



Our Lady of Consolation Catholic Church

Of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charlotte

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July 24 2016
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule/Intentions

Saturday July 23: 5:00 PM -
Mass offered Pro Populi for the people

Sunday July 24

8:00 AM - *Mass offered in Thanksgiving and for special intentions given by C.A. Obi and family*

11:00 AM -

Tuesday, July 26

Wed., July 27

Thur., July 28

Friday, July 29

Reconciliation

Saturday's 4PM or by appointment

Baptism/Marriage

Please contact Fr. Carl Del Giudice

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*Jesus said to them, When you pray say:
Father, hallowed be your name
Your kingdom come.
Give us each day our daily bread
And forgive us our sins
For we ourselves forgive everyone in
debt to us,
And do not subject us to the final test.
~Luke 11:2-4*

Daily Readings & Calendar July 24-July 30

Sun. July 24	8:00AM Mass, C 11:00AM Mass, C 4:00PM Basketball, PLC
Mon. July 25 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28	
Tue. July 26 Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Mt 13:36-43	8:30AM - Mass, CH 11:00AM - Food Pantry, PLC 10AM - Golden Wings,
Wed. July 27 Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-4, 10-11, 17-18; Mt 13:44-46	8:30AM - Mass, CH 6-9PM Basketball, PLC
Thur. July 28 Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-6ab; Mt 13:47-53	8:30AM - Mass, CH 6:30PM - 9PM Choir, C 6-9PM Basketball, PLC 7PM Baptism Preparation Class, PLC
Fri. July 29 Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42	8:30AM - Mass, CH 11:30AM - Food Pantry, PLC
Sat. July 30 Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14:1-12	4:00PM Confessions, Church 5:00PM Mass, C

Key: C - Church, CH - Chapel, PLC - Parish Life Center
To reserve a room for a meeting or activity, please request a Facility Usage Form from the Parish Office or online at www.ourladyofconsolation.org

Parish Weekly Income Report

Week of July 5, 2016

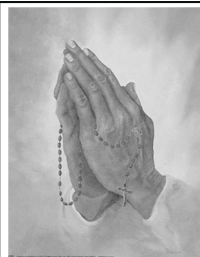
Budgeted Amount

Offertory	\$ 8,643.12	\$ 9,615.00
Deficit Reduction	\$ 769.00	\$ 2,308.00
Building Repair	\$ 1,487.75	
Total	\$ 10,899.87	\$11,923.00



St Martin de Porres Food Pantry

Canned vegetables, and cereal are in great need. Monetary donations also help keep the pantry shelves filled. Checks can be made to St Martin de Porres and placed in the collection. Thank you for your continued support.



Prayer Intentions

Please Pray For:

Thomasina Carr, Lamonte Bailey, Errin Rochelle, Vincent Gomez, Carmen Pantoja-Perez, Fr. Jim Goode, Joseph Castro, Pamela Gellineau, Michele Gellineau-Green, Bennie P. Evans, June Rousseau, Maria Rousseau, Ural Covington, Harry Baptiste, Carolyn Oates, Sr. Bessie McCarthy, Jake Suggs, Robert Collins, Jr., Lucielle Tate, Kate Truesdale, Ricky Carr, Celeste Carr, Elizabeth Nance, Janice Rucker, Jensen McDonald, Priscilla Duncan, Dilvia Sanchez, Eric Polite, Regina Delgado, Dwight Kersey, Wilhelmina White, Victor Gellineau, Idalia Brown, Alberta Foree (sister of Clair Harvey), Jennifer Makeeff, La-Rita Alvarado, Alan Jones, Rico and all the special intentions of our parishioners.
If you or a member of your family is ill or recuperating, you may request a prayer shawl from our Prayer Shawl Ministry. Call Carol Gominiak at 704-614-5908.

Are you an active member of OLC?

Active membership at Our Lady of Consolation is determined by 4 things:

1. Registration in the parish using the registration form, and alerting the office to any changes
2. Attending Mass faithfully
3. Participating in Parish Ministry and community
4. Using your giving envelopes (The envelopes help the office identify you as an active member of the Parish)

Traveling?

Information on Mass times and Parish addresses from all over the US can be found at www.masstimes.org. Remember to travel safely!

Ministry Schedule

Readers of the Word

7-30 - 5PM Deloris Brown
7-31 - 8AM Harry Scott
7-31 - 11AM Naomi Byrd, Montae Monroe

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

7-30 - 5PM F. Dewalt, M. Jones
7-31 - 8AM L. Johnson, Z Kenner, P Howey
7-31 - 11AM D. Sanchez, M. Butler (Chapel), E. Hood, C. Gomez (Chapel), G. Hood, S. Fowler, H. Okechukwu, K. Mukoko, J. Dennis

PARISH NEWS

Save the date!

The National Black Catholic Congress XII will be July 6-9, 2017 in Orlando FL. This very special opportunity happens once every 5 years. More information will follow. Interested in helping to organize a delegation from OLC? Contact the Parish Office for more details.

Scheduling for 2016/2017

Please use the online facility usage form to schedule events for your group or commission for the upcoming year. The form can be found on our parish web page at <http://ourladyofconsolation.org/facility-usage>. Both regular meetings and special events for the upcoming year must be scheduled by August 1. Paper copies of the forms are available in the Parish office. **Note:** if your group is meeting anywhere on the OLC campus, this form must be filled out, and the office notified in a timely manner. Space is allocated on a first come first served basis. Thank you!

Reflection

KEEP PRAYING

St. Monica, whose feast we celebrate in August, is often known as “the persistent mother.” She watched her oldest son, Augustine, turn his back on his Christian faith.

Monica was exasperated. For years she gave up talking directly to her son on the advice of a local bishop, who told her that it was better to talk to God about Augustine then to Augustine about God.

The mother never gave up praying for her son. Eventually Augustine gave up his wild ways, was baptized, and later ordained and named bishop of Hippo. St. Augustine went on to become one of the Church’s greatest scholars.

Today’s readings address the importance of persistent prayer. Abraham, in spite of trepidation that he is bothering the Lord, continues to ask about the fate of Sodom and Gomorrah.

Jesus, in Luke’s Gospel, tells his disciples to “ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you” (Luke 11:9). This is our charge: keep praying.

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Sometimes when bishops are consecrated, they are not given the care of a diocese as an “ordinary.” A very old tradition, however, assures that they are invested with a “see,” a link with a local church. Many hundreds of places around the world were dioceses at one time, but are no longer. In England, for example, some of the historic dioceses such as London, Salisbury, and Manchester ceased to be Catholic at the Reformation and their cathedrals passed to the Church of England. The reestablishment of the Catholic Church in the nineteenth century meant that new dioceses had to be created, such as at Liverpool and Westminster. Similarly, in Scandinavia the ancient Catholic dioceses vanished under Lutheranism. In North Africa, tiny dioceses disappeared under the sands or were swept away by Islam.

In the United States, some original dioceses never really developed as population centers, such as the old dioceses of Bardstown, Vincennes, Sault Ste. Marie, or Walla Walla. The tradition of “titular sees” assures that the ancient churches are always held in prayer, as the bishop celebrates Mass in its memory a few times a year.

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Commission and Mail & Information

Please check the parish often for your commission or groups mail or other information. Not sure you have any mail? Call or email the parish office for more information. Thank you!

Attention OLC Youth!

The Sankofa for Teens in happening in Charlotte September 17, 2016 9AM—4PM at the US National Whitewater Center. Please plan to attend this event

how to achieve success through strong roots. More information will be available soon. Contact Rosheene Adams at 704-962-0060 or Rosheeneadams@gmail.com for registration information.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Job Opportunity

Director of Gift Planning: The Diocesan Office of Development has an opening for a full-time Director of Gift Planning. The candidate must have an undergraduate degree and a minimum of 7 years’ experience in fundraising; experience in carrying out gift planning programs; extensive fundraising experience may be substituted for a completed undergraduate degree. Responsibilities include organizing and directing efforts throughout the diocese to assist parishioners to develop and implement long range financial plans for their benefit, the benefit of their family, their parish and/or the diocese. Please submit cover letter and resume by August 12, 2016 to Jim Kelley, Office of Development, jjkelley@charlottediocese.org.

Diocesan Parish Respect Life

Conference to strengthen our efforts to promote a respect for human life will be held on Saturday, August 27, 10:30 am – 3:30 pm at **Christ the King Catholic High School 2011 Crusader Way, Huntersville, NC 28078**

Fr. Joseph Koterski, S.J. is the conference keynote speaker. Mass in the Chapel of Christ the King Catholic High School, celebrated by Fr. Koterski, S.J. at 9 am. Conference begins with keynote presentation at 10:30 am. Lunch provided at noon. Two workshop blocks offered from 1:00 to 3:15 pm *More information available at ccd.org*

Bulletin Announcements

Please send announcements for Parish events to the Parish Office by Tuesday July 26 for the bulletin distributed August 7. Forms are available at <http://ourladyofconsolation.org>

Thank you!



2016 DSA Goal	Contributions	# of Participants
\$44,661.00	\$27,391.98	139 of 450

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