

**PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA**  
**July 23, 2017 / 23 de Julio, 2017**

**“Food for Thought” from the Respect Life Committee:**

“A society will be judged on the basis of how it treats its weakest members; and among the most vulnerable are surely the unborn and the dying.”

— Pope John Paul II, “Address to the New Ambassador of New Zealand to the Holy See.” © 2000 Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission. <https://goo.gl/sUqzbC>

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter :** Just as a small mustard seed can become a large and elaborate bush, discover how a Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME) weekend can encourage our marriage to blossom and provide a lifetime of joy. The next weekends are: Nov 10-12, 2017 in ATLANTIC BEACH, NC and Oct 13-15, 2017 in Myrtle Beach, SC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://NCMarriageDiscovery.org> or contact us at [applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org](mailto:applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org) or 704-315-2144.

**RETOUVAILLE PROGRAM:** Retrouvaille simply means ‘rediscovery.’ The program offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. Many couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending. Retrouvaille is not a spiritual retreat, not a sensitivity group, not a seminar, not a social gathering. For confidential information or to apply to attend the program beginning with a weekend on September 22, 2017 call 800-470-2230 or email: [retrouvailenc@msn.com](mailto:retrouvailenc@msn.com) or visit the website at [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org).

**PREGNANCY CARE CENTER JOB:** The Pregnancy Care Center of Catawba Valley, NC is searching for a part time OB sonographer/RDMS. The OB sonographer is responsible to do limited ultrasounds for the client when ordered per policy of the Pregnancy Care Center. Must be licensed and certified as an ultrasound technician and be certified to provide limited obstetrical ultrasounds. Interested Candidates should submit a cover letter and resume to Renee Bentley, RN at the Pregnancy Care Center or call 828-322-4272 for more information.

**NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING:** FREE Natural Family Planning (NFP) Full Course (with intro.) July 29th in Charlotte at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church. Topics to be covered include: Effectiveness of modern NFP methods, Health risks of popular contraceptives, Benefits of NFP - health, relational, and spiritual, Church teaching on responsible parenting, And...how to use NFP. For more information, go to [ccdoc.org/nfp](http://ccdoc.org/nfp) or to RSVP, contact: Batrice Adcock, MSN, at Catholic Charities (704)-370-3230 or [bnacock@charlottediocese.org](mailto:bnacock@charlottediocese.org).

**“Para la Reflexion” Del Comité de Respeto a la Vida:**

“A una sociedad se la juzgará en función de cómo trata a sus miembros más débiles; y entre los más vulnerables están sin duda las personas por nacer y los moribundos.”

— Papa Juan Pablo II, Address to the New Ambassador of New Zealand to the Holy See.  
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**THIS WEEK’S READINGS**  
**LAS LECTURAS DE ESTA SEMANA**

Monday / Lunes	Ex 14: 5-18 / Mt 12: 38-42
Tuesday / Martes	2 Cor 4: 7-15 / Mt 20: 20-28
Wednesday / Miércoles	Ex 16: 1-5, 9-15 / Mt 13: 1-9
Thursday / Jueves	Ex 19: 1-2, 9-11, 16-20b / Mt 13: 10-17
Friday / Viernes	Ex 20: 1-17 / Mt 13: 18-23
Saturday/ Sábado	Ex 24: 3-8 / Mt 13: 24-30
Sunday / Domingo	1 Kgs 3: 5, 7-12 / Rom 8: 28-30 / Mt 13: 44-52

**BULLETIN ON THE WEB SITE:** *Please remember that any time you are away or do not receive a bulletin after Mass, you can access church information and see the weekly bulletin on the church web site at [www.stjosephrcc.org](http://www.stjosephrcc.org).*

**BOLETÍN en EL SITIO WEB:** *Por favor, recuerde que cada vez que está lejos o no reciben un boletín después de la Misa, puede acceder a la información de iglesia y ver el boletín semanal en el sitio web iglesia [www.stjosephrcc.org](http://www.stjosephrcc.org).*



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**Rev. James M. Collins, Pastor/Parroco**  
**Rev. Mr. Scott D. Gilfillan, Deacon/Diacono**

**Our Mission Statement**

*We, the Catholic Community of St. Joseph’s, embrace Jesus Christ as Lord, Savior, and center of our lives. We commit to fostering belief through education, faith, through action, and fellowship through love and reconciliation. In the spirit of unity, we shall proclaim and bring to all, Jesus, the Light of the world*

**Declaración de Intenciones**

*Nosotros, la comunidad católica de San José, aceptamos a Jesus Cristo como nuestro Señor, Salvador y centro de nuestras vidas. Nos dedicamos a promover la creencia através de la educación, fe, acción, compañerismo através de amor y reconciliación. En el espíritu de unidad, debemos proclamar y llevar a todos, Jesus, la Luz del mundo.*

**Mass Schedule/Horarios de Misa**

Saturday/Sábado	5:00 p.m. Mass
Sunday/Domingo	9:00 a.m. Mass 11:45 a.m. Misa en Español
Weekdays/Días de Semana	
Monday-Wednesday-Friday	12:10 p.m.
Lunes-Miércoles-Viernes	12:10 p.m.
Tuesday-Thursday	8:30 a.m.
Martes-Jueves	8:30 a.m.

Holy Days as Announced/Días de Santo Cuando Anunciado

**Sacrament of Reconciliation/Sacramento de Reconciliación**

Saturday 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. or by appointment  
 Sábado 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. o por cita

**Baptism/Bautismos**

By appointment following instruction  
 Clases 2 do Domingo de cada mes—después de misa

**Marriage/Matrimonios**

Arrangements must be made 6 months in advance  
 Comunicarse 6 meses antes

**PARISH OFFICE**  
 Kara Antonio, Admin. Assistant - 464-9207  
 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., Monday-Friday

**HORARIOS DE OFICINA**  
 De Lunes a Viernes 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.



**PARISH COMMISSIONS – COMISION PARROQUIAL**

Community Life ..... Barbara Nunziata – 241-4143

**PARISH MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS - MINISTERIOS PARROQUIALES Y ORGANIZACIONES**

Faith Formation ..... Kara Antonio – 464-9207  
 Minister of Music ..... Eileen Crider – 244-9236  
 Ministry to Sick & Homebound ... Donna Sharman – 459-2605  
 Coord. Del Ministerio Hispano.... Veronica Sanchez – 244-1880  
 Bautismos ..... Carlos A. & Beatriz E. – 238-8412  
 Matrimonios ..... Orlando y Maria Avalos – 238-2413  
 Ministerio de Liturgia..... Pedro & Carmen – 469-8562  
 Ministerio de Musica..... Raul Martinez – 291-0056  
 Knights of Columbus..... Miguel Silva – 466-0883  
 Prime Timers..... Betty Snipes – 459-7918