

# The Bells of St. Mary's Help of Christians Catholic Church

Aiken, SC

## GIFT OPPORTUNITY: "THE MEMORIAL WITH A VOICE"

St. Mary's is blessed with a stunning new church building and bell tower. As one of the highest, or the highest, point in Aiken, the four new bells we recently installed sing and peal from the tower and speak of our joy and hope in Jesus Christ!



The tower was designed and prepared for a total of 9 bells that together will play simple melodies including the beautiful Ave Maria de Lourdes, in addition to continuing the various celebration peals, the Call-to-Mass, clock chimes, hour strikes, funeral tolls that we are becoming accustomed now to hearing.

We now have the opportunity to complete the 9 bell chime with the last 5 bells!



Please prayerfully consider sponsoring a bell or bells from the chart to the right. As each member of the Church is important to the whole body, so each bell is musically very important, whether large or small.



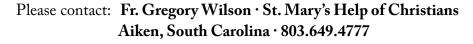
#### **CHIME BELLS**

BEL NOTE	BELL WEIGHT	INVESTMENT	SPONSORED BY
E3	2,227 lbs.	\$69.141	
G3	1,323 lbs.	\$43,461	
C4	584 lbs.	\$24,336	
C#4	474 lbs.	\$24,075	
D4	408 lbs.	\$21,083	

#### INITIAL SALVE REGINA PEAL

BEL NOTE	BELL WEIGHT	INVESTMENT	SPONSORED BY
D3	3,199 lbs.	Given!	Given!
F#3	1,543 lbs.	Given!	Given!
A3	970 lbs.	Given!	Given!
В3	683 lbs.	Given!	Given!

Bell budgets valid until June 15, 2018.





### **ABOUT BELLS**

Bell founding is an art and a science that has passed from father to son for generations. Many bell casting techniques which were developed centuries ago are still used today. Each bell is handcrafted using a custom made mold that is destroyed once the bell is cast.

