

PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA
November 5, 2023 / 5 de Noviembre, 2023

“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. Palliative care and hospice are precious and crucial instruments in the care of patients with serious and complex chronic or terminal illnesses, and they help provide comfort to both the patients and their families.”
 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: St. Leo the Great-Catholic Saints Join Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Carl Vennerstrom as they discuss St. Leo the Great, who served as pope during the tumultuous time of the Council of Chalcedon **WATCH: The INCREDIBLE Eucharistic Miracles w/ Fr. Robert Spitzer-Chris Stefanick Show** Did you know there are miracles that back up the true presence of the Eucharist? It’s true! And I brought Fr. Robert Spitzer back to tell us about the incredible science behind them. Finally, **WATCH: The Church Needs More Saints w/ Jason Evert—Seek23** Using the example of Pope St. John Paul II, Jason Evert discusses the importance of interior life in the mission of evangelization to which all Christians are called.

New Year’s Retreat. Let a certified ‘coach’ guide you through some time-honored spiritual practices in this year’s retreat, “Spiritual Exercises for the New Year.” Enter the year spiritually renewed and well-equipped with some techniques to keep you spiritually fit throughout the year. In addition to engaging presentations, there’ll be Mass, confession, Matins, Vespers, and Adoration. Plus time to simply reflect upon the New Year in our sacred spaces, enjoy the gas logs in our lounge, or explore the beautiful grounds of the Catholic Conference Center in Hickory, NC. Two nights, December 30-January 1. As a special treat, there will be a New Year’s Eve banquet with some traditional festivities. The last two years have sold out, so register now at www.catholicconference.org/new-years. For more information email info@catholicconference.org or call 828.327.7441.

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.

“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 asistencia espiritual es un acto supremo de caridad. Rodea al paciente con el apoyo sólido de relaciones humanas para acompañarlo y darle esperanza. El cuidado paliativo y de hospicio son instrumentos preciosos y cruciales en el cuidado de pacientes con enfermedades graves y complejas o terminales, y ayudan a proporcionar consuelo a los pacientes y a sus familiares".
 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	Rom 11: 29-36 / Lk 14: 12-14
Tuesday / Martes	Rom 12: 5-16b / Lk 14: 15-24
Wednesday / Miércoles	Rom 13: 8-10 / Lk 14: 25-33
Thursday / Jueves	Ez 47: 1-2, 8-9, 12 / 1 Cor 3: 9c-11, 16-17 / Jn 2: 13-22
Friday / Viernes	Rom 15: 14-21 / Lk 16: 1-8
Saturday / Sábado	Rom 16: 3-9, 16, 22-27 / Lk 16: 9-15
Sunday / Domingo	Wis 6: 12-16 / 2 Thes 4: 13-18 / Mt 25: 1-13

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.*

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.



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
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday

HORARIOS DE OFICINA

De Martes, Miércoles, y Viernes 9:00 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..... Bradley Little - 228-8316
 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 - November 5

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

Monday / Lunes - November 6

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Tuesday / Martes - November 7

8:30 AM - Mass / Misa

Wednesday / Miércoles - November 8

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Thursday / Jueves - November 9

8:30 AM - Mass / Misa

Friday / Viernes - November 10

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Saturday / Sábado - November 11

5:00 PM - Mass / Misa

Sunday / Domingo - November 12

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

31st Week in Ordinary Time MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK / INTENCIONES DE LA MISA DE SEMANA

Sunday / Domingo - November 5

9:00 AM - People of the Parish
11:45 AM - **††** Antonio Adame
Maria Guadalupe Magana

Monday / Lunes - November 6

12:10 PM - John Ockunzzi

Tuesday / Martes - November 7

8:30 AM - **†** Purgatory Society

Wednesday / Miércoles - November 8

12:10 PM - **††** Damian Campbell
Brandon Truman

Friday / Viernes - November 10

12:10 PM - Kyle Thorpe

Saturday / Sábado - November 11

5:00 PM - **†** Alexis Rosales

Sunday / Domingo - November 12

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

FEAST DAYS / DIAS de FIESTA

Sunday, November 5 / Domingo, 5 de Noviembre

The 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time /
Trigésimo Primer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Thursday, November 9 / Jueves, 9 de Noviembre

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica /
Dedicación de la Basilica de Letrán

Friday, November 10 / Viernes, 10 de Noviembre

St. Leo the Great / San León Magno

Saturday, November 11 / Sábado, 11 de Noviembre

St. Martin of Tours / San Martin de Tours

Sunday, November 12 / Domingo, 12 de Noviembre

The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time /
Trigésimo Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

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, Tom Fannin, 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, Jim Graham, Maria de los Angeles Torres Vazquez, Jose Mateo Dominguez Cepeda, Jerry Malone, Ralph Vanderlught, 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, Noah Graham, Kathleen Wanamaker, Rodger Chaffee, Johnny Schmitt, Steve Salisbury, Ronald Merkal, Tara Johnson

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
10/29/2023 \$4,553.94

2023 DSA Report as of 10/30/2023

Families/Households Contributing
79 of 264 = 29%

Goal	Pledged	Over/Under
\$32,509	\$28,301	\$4,208
On Goal	Total Paid	On Pledges
82%	\$26,792	94%

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.pcchickory.com

SERVICIOS DE ASISTENCIA DE EMBARAZO:

Centro de Cuidado de Embarazo del Condado Catawba
322-4272 Sitio Web: www.pcchickory.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:

“The greatest among you will be the one who serves the rest,” Jesus says in today’s Gospel. What wonderful good news for those who give of their time in service to others.

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 Baxter Family The Beakley Family
The Beck Family The Bednarski Family
The Bellerose Family

Office Closed: The office will be closed on Friday, November 10th.

Kneelers for Seminarians: The Mary’s Sons Apostolate invites you to join them in praying in a special way for Deacons Matthew Wayne Dimock Jr., Christian Joseph Goduti, Matthew Philip Harrison II, Kevin Ruben Martinez, José Alfredo Palma Torres, Elliott Cade Suttle, and Kevin Michael Tran as they prepare to be ordained to the Holy Priesthood for the Diocese of Charlotte next June. From November 7th through 12th, three handmade wooden kneelers will be at our parish. Please take a moment to pray on the kneelers for the deacons. There will be prayer cards and journals in which you can write messages of encouragement and well wishes. The kneelers and journals will travel to other parishes in the coming months and then will be given to the men at their ordination. For more information about Mary’s Sons and the Kneelers for Priests Pilgrimage program, please visit www.maryssons.org.

Ornaments & Hor’s d’Oeuvres: All are invited to register for a fun workshop coming up at the Catholic Conference Center called “Ornaments and Hor’s d’Oeuvres.” It’ll be a great way to get ready for the holidays, socialize with others, and make a beautiful, kiln-fired angel ornament to give as a gift or decorate your home. They are going to limit the registration, so register early: www.catholicconference.org/ornaments. This event will be Thursday, November 30th from 6pm-8pm.



PENSAMIENTO DE CO-RESPONSABILIDAD:

“El mayor entre vosotros será el que sirva a los demás”, dice Jesús en el Evangelio de hoy. Qué maravillosas buenas noticias para quienes dan de su tiempo al servicio de los demás.

Oficina cerrada: La oficina estará cerrada el viernes 10 de noviembre.

Arrodillados por los Seminaristas: El Apostolado de los Hijos de María los invita a unirse a ellos para orar de manera especial por los diáconos Matthew Wayne Dimock Jr., Christian Joseph Goduti, Matthew Philip Harrison II, Kevin Ruben Martinez, José Alfredo Palma Torres, Elliott Cade Suttle y Kevin Michael Tran mientras se preparan para ser ordenados al Santo Sacerdocio de la Diócesis de Charlotte el próximo junio. Del 7 al 12 de noviembre, tres reclinatorios de madera hechos a mano estarán en nuestra parroquia. Tómese un momento para orar sobre los reclinatorios por los diáconos. Habrá tarjetas de oración y diarios en los que podrás escribir mensajes de aliento y buenos deseos. Los reclinatorios y los diarios viajarán a otras parroquias en los próximos meses y luego serán entregados a los hombres en su ordenación. Para obtener más información sobre el programa de peregrinación de los hijos de María y los arrodillados para sacerdotes, por favor Visite www.maryssons.org.

Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia: Únase a nosotros todos los viernes a las 3 p. m. en la Iglesia para rezar juntos la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia. Todos están invitados a rezar con nosotros esta breve pero poderosa oración.

LEGION DE MARIA: Es una organización de laicos, ayuda a sus miembros a ser mejores católicos, principalmente por medio de oración y servicio, se reúne, una vez por semana para rezar y planear servicio, los viernes a las 6pm en la iglesia, están cordialmente invitados. Mayra Deniz 828-962-9768.



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