel: Matthew: 25: 31-46

Pray for our Military Members

Sophie Augustine
Brianna & Stephen Balogh
Sarah Balogh
Andrew Brandon
Drew Chadwick
Tyler Clark
Nate Dreslinski
Connor Joyce
Michael Mathews
Cassie Newkirk
Kaylin Neuman
Aspen Quam
Lars Swanson
Daniel & Brandi Stricker
Cody Tiller

Sean Avery
Christopher R. Balogh
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Eric Brandon
Ryan Chemelewski
Paul Cross
Jake Ivey
Ian Leszczynski
Glory Mathews
Noah Neuman
Declan Pemberton
Timothy Shively

Jonathon Taylor
Ashley Wulforst
Thomas Wulforst

Pray for our Sick & Home Bound

Lynda Alagna, Debby Arlt, John Atwell, Erlinda Baloy, Ron Beech, Don Durham, Mary James, Jenny Kiely, Lana Kritenbrink, Ann Martin, Linda Murphy, Dick & Ruth Obermeyer, Anita Passofaro, Steve Portaro, John Scardace, Lee Stickdorn, Mike Thompson, Christine Whatley, and Barb Wishall

….and those intentions written in our Community Book of Prayer. The recipient or family must clear all requests if possible.

Collection Report

Weekend of November 7 & 8 , 2026

Offertory	***Budget***	***Variance***
$8,439.00	*$5,358.00*	*+$3,081.00*

THANK YOU FOR YOUR REGULAR CONTRIBUTIONS.
You can mail your contributions to Good Shepherd Church, P. O. Box 1468, McCormick, SC 29835

Grandmother Ministry Needs HELP

The Grandmother Ministry is in need of fruit cups, canned meats or microwave spaghetti, mac & cheese, cereal, soup, regular grits, peanut butter/jelly or any non perishable items that you know kids will enjoy. Please also consider toilet paper, cleaning products, cash and/or gift cards from Food Lion or the Dollar stores. Put your items in a bag labeled “Billie” and drop them off in the Life Center. Thank you for your continued generosity and support. Billie Tarnosky 864 391 8640.



McCormick Food Pantry Items needed; canned tuna, salmon or chicken – 7-12 oz only. Regular sized box of cereal, crackers, mac & cheese, rice, pasta. Toilet tissue, individually wrapped, bars of soap. Please drop off your items in the parish life center.

ACH/EFT electronic funds transfer

If you are interested in having the Church draw your offertory or building fund pledge from your checking account, please provide the office with your bank routing number and account number with the amount of your contribution. Deductions are made on the first of the month. Contact the office for more information



Rosary intentions

Nov 14 & 15	*For those married in the Church that they uphold the sacred covenant they made before God and increase their love and respect for each other*
Nov. 21 & 22	*For caregivers, that they may grow in strength, love, patience and compassion for those they serve.*
Nov. 28 & 29	*Individual Intentions placed in the Rosary Box.*

Starting in January 2027, the prayer-list names will stay listed for two months only because the parish office is not always notified when someone has recovered or no longer needs our prayers. To keep a name listed after December, contact the parish office. The current list will remain through December.



ALL WOMEN OF THE PARISH
ARE INVITED !!!

Good Shepherd Women's Club Christmas Luncheon
Wednesday, December 9, 2026
(Held at Lutheran Church Social Hall)
Doors open: 11:30 AM Lunch served: 12:30 PM

Menu

Credite Cups Greek Orzo Salad Vegetable Quiche Wild Rice Chicken Casserole Festive Cranberry Salad Mini-Croissants Chocolate Peppermint Cupcake Price: $25.00 per person Tickets go on sale after all Masses. For more information contact: Marie Ringmmring1966@gmail.com

Saint Francis Prayer

Saint Francis, our brother, you who eight hundred years ago went to meet Sister Death as a man at peace, intercede for us before the Lord. You recognized true peace in the Crucifix of San Damiano, teach us to seek in Him the source of all reconciliation that breaks down every wall. You who, unarmed, crossed the lines of war and misunderstanding, give us the courage to build bridges where the world raises up boundaries. In this time afflicted by conflict and division, intercede for us so that we may become peacemakers: unarmed and disarming witnesses of the peace that comes from Christ. Amen.
(Pope Leo XIV)



CATHOLIC APPEAL OF SOUTH CAROLINA
Update, November 14, 2026

DONATIONS	$27,694	GOAL	$ 20,979
EXCESS OVER GOAL	6,715	DONORS	75

Half of the final amount over our goal will be returned to the parish for our use. Donations using a credit card or draft from your bank account are accepted online at www.charlestondiocese.org/catholic-appeal. Thanks for your generous gifts to the Catholic Appeal, which supports people and diocesan programs across the entire state.

Dave Lorenzatti, Good Shepherd Coordinator



2nd Collection

November 22 for **International Ministries & Missions** which is a special annual parish collection that supports global Catholic outreach, missionary activities, and overseas church needs. Contributions to international ministries and mission funds typically support:

- **Pontifical Mission Societies:** Agencies like the Society for the Propagation of the Faith that help sustain mission dioceses worldwide.
- **Global Church Needs:** Financial aid for evangelization, building and renovating chapels and schools, and supporting seminarians, catechists, and religious sisters in developing regions (such as parts of Africa, Asia, and Latin America).
- **Humanitarian & Pastoral Support:** Outreach programs that feed the hungry, provide medical supplies to church-run clinics and hospitals, and ensure clean drinking water.

Men's Club Logo Shirt Sale



The Men's Club will be taking orders for new Good Shepherd Logo Shirts for both men and women. Cost is $30 each and you choose your own color. Make checks payable to "Elite" and you can either drop your order and check in the collection basket or give it to Mark Boerner or Jackie Novak.

PARISH HALL EXPANSION UPDATE

Since our last update, the roof has been completed and the windows installed. Work will now move inside, focusing on electrical, plumbing, and drywall.
Thank you to everyone who has pledged and continues to contribute toward this improvement to our Church Life Center. As of this month, 107 parishioners have pledged and contributed. Donations this month totaled $11,777. Even with these donations and the total amount pledged, the building fund remains $81,927.00 short.
If you have not yet pledged, please consider doing so. Building fund envelopes are available in all the church pews for your convenience. Every dollar helps bring this project closer to completion and reduces the loan amount needed from the Diocese. We appreciate your continued generosity and support.









GOOD SHEPHERD BENEVOLENT BAKE SALE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4th 12:00 PM – 7:00 PM
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5th 12:00 PM – 7:00 PM
At the Dorn Mill Festival of Trees

Our biggest fundraiser of the year
Bakers and workers are needed for our success.
Funds raised will benefit the following charitable organizations.

McCormick Brownie Troop #6318	Backpack Ministry
Lutheran Church Prime Time Ministry	McCormick County First Steps
Meg's House	Crossroads Pregnancy Center
Hospice Care of the Piedmont	Good Shepherd Angel Tree

All baked goods MUST be packaged by the baker, ready for sale and clearly labeled with the contents. See through boxes, plastic containers or zip lock bags, and plastic wrap tightly secured are all acceptable forms of packaging. Please DO NOT use tins or any container that does not allow the customer to view the contents. Also, no items that need to be refrigerated. We suggest that cookies be packaged by the dozen, ½ dozen or individually.

BAKE GOOD SHOULD BE BROUGHT TO THE PARISH LIFE CENTER ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3rd BETWEEN 9 AM – 4 PM.

Volunteers are needed on Thursday, December 3rd to help with pricing. Shift workers are needed to be table hosts during Friday and Saturday sale hours.

Please contact Debby Dill at debbydill@yahoo.com or 612-387-9804

In lieu of baking, you can make a monetary donation.

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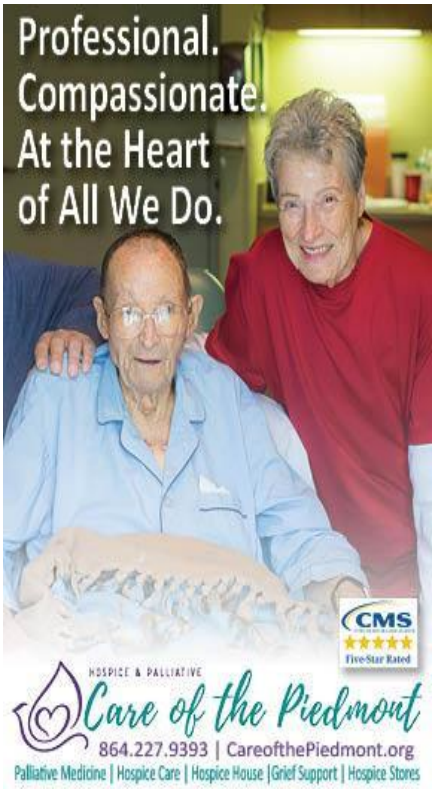
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