

PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA
August 25, 2024 / 25 de Agosto, 2024

“Food for Thought” from the Respect Life Committee:

“Death is a decisive moment in the human person’s encounter with God the Savior. Helping the Christian to experience this moment with spiritual assistance is a supreme act of charity. It encompasses the patient with the solid support of human relationships to accompany them and open them to hope... While palliative care cannot entirely eradicate suffering from people’s lives, it provides an authentic expression of human and Christian care—allowing us to ‘remain’ at the side of a suffering person, as the Blessed Mother and the beloved disciple remained at the foot of the Cross.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

“The Witness of the Good Samaritan: Palliative Care and Hospice”

Pick of the Week on FORMED! This week on FORMED

WATCH: The First Multiplication | Bread of Life | Episode 1

In this first episode of Bread of Life, Dr. Tim Gray shares insights from Sacred Scripture and dives into the Gospel of Mark's account of the first multiplication of loaves. Dr. Gray shows how Christ's Eucharistic teaching is grounded in the Old Testament, provides hope for the reconstitution of Israel, and anticipates the Last Supper.

WATCH: Confessions of Augustine: Who Is St. Augustine? (Part 1 of 6) Join these two patristic scholars as they help viewers learn how to read this classic text and draw from the riches of the spiritual life of the doctor of the Church, Saint Augustine. Finally, **WATCH: The Bread of Life: Celebrating the Eucharist!** Join Brother Francis in the delightfully inspirational and instructive presentation that teaches children all about the sacrament of the Eucharist!

Courage International: *A Catholic apostolate for men and women who experience same-sex attractions and for the family members and loved ones of those who identify as LGBTQ+.* Whether you experience same-sex attractions and are committed to following the Church’s teaching on chastity (Courage), or you have a family member or loved one who identifies as LGBTQ+ (EnCourage), you are not alone. Join the Courage and EnCourage family and discover an apostolate that provides confidential support for living chastity, growing in holiness, and keeping family bonds intact. To learn more, visit Courage International at Couragerc.org. Inquire about our new local Courage chapter at courage@rcdoc.org and our local EnCourage chapter at encourage@rcdoc.org.

Fidelis Program: With joy and trust in the guidance of Our Blessed Mother, we would like to inform you that there is an upcoming information meeting and training session to further our Fidelis initiative. The formation session will be led by Betsy Hoyt who is the Director of Mentorship for Fidelis. All ladies are welcome to join us on August 28th, at 7pm in Holy Family Hall at St. Aloysius Catholic Church. If you have additional questions, please contact Emily Bennes in the office eerybak@staloyshickory.org.

Our Parish Has A FORMED Subscription

To sign up for FORMED, visit: signup.formed.org and enter our parish zip code, 28658 and your email address and that’s it! If you have questions, contact the church office.

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

“La muerte es un momento decisivo en el encuentro de la persona con Dios Salvador. Ayudar al cristiano a vivir este momento con ayuda espiritual es un acto supremo de caridad. Rodea al paciente con el apoyo sólido de relaciones humanas para acompañarlo y darle esperanza... Si bien los cuidados paliativos no pueden erradicar por completo el sufrimiento de la vida de las personas, proporcionan una expresión auténtica del cuidado humano y cristiano, permitiéndonos “permanecer” al lado de una persona que sufre, como la Santísima Madre y el discípulo amado permanecieron al pie de la Cruz”.

Secretariado de Actividades Pro-Vida de la USCCB

“El testimonio del Buen Samaritano: cuidados paliativos y de hospicio”

THIS WEEK’S READINGS
LAS LECTURAS DE ESTA SEMANA

Monday / Lunes	2 Thes 1: 1-5, 11-12 / Mt 23: 13-22
Tuesday / Martes	2 Thes 2: 1-3a, 14-17 / Mt 23: 23-26
Wednesday / Miércoles	2 Thes 3: 6-10, 16-18 / Mt 23: 27-32
Thursday / Jueves	1 Cor 1: 1-9 / Mk 6: 17-29
Friday / Viernes	1 Cor 1: 17-25 / Mt 25: 1-13
Saturday / Sábado	1 Cor 1: 26-31 / Mt 25: 14-30
Sunday / Domingo	Dt 4: 1-2, 6-8 / Jas 1: 17-18, 21b-22, 27 / Mk 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

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.*

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.*

Purgatorial Society

Enroll your deceased loved ones in our parish’s purgatory society. Every 1st Tuesday of the month a Mass will be said for all the names on the list. Submit the names of your deceased loved ones to stjosephpurgatorialsociety@gmail.com or write them on a paper labeled “Purgatory Society” and place in the collection basket.



St. Joseph Catholic Church
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Iglesia Católica San Jose

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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

PARISH OFFICE

Kara Antonio - Admin. Assistant - 828-464-9207
 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday

HORARIOS DE OFICINA

De Martes, Miércoles, y Viernes 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.



PARISH MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS -

MINISTERIOS PARROQUIALES Y ORGANIZACIONES

Faith Formation Director Kara Antonio – 464-9207
 Faith Formation Coordinator Gustavo Rojo - 464-9207
 Minister of Music..... Eileen Crider & Mariah Richardson
 Ministry to Sick & Homebound Donna Sharman – 459-2605
 Coord. Del Ministerio Hispano.....Marcelino Lopez – 514-3039
 Bautismos Alejo & Wendy Diaz – 291-6462
 Matrimonios ...Maria Dosamante & Hugo Dominguez – 962-9035
 Ministerio de Liturgia..... Pedro & Carmen – 469-8562
 St. Joseph Workmen Group..... Richard Timmons Sr - 781-4887
 Co-Leader..... Jonathan Corona - 405-9841
 Annulments..... Selina Diaz - 464-9207
 Grounds Maintenance..... Ransom Graham - 464-9207
 Spanish Charismatics.....Jesus Ruiz - 980-241-0031

WEEKLY SCHEDULE / PROGRAMACIÓN SEMANAL

Sunday / Domingo - August 25

9:00 AM - Mass / Misa
11:45 AM - Misa en Español

Monday / Lunes - August 26

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Tuesday / Martes - August 27

8:30 AM - Mass / Misa

Wednesday / Miércoles - August 28

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Thursday / Jueves - August 29

8:30 AM - Mass / Misa

Friday / Viernes - August 30

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Saturday / Santo - August 31

Eucharistic Congress-Charlotte
5:00 PM - Mass / Misa

Sunday / Domingo - September 1

9:00 AM - Mass / Misa
11:45 AM - Misa en Español

21st Week in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK / INTENCIONES DE LA MISA DE SEMANA

Saturday / Sábado - August 24

5:00 PM - † Eileen Weisgerber

Sunday / Domingo - August 25

9:00 AM - People of the Parish
11:45 AM - Aurea Carpio

Monday / Lunes - August 26

12:10 PM - Joseph Edward Sadler

Tuesday / Martes - August 27

8:30 AM - † Maria Dolores Marin
† Jose Moises Hernandez
† Angelina Bustos

Wednesday / Miércoles - August 28

12:10 PM - † Wblester Pineda Ortuño

Thursday / Jueves - August 29

8:30 AM - Antonio Dominguez Zepeda

Friday / Viernes - August 30

12:10 PM - Patty Diaz

Saturday / Sábado - August 31

5:00 PM - † Bill & Marie Miller

Sunday / Domingo - September 1

9:00 AM - People of the Parish
11:45 AM - † Jose Margarito Rodriguez

FEAST DAYS / DIAS de FIESTA

Sunday, August 25 / Domingo, 25 de Agosto

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time /
Vigésimo Primer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Tuesday, August 27 / Martes, 27 de Agosto

St. Monica / Santa Mónica

Wednesday, August 28 / Miércoles, 28 de Agosto

St. Augustine / San Agustín

Thursday, August 29 / Jueves, 29 de Agosto

The Passion of St. John the Baptist /
La Pasión de San Juan Bautista

Sunday, September 1 / Domingo, 1ro de Septiembre

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time /
Vigésimo Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS / POR FAVOR RECUERDE EN SUS ORACIONES

Toni Harris, Kevin Hines, Marjorie Hines, Kathryn Phillips, Karen Miller, Jada Halle, Barbara Lyman, Meghan Fannin, Jennifer Baker, Max Jonathas, Linwood & Patricia Morris, Kim Ramos, Carol Bowes, Luz Estrella Martinez Hernandez, Claudia Poe, Donna Earnhardt, Louis Holden, Rev. James Collins, Jo Wagoner, Corwin Revis, Michael Adamson, Steve McDaniel, Don Nackley, Chris Halle, David Stevens, Gonzalo Dosamante S., Maria Elena Gallegos, Maria de los Angeles Torres Vazquez, Jose Mateo Dominguez Cepeda, Jerry Malone, Ralph Vanderlught, Diane Canipe, Angie Ruffy, Jim Boydstone, Idalia & Waldo Cervantes, Pat Simpson, Dan & Fran Dixon, Mary Anne & Richard Shoener, Normand Dessert, Jeannine Dessert, Lanie Grimm, Theresa Lynn Goonan, Vicki Yokum, Rosalia Rios, Jessica Dominguez, Sally Ann McGill, Peggy Templeton, Barbara Harvey, Monica Noemi Delgado, Thomas Martin, Janet Blondo, Patricia Caldwell, Steve Caldwell, Kathleen Wanamaker, Rodger Chaffee, Johnny Schmitt, Ronald Merkall, Rick Schwartz, Diana Dominguez, Karla P. Dominguez, Enriqueta Dosamantes Perez, Ashley Bowman, Mary Plunkett, Luis A. Dosamantes F., Teresa Fannin, Richard Harzcuik, Nancy Paulos, Jim Ashton, Sharon Gayer, Rita Wergowske, Madeleine Futelle, Rick Wilkenson, Vivian Mannix, Artie Sue

Please remember in your prayers those serving our country in the military: Captain Chris Chrislip, Shawn Mulligan, Matt DiRisio, Patrick Hayes. and Joseph Hayes.

Names on the prayer list will remain on the list for one month. At the end of each month, names will be removed from the prayer list unless the office is contacted and a request made for the name to remain. We appreciate your cooperation. Los nombres en las lista de oración se mantendrán en la lista por un mes. Al comienzo de cada mes la lista será nueva, a menos que la oficina sea notificada de su deseo de mantener un nombre en la lista por otro mes. Apreciamos su cooperación.

OUR STEWARDSHIP / NUESTRA ADMINISTRACION

Last Week's Regular Offertory /
Ofertorio Regular de la Semana Pasada
08/18/2024 \$3,909.94

2024 DSA Report as of 08/12/2024
Families/Households Contributing
101 of 264 = 38%

Goal	Pledged	Over/Under
\$30,996	\$31,947	\$951.00
On Goal	Total Paid	On Pledges
83%	\$26,287	80%

*Thank you for your generosity!
Note: Only Registered Parishioners will receive a tax statement at the end of the year.*

PREGNANCY ASSISTANCE SERVICES:

Pregnancy Care Center of Catawba County 322-4272
Website: www.pchickory.com
SERVICIOS DE ASISTENCIA DE EMBARAZO:
Centro de Cuidado de Embarazo del Condado Catawba
322-4272 Sitio Web: www.pchickory.com

MINISTRY TO THE SICK: If you know of anyone who would like someone to bring them communion or to visit them, please contact Donna Sharman at 459-2605.

LOST AND FOUND: If you believe you have left something in the Church, please visit out Lost and Found Box located in the office. If you find an item please also turn it into the office, so others may find.

PERDIDO Y ENCONTRADO: Si usted cree que le queda algo en la iglesia, por favor visite cabo perdidos ubicado en la oficina. Si usted encuentra un articulo por favor también convertirlo en la oficina, por lo que otros pueden encontrar.

Help protect all of God's children

Everyone has a role to play in protecting children.

North Carolina law requires all adults to immediately report suspected child abuse by anyone to law enforcement agencies. If you know or suspect that a minor (person under 18) has been abused, please call 9-1-1 or contact local law enforcement.

Also, if you have information about possible sexual abuse or misconduct by any clergy, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Charlotte, report concerns securely and anonymously 24/7 over the phone or online: 1-888-630-5929 or www.RedFlagReporting.com/RCDOC.

Safe Environment training

Did you know that every Church worker must go through abuse prevention and education training?

Find more information about the Diocese of Charlotte's Safe Environment program, sign up for Protecting God's Children training and more: <https://charlottediocese.org/human-resources/safe-environment>.

Ayuda a proteger a todos los niños de Dios

Todo el mundo tiene un papel que desempeñar en la protección de los niños. La ley de Carolina del Norte requiere que todos los adultos informen inmediatamente a las autoridades correspondientes si sospechan abuso infantil por parte de cualquier persona. Si sabe o sospecha que un menor (persona menor de 18 años) ha sido abusado, por favor comuníquese con el 9-1-1 o con la policía local.

Además, si tiene información sobre un posible abuso sexual o mala conducta por parte de cualquier miembro del clero, empleado o voluntario de la Diócesis de Charlotte, por favor reportar sus inquietudes de forma segura y anónima las 24 horas del día, los 7 días de la semana por teléfono o en línea: 1-888-630-5929 o www.RedFlagReporting.com/RCDOC.

Entrenamiento de medioambiente seguro

¿Sabe usted que todos los trabajadores de la Iglesia deben de tomar el entrenamiento de prevención de abuso y ser capacitados en este tema? Encuentre más información sobre el programa de medioambiente seguro de la Diócesis de Charlotte, regístrese en el programa Protegiendo a los Niños de Dios y más en <https://charlottediocese.org/human-resources/safe-environment>.

Secular Franciscans: Don't Say "No" Before You Say "Yes" Come and see us, the Secular Franciscans. Get to Know Us and Ask Yourself "Is God calling me? We meet the second Saturday of each month normally at 1 pm in Holy Family Hall at St Joseph Catholic Church, Newton, NC. If you'd like to visit please contact us by phone or email to confirm our gathering location.

Lynn Oeser at (919) 815-5301, matcat01@hotmail.com, or Esther Kelly at (919)302-4798, emarielkelly@yahoo.com, or Xiomara Palma at (828) 461-3755.



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Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time / Vigésimo Primer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT:

In today's first reading, Joshua challenges the people to decide whom they will serve. Recalling God's faithfulness to them and to their ancestors, the people declare, "We also will serve the Lord, for he is our God." May we, too, be mindful of God's gifts to us and renew our commitment to serve Him with grateful hearts.

Pray for Our Parish Families of the Week

We are asking all members of our church to pray for five church families. Each week we identify a different group of five families. The families for this week are: The Rodrigues Family, The Rodriguez Family, The Rogers Family, The Rojas Family, The Rojo Family

Devotions & Crafts: All parishioners are welcome to join us for devotions and crafts on Monday morning August 26th from 10:30am-12:00pm in the conference room by the church office. Bring your favorite craft or learn a new one! Questions? Contact Janice Baumgartner at 803-445-8425 or baumgartnerjanice@gmail.com.

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS: You belong at the 2024 Eucharistic Congress! Bishop Michael Martin invites you to the Eucharistic Congress! It's an event like no other – inspiring speakers, concerts, a movie premiere, activities for families and young people, and most of all, worship of Jesus centered on the Eucharist, the source and summit of our Catholic faith. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. Friday for the kickoff concert with Sarah Kroger. And don't miss the special reception with Bishop Martin and many of the speakers Friday night. Drop in for an hour or come both days – it's free and flexible (no registration required). Charlotte Eucharistic Congress Friday-Saturday, August 30 & 31 at the Charlotte Convention Center. Details: YouBelong2024.com.

St. Joseph Parish T-shirts: We now have a parish t-shirt! This weekend there will be kids and adult size parish t-shirts for sale after all the Masses. Shirts are \$10 each. Represent your parish at the Eucharistic Congress next weekend and join us wearing your matching t-shirt!

PENSAMIENTO DE CO-RESPONSABILIDAD:

En la primera lectura de hoy, Josué desafía al pueblo a decidir a quién servirá. Al recordar la fidelidad de Dios hacia ellos y hacia sus antepasados, el pueblo declara: "Nosotros también serviremos al Señor, porque él es nuestro Dios". Que nosotros también seamos conscientes de los dones que Dios nos ha dado y renovemos nuestro compromiso de servirle con corazones agradecidos.

Congreso Eucarístico 2024: ¡Tú eres parte del Congreso Eucarístico 2024! El Obispo Michael Martin te invita al Congreso Eucarístico. Es un evento como ningún otro: oradores inspiradores, conciertos, un estreno de película, actividades para familias y jóvenes y, sobre todo, la adoración a Jesús centrada en la Eucaristía, la fuente y culmen de nuestra fe católica. Las puertas se abren a las 4:30 p.m. el viernes para el concierto de inauguración con Sarah Kroger. Y no te pierdas la recepción especial con el Obispo Martin el viernes por la noche. Puedes venir por una hora o asistir ambos días. Es gratis y flexible (no se requiere estar inscrito). Congreso Eucarístico de Charlotte-Viernes-Sábado, 30 y 31 de Agosto en el Centro de Convenciones de Charlotte Detalles: GoEucharist.com/español.

Camisetas de la Parroquia de San José: Ahora tenemos una camiseta de la parroquia! Esta semana habrá venta de camisetas parroquiales tallas para niños y adultos después de todos las Misas. Las camisas cuestan \$10 cada una. Representa a tu parroquia en el Congreso Eucarística el próximo fin de semana y unete a nosotros vistiendo tu camiseta a juego!

Our Parish has donated 1107 pounds of food so far for the Parade of Cans Food Drive! Bring donations all month and help us feed our community and compete against local churches for the most donated food.

