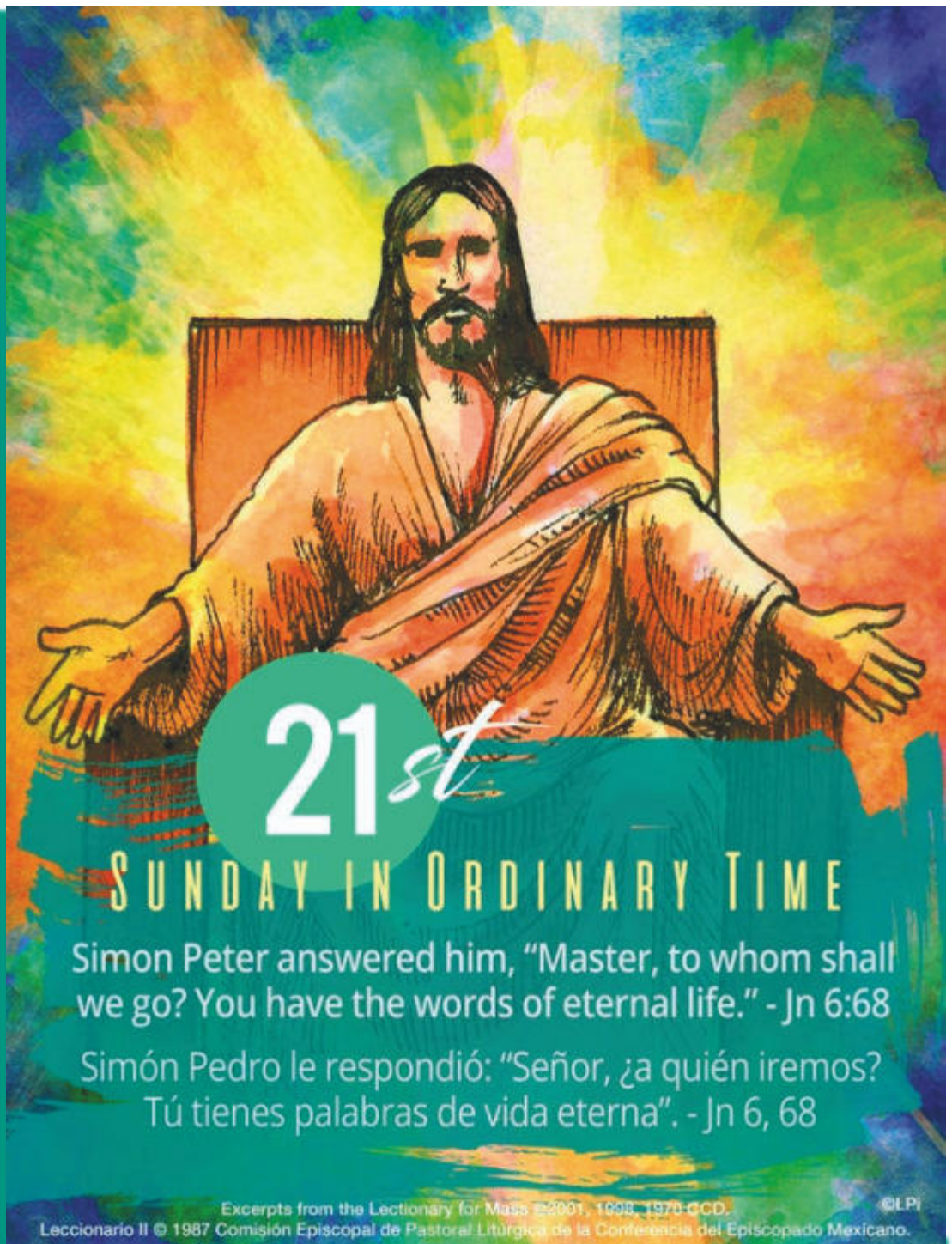


*Sunday  
August, 22 2021*



**Saint Patrick  
Catholic Church**  
2844 Village Drive  
Fayetteville, NC 28304  
(910) 323-2410  
Parish office Hours  
Monday-Friday 8AM-4PM

**Saint Patrick  
Catholic School**  
1620 Marlborough Road  
Fayetteville, NC 28304  
(910) 323-1865  
School Office Hours  
Monday-Friday 8AM-3PM



## *Saint Patrick Catholic Church and School*

Oldest Catholic parish in NC, established Aug. 6, 1821, placed under protection of Saint Patrick on Feb 4, 1824, and the first consecrated Catholic Church in NC on Mar 17, 1829. Saint Patrick Catholic School is the oldest, continuously operating private school in Fayetteville, NC and was established Sept 12, 1937.



Our Immaculate Conception Sodality Gift Shop  
is located in the parish office's Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Room nearest the Columbarium.  
Open Saturdays from 3:30 PM to 4:45PM. ♦ Sundays from 9:00AM until 12:30PM.



Thank you for worshipping with us!  
Please come to the information table in the Gathering Space after Mass to speak with staff about making Saint Patrick your home.

¡Gracias por venir a celebrar la misa con nosotros!  
Venga a la mesa de información en el vestíbulo después de la misa para hablar con el personal sobre cómo hacer de San Patricio su hogar parroquial.

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**Saturday Vigil 5:00PM**  
**Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:00AM and 12:30PM in Spanish**  
**First Saturday of the month 9:00AM & Rosary after Mass**  
**Monday - Friday 9:00AM**  
**Adoration, Exposition & Rosary** Every First Friday of the month after 9 AM Mass

## We are pleased to offer a variety of additional Mass times throughout the month which include:

- Eastern Syriac Rite**, every First Sunday of the month at 4 PM and Rosary at 3:30PM
- French Mass**, every Second Sunday of the month at 4PM
- Vietnamese Mass**, every last Sunday of the month at 4PM and Confession and Rosary at 3PM.



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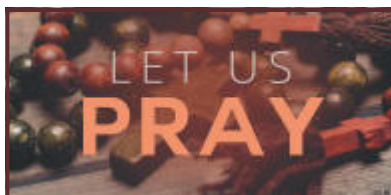


# PRAYER REQUESTS



*Pray for our Soldiers*

Armando Anzures	Taylor Johnson	David Rierson
Jordan Berry	Shane Kimball	Eduardo Rodríguez
Haley Boswell	Zackary King	Juan E. Rodríguez
Brian Broadwell	Joshua Kolnitys	Michael Romeu
Allen Buckhalt	Lori Lamm	Edwin G. Rosales
Richard Chaney	James R. Leathers, Jr.	Jared Russell
Chris Coleman	Sonia Lewis	Kris Salter
Jonathan Craig	Brandon Loeder	Brian Schrum
Jesus Cruz	Hunter Loeder	Christopher Shallop
Carmichael P. Dumlaio	Lester Long	Zack A. Small
James Few	Caleb Lovett	Tony Staut
Andrew Fonke	Joshua Lovett	Kyle Stockwell
Benjamin Fugaro-Thomson	Pat MacDonald	Adam Storkamp
Aidyn Fugaro-Fischer	Matthew Malone	Patrick Sullivan
Margaret Galagher	Zachary Martin	Tate Sykes
David J. García	Scott Monoher	Adam Thompson
Kory Gray	Kevin Nelson	Brandon Tillman
Tanner Gunter	Louis Nelson	Tomlin C. Tom
Carter Hast	Frank Odum	Jonathan Turner
Casey Helm	Peter Pacheco	Michael Vega
Isaiah Hernández	Edward Parry III	Lindon Watkins
Alex Hicks	William "Bill" Peterson	Christopher West
Michael Hicks	Carlos Ramos	John Wolf
Jodie Honeycutt	Ernest M. Reed	



*Our recently  
departed*

Please pray for  
*Our Beloved Dead*

And for their family and friends who mourn their death. Eternal rest grant unto them  
O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May they rest in peace! Amen.

## Friends and Families who have asked for our Prayers

Rex Adams	Caleb Downey	Jerry Moon
Carol Anderson	Tom Durkin	Mimi Moon
Ron Anderson	James Dwiggins	Lydia Morris
Tobenna Anoliefo	Kathy Doody	Julia Mulvey
Placido Arjonillo	James Dwiggins	Joe Nagel
Angel Arrua	Rick Fortson	Kylee Nelson
Rodolfo Arruabarrena	Rosalie Farnique	Rosie Newton
Patricia Auman	Monique Fultz	José Otero Morales
Peggy Ball	Veronica Gailey	Catherine W. Parker
Tony Barreto	Oscar Gómez	Scott Paul
Fran Batten	Angel González	Carolina Pérez
Andrea Bernabey	Anthony González	Ethel Phillips
Maria Blalock	Pilar González	Mary Ellen Plummer
Christopher Boeshore	Purificacion Guzmán	Sandra Plummer
Jerry Boeshore	Dao Hamdam	Hernan J. Pometto
Pat Bowles	Tristan Hartman	Arleen Reyes
Linda Brennan	Kelly Hatcher	Héctor Reyes
Aliyah Brewington	Catherine Hewitt	Jaxson Richardson
Luz Alejandra Bringas	Chirstine D. Hill	Gail Riddle
Tom Britton	Charles Holahan	Joey Riddle
Claudine Brock	Pat Holahan	Blanca Rivas
Lois Brock	Pat Hurley	Myrna Rivera
Betsy Bromley	Angela Hutchens	Kara Roell
Dean Brown	Michael Hutnan	Veronica Rodriguez
Trudy Brown	Patrick Jansen	Sonia Rosado
Ted Brutnell	Maura Jentz	Edwin M. Santiago
Mary Buchanan	Mary Johnson	Rosa Santos
Larry Bullard	Janet Fonke Joseph	Lillian Savicki
William Bursey	Brenda Kaminsky	Mary Schaefer
Gustavo Cáceres	Fr. Jack Kelly	Rose Mary Semenza
Hernan Cáceres	Tiny King	Maria Shirley
Laura Cáceres	Vera Knackstedt	Michael Shunk
Roberto Canales	Incha Knip	Jonathan Simmons
Elaine Caras	Joe Knip	Karen Skinner
Veronica Chávez	Mary C. Kosterman	Drake Strong
Hideko Collins	George Kuchen	Patricia Steiner
Ortilio Colón	Eileen Landreth	Cindy Sullivan
Janet Conners	Jennifer Levine	Marcia Sullivan
Wendy Cortés	Mannie Longoria	Joseph Surkin
Ana Damián	Cecilia Marguglio	Robert Taffe
Marilyn Daniels	Madonna Mayville	Eric Wagner
Cecelia David	Trujillo McCabe	Amber Wagner
Phyllis Davis	Donald McCarty	Maddox Walters
Joseph Devan	Carol McKeithan	Scott White
Jose Díaz	John McKenzie	Nomie Whitmer
Margaret Donovan	Luisa B. Meléndez	Ed Williams
Richard Donovan	Mark Miller	Rita Leona Zalewski
Ryan Donovan	Erika Milligan	Philomena Zito
	Maria Sol Montel	



Read some interesting articles and receive some helpful advice and tips for preparing for the sacrament of marriage, married life, parenting, and family interests go to [www.foryourmarriage.org](http://www.foryourmarriage.org) or in Spanish [www.portumatrimonio.org](http://www.portumatrimonio.org).

## Worldwide Marriage Encounter

A Marriage Encounter weekend is designed to give married couples the opportunity to privately examine their lives together . . . a time to share their feelings, their hopes, disappointments, joys and frustrations . . . and to do so openly and honestly in a face-to-face, heart-to-heart loving encounter with the one person they have chosen to live with for the rest of their life.

There is an upcoming opportunity nearby that you may want to plan to attend on the weekend of Aug. 27 – 29, 2021 at the Catholic Conference Center on 1551 Trinity Ln., Hickory, NC 28602 or if this one doesn't work with your schedule plan to attend the opportunity at The Inn at Pine Knoll Shores (The Clam Digger) 511 Salter Path Rd, Atlantic Beach, NC 28512 on Nov. 5 – 7, 2021 weekend. To register or find out more information visit their website at [wwme.org](http://wwme.org)

## Catholic's Divorce Healing Program

A series of care ministry to men and women who are suffering from separation or divorce. *The Catholic's Surviving Divorce* is a twelve-session program featuring conversation and DVD sessions that cover topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt, forgiveness, money, the courts, the kids, the ex-spouse, annulment, dating, sexuality, spirituality, remarriage or staying single, and much more. No matter when you were divorced, the program offers valuable insight for everyone. Sessions will be on Thursday evenings, September 16th from 6:00pm until 7:30pm. Childcare at no cost is available (please request childcare if necessary). Visit our website under family life ministry to get more information. Contact Beth O'Leary at 323-2410 x133 or [betho@stpatnc.org](mailto:betho@stpatnc.org) for more information or to register.



## WE'RE BUILDING OUR MARRIAGE SPONSOR COUPLE TEAM



Are you looking for a way to strengthen your marriage and help other couples at the same time?

We are looking for a few couples to share their story as marriage sponsor couples to help engaged couples that are preparing for marriage. Engaged couples need mentors and real-life stories and experiences to help them as they grow into a strong, loving, faithful and faith filled relationship. If you are being called to strengthen your marriage and help others, this is a great way to do it. Please contact Beth O'Leary 323-2410 x 133 or [betho@stpatnc.org](mailto:betho@stpatnc.org) to find out more information.

GriefShare is a 13-week, Christ-centered, biblically based support group seminar. A grieving person can join at any time during the 13 weeks. Each session



shows a video presentation followed by small group discussion about the video. The GriefShare videos present experts, ministers, and Christian counselors discussing grief and recovery subjects helpful to people in grief. Real people share their stories of what has helped them deal with the pain of losing a family member or friend through death. During the week between meetings, group members complete a daily Bible study and practical exercises to help them heal from grief. GriefShare is for people who have lost a spouse, child, family member, or friend through death. This series begins on Monday, September 13, 2021. We are offering it twice a day once at 10:00 AM until 11:30 AM and again later that day from 6:00 PM until 7:30 PM. Please reserve your spot by contacting Beth O'Leary at [betho@stpatnc.org](mailto:betho@stpatnc.org) or 910-323-2410 x133.

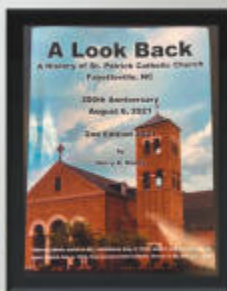


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**HSM LIFE MEETING DOES NOT  
MEET TODAY AUGUST 22**  
Next Life Meeting is August 29

## HSM Summer Life Meetings

HSM does not meet on August 8 or August 22

**August 29 - Life Meeting**  
final summer session  
don't miss it

**Confirmation  
Information Meetings**

September 1 or 8 at 6:30 pm

September 5 at 11:15 am

**Students and a parent MUST ATTEND  
one of the meetings**

**NEW FIRE**

OLIFE TEEN

**IS COMING**

We'll have a return Celebration  
on September 12

hsm@stpatnc.org

323-2410 x108

## Rosary after 10AM Mass

Lead by the Legion of Mary  
from Saint Patrick  
Please come and partake in  
more graces.  
To Jesus through Mary!



Dirigido por la Legión de María de San Patricio.  
Venga y participe de más gracias.  
Lleguemos a Jesús por medio de María!

## SACRAMENTS



### Anointing of the Sick

Call the parish office at (910) 323-2410 during business hours. In the event of LIFE THREATENING EMERGENCIES those needing the Anointing of the Sick after regular office hours or weekends, please call (910) 303-1948.

### Who may receive the Sacrament of Anointing?

Any baptized Catholic who is seriously ill due to sickness, injury or old age—even though there is no apparent danger of death. The elderly who are in a weakened condition are also encouraged by the Church to receive the Sacrament of Anointing. The sacrament should be received when the sick person is best able to profit from it, and not be delayed until the person is at the point of death. One should also received it before a serious operation. For questions and for more information, please contact Beth O'Leary at 910-323-2410 x133.

### Baptism

For children up to grade 7, contact Carlos Cortes x 106. For children in grades 8 and above and for adults who wish to be baptized, see the RCIA section below.

### First Holy Communion

For children up to grade 7, contact Carlos Cortes x 106. For children in grades 8 and above and for adults who wish to receive First Holy Communion, see the RCIA section below.

### First Reconciliation

For children up to grade 7, contact Carlos Cortes x 106. For children in grades 8 and above and adults, see RCIA sections below.

### Funerals

Contact Anne Rogers x 113 or a priest at the parish office at (910) 323-2410.

### Confirmation

Contact Dcn. Vince x108 for information for youth and adult Confirmation.

### Marriage

For marriages and validations for those married outside the Catholic Church, contact Beth O'Leary x133

### RCIA

Are you Catholic and Missing a Sacrament (Confirmation, Eucharist)? Or are you interested in becoming Catholic, but don't know where to start?

Contact, Dcn Vince Mescall x108 or Inés Benarroch x 111

### Reconciliation

Celebrated every Saturday 3-4PM or by appointment by calling the parish office.

Hablamos español— puedes llamar al a oficina parroquial.

### Together We Can—Make a Difference

We collected 359 items on August 15  
Thank you for helping! Keep up the good work.  
Visit [www.catholiccharitiesraleigh.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesraleigh.org) for more  
information about how to help

### Juntos Podemos—Hacer la diferencia

Recolectamos 359 artículos el 15 de agosto.  
¡Gracias! Sigamos con el buen trabajo.  
Visita la página [www.catholiccharities.org](http://www.catholiccharities.org) para más  
información en cómo ayudar.



#### Monthly Offertory

Needed Monthly	July 2021 Actual
\$120,611.25	\$102,451.57

#### Fiscal Year to Date

Needed for 1 Month	Actual for 12 Months	% Over (+) or Under (-)
\$120,611.25	\$102,451.57	-15.1%

Are you interested in investing in the future of our Parish? A bequest in your will could provide for enhanced and expanded ministries for God's people. Please call the church office, if you would like more information on how to donate.

#### Give Your Gifts Online.

**It's Safe. It's Simple. It's Convenient.**

Go to [www.stpatnc.org](http://www.stpatnc.org), and scroll down to the "Giving Online" image to sign up today or scan the QR code.



**Saint Patrick's community is blessed with a beautiful worship and celebration space, thanks to the hard work and contributions of our parishioners and visitors.**

Here is the Mortgage Summary as of July 1, 2021

**Thank you for helping us pay on the mortgage of the church building!**

New Church Building Loan	\$ 1,130,766.94
Principal Paid	\$ 1,104,144.00
Current Loan Balance	\$ 26,572.57



## A life based on Stewardship shows us the way to live as active disciples.



Today's readings tell us that we must make a choice. Actually, they tell us that the only fulfilling choice is God.

As Peter says, ***"Master...You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God."***

Because God loves us we always have the freedom to choose Him or to walk away. Just as some disciples walk away from Jesus in the Gospel reading.

Jesus gave us the Eucharist – his body and blood – so that we may receive every grace we need to live forever in eternal life. We are strengthened in virtue and united more closely to Christ. This is the food that will fill us as we journey through this life.

Mistakenly we often take the Eucharist for granted. Maybe we come to Mass to "check the box" instead of actively partaking in this intimate exchange or we receive Jesus in the Eucharist and then forget about Him the second we leave the church after Mass.

To receive all that God wants to give us in the Eucharistic, we must do our part in being receptive to His grace and living out active discipleship in our day-to-day lives. A life based on Stewardship shows us the way to live as active disciples.

Let us approach the Lord acknowledging His Divine Presence and be open to all the graces He desires to pour out on us. Then we must go forth, being attentive to the moments that the Holy Spirit is calling us to act as He acts. In total love and sacrifice.

The Eucharist affects our lives more than we can comprehend. We are receiving God Himself. Let us strive to receive Him reverently and with open hearts.





## The 'foreverness' and beauty of love

Online the fifth episode of the dialogue between the Holy Father and families




"Marriage is a precious sign. It is an image of God's love for us. This does not mean that the love spouses have for each other must be perfect... No love is perfect. But the love spouses have for each other is a dynamic process that progresses and improves with time over a lifetime. This is why marriage requires fidelity. Marriage lasts forever". The Holy Father speaks about "foreverness" in marriage, in this fifth video of the 10 [series - part](#) prepared as part of the celebration of the «Amoris Laetitia Family» Year. This time Pope Francis addresses himself particularly to spouses. [https://youtu.be/hICtB6e0\\_EI](https://youtu.be/hICtB6e0_EI) or visit our family life page to view all 5 videos and get the guides.

## El "para siempre" y la belleza del amor Quinto episodio en línea del diálogo entre el Santo Padre y las familias



"El matrimonio es un signo precioso, un icono del amor de Dios por nosotros. Esto no significa que el amor entre los cónyuges tenga que ser perfecto... Nadie lo es, pero el amor entre los cónyuges es un proceso dinámico, que continúa y mejora a lo largo de la vida. Por eso el matrimonio requiere fidelidad, el matrimonio es para siempre" – Así el Santo Padre nos habla del "para siempre" en el matrimonio, en este quinto vídeo de la serie de 10 partes preparadas en el marco de la celebración del año "Familia Amoris Laetitia". Esta vez el Papa Francisco se dirige especialmente a los esposos. <https://youtu.be/I9cTUdDGRU0> o visita nuestra página de family life para ver los 5 videos completos y obtener las guías.





**OPERATION INASMUCH**  
531 Hillsboro St.

Join us to help serve breakfast to the most needed in our community at Inasmuch on Monday, August 30 @ 7AM

Contact - Barbara Forthofer  
910-429-4200

"As you did it for one of the least of these, you did it for me."  
- Jesus





Lời nhắn nhủ;

Ngày 1-8 là lễ Thánh Anphongsô Liguori là Đấng sáng lập Dòng Chúa Cứu Thế; là Quan Thầy bảo chữa cho chúng ta trước toà THIÊN CHÚA.

Ngày 4 -8 lễ nhớ Thánh Gioan Vianney, bổn mạng các Linh Mục .

Ngày 15-8 lễ Đức Mẹ Hồn Xác Lên Trời, lễ trọng.

Ngày 22- 8 lễ Đức Maria Nữ Vương Vũ Trụ

Ngày 27 - 8 lễ nhớ Thánh Monica, Mẹ của Thánh Augustinô 28- 8

Ngày 29-8 Thánh Gioan Tẩy Giả Tử Đạo.

Cuộc sống mỗi người chúng ta , những người chung quanh, và trong xã hội có lẽ nhiều khi cũng giống như 1 căn phòng tối; chỉ cần 1 người nào đó thắp lên 1 tia sáng nhỏ là những người chung quanh ta sẽ cảm thấy ấm áp và phấn khởi hơn . Một tia sáng nhỏ của cái mỉm cười, Một tia sáng nhỏ của lời chào hỏi thăm nom. Một tia sáng nhỏ của tình yêu san sẻ. Một tia sáng nhỏ của cảm thông, tha thứ . Một tia sáng nhỏ của niềm tin giải tỏa qua tâm sự hân hoan chấp nhận cuộc đời. Nụ cười và ánh mắt của chúng ta luôn có tác động mạnh đến mọi người. Hãy luôn nhớ mỉm cười nhé.

(Ns. TTĐM )

Xin cùng nhau đến tôn thờ Thánh danh THIÊN CHÚA tại nhà thờ St Patrick , lúc 4 giờ chiều Chúa nhật cuối tháng.

Xin Thánh Giuse quan thầy của kẻ hấp hối, cầu cho chúng ta biết noi gương sống lắng nghe, có được sự can đảm mạnh mẽ trong những hành động như Thánh Cả Giuse đã làm.

Please come and join the Vietnamese Mass on Sunday, August 29 at 4pm.

**Media Deadline:** Submit information for the bulletin, TVs in the gathering space, projector screens in the Church , Twitter, myParish App, chair announcements by the priests, and website all to one email address: [media@stpatnc.org](mailto:media@stpatnc.org)

**Regular deadline of 8 days prior to weekend publication.**

**Schedule subject to change. Visit our website for updates. Email coordinator for more information.**

**Readings for this week**

Sunday	9:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM 12:30 PM	Mass ( † Michael Than) Mass ( † Brian Eangle) Seekers Inquiry Spanish Mass ( † Elvia Maria Lopez de Riera)	Church Sanctuary Church Sanctuary <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8</a> Holy Family Room Church Sanctuary <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8</a>	JOS 24:1-2a,15-17,18b PS 34:2-3,16-21 EPH 5:21-32 OR 5:2a,25-32 JN 6:60-69
Monday	9:00 AM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Daily Mass ( ♥ Art & Lillian Wong ) Boys Scouts Pack 787 Charismatic Prayer Group in Spanish	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8</a> Kennedy Social Hall St. Brigid Hall	1THES 1:1-5,8b-10 PS 149:1b-2-6a&9b MT 23:13-22
Tuesday	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	Daily Mass ( † Buddy Longoria) Boys Scouts Troop 787	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8</a> Family Life Room—Gym	RV 21:9b-14 PS 145:10-13,17-18 JN 1:45-51
Wednesday	9:00 AM 5:00 PM 5:00 PM 6:00 PM	Daily Mass ( ♥ Nancy Coleman) Adoration Reconciliation Catechist Training	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8</a> All Saint Chapel Holy Family Room Saint Brigid Hall	1THES 2:9-13 PS 139:7-12ab MT 23:27-32
Thursday	9:00 AM 5:30 PM 7:00 PM	Daily Mass ( † Beatriz Pastrana & Luisa B Meléndez Cruz) Legion of Mary Village Group AA Meeting	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8</a> Kennedy Social Hall Family Room	1THES 3:7-13 PS 90:3-5a,12-14&17 MT 24:42-51
Friday	9:00 AM 4:30 PM	Daily Mass ( ♥ Lina & Marcial) Junior Legion of Mary	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8</a> Gym—Conference Room	1 THES 4:1-8 PS 97:1&2b,5-6,10-12 MT 25:1-13
Saturday	3:00 PM 5:00 PM	Reconciliation Mass ( ♥ Nancy Coleman)	Church Sanctuary Church Sanctuary	1 THES 4:9-11 PS 98:1,7-9 MT 25:14-30
Sunday	8:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM 12:30 PM 2:00 PM	Mass For the People of Saint Patrick Mass ( † Denis Donovan) Seekers Spanish Mass ( ♥ Abram Flores) HSM Lif Meeting	Church Sanctuary Church Sanctuary <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8</a> Holy Family Room Church Sanctuary <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMMT2JTZGO8</a> Kennedy Social Hall	DT 4:1-2,6-8 PS 15:2-3,3-4,4-5 JAS 1:17-18,21b-22,27 MK 7:1-8,14-15,21-23

## Columbaria News!



Construction plans are nearing completion for our long-awaited Columbarium II. The current niche price of \$3,500 will increase to \$4,000 when construction is finished, which could happen by the end of this year. **Contact Benny Huie** by email at [BennyH@stpatnc.org](mailto:BennyH@stpatnc.org) or call him at (910) 323-2410 extension 119 for details.



## Vacation Bible School



We want to give special thanks to all our wonderful volunteers for sharing their time, talents and treasure with our children, and for making this event possible.



**We need catechists for Family Formation grades Pre-K to 7**



**Please pray and discern if God is calling you to join this ministry**

**To share you time and talent contact Carlos Cortés**



### One Minute Catechism

#### *Why and When to Genuflect?*

Genuflection – a reverence made by bending the knee [kneeling], especially to express adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

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## Parish Choir – We're back and we need YOU!



With the help of the Holy Spirit, the amazing dedication of its members, and lots of creative thinking, the parish choir was able to continue supporting liturgy through the past year. As we begin this new season of choral music, **we need new voices**, both men and women, to fill the spaces of those who have moved away and to keep our musical prayer fresh and invigorated. You do NOT need to be able to read music but you do need to be available for rehearsals on Tuesday evenings at 7pm. The choir sings mostly at the 10am Mass but occasionally at the 5pm or 8am Mass and for major feast days. **Please contact me to sign up or to discuss any questions and concerns.** Anne Rogers: [anner@stpatnc.org](mailto:anner@stpatnc.org) (910) 323 2410 ext 113.

### Hands-On Handbell Open House Thursday, September 9 at 6pm

For Adults and youth grade 6 and up

Curious what it's like to play handbells?? There's only one way to find out. Join us at 6pm on Thursday, September 9<sup>th</sup> to try it out. No experience necessary and no obligation to join the group! This is a GREAT way to get involved and learn more about reading music. The bells can add a lot of joy and festivity to our liturgical celebrations and players report that ringing can often help release a lot of stress. *(Regular rehearsals are on Thursday evenings, times depend on interest and skill level.)*



**Please call or email to register for this one-time event.** Interested but can't make that date? Just call and let me know. Anne Rogers [anner@stpatnc.org](mailto:anner@stpatnc.org) (910) 323 2410 ext 113.

## Youth Music Program/Choristers

**Do you have a child ages 8 to 13 that enjoys music?**  
**Did your child miss singing last year due to Covid?**  
**Its time to get our children singing and ringing again!**



**Contact us now about the options for this year's Youth Music Program including Choristers and Handchimes.**

Last year our Choristers program had to make some significant changes due to Covid and our singers all became ringers, learning to play the handchimes. This proved to be very popular and had the benefit of teaching them to read music. We want to maintain that element of the program but with the larger numbers we hope to have this year, that poses some challenges, so please call or email to express your interest right away and let's figure this out together! **Rehearsals will be on Tuesdays from 5:15 to 6:30pm.** Call me for more information. Anne Rogers [anner@stpatnc.org](mailto:anner@stpatnc.org) (910) 323 2410 ext 113.

