

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,



Last Sunday I spoke about tithing and giving of one's time, talent, and treasure in my homily. And I must say how grateful I am for this parish's generosity. In the 18 years that I've been your pastor, we've completely renovated the

church, added millions of dollars' worth of artwork, renovated the Allen Center, built the grotto, bought a rectory, and made countless improvements to our buildings and grounds (like last summer's repaying of the parking lot). We've also been able to expand our parish staffing to keep up with our needs. Currently, our only debt is the mortgage for the rectory, which we hope to pay off by Easter 2027. This is all in addition to the great amount of time, talent, and treasure we've invested in serving the poor – both here in Charlotte and around the globe. I'm always amazed and edified at how generous this parish is when I ask for help to aid the less fortunate. So thank you! None of this would have been possible without your generosity.

Looking ahead to the future, there are more things that the staff and I hope to

accomplish. Our church nave floor needs to be renewed or replaced, our church front doors need replacing, and we'd like to add a fountain and statues of St. Peter and St. Paul to the piazza area. Our rectory will also need to be expanded if we hope to add more clergy in the future. And I'd love to beef up our parish endowment and our cash reserves. While the Finance Council and I have not set a timeline for each of these projects yet, I share this with you to let you know what we hope to accomplish in the years to come.

Again, I'm grateful for your generosity. Thank you for investing in St. Ann's.

Yours in Christ,

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Fr. Reid

St. Ann Parish endeavors to make the RCIA program much more than a Program but rather a learning and loving process in which conversion of the heart brings one to Jesus Christ and His Church. We invite you to join us for our next introductory session which will be on August 21st at 7pm in the Allen Center. Our in person classes will begin on Sept. 8th in the Allen Center at 7 pm.

Please Contact Virginia Blatchford with questions at 704 523 4641 ext. 231.

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



Mass Intentions

Sunday, August 10

8:00 am (Novus Ordo)

For our Parish

10:30 am (Novus Ordo)

Intentions of the Joseph Sadowski Family by Betsy Sadowski

12:30 pm Intentions of the Emma and Jack Barry Family by the Family

Monday, August 11

7:00 am (Novus Ordo)

+John Paul Mack by the family

Tuesday, August 12

7:00 am (Novus Ordo)

+Monsignor David Kennedy

by the Patrinostro Family

Wednesday, August 13

6:00 pm Intentions of the Emma and Jack Barry Family by the Family

Thursday, August 14

7:00 am (Novus Ordo)

Intentions of Matthew Schnur by Elise Schnur

Friday, August 15 Solemnity of the Assumption of

the Blessed Virgin Mary-Holy Day of Obligation

7:00 am Intentions of Diane Schmidt

by Patti Cucci

8:30 am For our Parish

6:00 pm Intentions of Zelie Consoli

Saturday, August 16

4:30 pm (Novus Ordo)

+Poor Souls by the Duncan family

Sunday, August 17

8:00 am (Novus Ordo)

+Matt Messina by Keith Chapman

10:30 am (Novus Ordo)

For our Parish

12:30 pm Intentions of the Emma and Jack Barry

Family 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

1st Lt. Kenneth Davison III USAF

2nd Lt. Anna Davison USAF

Cadet 1st Class Therese Davison, USAF

Lt. Thomas Hetzel, Deployed, US Army

Capt. Peter Hetzel, US Army

Cadet 3rd Class Sam Hucko, USAF

Capt. Thomas Mathis IV, DO, US Army

Lt. Grace Mathis, US Army

Capt. Angelina Patrinostro, USAF

Private Caroline Davison, US Army

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, August 10

9:10 am	Baptism class	Church
9:15 am	Baptism	Church
12:00 pm	Natural Marriage Group	CL 1&2
1:45 pm	Altar Server Basketball	Gym
2:00 pm	Baptism	

Monday, August 11

Tuesday, August 12

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	8:00 am	Adoration beginsChurch
	10:00 am	Classrooms 1&2 In use
	6:00 pm	Interfaith basketball open gym In use
	6:30 pm	Classrooms 1&2 In use
	7:00 pm	St. Joseph Prayer GroupLibrary
	7:00 pm	Legion of Mary Classroom 3
	7:00 pm	SAHSM Board Meeting . Conference Rm

Wednesday, August 13

Adoration continues in the Church

5:00 pm	Holy Hour	Church
6:00 pm	Young Adult Basketball	Gym
7:00 pm	St. Vincent de Paul Group	CL 1&2
7:00 pm	Classroom 3	Reserved

Thursday, August 14

5:30 pm	Confessions	Church
7:00 pm	Classrooms 1&2	Reserved

Friday, August 15 Parish Office Closed

2:00 pm	Café, kitchen, g	nvm	Recerved
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Saturday, August 16

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10:00 am	Playground	In use
2:00 pm	Baptism	Church
3:00 pm	Confessions	Church

Sunday, August 17

11:00 am	Homeless ministry	Kitchen
1:45 pm	Altar Server Basketball	Gym
2:00 pm	Baptism	Church

Altar Flowers

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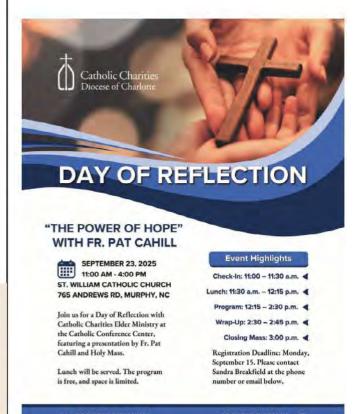


WORK ZONE

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.

St. Vincent ACES Senior Club invite all seniors age 45-100+young to join us on Thursday, September 11 at 11am in the Activity Center as we celebrate Grandparents Day with a buffet lunch and laughter by our special guest Marcy Eaker. Cost is \$13/pp member and \$14/pp guest. Reservation and advance payment required by Friday, September 3, 2025. Please RSVP to Donna Anderson call or text 704-607-6880 email danderson@cottinghamchalk.com. Newcomers are welcome to attend. Join or renew your annual membership for only \$6.00 for the remainder of 2025.







August is National Make-a-Will Month ... a perfect time to reflect on the legacy you'll leave behind. A gift to St. Ann Catholic Church through your will or estate plan is a powerful expression of faith, ensuring our parish and school continue to flourish for future generations. If you would like more information on legacy giving, please contact Mark 523-4641 x224 Donzella at (704)tions@stanncharlotte.org. We're deeply grateful to those who have already included us in their plans. If you've done so and haven't yet informed us, please let us know so we can honor your generosity and welcome you into the Legacy Society.

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/







COMMITTEE POSITIONS **NEEDED!**

Coordinators are needed for:

- 1. Sponsorships
- 2. Volunteers
- 3. Table Decorations

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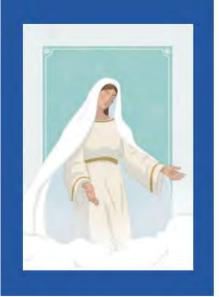
** We are in need of prayer warriors for our three wonderful Deacons.

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



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.



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!



WELCOME

FALL Semester Registration Now OPEN

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~ St. Ann Chair, Patti Cucci

All Women are WELCOME and encouraged to join the 10-week Fall Study.

When You Pray

with Dr. Edward Sri and featuring Fr. Jacques Philippe, Fr. Josh Johnson, Fr. Gregory Pine, Sister Josephine Garrett, Fr. Donald Haggerty, and Sister Maris Stella.

Cost: \$65.00

Sept 25th - Dec 4th, 2025**no session on Thanksgiving
Time and location:

Thursdays 9:30am* - Noon *9:00am Hospitality

Allen Center Rooms 1+2



Mornings include: Prayer, worship, study, and small group discussions.

Space is Limited. Register online by Sept 8th.

Questions? mwoj.stann@gmail.com



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.

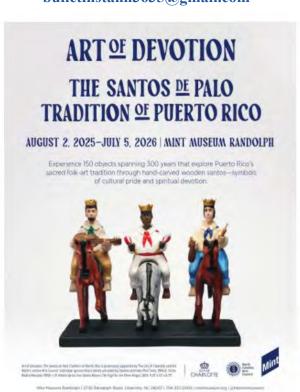
Online registration for the fall will begin the 1st week of August. Our first class is on September 7th in St. Ann School. Be sure to register so our teachers can be ready for your children. Contact Virginia Blatchford with questions at faithformation@stanncharlotte.org

1st Communion Parents: Mark your calendars! Our parent meeting for the children that are in second grade and preparing for 1st confession and 1st communion is on **Sept. 24th at** 7pm in the Café. We look forward to seeing you there. Confirmation Parents: Mark your calendars! Our parent meeting for the young people who will make their confirmation this year is on **Sept. 25 at 7pm** in the Café. We look forward to sharing the study plan for your family.

Teen Apologetics: We meet on Faith Formation days from 9am-10:10am. Our first class will begin on **September 7th.** We will use a Fulton Sheen source for our apologetics, and meet upstairs in the Allen Center, classroom 1 and 2!



Bulletin Articles Deadline:
Tuesday by noon
Email articles to:
bulletinstann3635@gmail.com









St. Ann's Formed.org has kid movies, audio books, saint shows, and formation materials. Our parish code is Y6ZO8M. 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. Marcum is a fun little show of action and Catholic facts for little ones!

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.



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. Retrouvaille provides help for marriage problems/difficulties/ crises.

No one changes unless they want to. For more in-Not if you beg them. Not if you shame them. Not if you use reason, emotion, or tough love. There's only one thing that makes someone change: their own realization that they need to do it. And there's only one time it will happen: when they decide they're ready

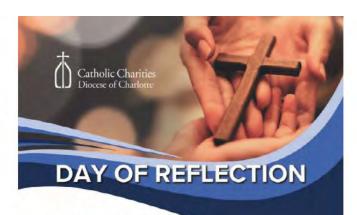
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formation about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program in the Charlotte area for couples, email:

3062ac@helpourmarriage.org or Call: 727-343-6701

Website: www.HelpOurMarriage.com

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SEPTEMBER 23, 2025 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM ST. WILLIAM CATHOLIC CHURCH 765 ANDREWS RD, MURPHY, NC

Join us for a Day of Reflection with Catholic Charities Elder Ministry at the Catholic Conference Center, featuring a presentation by Fr. Pat Cahill and Holy Mass.

Lunch will be served. The program is free, and space is limited.

Event Highlights

Check-in: 11:00 - 11:30 a.m. ◀

Lunch: 11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. ◀

Program: 12:15 - 2:30 p.m. 4

Wrap-Up: 2:30 - 2:45 p.m. 4

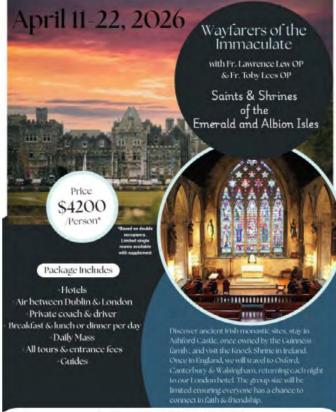
Closing Mass; 3:00 p.m. ◀

Registration Deadline: Monday, September 15. Please contact Sandra Breakfield at the phone number or email below.

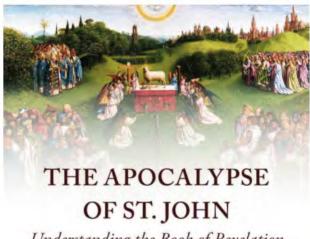


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June 1, 2025	\$ 33,923	\$ 27,213	\$ 6,710
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YTD July 1, 2024-June 8, 2025

\$ 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

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



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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

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Deacon

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Deacon

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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 á.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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