



## Reverend Edmund F. McCaffrey

January 9, 1933 - November 13, 2016

Murrells Inlet

Reverend Edmund F. McCaffrey

Reverend Edmund F. McCaffrey was called home to God, on Sunday, November 13, 2016.

Reverend McCaffrey was the former Abbot Ordinary of Belmont Abbey, Charlotte, NC and founding Pastor of St. Michael Catholic Church.

A funeral mass will be held at 12 noon on Monday, November 28, 2016 at St. Michael Catholic Church. Visitation will be from 7:00-9:00 PM Sunday, November, 27th and from 9:00-11:00 AM Monday, November 28th at the church. There will be a prayer vigil service at 7:15 PM Sunday, November 27th also at St. Michael Catholic Church.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: Eternal Life, 902 W. Stephen Foster Ave. Bardstown, Kentucky 40004.

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

HJ

“ *Rest in peace dear brother. May God reward your tireless labor for His Church and your many kindness to me. HjV*

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**HjV** - November 18, 2016 at 10:24 PM

NB

“ *Father, do you remember hearing the Rosary in The Grotto of Fatima in a hundred languages? It has to be the way the Lord hears it. Do you remember praying over me and healing me? Everyone in the room heard that miracle! I'm glad you're hanging out with Jesus now. If I'm lucky, "I will be holy and go to heaven." After all, that's what you always said was our divine mission! Say hello to the Lord for me. Peace be with you! You are loved and missed! Nicolle Bouffard*

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**Nicolle Bouffard** - November 17, 2016 at 05:25 PM

JH

“ *I enjoyed Fr. Edmund when he taught me poly sci at the Abbey (68-71). Later as a Permanent Deacon in the Diocese of Charleston he gave us retreats and days of recollections. We will all miss saying "hey Abbott". May he rest in Peace. Deacon Jim Hyland, Edgemoor, SC*

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**James Hyland** - November 17, 2016 at 03:10 PM

JM

“ *Great Priest and Pastor for three years (93-96) at Divine Redeemer in Hanahan, SC. God gave him a BOOMING voice, he did not need a microphone or sound system to get his message across. May Gods light shine upon him.*

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**Jim Martin** - November 16, 2016 at 10:54 PM

MM

“ Rest in peace, dear friend. You manifested God's love to all who knew you. Say hello to Miss Bette for me.

*Mary Miller*

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**Mary Miller** - November 16, 2016 at 08:18 PM

KN

“ Father was such a positive driving force for our parish on HiltonHead. We will miss him although we will have fond memories. May he Rest In Peace with the Lord.

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**karen Neil** - November 16, 2016 at 06:57 AM

MF

“ You were and will always be a great part of my journey back to the church.

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**Marge Filand** - November 15, 2016 at 03:19 PM

ML

“ Those times you spent in my office will always remain with me, I am going to miss those memories as well as our numerous phone conversations. I know that you are now in a better place and are finally at rest with God. Will pray for you

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**michael A. Lane** - November 15, 2016 at 09:35 AM

LB

“ Abbott Edmund was a very eloquent speaker, I remember Joe Baxter inviting me to his PoliSci class at the Science Building 2 floor. He was so brilliant that I always looked forward every week to his nightly class. Too bad it was my SR year 2 semester. I would have stayed on just to take his class, in Political Economics. His background and Georgetown PhD made him a Giant in Knowledge. Miss him. Thanks Rev John Farrell, did watch a lot of his EWTN weekly too .....[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tNrvI\\_3-t7o&feature=youtu.be](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tNrvI_3-t7o&feature=youtu.be)

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**Louie Rodriguez-Feliu BAC68** - November 14, 2016 at 05:51 PM

MB

“ Fr. McCaffrey was a great mentor and wonderful priest. He will be missed. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him.

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**Mark Black** - November 14, 2016 at 03:52 PM

SW

“ My wife and I will miss Abbot Edmund. He was special to us from our days at Belmont Abbey and Mercy School of Nursing. Rest in peace my friend, we are praying for you.  
Stan and Pat Winner

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**Stan Winner** - November 14, 2016 at 12:20 PM

TD

“ *Here was a great man of God. Ed was uniquely blessed by his boundless love for his fellow man and his endless devotion to his religious calling.*

*He was a true friend for nearly 70 years and he is already missed, but I am comforted by my firm belief that he is finally at home with the Saints.*

*Thomas A.E. Davis*

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**Thomas A E Davis** - November 14, 2016 at 08:20 AM

MM

“ *Memories of a wonderful teacher and mentor during my time at Belmont Abbey College 1960 through 1965. We will miss you Father Edmond.*

*Matthew Maher*

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**Matthew Maher** - November 14, 2016 at 07:02 AM