

PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA
March 31, 2024 / 31 de Marzo, 2024

“Food for Thought” from the Respect Life Committee:

“With great openness and courage, we need to question how widespread is the culture of life today among individual Christians, families, groups and communities in our Dioceses. With equal clarity and determination we must identify the steps we are called to take in order to serve life in all its truth” (The Gospel of Life 95).

Pick of the Week on FORMED! This week on FORMED

WATCH: Triduum: A Spiritual Pilgrimage cinematically walks through the locations of the Holy Week story, representing the most important days of human history. Immersed in the real and most sacred places of the Holy Land, the pilgrim faithful is brought tangibly nearer to the story, the landscape, and the reality of the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of Jesus Christ. **WATCH: Embraced in Mercy: The Rite Explained-Forgiveness-Session 3** Whether you go to Confession regularly or a decade ago, this session guides you step-by-step through the deeper meaning of every aspect of the Rite-what it is, why we do it, and how it impacts your life. Finally, **WATCH: Holy Thursday-Catholic All Year at Home w/Kendra Tierney** Explore Holy Thursday contradictions with the Tierney family: joyful Eucharist and sacramental priesthood vs. somber start of Jesus’ passion. Get family activity ideas, music suggestions, and a Holy Thursday Seder-inspired feast featuring lamb knishes, bitter herb salad, homemade applesauce, flatbread, and wine/grape juice. Don’t miss a messy but special dessert.

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.

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:

Debemos preguntarnos, con gran lucidez y valentía, qué cultura de la vida se difunde hoy entre los cristianos, las familias, los grupos y las comunidades de nuestras Diócesis. Con la misma claridad y decisión, debemos determinar qué pasos hemos de dar para servir a la vida. (El Evangelio de la Vida 95)

THIS WEEK’S READINGS
LAS LECTURAS DE ESTA SEMANA

Monday / Lunes	Acts 2: 14, 22-33 / Mt 28: 8-15
Tuesday / Martes	Acts 2: 36-41 / Jn 20: 11-18
Wednesday / Miércoles	Acts 3: 1-10 / Lk 24: 13-35
Thursday / Jueves	Acts 3: 11-26 / Lk 24: 35-48
Friday / Viernes	Acts 4: 1-12 / Jn 21: 1-14
Saturday / Sábado	Acts 4: 13-21 / Mt 16: 9-15
Sunday / Domingo	Acts 4: 32-35 / 1 Jn 5: 1-6 / Jn 20: 19-31

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 - March 31

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

Monday / Lunes - April 1

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Tuesday / Martes - April 2

8:30 AM - Mass / Misa

Wednesday / Miércoles - April 3

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Thursday / Santo - April 4

8:30 AM - Mass / Misa

First Friday / Primer Viernes - April 5

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

After Mass-Eucharistic Adoration until 7am

Saturday / Santo— April 6

7:00 AM - Mass / Misa

5:00 PM - Mass / Misa

Sunday / Domingo - April 7

9:00 AM - Mass / Misa

11:45 AM - Misa en Español

3:00 PM - Divine Mercy Chaplet

Easter Egg Hunt after Chaplet

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

Sunday / Domingo - March 31

9:00 AM - People of the Parish
11:45 AM - Jaqueline Carpio Rivera
Catayrne Chavez Carpio

Monday / Lunes - April 1

12:10 PM - † Pastor Moreno-Lara
† Pedro Chavarria-Vega
† Naaman Bunyab-Garth

Tuesday / Martes - April 2

8:30 AM - † Purgatory Society

Wednesday / Miércoles - April 3

12:10 PM - † Tony Sacco

Friday / Viernes - April 5

12:10 PM - † Tony Sacco

Saturday / Sábado - April 6

5:00 PM - † John Condon

Sunday / Domingo - April 7

9:00 AM - People of the Parish
11:45 AM - † Guadalupe Celmente
† Baltazar Clemente
† Filojonia Martinez

FEAST DAYS / DIAS de FIESTA

Sunday, March 31 / Domingo, 31 de Marzo

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord / Domingo de Pascua, La Resurrección del Señor

Sunday, April 7 / Domingo, 7 de Abril

Sunday of Divine Mercy / Domingo de la Divina Misericordia

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

Toni Harris, Kevin Hines, Marjorie Hines, Kathryn Phillips, Bea Collins Stroupe, Karen Miller, Jada Halle, Barbara Lyman, Meghan Fannin, Al Tucker, Marge Spizzo, Jennifer Baker, Jeanie Tucker, Max Jonathas, Linwood & Patricia Morris, Kim Ramos, Carol Bowes, Luz Estrella Martinez Hernandez, Claudia Poe, Donna Earnhardt, Louis Holden, Jo Wagoner, Corwin Revis, Michael Adamson, Steve McDaniel, Don Nackley, Chris Halle, David Stevens, Patty Tucker, Gonzalo Dosamante S., Maria Elena Gallegos, Maria de los Angeles Torres Vazquez, Jose Mateo Dominguez Cepeda, Jerry Malone, Ralph Vanderlight, Diane Canipe, Angie Rufty, Jim Boydstone, Ray Felts, Idalia & Waldo Cervantes, Pat Simpson, Dan & Fran Dixon, Mary Anne & Richard Shoener, Normand Dessert, Jeannine Dessert, Lanie Grimm, Theresa Lynn Goonan, Vicki Yokum, Leon Bellerose, Rosalia Rios, Jessica Dominguez, Sally Ann McGill, Peggy Templeton, Barbara Harvey, Monica Noemi Delgado, Thomas Martin, Janet Blondo, Patricia Caldwell, Steve Caldwell, Rev. James Collins, Monica Naomi Delgado, Nancy Paulos, Kathleen Wanamaker, Rodger Chaffee, Johnny Schmitt, Steve Salisbury, Ronald Merkal, Veronica Fuhrmann, Tom Dziubczynski, Rick Schwartz, Diana Dominguez, Karla P. Dominguez, Enriqueta Dosamantes Perez, Ashley Bowman, Mary Plunkett, Luis A. Dosamantes F., Teresa Fannin

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
03/24/2024 \$7,848.00

2024 DSA Report as of 03/18/2024
Families/Households Contributing
30 of 264 = 11%

Goal	Pledged	Over/Under
\$30,996	\$12,530	\$18,466
On Goal	Total Paid	On Pledges
33%	\$10,496	82%

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>.

St. Joseph, defender of life, pray for us!



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STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT:

Alleluia! Christ is risen and is victorious over sin and death! We are good stewards of our faith if, like St. Paul, we share this good news whenever and wherever we can.

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 Hollifield Family The Horvath Family
The Huffman Family The Hughes Family
The Hynes Family

Novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe: A worldwide call to prayer. Cardinal Burke is calling on every Catholic in America to return to Our Lady and join in a 9 month novena culminating in a consecration to Our Lady of Guadalupe for her feast day on December 12. Join the movement at: <https://novena.cardinalburke.com/>

Two Engaging Easter Retreats: The Catholic Conference Center in Hickory, NC, is offering two unique retreats in the hope that one will be just right for you. The first will have reflections on how to live out the practical holiness taught by St. Francis de Sales: Living a Devout Life (in a Crazy World); April 26-28. The second will be a blend of preaching, prayer, and crafts on the Gifts and Fruit of the Holy Spirit: Kindle in Me the Fire of Your Love; April 19-20. Find out more on at www.catholicconference.org, email info@catholicconference.org, or call 828.327.7441.

PENSAMIENTO DE CO-RESPONSABILIDAD:

¡Aleluya! ¡Cristo ha resucitado y es victorioso sobre el pecado y la muerte! Seremos buenos administradores de nuestra fe si, como San Pablo, compartimos esta buena noticia cuando y donde podamos.

La Novena de la Divina Misericordia comienza el Viernes Santo y culmina el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, 7 de abril. Únase a nosotros **el domingo 7 de abril a las 3:00 pm** en la Iglesia para la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia.



The Divine Mercy Novena begins on Good Friday and culminates on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 7th. Join us **Sunday, April 7th at 3:00pm** in the Church for the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

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.

Office Closed: The office will be closed on Friday, April 5th.

