



Our Lady of Consolation Catholic Church

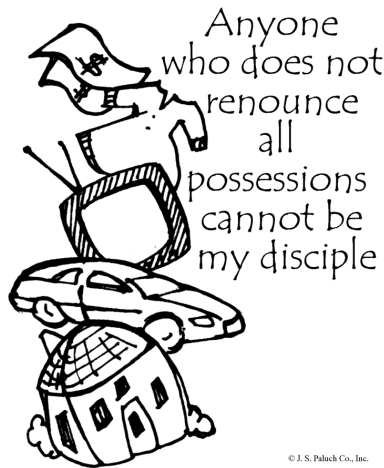
Of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charlotte

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September 4, 2016
Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



Fill us at daybreak with your kindness, that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days. ~Psalm 90:14



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Last Weekend for Faith Formation Registration!

This is the last weekend of open registration for Faith Formation. Please visit the registration table after Mass today.

Faith Formation classes are offered for children age 4-18 on Sunday morning's beginning with class for students and a meeting for parents at **9:20AM on Sept. 11, 2016**

Mass Schedule/Intentions

Saturday Sept. 3 5:00 PM -
Mass offered for the healing of Mrs. Zelk, given by the Jordan family

Sunday Sept. 4
8:00 AM - *Mass offered Pro Populi, for the people of the parish*

11:00 AM -
Tues., Sept. 6 8:30AM

Wed., Sept. 7 8:30AM

Thur., Sept 8 8:30AM

Friday, Sept. 9 8:30AM -
Reconciliation

Saturday's 4PM or by appointment
Baptism

Class required for parents and godparents. Contact the parish office for information.

Marriage

Please contact Fr. Carl Del Giudice
At least 6 months before the desired wedding date.

Office Staff

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Daily Readings & Calendar September 4 - 10, 2016

Sun. Sept. 4 Wis 9:13-18b, Phlm 9-10, 12-17, Lk 14:25-33	8:00AM Mass, Church Faith Formation registration 11:00AM Mass, Church Faith Formation registration 4PM - 7PM Basketball
Mon. Sept. 5 1 Cor 5:1-8; Ps 5:5 -7, 12; Lk 6:6-11,	Labor Day – Parish Office Closed 6PM - Basketball, Gym
Tue. Sept 6 1 Cor 6:1-11; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 6:12-19	11:00AM - Food Pantry, Parish Life Ctr 6:30PM Building Committee, PLC
Wed. Sept. 7 1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-17; Lk 6:20-26	6-9PM Basketball, Parish Life Ctr.
Thur. Sept. 8 Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23	6:30PM - 9PM Choir, Church 6-9PM Basketball, Parish Life Ctr.
Fri. Sept. 9 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b -27; Ps 84:3-6, 12; Lk 6:39-42	11:30AM - Food Pantry, Parish Life Ctr. Eucharistic Congress, Charlotte Convention Center
Sat. Sept. 10 1 Cor 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-13, 17-18; Lk 6:43-49	Eucharistic Congress, Charlotte Convention Center 4:00PM Confessions, Church 5:00PM Mass, Church

Parish Weekly Income Report

Week of August 21, 2016

Budgeted Amount

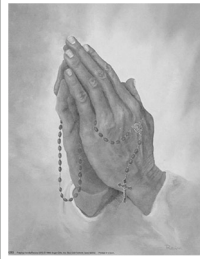
Offertory	\$8,963.00	\$ 9,615.00
Deficit Reduction	\$ 405.00	\$ 2,308.00
Building Repair	\$2,858.00	
Total	\$12,226.00	\$11,923.00



St Martin de Porres Food Pantry

The St Martin de Porres food pantry gives boxes of food to households in need every week on Tuesdays and Fridays. Non perishable food and monetary donations help keep the shelves full. Non perishable food can be left in the vestibule of the church. 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, , 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), La-Rita Alvarado, Wilhelmina Grant, Jennifer Makeeff, Alan Jones, Marianne B. Holman 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)



Faith Formation Registration

Faith Formation classes are offered for children age 4-18 on Sunday morning's beginning Sept 11th at 9:20AM. Registration continues at all Masses this week!

Ministry Schedule

Readers of the Word

Sept 10 - 5PM Deloris Brown

Sept 11 - 8AM Carol Connor

Sept 11 - 11AM LaChone Winston, Rita Simmons

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

Sept 10 - 5PM J. Edouard, D. Brown. C. Edouard (Host L)

Sept 11 - 8AM D. Bond, L. Johnson, D. Pettis, P. Howey, J. Hunt (Host L)

Sept 11 - 11AM S. Fowler, S. Cooper (chapel) D. Wadsworth, E. Rose (Chapel), G. Hood, D. Sanchez, M. Butler, J McElrath, F. Dennis

PARISH NEWS

Day of Reflection for the National Black Catholic Congress

The Day of Reflection before the National Black Catholic Congress will take place Saturday November 19 in Hickory NC. There is no charge to attend the reflection, and lunch will be provided. Bus transportation leaves from Our Lady of Consolation Saturday morning; returning after the event. If you are interested in attending, please sign up in the vestibule of the church and indicate if you plan to ride the bus.

Priest Retirement and Benefits Collection

The Sept. 2nd issue of the *Catholic News Herald* features articles and information on the Priests' Retirement and Benefits Collection. Please take time to read these articles for detailed information on the retirement program in our Diocese and consider a generous donation to the second collection Sept. 17 & 18. Envelopes are available in your envelope set or at the back of church.

Crop Walk

The 2016 Crop Walk will be Sun. Oct. 16, 2016 2:30PM at Independence Park. All parishioners, especially faith formation families, are encouraged and invited to sign up to walk as a part of this years team from OLC. Interested? Contact Florine Dennis at 704-232-4319 for more information. Thank you!



Ushers Meeting

The meeting for the Ushers of the parish Sept. 11 has been postponed. Please watch the bulletin for more information.

Black Lives Matters Symposium Urban Education Matters

Institute for Black Catholic Studies is holding this symposium at Xavier University of Louisiana in New Orleans October 21-22, 2016. If you are interested in



attending please save the date and call the parish office for registration or more information.

Reflection

Invited

The Good News is that we have all been invited - invited to the Kingdom, invited to be disciples. It's a life-changing invitation, and like so many other such invitations, it requires a great deal of deliberation and discernment. Whether we choose marriage, ordination, single life, or community life, we know the serious planning and consideration that accompany these profound decisions. Like the tower-builder in the Gospel, we have weighed both the monetary and emotional cost. We have pondered and planned our lives in the direction to which we believe God has called us. And while we pray for guidance and acceptance of God's will, we often fail to understand so much. Like Solomon, we turn to God for wisdom and counsel in our life-changing decisions.

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Fish Fry

Save the Date! The Knights of St. John Ladies Auxiliary will be hosting a Fish Fry on Saturday Sept. 24.



Greeters Ministry Meeting

There will be a meeting for all members of the greeters ministry on Sunday Sept. 18 in the PLC gym at 1PM.

Sankofa is here!

The Sankofa for Teens is happening in Charlotte Sept. 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. Contact Rosheene Adams at 704-962-0060 or

Rosheeneadams@gmail.com for registration information.

Thank You

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Knights of St. John would like to thank our church family for all your help with the back to school supply donations. The supply give away was a success! Special thanks to Fr. Carl, the Ladies Guild, and the Knights of St John.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Wedding Anniversary Mass

The annual wedding anniversary Mass will be Sun. Nov. 6, 2016 at 2PM at St. John Newman Parish here in Charlotte. If you are celebrating your 25th or 50th anniversary please contact the parish office to be acknowledged during this special celebration.

Symposium on Conversion:

Open to all parishioners. September 24th the RCIA Commission will hold a *Symposium on Conversion* at St. Mark's Catholic Church in Huntersville. Noted national speakers will delve into the Theological, Biblical and Pastoral aspects of Conversion. Also included will be "conversion stories" from a former Buddhist, a Jewish man, an atheist and a woman who is now a cloistered Poor Clare nun. \$25 Registration includes lunch. The day begins at 8:30 concluding at 3:00PM. To register, call 704 370-3244 or e-mail paonaindia@charlottediocese.org

Bulletin Announcements
All announcements for the Sept 18 bulletin must be turned in to the Parish office by Tuesday September 6th. Thank you!

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September 9 & 10, 2016
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