

**PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA**  
**November 12, 2017 / 12 de Noviembre, 2017**

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

“Christ came to liberate us from the cycle of violence by showing us how to love and be merciful. ...As the culture of death threatens to electively select who does and who does not deserve life, we must uphold that all human life has invaluable dignity and worth.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

“Death Penalty: Catholic Q & A,” <https://goo.gl/U7EYgz>

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter :** “Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour.” Let us appreciate our spouses by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME) weekend. The next weekends are: Feb 2-4, 2018 in Clemmons, NC. 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.

**CHARLOTTE CATHOLIC WOMEN’S GROUP:**

Upcoming Days of Reflection:

-All Catholic women in the Diocese of Charlotte are invited to attend the upcoming Charlotte Catholic Women’s Group (CCWG) event. Advent Retreat on **Saturday, December 2nd** at St. Michael Church in Gastonia. Mass will be celebrated at 10AM followed by an Advent Reflection, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament / Holy Hour / Confession, and Benediction. Lunch will be at 12:30PM followed by the second reflection at 1:30PM with the retreat ending at 2:30PM. CCWG Members, this retreat is free. We ask that non-members please make a \$15 donation – cash or check on-site.

-Morning Reflection on **Monday, December 11th** at St. Vincent de Paul Church Assembly room. Mass will be celebrated at 9AM followed by the reflection at 10:30AM by our guest speaker Father Christopher Roux. Father’s talk will be the Camino and his experiences with the seminarians this past summer. CCWG Members, this reflection is free. We ask that non-members please make a \$5 donation Cash or check on site.

-RSVP via our website: [www.charlottecatholicwomensgroup.org](http://www.charlottecatholicwomensgroup.org), for both events.

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

“Cristo vino para liberarnos del ciclo de violencia mostrándonos cómo amar y ser misericordioso. ...Mientras la cultura de la muerte pueda decidir quién merece la vida y quién no, debemos sostener que toda vida humana tiene dignidad y valía invaluable”.

Secretariado de Actividades Pro-Vida de la USCCB

“Pena de muerte: Preguntas y respuestas católicas”. [www.goo.gl/k1NEdP](http://www.goo.gl/k1NEdP)

**THIS WEEK’S READINGS**  
**LAS LECTURAS DE ESTA SEMANA**

Monday / Lunes	Wis 1: 1-7 / Lk 17: 1-6
Tuesday / Martes	Wis 2: 23—3: 9 / Lk 17: 7-10
Wednesday / Miércoles	Wis 6: 1-11 / Lk 17: 11-19
Thursday / Jueves	Wis 7: 22b—8: 1 / Lk 17: 20-25
Friday / Viernes	Wis 13: 1-9 / Lk 17: 26-37
Saturday/ Sábado	Wis 18: 14-16; 19: 6-9 / Lk 18: 1-8
Sunday / Domingo	Prv 31: 10-13, 19-20, 30-31 / 1 Thes 5: 1-6 / Mt 25: 14-30

**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  
 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m., Monday-Friday

**HORARIOS DE OFICINA**

De Lunes a Viernes 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 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