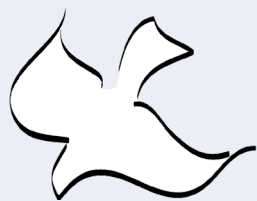


CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH



*Lord Jesus,
we ask your blessing
on our parish
during this time
of renewal and
spiritual growth.
Widen the
participation of
us all in our
ministries and
deepen the faith
of all who enter
times of reflection.
Guide our every
thought, word,
and action
that we might grow
as a light to our
community.
O Christ,
Renew our Parish.
Amen.*

Saint Andrew pray for us.

“Christ Renews His Parish has proven to be a transformative experience personally and for the parish.” — Fr. Dan McLellan, OFM

WHAT IS CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH?

Christ Renews His Parish has been an ongoing ministry in our parish since Fall 2008 and has brought 100s of parishioners to a deeper faith in Jesus Christ. Recognized world-wide, Christ Renews His Parish is recommended by the Renewal Office of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops. Since its beginning in 1969, it has been used in over 1,250 parishes in 35 states across the United States and in four countries. Weekends are held separately for men and women.

WHAT HAPPENS DURING THE WEEKEND?

With a clear focus on Scripture, the weekend is set up to allow each participant to reflect on how his/her life flows from the wisdom of Jesus Christ. Throughout the weekend, short, personal talks (witnesses) are given by team members. Topics include: Renewal, New Life in Christ, Discipleship, Christian Awareness, Spirituality, The Father's Loving Care, Scripture, and Christian Community. The weekend also includes group activities and discussions, prayer and chapel time, Scripture reading, and time for personal reflection. Sacraments are an important part of the weekend. There will be an opportunity to participate in Reconciliation and the celebration of Mass.

Team Members are welcoming and it is a great chance to meet new people and to hear and share life perspectives.

WHO CONDUCTS THE WEEKEND?

The weekend is guided by a team of our own parishioners who have participated in a previous renewal weekend and includes the participation of our parish priests.

HOW WILL THE WEEKEND BE CONDUCTED?

We will hold the weekend primarily in the parish's Newman Hall, 136 Wigington as well as the Chapel and Parish Hall for meals. Saturday starts with breakfast from 8:00AM to approximately 9:00PM. Sunday starts at 8:00AM to approximately 2:30PM after lunch. **NO OVERNIGHT STAY, but you are required to attend all sessions.** If any mobility issues, please let us know and we can transport you by vehicle closer to the Chapel or Parish Hall.

WHAT ABOUT MY MEALS?

Volunteers from the parish will prepare and serve delicious hot meals for you. Regular breaks are also scheduled for snacks, coffee, and cold drinks. If you have special diet requirements, please let us know when you register.

WHAT IS THE COST?

A \$20.00 registration fee is requested. No one is turned away for inability to pay. Please contact the parish office for assistance.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Men's Weekend, February 10–11, 2024

Terry Farris

spartytiger@yahoo.com or 864-506-4837

Women's Weekend, March 2–3, 2024

Kristen Lawson

kristen.n.lawson@gmail.com or 803-760-2848

Make a commitment to yourself, your loved ones, your parish, and to Jesus Christ to deepen your faith as we bring members of the parish together in Christ to emphasize continued growth in Christian life. **There are only 20 spots available for this weekend.** It is time to focus on your faith—Answer Christ's Call.

“It was really brought home to me that life is not so much about trying to be perfect all the time but it is our honest response to Christ's call.”

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REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ Phone [Home or Cell]: _____
(circle one)

Address: _____

Email: _____

Emergency contact person/phone/email [if available]: _____

May we text?
☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ MEN: FEBRUARY 10–11, 2024

☐ WOMEN: MARCH 2–3, 2024

Dietary Restrictions

- ☐ No Dairy / No Soy
- ☐ Vegetarian
- ☐ Vegan
- ☐ Other – We will contact you

☐ My check is included

Drop this form along with your \$20 check in the collection box at Mass, or mail to:

Saint Andrew Parish Office
PO Box 112, Clemson, SC 29633

A \$20 registration fee is requested. Please make checks **payable to Saint Andrew.**

(Special arrangements can be made for those unable to pay the fee.)

Once your registration is received, follow up information about the weekend will be sent as we get closer to the weekend.