## **Pulpit Announcements**

## Fifth Sunday of Easter May 10

- The charitable portion of our tithe this week will go to Catholic Charities. This is part of a diocesan collection and will be sent to the Bishop's Office.
- The flowers in the sanctuary this week are in honor of the 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Dave and Angie Letourneau. Happy Anniversary to them!
- This weekend was supposed to be the First Holy Communion of many children in the parish. We pray for them as things are delayed. Our First Holy Communion has been moved to Sunday, September 27.
- As previously announced, our Parish Bookkeeper will be retiring soon. We are
  in need of strong applicants. If you are skilled in bookkeeping, and are looking
  for some part-time work, please consider applying. All application can be sent
  to Carola Baptiste (<u>cbaptiste@charlestondiocese.org</u>) or to Natalie Jackson
  (<u>njackson@charlestondiocese.org</u>).
- As announced last Sunday, we have received directions on the restarting of public Masses. After consulting with staff, I'm happy to announce that we will resume daily Masses on Monday, May 11, at Noon. Our Sunday Masses will resume on May 16-17. Masses are limited to 75 people. In order to accommodate these numbers, we are adding two temporary Sunday Masses. And so, our weekend Mass schedule will be Saturday's at 4 PM and 5:30 PM and Sunday's at 7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM, and 12:30 PM. The Bishop's dispensation is still in effect. If you are not comfortable coming to Mass, you are dispensed. Our live stream service will continue for our daily Masses and our 11 AM Sunday Mass. Please consult our parish website for more information.
- With the addition of new Masses during this transitional period, we will have space for new Mass intentions. I ask that these intentions be reserved for those who have died from Covid-19. I know that several of our parishioners have lost loved ones from this virus. Please reach out to Natalie Jackson with names and information (njackson@charlestondiocese.org). We want very much to offer a Mass for these souls.
- Please be sure that you're on our parish REALM email list. By way of explanation, "REALM" is our parish database system. When you register as a parishioner, you're placed in REALM. Any email addresses that are submitted are placed on our parish distribution list. This is the list we use to send updates

and keep everyone informed about what's happening in the parish. This Saturday at 4 PM, we sent out a REALM email with all our week's information. If you did not receive that email, then we do not have an email address (or a current email address) for you. If that's the case, please let us know and we'll add you. Contact Jamie Nolan (<a href="mailto:jnolan@charlestondiocese.org">jnolan@charlestondiocese.org</a>).