

June 9, 2024



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Parish Office Hours Liturgical Schedule

(Changes in the schedule noted inside)

Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Closed 1:00 - 1:30 p.m. for lunch.

Sunday Mass Schedule Saturday Anticipated Mass (Novus Ordo): 4:30 p.m. Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m. (Novus Ordo); 10:30 a.m. (Novus Ordo); 12:30 p.m.

Weekday Masses Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 7:00 a.m. (Novus Ordo) Wednesday: 6:00 p.m. Friday: 7:00 a.m.; 8:30 a.m. (Novus Ordo)

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.

compassionate

service.

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

+ Deceased	Mass Intentions	Meetings & Events
Sunday, June 9	8:00 am (Novus Ordo) + Chuck Solland by Mary and Rick Lejk 10:30 am (Novus Ordo) Intentions of our Parish 12:30 pm +Becky George by the Carolina Traditional Liturgy Society	Father's Day Cards Available after all Masses Coffee and Donuts after masses 9:00 am Legion of Mary (Classroom 3)
Monday, June 10	7:00 am (Novus Ordo) Intentions of Karl Kaufmann & family by Deacon Tom and Teresa Sanctis	7:00 pm Fraternus (Gym, Café) Parish Council (Classrooms 1&2)
Tuesday, June 11	7:00 am (Novus Ordo) + Anthony Fiorella, Jr. by Peg and Paul Sorge	8:00 am Adoration begins (Chapel) 6:30 pm Deacon Peter (Classrooms 1&2) Young Adult's Holy Hour (Church) 7:00 pm St. Joseph Prayer Group (Library)
Wed. June 12	5:00 pm (note time change) + Doris Spivey by the Carolina Traditional Liturgy Society	Adoration continues (Chapel) 9:00 am Café in use 6:00 pm Young Adult Basketball (Gym) 7:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul Ministry (CL 1&2) Wedding Rehearsal (Church)
Thursday, June 13	7:00 am (Novus Ordo) + Hans-Josef Dierkes by the Navaroli family	10:00 am Café in use 4:00 pm Wedding (Church) 5:30 pm Confessions (Church) 6:30 pm Encourage Group (Classrooms 1&2) 7:00 pm Young Adult Ballroom Dancing (Cafe)
Friday, June 14	7:00 am Intentions of the Pardo family by the Grabowski family 8:30 am (Novus Ordo) + Alfred & Catharina Theile by the Navaroli family	9:30 am Conference Room in use 12:00 pm Ordination Reception Setup
Saturday, June 15	4:30 pm (Novus Ordo) Intentions of our Parish	8:00 am Ordination Reception Setup (Gym) 3:00 pm Confessions (Church)
Sunday, June 16	8:00 am (Novus Ordo) + Andrew Csordas and Andrew Lejk by the Lejk family 10:30 am (Novus Ordo) Intentions of St. Ann's Fathers 12:30 pm Intentions of Chiarra Ferrante by the family	9:00 am Legion of Mary (Classroom 3) 10:30 am Fr. Jose Palma's first Mass 11:15 am Homeless Ministry (Kitchen) 2:00 pm Baptism (Church)



Dear Parishioners,

I am very grateful to all of you who were able to come to my 20th anniversary Mass and celebration this past Wednesday. It was a wonderful and blessed event, and I'm so thankful for your love, generosity, and support. Our Lord has blessed me with a very joyful priesthood, and that's in large part because I've always been surrounded by such terrific parishioners. As for the event itself, I'm indebted to all of you who helped, most especially our deacons and parish staff who work tirelessly and often behind the scenes to make things go smoothly around here. A special word of thanks is due to Terese Rowe for our lovely music at Mass, Chris Brunhuber for her work in the sacristy, Brenda Kresak for organizing and leading our hospitality ministry, and all of you who helped with food, drinks, and entertainment. Wednesday was an evening I'll

remember for a very long time. It's a privilege to have spent 17 of my 20 years of priesthood here at St. Ann's.

Speaking of priesthood, next weekend our diocese is celebrating the ordination of 7 men to the sacred priesthood: Matthew Dimock, Christian Goduti, Matthew Harrison, Kevin Martinez, Jose Palma, Elliot Suttle, and Kevin Tran. The ordination will take place at 10am on Saturday, 15 June 2024, at St. Mark's in Huntersville. This event is open to the public. Please pray for these young men that they may be good and holy priests for our diocese!

Additionally, the soon-to-be Father Jose Palma will offer our 10:30am Mass on Sunday, 16 June 2024 as his Mass of Thanksgiving. Please note that this particular Mass will be a Novus Ordo Mass offered mostly in Latin. The readings and homily will be in English, but everything else will be in Latin, per Deacon Palma's request. It will also be very crowded, as Deacon Palma's family and friends will be joining us for the Mass.

Again, I'm so very grateful for your love and generosity – both to me and to our parish. May God's blessings be upon all of you!

In the Sacred Heart of Jesus,

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Fr. Reid

Your Stewardship of Treasure

929 registered families

 Collection Date
 Actual
 Budget
 Over/Under

 May 5
 54,560.08
 24,892.30
 \$ 29,667.78

 VED July 01, 2023
 May 5, 2024

YTD July 01, 2023-May 5, 2024

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 DSA 2024 Goal:
 141,842.00

 Pledged:
 103,426.62

 Received:
 71,231.94

 Over/Under Pledged:
 (38,415.38)

 Assessment Balance:
 70,610.06

 Donors:
 126



2024 DSA

Please be generous to the Diocesan Support Appeal. Your contribution is a way to act with love for our sisters and brothers throughout the diocese and to continue the saving work begun by Jesus.

Outstanding Parish Loan Balances: Rectory Loan: \$399,077.74

5 Year Plan Loan: \$ 0.00 PIF

St. Ann Catholic Church is proud to offer

a \$3,000 scholarship to a parishioner attending Belmont Abbey College.

The application consists of responses to two essay questions.

To request an application, please email Karl Kaufmann
beginning on Monday, May 20 at karl.f.kaufmann@gmail.com.

Applications are due on Tuesday, June 11.





St. Ann Homeless Ministry

is always in need of volunteers. We cook and serve a hot meal the 3rd Sunday each month for those in need. For details and signups, please scan this QR code or contact Elliot Consoli at 704-497-6998.

Must be 16 to serve at the shelter but no age required to help cook and prepare meals.





Financial Manager Needed:

Our long-time Financial Manager for the parish, Terry Alderman, is retiring after 18 years of dutiful service. If you are interested in serving in this full-time, paid position, please contact Fr. Reid.

Bulletin Deadline:
Tuesdays at Noon
Email articles to:
bulletinstann3635@gmail.com



Donated by the Lejk family

EVENTS AT ST. ANN'S



33 Hours of Adoration Tuesdays 8 am -Wednesdays 5 pm in the Church.

We are very grateful for our newest adorer, but are still in need of two permanent adorers on Tuesdays at 4PM, 7PM or 11PM. If you can help with either of these times, please contact Cecilia Balman at vabalman@aol.com

The St. Joseph Men's Prayer Group

is continuing to grow!

The purpose of the group is to join men of faith in prayer and fraternity to strengthen our relationships with God and deepen the bond within our parish community.

Join us every Tuesday

7:00 pm to 7:30 pm in the Chapel for prayer 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm in the Allen Center library for Fellowship & Discussion.

Please contact Frank Schofield to discuss any questions at 571-221-8640 or join us on Tuesday.





St. Ann Family Ministry Corner

Equipping
Parents in
their Mission
of Love and
Building a
Community of
Joy

"The relationships between the members of the family community are inspired and guided by the law of "free giving." By respecting and fostering personal dignity in each and every one as the only basis for value, this free giving takes the form of heartfelt acceptance, encounter and dialogue, disinterested availability, generous service and deep solidarity.

Thus the fostering of authentic and mature communion between persons within the family is the first and irreplaceable school of social life, and example and stimulus for the broader community relationships marked by respect, justice, dialogue and love." St. St. John Paul II

Save the Date Family Potluck/Rosary night: July 4 For more information go to abearacres.org

Challenge: Take a family walk and spend time enjoying nature.

Do You Like To Pray? 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. Any questions or to join,

call Nancy Picciola at 803-389-5530 or email:

stannpray_ers@comporium.net

CATHOLIC EDUCATION

St. Ann Summer Catechesis: Calling **All Saints in the Making**! Save the date for Summer Camp at St. Ann's. We fly up, up, and away with the **Saints on the Virtues of Faith, Hope, and Love.** Our catechesis will take place on July 22-26th from 8:30am-12:15pm each day. The campers will learn about several saints and study how to emulate the virtues of faith, hope, and love in their own lives. This exciting week is filled with crafts, songs, games, stories, and special scriptures to learn. Currently, we are looking for teachers for each station and adults to act as group guides. Additionally, we welcome teens to help with each group of campers. Children must be 4 years old by July 4th (fully potty trained) through rising 5th graders to register. These volunteer hours can be used for the service hours required for confirmation and school. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Virginia Blatchford, Faith Formation Director at sumcatstann@gmail.com

Faith Formation 2023-24 The St. Ann Faith Formation program for the children of registered parishioners in grades K-8 takes place from 9:00 to 10:10am between the Masses on Sunday. Registration for our fall classes will begin in August. We would like to thank all out teachers for their time and instruction to our young people! We are currently looking for a few teachers for the fall. Contact Virginia Blatchford with questions at 704 523 4641 ext. 231 or Vlblatchford@rcdoc.org

St. Ann's **Formed.org** account has many resources for our parish including movies and devotionals as well as many audio books. A direct link is found on our parish website.

FORMED

The Chosen: a charismatic fisherman drowning in debt. A troubled woman wrestling with real demons.

A young tax collector ostracized by society. A religious leader questioning his faith tradition.

We are excited to share that FORMED is in the process of producing original Catholic commentary on each episode of The Chosen with professors from the Augustine Institute Graduate School. Watch Catholic Commentary on The Chosen:



2nd Annual St.Ann Basketball Summer Camp

When; July 15-18 (Monday-Thursday)
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Times, 9-2 (doors open at 8:30 AM).
Cost: Full four-day session - \$99

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Teen Apologetics- Sunday classes will begin again in September. A big thank you to all who participated.

Legion of Mary

meets on Sundays at 9 am in Classroom 3.

Contact Sue Calkins at 704-724-2297 or maxxwellsr@gmail.com.

MINISTRIES AT ST. ANN

Chaplet of the **Holy Face of Jesus Christ**

is prayed in our chapel every Tuesday after the 7:00 a.m. Mass. Please join us for this beautiful chaplet honoring the five wounds (five senses) of Our Lord Jesus Christ and to ask of God the triumph of His holy Church. We say the version that is 15-20 minutes. Any questions email Chantal at: mommytots@att.net.





Quo Vadis Days Mass at St. Ann:

Please be aware that St. Ann's will be hosting the Solemn High Mass for the Quo Vadis Days Discernment Camp on Wednesday, June 12 at 5:00pm (not 6:00pm). Anyone is welcome to attend but it will

be a much fuller Mass than usual.



MINISTRIES AT ST. ANN



Respect Life

Join St. Ann's Respect Life Ministry in supporting our new **Charlotte chapter of Birthright!** We will be hosting a Baby Bottle Fundraiser for them again this year. Please fill them with your checks, cash, and spare change, or donate via the QR code that will be posted that day. We will collect the bottles after all Masses on Father's Day.

Thank you for your support!

Catholic Charities Diocese of Charlotte Food Pantry Collection

1st and 3rd weekends of every month **Next collection: June 15-16**

What is the Catholic perspective on infertility and assisted reproductive technologies like IVF?

Learn more by exploring resources from the U.S. Bishops (USCCB) below:



OFFICE OF FAMILY LIFE

Life-Giving Love in an

Age of Technology uses a question-and-answer format to address the suffering of infertility, how Catholic couples can respond, and the problems with the use of donors, surrogates, IVF, and other reproductive technologies.

In Vitro Fertilization: The Human Cost outlines the risks associated with IVF, including high death rates for embryos, health risks for women and the children conceived by this procedure, and "mixups" and errors that harm families.

Letter to the U.S. Senate (Feb, 2024) from the U.S. bishops outlining the threats to life, family integrity, and religious freedom in recent legislative efforts to create a "right to IVF."

MARRIAGE & NFP INFORMATION



Marriage Help — Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too, or a hurting couple you might know. For confidential information about the program or to register for the upcoming weekends in Charlotte area, call Bill and Lyn Folsom at 727-343-6701 or email: 3062ac@helpourmarriage.org or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.org

For more information about upcoming **Retrouvaille Weekend** programs, Email: 3062ac@helpourmarriage.org or Call: 727-343-6701

Website: www.HelpOurMarriage.com

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Our ParishionersRoe family

Our friends and family:

Albert Ayd (brother of Cecilia Balman) Dolly Langley (sister of Cecilia Balman) Marcia York (sister of Carol Kuhn) Jeremy Kuhn, (son of Carol & Dennis Kuhn) Steve Frank Maureen Frost (Sister-in-law of Regina Beach Hoar) Brian Blatchford Betsy Devarakonda Danny Williams Kinley Duncan

Our servicemen and servicewomen:

Lt. Grace Carlson, USN, Lt. Drew Carlson, USMC Ensign Hayley Derscheid Petty Officer 1st Class Jeffrey Derscheid SGT James "Jim" Alston, US Army. Cadet 1st Class Kenneth Davison III USAF Cadet 2nd Class Anna **Davison USAF** Cadet 4th Class Therese **Davison USAF** Lt. Thomas Hetzel. Deployed Capt. Peter Hetzel, US Army





Worldwide Marriage Encounter call: 803-810-9602,

visit: SCMarriageMatters.org, email:applications@scmarriagematters.org.

wedding Banns

III: Anna Davison—Nathan Uhl
13 June 2024
St. Ann Church

II: Annamarie Schumacher—Justin Schaller 22 June 2024 St. Ann Church

I: Andrea Geiger—Matthew Brakefield 29 June 2024 St. Ann Church

DIOCESAN EVENTS



Nationwide Pro-Life Prayer Campaign Continues

'A great prayer for life is urgently needed, a prayer which will rise up throughout the world." -St. John Paul II

The USCCB is asking Catholics to continue to pray every day to St. Joseph for the protection of women and preborn children.

Fervent prayer to St. Joseph,

"Defender of Life," is crucial as we face many current challenges to the right to life, including:

- Upcoming decisions from the U.S. Supreme Court in cases challenging the safety of the chemical abortion pill (mifepristone) and deciding whether Idaho's pro-life law can be overridden in certain <u>circumstances</u> by federal law.
- Proposed federal laws and regulations that would undermine respect for human life and even force employers to participate in abortion.
- Attempts to expand abortion in the states through ballot measures in Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Maryland, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New York, and South Dakota.

Please join us in offering the following prayer to St. Joseph EVERY DAY from now through the month of June:

Dearest St. Joseph,

at the word of an angel, you lovingly took Mary into your home. As God's humble servant, you guided the Holy Family on the road to Bethlehem, welcomed Jesus as your own son in the shelter of a manger, and fled far from your homeland for the safety of both Mother and Child.

We praise God that as their faithful protector, vou never hesitated to sacrifice for those entrusted to you. May your example inspire us also to welcome, cherish, and safeguard God's most precious gift of life.

Help us to faithfully commit ourselves to the service and defense of human life —especially where it is vulnerable or threatened. Obtain for us the grace to do the will of God in all things. Amen.

Online and print versions of the prayer can be found at www.respectlife.org/prayer-to-st-joseph



St. Vincent ACES

Senior Club invite all seniors 45+young to join us on

Thursday, June 13 at 11am in the **Ministry Center** Assembly Room for

our Father's Day Lunch. The cost of our BBQ buffet and to enjoy an afternoon of BINGO is \$13/ pp members and \$14/pp guest. RSVP/payment by 6/7/24 to Donna Anderson, call/text 704-607-6880

or danderson@cottinghamchalk.com.

Seats are available for our

"The Motown Sound" Trip

for the Broadway style Musical 9/8/24; and "A Capital Christmas" 12/13-12/15 includes a tour of the White House.

Trip info contact Peggy-pgibbons1@att.net or 704-588-5870 (leave a message). Newcomers are welcome to attend lunches

or go on trips.





