

St. Ann

Catholic Church

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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.

Dear Parishioners,



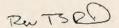
Just a reminder that our parish office will be closed this week, July 21-25. Both Sr. Lydia and I are away this coming week. If there is something urgent that you need, you can contact of Director of Operations, Mark Donzella, at

704-523-4641, ext. 224.

Again, I do hope many of you are praying the *Litany of the Precious Blood*. My encouragement is to pray it every day this month (July is the month dedicated to the Precious Blood) in reparation for sin, for protection from evil, and/or for the Poor Souls. Copies of this litany are easily found online, and there are hard copies available on the table next to the baptismal font at the back of church.

I do hope everyone is having a peaceful and happy summer!

In the Precious Blood of Jesus,



Fr. Reid



ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Coffee & Donuts

July 20, 2025

To volunteer contact Brenda Kresak at bkresak@gmail.com

09/10/2025 TO 11/05/2025 AT 7 PM

Whether you're deeply in debt, doing well and need some guidance or somewhere in between, this class offers... HOPE!

ST ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH CHARLOTTE

To Register, contact John McGuinness; owner of McGuinness Financial Coaching at McGuinness@mfcpath.com

Or Call 704-202-8959 with any questions or assistance

\$99.99 registration per family (of any size) includes a 9-week in-person class, workbook, access to budgeting software and tools, plus hours of video content featuring some of the biggest names in financial coaching from the world-famous Ramsey Solutions.



Fr. Reid's homilies (audio & PDF) & the bulletins are posted on the webste: www.StAnnCharlotte.org



Mass Intentions

Sunday, July 20

8:00 am (Novus Ordo)

+Abbey Lejk by the Rick Lejk family

10:30 am (Novus Ordo)

For our Parish

12:30 pm

Intentions of Perpetua Grabowski

by the family

Monday, July 21 Office Closed

7:00 am (Novus Ordo)

+Curt J. Rahilly

by Chris and Candice Ferguson

Tuesday, July 22 Office Closed

7:00 am (Novus Ordo)

intentions of Isabella Fraschilla

Wednesday, July 23 Office Closed

6:00 pm St. Ann Benefactors and their loved ones

Thursday, July 24 Office Closed

7:00 am (Novus Ordo)

+Jim Hatcher by Joseph Murdico

Friday, July 25 Office Closed

7:00 am Intentions of Cindy Govekar

by Chris and Candice Ferguson

8:30 am +Albert Towner Holtz

by the Our Lady of Mt. Carmel OCDS Community

Saturday, July 26

8:00 am Pro-Life Mass

4:30 pm (Novus Ordo)

Intentions of Bernadette Consoli

by the Family

Sunday, July 27

8:00 am (Novus Ordo)

For our Parish

10:30 am (Novus Ordo)

Intentions of Ken and Kerri Davison

by the Shayeghi Family

12:30 pm Intentions of John Giles Foushee, Jr.

by the Family

Please Pray For...

Our Parishioners

Grace Coyne

Daniel Foster

Elena Hildebrand

James Hochstetler

Arlene and Gene Luczak

Roe Family

Stephany Shayeghi

Our Friends and Family

Mia Alderman

David Alderman

Brian Blatchford

Betsy Devarakonda

Kinley Duncan

Maureen Frost

(Sister-in-law of Regina Beach Hoar)

Jeremy Kuhn (Son of Carol & Dennis Kuhn)

Dolly Langley (Sister of Cecilia Balman)

Marcia York (Sister of Carol Kuhn)

Our Servicemen and Servicewomen

Lt. Grace Carlson, USN

Lt. Drew Carlson.USMC

Ensign Hayley Derscheid, USN

Petty Officer 1st Class Jeffrey Derscheid, USN

SGT James "Jim" Alston, US Army

2nd Lt. Kenneth Davison III USAF

2nd Lt. Anna Davison USAF

Cadet 2nd Class Therese Davison, USAF

Lt. Thomas Hetzel, Deployed, US Army

Capt. Peter Hetzel, US Army

Sam Hucko, Basic Cadet, USAF

Capt. Thomas Mathis IV, DO, US Army

Lt. Grace Mathis, US Army

Capt. Angelina Patrinostro, USAF

St. Ann Homeless Ministry

We Are 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.

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday July 20

Sunday, July	20			
9:00 am	Legion of Mary Classroom 3			
9:30 am	Coffee and Donuts Cafeteria			
11:00 am	Homeless MinistryKitchen			
1:45 pm	Altar Server BasketballGym			
2:00 pm	BaptismsUntil 4pm			
Monday, July 21				
8:00 pm	Classroom 2 In use			
Tuesday, July	, 22			
8:00 am	Adoration beginsChurch			
8:00 am	Classroom 2Until 12:30pm			
10:00 am	Conference room In use			
10:00 am	Classroom 3 In use			
6:00 pm	Gym In use			
7:00 pm	St. Joseph Prayer GroupLibrary			
7:00 pm	Legion of Mary Classroom 3			
Wednesday,	July 23			
	ontinues in the Church			
8:00 am	Classroom 2 in use Until 12:30pm			
9:00 am	Conference room In use			
5:00 pm	Holy HourChurch			
6:00 pm	Young Adult BasketballGym			
7:00 pm	Deacon Townsend Prayer ClassCL 1&2			
Thursday, Ju	ıly 24			
8:00 pm	Classroom 2 In use			
5:30 pm	ConfessionsChurch			
7:00 pm	Young Adult Swing DanceCafé			
7:00 pm	Young Adult Group Talk Cl 1&2			
Friday, July 2	25			
8:00 am	Classroom 2Until 12:30pm			
10:30 am	BaptismChurch			
Saturday, Jul	y 26			
3:00 pm	ConfessionsChurch			
Sunday, July 27				
9:00 am	Blood driveAfter all masses			
1:45 pm	Altar Server BasketballGym			
2:00 pm	BaptismsUntil 4pm			

Knight of Columbus Council 770 BBO Fundraiser

September 26th at St. Patrick Cathedral school cafeteria 8:00am - 6:00 pm Plates are \$15

on sale August 17th—September 22nd
All proceeds go to support Council 770
and the four parishes it represents,
including St. Ann's
Contact our council at 704-430-2450
for tickets or by email
at, kofc770council@gmail.com

Catholic Charities Diocese of Charlotte Food Pantry Collection 1st and 3rd weekends of every month Next collection: August 2-3

Are you looking to achieve or avoid pregnancy in accordance with the Catholic faith? Are you looking to know more about the body that God provided you or get help with your gynecologic health issues?

Creighton Model FeritlityCare System is a clinically proven, empowering, and cost-effective way to appreciate your fertility and to monitor your gynecologic health.

Attend an introductory session and learn to chart your cycle so that you can effectively take care of your fertility.

Call to register for a scheduled session or schedule your own introductory session today!

Session schedule:

August 12, 2025—St. Philip Neri Catholic Church

Ashli Williams, FCPI 843-610-1770 Ashli.williams.sc@gmail.com

Please support our St. Vincent de Paul Society

People across the Charlotte area, Catholic and non-Catholic, call the church looking for some emergency assistance. Volunteers from our St. Vincent de Paul Society talk to these neighbors of ours and can provide some short term help, like with a power, water, or gas bill. There are many people looking for help and the St. Vincent de Paul treasury is depleted, even with a generous subsidy from the parish tithing fund. You can of course donate any time online! Or if you are interested in volunteering with our St. Vincent de Paul Society, please contact our office and Sr.

Mary Lydia can connect you with the right person. Thank you for your generosity to your neighbors in need!



Altar Flowers Donated by the Rick Lejk family



WEDDING BANNS

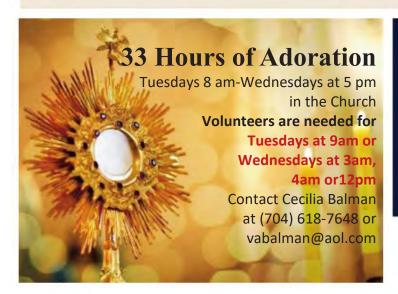
III: Isabelle Patterson—Austin Powell 26 July 2025 St. James Catholic Church, Elizabethtown, KY

II: Dina Tyo—Thomas Smith 7 August 2025
St. Ann Church, Charlotte

25TH AND 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

If you were married during 1975 or 2000, you are invited to the annual Diocesan Anniversary Mass on Sunday, October 26, 2025 at St. Patrick Catholic Church. Mass begins at 3:00 p.m. and will be followed by a reception. **Limit of 2 guests per couple.** Registration is free. Deadline to register is October 17 at: https://charlottediocese.org/form-wedding-anniversary-mass/







Please RSVP at https://www.rcahybrid.org/visit-rca-clt



** We are in need of prayer warriors for our three wonderful Deacons.

You will be asked to pray for Deacon Tom, Deacon Peter and Deacon Ari one day/ week. Please let me know if you can give Our Lord just one hour.

If God is calling you to make a Holy Hour/week for any of our needs, please contact Anchoress, Sarah Miller at: Holyfamilyacademy4@yahoo.com

Legion of Mary

Sundays ● 9:00 am Classroom 3 Contact Sue Calkins At 704-724-2297 or maxxwellsr@gmail.com



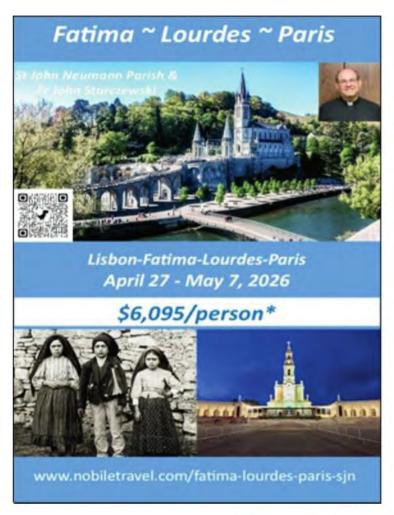


St Joseph's Men's Prayer Group

We invite the men of our community to gather for a time of prayer and fellowship. Join us every **Tuesday** at **7 PM** for Rosary followed by reflection and discussion in the library. Following the rosary, we engage in fellowship activities designed to foster genuine relationships within our parish. For updates or to submit prayer requests, please use the QR code provided.







St. Ann will be hosting a blood drive on **Sunday**, **July 27th**. Someone needs blood every two seconds and your donation will help to save lives. Please help!





OneBlood will be here with their mobile blood bank to take your donation.

Sign up using this code. Thank you!

Faith Formation: 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.

Online registration
for the fall will begin the 1st week of August. Contact Virginia Blatchford with questions at faithformation@stanncharlotte.org

Teen Apologetics meet on Faith Formation days from 9:00am-10:10am. We will begin to meet again in September. Watch the bulletin in August for the details. We will use a Fulton Sheen source!

Lectio Class: Prayer: Finding Intimacy with God-With the clear teaching and artistry of the Augustine Institute's Lectio series, Dr. Tim Gray masterfully uses the discipline of Lectio Divina to show you how to make prayer an effective effort of love and intimacy. The video series will be led by Deacon Peter Townsend. The classes started on June 18th at 7:00pm, after Mass. They will run through July. You can check out the details on Formed.org. Books and materials will be available to purchase at the first class.

Faith Formation Teachers needed. We are looking for a few teachers to team teach in our religious education program which meets from 900am to 1010am. If you feel called to help in this way. Please contact Virginia Blatchford at faithformation@stanncharlotte.org

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd teacher needed. We had a successful year with our PK class on Sundays this year. We are looking for 2 new teachers who could offer a second class on Sundays. If you are trained, please consider offering your teaching skills to serve our little learners at St. Ann's. Contact Faith Formation Director, Virginia Blatchford at faithformation@stanncharlotte.org

To request a facilities reservation:

Please contact: Mark Donzella, Director of Operations (704) 523-4641 x 224 or operations@stanncharlotte.org







St. Ann's Formed.org has kid movies, audio books, saint shows, and formation materials. Our parish code is Y6ZQ8M. A direct link is found on our parish website.

Recommendations: the study programs, excellent ebooks for teens, saint shows, and formation materials like prayer songs and audio books. The listening book library is amazing, and you will find fun material for family night watching.

Created by the Augustine Institute and Catholic Sprouts, The Catholic Parent aims to encourage you as a mom or dad as you embrace your Godgiven role to form your family in the richness of the Catholic faith.

Watch the series with your spouse, with friends, on your own, or as part of a small group! The participant guide includes questions for group discussion, topics for personal reflection, and ideas to try at home.

WORK ZONE

These are exciting times as St. Ann School is undergoing a major renovation! The project that will last the entire summer. With the construction, there will be portions of our campus that will have limited or no access. Please be mindful of warning signs and stay safe! *The project will last the entire summer*.

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. Any questions or to join, email Tony Antonangeli at: saintannprayers@gmail.com

Retrouvaille Marriage Help

offers a welcoming and loving space to couples who have been living with the misery of a failing marriage.

Retrouvaille offers hope: hope that it is not too late, hope of a different and better marriage. Retrouvaille helps couples to show each other mercy through the opportunities it provides to listen, to forgive, to be reconciled and to move into their futures believing that God loves them and with His help and their efforts, their marriages can be healed and restored. For over 40 years, Retrouvaille has provided help for marriage problems/difficulties/crises. For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples in the Charlotte area email: 3062r@helpourmarriage.org or Call: 727-343-6701 Website: www.HelpOurMarriage.com



St. Vincent ACES Senior Club will not have a lunch in August since that is our vacation time with family. Seats still available our holiday trip,

"Christmas at The ARK ENCOUNTER and CREATION MUSEUM," 4 days 3 nights, December 3-6, 2025. Double, Trip, Quad or Single rates. The deadline to return completed registration forms and payment is August 31.

For information or registration forms contact Peggy Gibbons, pgibbons1@att.net or 704-588-5870 (leave a message). See you on September 11 for our Grandparents Day Lunch.

Looking for a part time job?

Mecklenburg Area Catholic Schools is now hiring After School Assistants. Come Join our team!

Locations:

- St. Ann Catholic School
- St. Patrick Catholic School
- St. Mark Catholic School in Huntersville
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- Hours 2:30-6:00
- 3- 5 days a week!
- No weekends or evenings
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Contact:





- **(704)370-3268**
- ehbuening@rcdoc.org
- O 1123 S Church Street, Charlotte, NC 28203

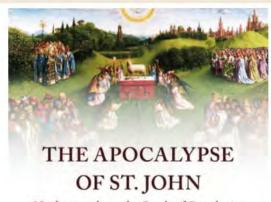


The Jubilee of Marian Spirituality will be celebrated October 11 and 12 in Rome, beginning with an evening of prayer on Saturday, October 11 at St. Mary Major, and culminating with Holy Mass with Pope Leo XIV on Sunday, October 12 at the Vatican in St. Peter's. The <u>USCCB Resource Packet</u> is available online to encourage participation by all for this historic event, either in person or in prayer.

The statue of Our Lady of Fatima will travel to Rome for this event, and it's only the 4th time it has left Fatima.

My husband, Rick Rotondi, co-authored Mary, Queen of Heaven – Mary's Battle for Souls, and I am a consecrated soul to Mary – for many years. When we began planning for a pilgrimage for the Jubilee year, Rick and I immediately were led to this time frame – to celebrate Our Blessed Mother!

Our pilgrimage is listed on the Charlotte Diocese website listed as the Cenacle Pilgrimage to Italy. The deadline for registration is July 5th. The link to the pilgrimage registration is: https://www.canterburypilgrimages.com/tour/cenacle/



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Weekly Stewardship

Collection Date	Actual	Budget	Over/Under
June 1, 2025	\$ 33,923	\$ 27,213	\$ 6,710
June 8, 2025	\$ 39,382	\$ 27,213	\$ 12,170

YTD July 1, 2024-June 8, 2025

\$ 1,499,479 \$ 1,360,625 \$ 138,854

929 Registered Families

Outstanding Parish Loan Balances

Rectory Loan	\$263,627
5 Year Plan Loan Paid in Full	\$0.00

St. Vincent de Paul





Five Year Plan

DSA 2025

Goal	\$149,240
Pledged to be collected	23,606
Received	\$115,122
Short	\$34,118
Donors	154

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. Use this link to make a donation today.



Priests Retirement Assessment	0
Received	\$14,029
Balance Due	



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Parish Office Hours

Monday

9:00 am-4:00 pm

Tuesdays

10:45 am-4:00 pm

Wednesday

9:00 am-4:00 pm

Thursday

9:00 am-4:00 pm

Friday

9:00 am-3:45 pm

Closed

1:00-1:30 pm for lunch

Your Parish Staff

Pastor

Rev. Timothy S. Reid x222 pastor@stanncharlotte.org

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Deacon

Rev. Mr. Peter Tonon X227

Deacon

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Accounting Assistant

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Director of Operations and Facilities Scheduling

Mark Donzella X224

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Sunday Mass Schedule **Saturday Anticipated Mass**

4:30 p.m. (Novus Ordo)

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 at 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.



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