



ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH

March 21, 2021



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Liturgical Schedule

(Changes in the schedule noted inside)

Parish Office Hours

Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Closed 1:00 - 1:30 p.m. for lunch.

St. Ann's Parish Mission
St. Ann Parish seeks the salvation of souls through the redemption of Jesus Christ as revealed to us in and through the divinely instituted Holy Catholic Church. We invite all to receive God's love as we give of ourselves in compassionate service.

Sunday Mass Schedule

Vigil Mass (Saturday): 4:30 p.m.
8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.;
Mass in the Extraordinary Form: 12:30 p.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday: 7:00 a.m.
Wednesday: 6:00 p.m. (Mass in the Extraordinary Form)
Friday: 7:00 a.m. (Mass in the Extraordinary Form) and 8:30 a.m.

Adoration

Tuesday 8:00 a.m. through
Wednesday 5:00 p.m.
Holy Hour:
Wednesday 5:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Thursday: 5:30-6:30 p.m.
Saturday: 3:00-4:00 p.m.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANN

+ denotes deceased	Mass Intentions	Meetings & Events
Sunday 21st	8:00 a.m. Intentions of Tammy Fischer <i>by Bethany & Eric Fischer</i> 10:30 a.m. Our parish family 12:30 p.m. Latin Intentions of George Hubbard <i>by the McElravey family</i>	9:00 a.m. Faith Formation (School) Confirmation (Gym & Classrooms 1 & 2)
Monday 22nd	7:00 a.m. Intentions of Virginia Doman <i>by the St. Vincent de Paul Ministry</i>	4:30 p.m. CDLC (Classrooms 1 & 2) 5:30 p.m. World Rosary (Chapel) 7:00 p.m. RCIA (Classrooms 1 & 2) Fraternus (Gym) Legion of Mary (Conference room)
Tuesday 23rd	7:00 a.m. +Jack Biller <i>by Virginia Doman</i> <i>Adoration begins at 8:00 a.m. (church)</i>	7:00 p.m. Classrooms 1 & 2 in use
Wednesday 24th	<i>Adoration continues until 5:00 p.m. (church)</i> 5:00 p.m. Holy Hour (Church) 6:00 p.m. Latin Intentions of Cormac Terry <i>by Suzanne & Mike Terry</i>	8:00 a.m. CCE Middle & High School (All rooms) 8:30 a.m. School Adoration (Church) 6:45 p.m. Fidelis (Gym) Cry room (Church)
Thursday 25th	7:00 a.m. Intentions of Gene Luczak <i>by the St. Vincent de Paul Ministry</i> 5:30 p.m. Confessions (Church)	4:00 p.m. Men's Club (Kitchen) 7:00 p.m. SOOR (Church) 8:00 p.m. SOOR (Classrooms 1 & 2)
Friday 26th	7:00 a.m. Latin +David Burelli <i>by Chantel & Hugh Totman</i> 10:00 a.m. Memorial Mass 8:30 a.m. +Ale Skinkle <i>by Stephanie Kaufmann</i>	8:00 a.m. CCE (All rooms) Rosary (Church) 1:00 p.m. School Stations of the Cross (Church) Men's Club Fish Fry (Kitchen & Cafeteria) 4:00 p.m. Fish Fry (Café) 6:00 p.m. Holy Hour of Reparation (Church) 7:00 p.m. Tenebrae (Church)
Saturday 27th	8:00 a.m. Pro-Life Mass 3:00 p.m. Confessions (Church) 4:30 p.m. +David Burelli <i>by the Totman & Box families</i>	2:00 p.m. Baptism (Church)
Sunday 28th	8:00 a.m. Our parish family 10:30 a.m. Intentions of Beatrice Pampillonce <i>by the St. Vincent de Paul Ministry</i> 12:30 p.m. Latin Intentions of John Nobers <i>by the family</i>	9:00 a.m. Faith Formation (School) 5:00 p.m. Vespers (Church)



Dear Parishioners,

I hope you all enjoyed the **Solemnity of St. Joseph** this past week. You'll remember that Bishop Jugis proclaimed last year to be the Year of St. Joseph in our diocese, and he extended that designation through May 1, 2021. And Pope Francis proclaimed a Year of St. Joseph for the Universal Church from December 8, 2020 – December 8, 2021. In both cases, the dedication of this holy year to St. Joseph is to mark the 150th anniversary of St. Joseph being named Patron of the Universal Church by Blessed Pope Pius IX.

In honor of this holy year, plenary indulgences are available to us (under the usual conditions of being free from attachment to sin, receiving Holy Communion on the day of the indulgence, going to Confession within 20 days of the indulgence, and offering a prayer for the Holy Father on the day of the indulgence) by doing any of the following:

- Meditate for at least 30 minutes on the Lord's Prayer, or take part in a spiritual retreat of at least one day that includes a meditation on St. Joseph.
- Perform one of the Spiritual or Corporal Works of Mercy.
- Pray the Rosary in families and between engaged couples "to recreate that same atmosphere of intimate communion, love and prayer that was in the Holy Family."
- Through prayer, entrust the activities and work of the day to St. Joseph, such that all who are looking for work find it, and such that all have dignified work.
- Recite the Litany of St. Joseph for the persecuted Church and for the relief of all Christians who suffer any form of persecution.
- Recite any legitimately approved prayer or act of piety in honor of St. Joseph, especially on the Feasts of St. Joseph (March 19, May 1), or on the 19th on any month, or on any Wednesday (which is the weekday dedicated to St. Joseph).

You may gain one plenary indulgence per day, either for yourself or for a deceased soul. A plenary indulgence may not be gotten for the sake of another living person. I do hope many of you will generously seek to gain many plenary indulgences this year, especially so that they might be obtained for the Poor Souls in Purgatory.

Praying for the intercession of St. Joseph,

Fr. Reid

Your Stewardship of Treasure
728 registered families

	Weekly		YTD	
February 28, 2021	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Weekly Collection	19,835.72	17,673.08	732,472.60	625,427.95
Other Revenue Streams:			45,528.00	80,100.00
Total Revenue:			778,000.60	705,527.95
YTD Surplus/Deficit:			72,472.65	
DSA 2021 Goal:	123,355.00			
Pledged:	27,855.93			
Received:	18,058.66			

Text Offertory Donations to: 704-360-5305 with the amount you would like to contribute (Example: 25).
 Text 5-year Plan Donations to: 704-360-5305 Amt/Space/Needs.

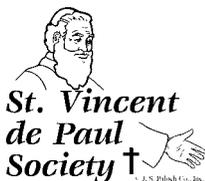
You will be sent to a text with a link to register. Click on the link and enter your cardholder name and debt or card information. Once your registration is complete, you will receive a text verification and a receipt of your donation via email. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

Give Electronically at www.StAnnCharlotte.org



*“God can multiply His favors among you so that you may always have enough of everything and even a surplus for good works.”
 (II Corinthians 9:8)*

Lent provides an opportunity to strengthen our devotion to God through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. It can also be a time to consider a planned gift that will strengthen the future of our parish.



On behalf of those who benefit from the Diocesan Support Appeal, thank you for your generosity. Remember, “Love Thy Neighbor” – being kind, compassionate, and supportive of our brothers and sisters in need.



33 Hours of Adoration begins Tuesdays at 8:00 a.m. through Wednesdays at 5:00 p.m. in the **church**. Adorers: please share your contact information with those who adore during your **Adoration hour**. If you can't make it, call the others to make sure someone is visiting Our Lord during that hour. Contact Marcela Bayard: rcgator@icloud.com.



We are grateful for the thoughtfulness of parishioners who have remembered our parish in their estate plans. These legacy gifts help us build a solid foundation for future generations of parish families.

Reminder on Our Mass Attendance Instructions: Families may sit together as a group. **PLEASE observe 6 feet of distance from other parishioners.** Our church reaches allowed capacity at 250 people. We have Masses live-streamed on our Facebook page at 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Four (4) people is the allowed capacity in the Chapel and social-distancing is required. We offer Communion service each Sunday, check the Friday Five email and/or the website to sign-up. *If you have a health concern of any sort, or if your health has been compromised in anyway, please stay home.*

COMING EVENTS AT ST. ANN'S

Food Collections for the Catholic Charities Diocese of Charlotte Food Pantry are the first and third weekends of every month. The upcoming collections will be: **March 20th-21st, April 3rd-4th, and April 17th-18th.**

Bulletin Deadlines are:

*Thursday, March 25th, at 12 noon for
Sunday, April 4, 2021.*

Men's Club Lenten Charity Fish is back!!! On Friday, March 26th, from 4:00-7:00p.m. Drive-thru Takeout and Dine-In Safely in the cafeteria for our families and friends.

Easter Triduum 2021

This year, instead of offering both an English Novus Ordo and a Latin Mass Triduum in separate venues, we are going to begin offering only one Triduum, rotating each year between the two forms.

St. Thomas Aquinas, the other parish in Charlotte that offers a Sunday Latin Mass, is going to begin doing the same. On the years that we offer the Novus Ordo Triduum, St. Thomas will offer the Latin Mass Triduum, and on the years that they offer the Novus Ordo Triduum, we will offer the Latin Mass Triduum so that we can ensure there is always a Latin Mass Triduum somewhere in Charlotte. As our parish is better equipped and ready for the Latin Mass Triduum, **this year's Triduum will be a Latin Mass Triduum.** Thank you for your understanding.

Save the Date!!! Service Day will be Saturday, April 17th, from 8:00 a.m. until 12noon! We need everyone! Contact Chris Brunhuber at ccb2691@icloud.com.

Please consider joining the **Saint Ann Catholic Church: Association of the Holy Souls.** The association's prime purpose is to have a devotion to and pray for the poor souls in purgatory. For information and/or requirements, email: AssociationofHolySouls@protonmail.com or call/text Vania Quinn at 704-430-4458.

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. For information visit: www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday.

Respect Life for March: Spiritual Adoption of the Abortion Vulnerable. Thank you for your prayers for the abortion vulnerable through our Spiritual Adoption program. **PRAY-GIVE-ACT.** We are now in month 5! A poster showing a 5-month-old unborn baby is up in the narthex this weekend. Extra prayer cards are also available; feel free to take as many as you'd like, and to pass them along to friends and family too.

PRAY: The March Mass for Our Blessed Lady's Respect Life intentions will be **Saturday, March 27th, at 8:00 a.m.** (MEF). Holy Hour of Reparation and prayer at PP will follow as usual. **GIVE:** to the **Ursus Institute** -- a pro-life non-profit organization that works to combat human trafficking. Many victims of human trafficking become double victims when forced into abortion. In their good work to rescue and rehabilitate victims of human trafficking, Ursus Institute never refers for or recommends abortion, but recognizes and works for the right to life of all victims, regardless of age. Please consider donating to their good work, and signing up for their email list at www.ursusinstitute.net. *Thank you for your generosity!*

ACT: for March is to **listen to the Ursus Institute podcasts on human trafficking** available on their website. This is sensitive material, and should be reviewed by parents first before presented to children (older children). *Let us pray! "Jesus Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to protect each baby in its mother's womb. Please give the parents of these children the help they need to keep their babies strong and healthy. Amen."*

Respect Life sends periodic emails, and they are archived at: respectlifestanncharlotte.wordpress.com or email Mary Beth Richardson at worthingtonmarybeth@protonmail.com to be added to the email distribution.

MINISTRIES AT ST. ANN

Fraternus will meet Mondays at 7:00 p.m. in the gym. If you are a boy in the parish entering sixth grade to senior year, we want to meet you! So expect a Fraternus Captain or Brother to introduce himself! **Fraternus is open to all men of the parish.**

Fidelis will meet **Wednesdays, at 6:45 p.m. (following the Wednesday evening Mass)** in the gym. All middle-school and high-school aged young women are welcome. For information, contact Sr. Mary Jacinta at: dvmfidelis@gmail.com. *"Fidelis is a sisterhood that brings together girls seeking truth and beauty..."* Come and see what we are all about! Find out more at www.fidelisonline.org."

RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA) is a formation program for adults interested in becoming Catholic or Catholics hoping to complete the Sacraments of Initiation. **Classes meet on Mondays from 7:00-8:30 p.m.** For more information, visit the parish website at www.stanncharlotte.org.

Fellow Brothers and Sisters in Christ: Our Blessed Mother wants active and auxiliary members to join her Legion. Assist in waging war against the enemy by winning souls for the Crucified Christ! Join the 100-year-old lay apostolate movement founded on a profound devotion to Our Lady. **Our Lady of Fatima praesidium meets Mondays in classrooms 1 & 2 at 7:00 p.m. in the Allen Center.** Contact Sue Calkins at 704-724-2297 or maxxweller@gmail.com

Our Lady of Fatima had made the request for the observance of the First Five Saturdays Devotion to the three shepherd children, which remains sadly neglected by her Son's Church. Masses celebrated on the first Saturday of each month offered in reparation for the sins committed against our Blessed Mother's Immaculate Heart, going to confession, recitation of the Rosary, and spending 15 minutes with her in meditation on a mystery of the Rosary brings great comfort to her and reaps blessings for those who honor her in this way. **Join us each First Saturday at 3:55 p.m. in the chapel as we pray the Rosary.** Information can be found each month at the Legion of Mary table.

World Rosary meets on **Mondays at 5:30 p.m. in the Chapel.**

Legion of Mary meets on **Mondays at 7:00 p.m.** For information contact Sue Calkins at 704-724-2297 or maxxwellsr@gmail.com.



Our parishioners:
Joe Lawton,
Chuck Solland,
Edward McNally,
Mark Ponischil,

Paul Sorge, Jr.,
Anna Sobus & family, and
Thomas Lauer & family.

Our friends and family:
Michelle Obruba (friend of the Skorupa family),
Betty Suran (friend of the Skorupa family),
Maxwell O. Raines (grandson of Terese Raines),
Virginia Hannigan (mother of Jan Colin),
Jennifer Arnold, Mary Register (friends of Nancy Tota),
Grace Portigue (daughter of Barbara Meskill),
Douglas Edge,
Albert Ayd (brother of Cecilia Balman),
Dolly Langley (sister of Cecilia Balman),
Joel Rivera,
Marcia York (sister of Carol Kuhn),
Michael Pappas,
Jacqueline Russell (mother of Andrea Hines),
James Matthew Brennan,
Terri Brewer Benton (daughter of Pat Brewer),
William "Will" Shack (grandson of Pat Niemer),
Cathy Yankech,
Christine Weiss & family,
Jimmy Dixon (Mary Ann Wolff),
Alison Moyer (sister of Lorelle Grant),
Muriel Johnson,
Robin Sabates, and
Paul Sorge, Sr. (father of Paul Sorge).

Our servicemen and servicewomen:
Set. John Michael Fanning USMC,
Lt. Grace Carlson, USN,
Lt. Drew Carlson, USMC,
Ensign Hayley Derscheid,
Petty Officer 1st Class Jeffrey Derscheid,
LT. Charlie Hetzel USN,
LT. Thomas Hetzel USN,
1st LT. Peter Hetzel US Army (deployed),
SGT James "Jim" Alston, US Army.

MINISTRIES AT ST. ANN

Do You Like To Pray? Or, are you in need of prayer? Receive the comfort of others praying for and with you by joining the **St. Ann Prayer Group**. This group of volunteers filled with the love of God and the love of prayer. In Jesus name they pray for healings, conversions, whatever the need. Pray in your home, at Mass, at Adoration, or any place you are at peace. For information or to join, call Nancy Picciola at 803-389-5530 or email stannpray_ers@comporium.net.

Check out all the *Lighthouse CD's books and booklets*. Too many to name but you will find the Lighthouse Kiosk in the north vestibule. **Lighthouse Kiosk Suggested Donations**
 Booklets: \$3 each, Books: \$5 each, CDs: \$4 each or 3/\$10. **Use code: 33769** when you go to: www.lighthousecatholicmedia.org/cdclub. **Make checks payable to St. Ann Catholic Church.**

Catholic Heroes of the Faith is a series of true stories of people whose example of service to Christ and His Church have made a lasting impression on others. Check it out!
Great online resources available to every member of our parish through a program called *Formed*. In order to access these resources, go to: www.formed.org and click on "Find Out More" at the bottom of the home page. You will be taken to page where you can enter a parish code to get access to the resources. **Our parish code is: Y6ZQ8M.** Once you've logged in under our parish code, you can create your personal profile and login.

Do you love Jesus? Do you want to learn how to love Him more deeply? Do you want Him to transform your life and the lives of your family and friends? Read His Word every day. The daily Mass readings are the very voice of God speaking to us. Meditate on His Word for just 15 minutes with the help of our *One Bread One Body* booklets, a guide to the daily Scriptures **found in the North Vestibule with other helpful resources.**

Seven Sisters Apostolate for Fr Brandon Jones: Just as we are continuing to pray for Fr Reid, looking for prayer warriors to make a Holy Hour a week for Fr Jones. With seven women we will be covering him in prayer every day of the week. If interested in signing up please contact Sarah Miller at holyfamilyacademy4@yahoo.com.

LATIN MASS CORNER

Latin Mass (Extraordinary Form) Calendar for the week of **March 21-March 28, 2021**

March 21st	Passion Sunday-1st class
March 22nd	Monday of Passion Week -3rd class
March 23rd	Tuesday of Passion Week -3rd class
March 24th	Wednesday of Passion Week-3rd class
March 25th	Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary -1st class
March 26th	Friday of Passion Week -3rd class
March 27th	Saturday of Passion Week -3rd class
March 28th	Palm Sunday-1st class

St. Ann's offers the Latin Mass on Sundays at 12:30 p.m., Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m., Fridays 7:00 a.m., and on select feast days. The Latin Mass has a different liturgical calendar and readings than the Novus Ordo (English) Mass. Any Mass schedule changes will be listed on Page 2 of the bulletin.

Latin Mass Q&A: What do the Classes in the above calendar mean? The Class is the level of importance or solemnity (1st-4th) associated with that day's Saint or commemoration. A 1st Class Feast Day are many Sundays and major solemnities like Christmas. Feria is a non-feast day and readings typically revert to the prior Sunday readings.

Questions? Email: info@charlottelatinmass.org.

For Latin Mass news, visit www.charlottelatinmass.org

Latin Mass Email List: The Latin Mass Community shares updates on future Latin Masses around Charlotte, and last minute schedule changes. To sign up, email Chris Lauer at info@charlottelatinmass.org.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION

St. Ann Home School Ministry: Are you a homeschool parent or are you considering homeschooling? The St. Ann Home School Ministry (SAHSM) is comprised of independent homeschooling families who are united in our efforts to assist and encourage each other as we pursue Catholic home education for our children. As a parish ministry, in addition to supporting its members through academic, liturgical, and social programs, we also seek to serve the wider St. Ann community in a variety of ways. **For information on our ministry, contact Carmel Palanos at cp.homeschool@outlook.com.**

MARRIAGE & NFP INFORMATION

The **Natural Family Planning (NFP)** program of Catholic Charities is continuing to provide online courses. **Current online courses include Natural Family Planning in English or Spanish, a new course called "Know Your Body"** for any woman who wants to understand her menstrual cycle as a vital sign, and a parent/daughter retreat, designed to assist parents to guide their daughters through the changes of puberty and into womanhood. All courses incorporate Church teaching on feminine dignity. **For information, go to ccdoc.org/nfp or contact Batrice Adcock, MSN, at Catholic Charities, 704-370-3230 or bnadcock@charlottediocese.org.**

A Natural Family Planning three class series. Learn NFP from the comfort of your home, in real time, with your teaching couple. **Sign up online and purchase class materials at www.ccli.org.** Postpartum and Pre-menopause transition classes are also available upon request. Contact Joe and Kathy Hack for information at 704- 548-1834 or hackhouse@bellsouth.net.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter, visit: SCMarriageMatters.org, call: 803-810-9602, email: applications@scmarriagematters.org.

Rachel's Vineyard Weekend Retreat creates a healing environment of prayer and forgiveness. The retreat works to reconnect individuals to themselves, their friends, and family and to realize God's ever present love.

Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It is designed to help get your marriage back on track. For information, call: 800-470-2230, email: retrouvaille@msn.com or visit: www.helpourmarriage.org.

Faith Formation

The St. Ann Faith Formation program is for the children of registered parishioners. Classes are offered for kindergarten through eighth grade and meet Sunday mornings from 9:00-10:10 a.m. For a listing of class dates and information, visit the parish website or contact Patty Blais at 704-523-4641 ext. 231 or email: pablais@charlottediocese.org.

Thank you for your compliance to Covid prevention practices while visiting the Allen Center these past several months. *We will no longer require health screening forms and temperature readings for admittance to Faith Formation classes.* **NOTE: masks are still required.** Children may now be dropped off at the school doors or at the Allen Center, pick up will continue in the gym.

First Eucharist

First Holy Communion Retreat: Saturday, April 17th at 10:00 a.m.

First Communion Rehearsal: Friday, May 14th at 5:00 p.m.

First Holy Communion Mass Novus Ordo: Saturday, May 15th at 11:00 a.m. (specific arrival time TBD).

First Holy Communion Mass Extraordinary Form: Sunday, May 16th at 12:30 p.m. *No Rehearsal

Confirmation

Workshop attendance is mandatory for all Confirmation candidates. **Upcoming Workshops: Sundays, March 21st and April 18th.** Candidates will continue to meet twice each month through May 2021. Meetings are currently held in the gym and on the upper floor of the Allen Center. A complete listing of Workshop dates on the parish website: www.stanncharlotte.org. Eighth graders enrolled in regular Faith Formation class should plan to continue attending those classes on alternate scheduled class dates.

Sacrament of Confirmation: Tuesday, May 4th at 6:00 p.m. with Bishop Jugis, celebrant and **Sunday, July 11th at 12:30 p.m.** in Extraordinary Form with Monsignor Winslow, celebrant.

Summer Catechesis – SAVE THE DATE!

Join us for the **Vatican Express! "You are Peter..."** **Mat 16:18 on July 19th-23rd!** Open to rising PK (must be 4 years old and fully potty trained) through rising 5th graders. **Adult and Teen Volunteers needed.** Teens rising 6th grade through 12th grade can earn service hours. Contact Trista Bremer at trista.bremer@gmail.com to volunteer.



Our Catholic Schools in the Charlotte area inviting prospective families, and community members to connect to us.

Visit our website: discovermacs.org or contact the school to learn more about us: 704-525-4938!

EVENTS IN OUR DIOCESE

Men's Recollection Thursday, March 25th, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at St. Ann's. 7:00 p.m. in the church and 8:00 p.m. in Classrooms 1 & 2 of the Allen Center. Contact Tony Gagliardo at 254-644-4267 or ajgags@aol.com for additional details.

It's time for the **Annual Spectacular Spring Sale** at the **Catholic Shoppe at Belmont Abbey College**. From **NOW thru May 15th**, take 30% of one item of your choice. Take 10% off the remainder of your purchase and take advantage of hundreds of items already marked down. Mention you read about the sale in your bulletin and get an additional 10% off the items of your choice. The offer can be used once a day throughout the two months. Our hours are 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday. No web orders but call 704-461-5100 for assistance.

Applications are now being accepted for Fall 2021 at St. Vincent de Paul Preschool. The program is play-based with a theme-based curriculum which incorporates our Catholic faith through bible and saint stories, crafts, and visits to the church and chapel. Classes are available 9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m., 2-5 days a week. Tours may be scheduled by contacting Mary Helen or Sonya at 704-644-4656 or mhcushing@charlottediocese.org. Registration forms are available online at www.stvincentdepaulchurch.com/preschool. **St. Vincent de Paul Preschool is now hiring for lead and assistant teacher positions for the 2021-2022 school year.** Lead teachers must have an education background. Experience is preferred for assistant teachers. All positions are part-time, 2-5 days/week. Send your resume to: mhcushing@charlottediocese.org or call Mary Helen or Sonya at 704-644-4656.



Knights of Columbus meetings are the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Patrick's Family Life Center. Please contact: Richard Mills, Financial Secretary at

rmt2108@aol.com or Grand Knight Sergio Miranda at sergio.miranda.usa@gmail.com. We invite you to attend our meetings to learn more about how the Knights of Columbus serves God's people.

"Make Your House a Home for a Lifetime" on Tuesday, March 23rd, at 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Register for this webinar: <http://us02web.zoom.us/j/91012000000>
 Register for this webinar: http://us02web.zoom.us/join?pwd=WN_kuDIQkOYSequCbF5x5nxd2g

Join us for the **Undone Women's Conference** where you will experience a weekend of truth, beauty and transformation, as the knots of Eve's disobedience are "undone" through Mary's model of radical receptivity. Bring yourself, your mother, your sister, your adult daughters and friends. This is a weekend you won't want to miss! **Undone: Freedom for the Feminine Heart** will be held at St. Mark Church in Huntersville, NC **from June 10th -12th**. This event is being offered in person OR virtually via livestream! Register online for either experience at www.jprihealingcenter.org. Contact JPIIRetreatHuntersvilleNC@gmail.com.

Holy Land Pilgrimage led by Rev. Michael Kottar, Parish Priest of St. Mary Help of Christians in Shelby, from **November 7-16, 2021**, \$3,899 from Charlotte. This Pilgrimage includes round trip airfare on Lufthansa Airlines, breakfast and dinner per itinerary, specially selected hotel accommodations, air-conditioned motor coach, full-time tour manager and departure tax and current fuel charge.

Bishop Jugis has announced the Diocese of Charlotte will extend the celebration of St. Joseph through May 1st. "Year of St. Joseph," Visit www.YearofStJoseph.org for a list of activities, pilgrimages, devotions, prayers, and more.



Local Programs Lead the Way on AM1270 Catholic Radio Charlotte at 5:00 p.m.

Monday: Faith and Sport with Dr. John Acquaviva, *Tuesday:* Carolina Catholic Spotlight with Gail Buckley Barringer, *Wednesday:* Joyful Echo with Jean Whelan and Kathleen Lewis, *Thursday:* An Accountable Catholic with Lisa Feeley, and *Friday:* The Obligation with Jason Murphy and John Eades.

www.carolinacatholicradio.org
Feedback@carolinacatholicradio.org

REMINDERS

Please to be mindful of our Lord's presence whenever you are in the church. Making sure to genuflect whenever you pass before the tabernacle, maintaining a prayerful silence in the church, dressing modestly and silencing cell phones are practices that we would all do well to follow—not simply out of respect for our Lord, but for the benefit of our fellow parishioners as well.

Thank you!

Low gluten hosts are available at Holy Communion for those who need them. To receive a low gluten host, go to the eagle lectern after everyone else has received Holy Communion.

Prayer cards of our Statues are available in the North Vestibule. A donation of \$0.50 per card.

Be sure you are up to date on your **Protecting God's Children information & the Virtus monthly bulletins. You need to up date your Background Check every five (5) years.** All forms are online on the Diocese of Charlotte website: under Safe Environment & Volunteers.

If you are approached by panhandlers on the church campus, **please do not give them money.** Instead, direct them to the parish office for financial assistance. *We have the St. Vincent de Paul Society to help those in need.* Thank you!

Check out our website: StAnnCharlotte.org, and go to the **prayers/devotion section under "Resources."** Because of recent attacks on our religious freedoms we encourage everyone to pray the **"Prayer for Religious Liberty"** with the recent attacks on our religious freedoms there are several prayers and novenas on our website.

IN OUR COMMUNITY

The Airport Chaplaincy at Charlotte Douglas Airport offers two Masses on Sunday 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. held in the auditorium on the upper level of the main terminal above the Carolina Pit BBQ. *It is open 5:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.*

A televised Sunday Mass is now airing on ABC Family from **6:30-7:00 a.m. Sunday mornings.** Call 800-THE-MASS or www.TheSundayMass.org.

Let's be Social! Follow @StAnnCharlotte on:



To book a room in the Allen Center, call Savas Mallos at 704-523-4641 x233.

As you come into the church, please keep in mind that we have several parishioners and visitors with walkers and canes that would like to sit in the back by the baptismal font so the walk from their cars is not too far! Make sure to lock your cars and trucks. Either keep your personal items with you in church or lock them in your trunk. *This is for your safety.*

To All Parents with Infants and Small Children

One of the most beautiful blessings of our Parish is that we have so many babies and small kids! While all children are most welcome in the church, please keep in mind that the acoustics in our church are excellent, which means that their voices carry. If your children cry or scream during the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, please be sensitive to those around you by taking your child to one of our cry rooms. *The cry rooms are reserved for families with small children. Everyone else is requested to sit in the church.*

To those in the Cry Rooms for Mass

Please remember that these rooms are an extension of the church itself. Therefore, please be as reverent as possible during Mass. These rooms exist to help you train your children how to attend Mass properly; thus, they should not be used as play rooms. While everyone who uses the cry rooms expects them to be a bit noisier than the church, disruptive games or toys are better left at home. Moreover, conversations in the cry rooms should be kept to a minimum during Mass. *Thank you for your consideration.*

Outdoor Speakers

We have outdoor speakers for those whose small children are too loud for the cry rooms or narthex. Please be considerate of your fellow parishioners if your children are making a lot of noise.

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