

PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS DE LA PARROQUIA
October 20, 2024 / 20 de Octubre, 2024

“Food for Thought” from the Respect Life Committee:
 “I would now like to say a special word to women who have had an abortion. The Church is aware of the many factors which may have influenced your decision, and she does not doubt that in many cases it was a painful and even shattering decision. The wound in your heart may not yet have healed. ... But do not give in to discouragement and do not lose hope. ... The Father of mercies is ready to give you his forgiveness and his peace in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.”
 Pope Saint John Paul II, Evangelium vitae, no. 99. © 1995, Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission. All rights reserved.

Pick of the Week on FORMED! This week on FORMED WATCH: Pope John Paul II and the New Evangelization | The Augustine Institute Show Dr. Sean Innerst, Dean of the Augustine Institute Graduate School of Theology, joins Dr. Tim Gray on the Augustine Institute Show. Dr. Innerst and Dr. Gray will discuss Saint John Paul II's papacy and the New Evangelization in the Church. **WATCH: What are the Two Great Commandments | Adventure Catechism** In this episode the two greatest commandments taught by Jesus are discussed and reveal the importance of Love for God and Neighbor. Finally, **LISTEN: Marriage: The Good, the Messy** This talk is only audio. In a talk based on their book, The Good, the Messy, and the Beautiful, Dr. Edward and Beth Sri talk about the joys and struggles of real married life. Learn more about SEEK and register to attend next year's conference by visiting seek.focus.org.

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.

Rosary Crusade: The Legion of Mary has a new Rosary Crusade. We are looking for 100 million Rosaries starting now until November 24th worldwide. We are asking people to pray the Rosary for peace in the world, peace in the Church, and peace in the womb. (OR an end to abortion) You are welcome to pray as many Rosaries as you like, or if you want to be counted there is a link to a website where you can pledge the number of Rosaries you will pray <https://sites.google.com/view/100millionrosaries/home>

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:
 “Una reflexión especial quisiera tener para vosotras, mujeres que habéis recurrido al aborto. La Iglesia sabe cuántos condicionamientos pueden haber influido en vuestra decisión, y no duda de que en muchos casos se ha tratado de una decisión dolorosa e incluso dramática. Probablemente la herida aún no ha cicatrizado en vuestro interior. ...Sin embargo, no os dejéis vencer por el desánimo y no abandonéis la esperanza. ...El Padre de toda misericordia os espera para ofrecer os su perdón y su paz en el sacramento de la Reconciliación.” San Juan Pablo II, Evangelium vitae, 99. © 1995 Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Se utiliza con permiso. Todos los derechos reservados.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS LAS LECTURAS DE ESTA SEMANA	
Monday / Lunes	Eph 2: 1-10 / Lk 12: 13-21
Tuesday / Martes	Eph 2: 12-22 / Lk 12: 35-38
Wednesday / Miércoles	Eph 3: 2-12 / Lk 12: 39-48
Thursday / Jueves	Eph 3: 14-21 / Lk 12: 49-53
Friday / Viernes	Eph 4: 1-6 / Lk 12: 54-59
Saturday / Sábado	Eph 4: 7-16 / Lk 13: 1-9
Sunday / Domingo	Jer 31: 7-9 / Heb 5: 1-6 / Mk 10: 46-52

Devotions & Crafts: NEED WINE CORKS! The group is working on a fall craft and is in need of an extra wine corks you may have at home. All parishioners are welcome to join us for devotions and crafts on Monday morning October 21st 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 at lexingtonjanice@icloud.com.

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
 Spiritual Direction..... Deacon Scott Gilfillan – 828-261-6375

WEEKLY SCHEDULE / PROGRAMACIÓN SEMANAL

Sunday / Domingo - October 20

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

Monday / Lunes - October 21

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Tuesday / Martes - October 22

8:30 AM - Mass / Misa

Wednesday / Miércoles - October 23

9:00 AM - Mass / Misa

Thursday / Jueves - October 24

8:30 AM - Mass / Misa

Friday / Viernes - October 25

12:10 PM - Mass / Misa

Saturday / Santo - October 26

5:00 PM - Mass / Misa

Sunday / Domingo - October 27

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

29th Week in Ordinary Time

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

Saturday / Sábado - October 19

5:00 PM - † Harvey Gannon

Sunday / Domingo - October 20

9:00 AM - People of the Parish
11:45 AM - † Aurilo Trejo

Monday / Lunes - October 21

12:10 PM - Ray Allard

Tuesday / Martes - October 22

8:30 AM - † Omar Amaury
† Eliaser Lujano
† Adalberto Rodriguez

Wednesday / Miércoles - October 23

9:00 AM - † Judith DeRouin

Thursday / Jueves - October 24

8:30 AM - † Gennaro DeCandia

Friday / Viernes - October 25

12:10 PM - † Pio Deinla

Saturday / Sábado - October 26

5:00 PM - † Tom Fannin

Sunday / Domingo - October 27

9:00 AM - People of the Parish
11:45 AM - Ashley Ruiz Trejo
Kara Antonio

FEAST DAYS / DIAS de FIESTA

Sunday, October 20 / Domingo, 20 de Octubre
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time /
Vigésimo Noveno Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Tuesday, October 22 / Martes, 22 de Octubre
St. John Paul II / San Juan Pablo II

Wednesday, October 23 / Miércoles, 23 de Octubre
St. John of Capistrano / San Juan de Capistrano

Thursday, October 24 / Viernes, 24 de Octubre
St. Anthony Mary Claret / San Antonio Maria Claret

Sunday, October 27 / Domingo, 27 de Octubre
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time /
Trigésimo 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 Merkal, 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
10/13/2024 \$5,810.30

2024 DSA Report as of 10/15/2024
Families/Households Contributing
102 of 264 = 38%

Goal	Pledged	Over/Under
\$30,996	\$32,197	\$1,201.00
On Goal	Total Paid	On Pledges
90%	\$28,159	87%

*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 our 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 el cajón de perdidos ubicado en la oficina. Si usted encuentra un artículo 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-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time / Vigésimo Noveno Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT:

Good stewards must not argue about who is the most important. Today's Gospel says clearly that those who aspire to greatness must humbly serve the needs of all. Even Jesus came not to be served, but to serve.

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 Siverly Family, The Smith Family, The Spears Family, The Spoto Family, The Stasiak Family

Wednesday Mass: will be at 9am this week.

How to Excel in the Spiritual Works of Mercy: Come to this half-day workshop led by Deacon Scott at the Catholic Conference Center and learn how to excel in the spiritual works of mercy. Explore some skills you can put into practice with real-life examples. Sponsored by the Office of Faith Formation, but all are welcome. Monday, October 28, from 10am to 2pm at the Catholic Conference Center. Just \$15. Includes lunch. Register at: <https://charlottediocese.org/form-in-service/>

Together in Holiness Marriage Conference: – Married and engaged couples are invited to the sixth annual Together in Holiness marriage conference on November 16, 2024 from 8:30 am – 3:45 pm at St. Barnabas Catholic Church in Arden, NC and St. Ann Catholic Church in Charlotte, NC. This one-day conference will help you strengthen your relationship with your spouse and discover God's plan for your family. Registration: \$64/couple and \$5/child for on-site childcare. An Early Bird discount is available through September 30 as well as scholarships upon request. This conference is presented by the St. John Paul II Foundation and the Diocese of Charlotte. For more info, visit togetherinholiness.org or email TH@forlifeandfamily.org.

Second Collection-World Mission Sunday: This weekend there will be a second collection for World Mission Sunday. Visit www.onefamilyinmission.org/wms to learn more. Thank you for your generosity!

New Year's Retreat. Jesus used questions to promote healing, forgive the past, repair brokenness, and instill hope. The retreat, "Questions Jesus Asks You for the New Year", will invite you to answer the same life-altering questions. There will be five engaging reflections, Mass, confession, Matins, Vespers, and Adoration. Plus, plenty of time to reflect upon the New Year in our sacred spaces while enjoying the fireplace in our lounge or exploring 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 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.

PENSAMIENTO DE CO-RESPONSABILIDAD:

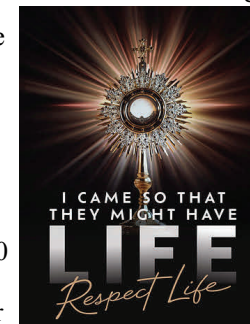
Los buenos administradores no deben discutir sobre quién es el más importante. El Evangelio de hoy dice claramente que quien aspira a la grandeza debe servir humildemente a las necesidades de todos. Incluso Jesús no vino para ser servido, sino para servir.



Sign up for our annual Saint Trunk-or-Treat! Sign up sheets are in the vestibule! Join us for games, food, prizes, and fun!

Respect Life Month Action: Walk with Moms in Need

"We must call for policies that assist women and their children in need, while also continuing to help mothers in our own communities through local pregnancy help centers and our nationwide, parish-based initiative, Walking with Moms in Need."
– Bishop Michael F. Burbidge, USCCB Committee on Pro-Life Activities



"Walking with Moms in Need is an opportunity for Catholic parishes to 'walk in the shoes' of local pregnant and parenting women in need, accompanying them in friendship and helping to connect moms with local resources." WWMIN helps parishes to "inventory local resources, identify gaps in services, and implement a parish response based on their findings."

Scan for a step-by-step guide and email WalkingWithMoms@rcdoc.org for local help in making your Diocese of Charlotte parish a place of welcome for pregnant and parenting moms.

