



# Our Lady of Consolation Catholic Church

## Of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charlotte

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*August 7, 2016*

*Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



*Gird your loins and light your lamps  
and be like the servants...ready.*

*Luke 12:35-38*



*Stay awake and be ready!  
For you do not know on what day the  
Son of Man will come.*

*Matthew 24:42a,44*

### *Mass Schedule/Intentions*

*Saturday Aug. 6 5:00 PM -  
offered for the healing of Frank Lea,  
given by Mom Michael and John*

### *Sunday Aug 7*

*8:00 AM— Offered for the people  
of the parish*

*11:00 AM -*

*Tues., Aug. 9 8:30AM*

*Wed., Aug. 10 8:30AM - Mass  
offered for the healing of Loretta  
Arena, given by Christina Zino*

*Thur., Aug. 11 8:30AM*

*Friday, Aug. 12 8:30AM*

### *Reconciliation*

*Saturday's 4PM or by appointment*

### *Baptism/Marriage*

*Please contact Fr. Carl Del Giudice*

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## Daily Readings & Calendar Aug 7-13

<b>Sun. Aug 7</b> Wis 18:6-9, Heb 11:1-2, 8-19, Lk 12:32-48	8:00AM Mass, Church 11:00AM Mass, Church 4:00PM Basketball, Parish Life Ctr.
<b>Mon. Aug. 8</b> Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Mt 17:22-27	
<b>Tue. Aug. 9</b> Ez 2:8 - 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14	8:30AM - Mass, Chapel 11:00AM - Food Pantry, Parish Life Ctr 11:30AM St Martin de Porres meeting, Parish Life Ctr.
<b>Wed. Aug. 10</b> 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26	8:30AM - Mass, Chapel 6-9PM Basketball, Parish Life Ctr.
<b>Thur. Aug. 11</b> Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 - 19:1	8:30AM - Mass, Chapel 6:30PM - 9PM Choir, Church 6-9PM Basketball, Parish Life Ctr.
<b>Fri. Aug. 12</b> Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12	8:30AM - Mass, Chapel 11:30AM - Food Pantry, Parish Life Ctr.
<b>Sat. Aug. 13</b> Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15	4:00PM Confessions, Church 5:00PM Mass, Church School Supply give away

## Parish Weekly Income Report

Week of July 25, 2016

Budgeted Amount

Offertory	\$8,568.43	\$ 9,615.00
Deficit Reduction	\$ 448.00	\$ 2,308.00
Building Repair	\$ 52.00	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 9,068.43</b>	<b>\$11,923.00</b>

### St Martin de Porres Food Pantry



The food pantry is collecting canned vegetable and cereal donations for the month of July. Donations can be placed in the shopping cart in the Vestibule or on the cart in the Parish Life Center. Monetary donations also help keep the shelves full. 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, Fr. Carl Del Giudice 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](http://www.masstimes.org). Remember to travel safely!

### Ministry Schedule

#### Readers of the Word

Aug 13 - 5PM Deloris Brown  
Aug 14 - 8AM Harry Scott  
Aug 14 - 11AM Rita Simmons, Naomi Byrd

#### Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

Aug 13 - 5PM C. Edouard, D. Brown, J Edouard (Host L)  
Aug 14 - 8AMD. Bond, S Lawrence, D. Pettis, M. Chrisp, J Hunt (Host L)  
Aug 14- 11AM C. Gomez, S. Cooper Chapel, D. Wadsworth, E Rose Chapel, J McEllrath, F Dennis, S Fowler, G. Hood, D Sanchez

## **PARISH NEWS**

### **School Supply Give Away**

The Knights of St John Ladies Auxiliary and OLC Parishioners will be giving away free school supplies to students at all Masses Aug. 13-14.

### **Perpetual Hope Gospel Choir Is Back!**

The Perpetual Hope Gospel Choir is back from break and accepting new choir members. A couple of "ice breaking" fundraisers have been planned to help us get to know one another. Please contact the choir Director Erick @704-301-5213 or President Rita Simmons @704-641-8226.

### **Black Catholic Cultural Commission and the NBCC ask us to pray**

We believe in the power of prayer! Please join us as we pray together to end violence and racial injustice at each Mass until August 14 using the special prayer found on the card in your pew. Also check out the parish web site for good tips on what to do if you are confronted by a police officer!

### **A Musical Celebration Of Love Hope & Leadership**

August 21, 2016 - 4:00PM – 6:00PM  
OLC Family Life Center

Join us in support of the OLC Sports Leadership Initiative (Admission is FREE). The OLC Sports Leadership Initiative utilizes sports as an opportunity to coach, mentor and listen to young people about school, family, community and help prepare them for positive outcomes through support and mentoring. The OLC Sports Leadership Initiative seeks to help young people embrace the role and responsibility of leadership. Our expectation is that "you will lead by example and do the right thing because it's the right thing to do". The OLC Sports Leadership Initiative is inspired by the memory of Clint Whitaker and the SLI Family. All donations support the OLC Sports Leadership Initiative.

## **Reflection**

### **OUR FATHER IN FAITH**

The Letter to the Hebrews today sings a hymn of praise to Abraham and to his faith, upon which are founded the religions of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. Abraham is called "father" in faith by more people on earth than anybody else, numerous as the sands of the seashore or the stars of the heavens. Hebrews tells us it was this foundational faith that led Abraham to obey God's call when he heard it, though he was called to journey to a land he did not know and told he would father a mighty race through a marriage he thought was barren. But Abraham's faith, the author of Hebrews tells us, was his realization of what he hoped for, and the evidence of what he could not see. How often are we, in simple daily events of our own Christian vocation, called to an unfamiliar place or told we are to do something we do not believe we can? How fortunate we are to have Father Abraham as our guide and example!

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### **RCIA**

#### **(Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)**

RCIA is the process meant for individuals to grow in their relationship with the Trinity and learn the basic tenants of the Catholic Faith. RCIA is a period of evangelization, catechesis and spiritual formation in the Roman Catholic Church. Classes will begin Wed. Sept. 7, 2016 at 6PM. Please call the parish Office to register.

### **Communications Team**

Are you good at Email, Facebook, Twitter, Web Design or other social media? We need you! The communications team is looking for individual interested in helping get the word out about parish events. This group meets a few hours once a month to update information, and format the parish news letter. Call the parish office for more information.

### **Attention OLC Youth!**

The Sankofa for Teens is happening in Charlotte September 17, 2016 9AM-4PM at the US National Whitewater Center. Please plan to attend this event and learn 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](mailto:jjkelley@charlottediocese.org).

### **Lay Ministry Formation Program**

The Diocesan Office for Lay Ministry is currently accepting applications for the two-year Lay Ministry program designed to help you understand more fully your baptismal call to minister to your family, to others in the Church, and to those in your daily life. This program is also a pre-requisite for the permanent diaconate. Classes for Year 1 will be held in five sites: Arden, Bryson City, Charlotte, Greensboro and Lenoir and will begin in September/October. For more information please contact Frank Villaronga at [704-370-3274](tel:704-370-3274) or e-mail [frankv@charlottediocese.org](mailto:frankv@charlottediocese.org).

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