



Our Lady of Consolation Catholic Church Of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charlotte

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The Ascension of the Lord, Sunday May 13 2018



As you sent me into the world, so I sent them into the world. And I consecrate myself for them, so that they also may be consecrated in truth. ~John 17:18-19



Our Lady of Consolation Engages

BLACK LIVES MATTER

November 2017- November 2018

Mass Schedule/Intentions

Saturday, May 12

5:00 PM - *Repose of the soul of Vicki VanNess as requested by Nancy VanNess*

Sunday, May 13

8:00AM - *In thanksgiving and for the special intentions of Theresa Izediuno and family*

11:00AM - *Repose of the soul of Chief Jonathan George Okoro (KSM) as requested by George & Florence Okoro*

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PARISH NEWS

Ladies Auxiliary of the Knights of St John

The Ladies Auxiliary will be giving out flower pins to Mothers in honor of Mother's Day after Masses this weekend.

Protecting God's Children

If you are working with youth, or interested in working with the youth, and have not taken the Protecting God's Children Class, the next classes at OLC are Thursday, May 17, 2018 at 6PM or Tuesday May 29, 2018 at 6PM in the Parish Life Center.

Breakfast between the Masses

The next parish breakfast will be Sunday, May 20, 2018 at 9:15AM in the Parish Life Center. All are welcome.

Pentecost International Celebration

The OLC International Celebration, hosted by the Family Life Commission, will be Sunday, May 20th, from 1PM-3PM in the Parish Life Center. Please sign up! Groups are welcome to sign up to host a food table serving traditional dishes from your country of origin. The sign up sheet is in the vestibule of the church. All are welcome.

Server Training

The Altar Server Ministry extends an invitation to all children to join our ministry, learn, and participate in the mass as altar servers. Children who have made their First Communion are eligible to train and serve. **Training will be Saturday May 26, 2018 from 10am-12pm.**



Youth Support Group Raffle

The Youth Support Group is hosting a raffle to benefit the Youth In Action summer trip. Raffle tickets are \$50 each. **1st prize \$3,000, 2nd prize \$1,000, 3rd prize \$500** Tickets are available through a Youth Support Group member. The drawing is May 19th after the Ladies Guild Day of Reflection.



Graduation Sunday

June 10th at 11:00AM Mass graduates from middle school going to High School and up, HS

Ministry Schedule - May 19 & 20, 2018

Readers

Sat. May 19, 5PM Doris Givens
Sunday May 20 8AM Robin Plummer
11AM Catherine Gomez

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat. May 19, 5PM J Dewalt, C Edouard, J Edouard
Sun. May 20 8AM G Gillison, M Carter, W Jackson, D Rivera B Habina
11AM K Rose, P McDonald, E Hood, S Carr, F Dennis

grads, College Grads ect. will be recognized by the parish. Grads need to email the following information to olcycians@gmail.com **Name, School, Grade, Special Recognition** (scholarships, summa cum laude, magna cum laude, cum laude), what's their **Next Step** (high school, college, trade school, military, specialized programs, career/ job).

Scholarship for Graduating High School Seniors

Any High School Senior interested in receiving the June Chavis-Davenport scholarship for continuing education contact Rocky Whitaker at rockywhitaker@gmail.com by **today, May 13, 2018** for application information

Spiritual Day of Reflection - May 19, 2018

The reflection will be in the PLC from 10AM- 1PM and led by **Father Maurice Emelu**. For more information, contact Chanele Jackson at olcladiesguild@gmail.com.

The 9th Annual Carrie Kirkpatrick

Memorial Golf Tournament will be held at the **Tradition Golf Club** this **Friday, May 18, 2018**. Proceeds from the tournament are donated to the St. Martin de Porres Food Pantry. Come out and join us for a Captain's Choice 18-hole round of golf with cart and lunch. Enjoy a day of golf while supporting a great cause. The cost is \$85 per player. Register to play at: <http://www.planmygolfevent.com/31293-ckGolfTournament>



You can find more information on the OLC website or contact Richard Cutting or Denise Shropshire at ckgolftournament@gmail.com.

Boy Scout Troop 172-Our Lady of Consolation

On Tuesday, April 24, 2018, both James Johnson and Jalen Carter passed their board of Review to become Eagle Scouts (both are also altar servers). These young men passed and will become the 36th and 37th eagle scouts from the troop. Congratulations to James and Jaylen on your accomplishment! Interested in scouting? Contact Octavius Carter 704-921-7548

Reflection - Commissioned To Live in The World

In today's scriptures we hear two different stories about commissioning. In the Acts of the Apostles Peter leads the assembly in prayer that the Lord will choose and commission the person to replace Judas among the Twelve. In the Gospel Jesus prays that his chosen disciples might be consecrated, or made holy.

Jesus does not ask his Father to keep the disciples separate from the world, but instead sends them out into the world. While we might think that holy people are set apart from the world, we cannot hear today's scriptures without realizing that God's holy, chosen people are commissioned to live in the midst of the world, where they can reveal the love of God that makes the entire world holy.

Daily Readings & Calendar May 13- May 19, 2018

Sun. May 13 Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23; Mk 16:15-20	8:00AM Mass, Church 9:15AM Faith Formation 9:30AM Men's Group. Church 11:00AM Mass, Church 1PM Ladies Guild, gym 4PM SLI, gym
Mon. May 14 Acts 1:15-27, 20-26; Ps 113:1-8; Jn 15:9-17	5PM SLI Basketball, PLC 7PM Bible Study, Chapel
Tue. May 15 Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10- 11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a	10AM Golden Wings 10:30AM Food Pantry 7:00PM Scouting, PLC
Wed. May 16 Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29- 30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19	6PM Basketball, PLC 7PM RCIA, PLC
Thur. May 17 Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20- 26	6PM Basketball, PLC 6PM Protecting God's Children. PLC
Fri. May 18 Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15- 19	11:30AM Food Pantry
Sat. May 19 Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25	4:00PM Confessions 5:00PM Mass

Military Mass at St Patrick Cathedral

Bishop Peter J. Jugis, will celebrate a Mass for United States military personnel on Monday, May 28, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. at the Cathedral of Saint Patrick in Charlotte. The Mass and rosary (to be recited at 10:30 a.m.) will be offered for all military personnel who have died, retired and for those who are now serving. All military personnel are invited and encouraged to come in uniform.

Photos of those who have died, who are now serving in the military and retired military personnel will be displayed in the Cathedral. To include your service member, preferably in uniform, please mail a photocopy of them with their name and military rank on the back of the photocopy to Nancy Weber, Office of the Bishop, 1123 South Church Street, Charlotte, NC 28203 to be received no later than May 24, 2018. **(Please do not send original photographs as they will not be returned.)**

Living Stewardship Now

What makes us admire people like Mother Teresa, Martin Luther King, or Mahatma Gandhi is not only *what* they did, but *how* they did it. Against all odds, they persevered. Whatever you do to honor God, make the commitment and keep the commitment.

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Parish Weekly Tithe Report

Week of April 23, 2018 Budgeted Amount

Offertory	\$ 7,362.50	\$ 9,615.00
Deficit Reduction	\$ 340.00	\$ 2,308.00
Building Repair	\$ 608.08	
Total	\$8,310.58	\$11,923.00

Diocese (of Charlotte) Support Appeal (DSA) -

"We Are Called" - Thank you to the 56 of our 458 parish families who have contributed to the DSA for a total of \$18,684.73. Our DSA goal is \$48,768.00.

St Martin de Porres Outreach Ministry

The St. Martin de Porres food pantry, supported by the generous donations of OLC, Catholic Charities and others, operates twice a week (Tuesday & Friday) distributing food boxes to those in need. If you or someone you know has a need for food please call 704-375-4339 to get an appointment to pick up a box. Donations of food are always gratefully accepted in the vestibule. In the month of April, 86 households received assistance through St. Martin de Porres food pantry.

Prayer Intentions, Please Pray For:

Thomasina Carr, Lamonte Bailey, Errin Rochelle, Carmen Pantoja-Perez, Fr. Jim Goode, Joseph and Norma 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 and Christopher Truesdale, Jensen McDonald, Eric Polite, Wilhelmina White, Victor Gellineau, Idalia Brown, Alberta Foree (sister of Clair Harvey), La-Rita Alvarado, Jennifer Makeeff, Alan Jones, Marianne B. Holman, Barbara Block, Deborah Hurst, Elmira House, Adele Moore, Barbara Young, Terry Vaughan, Jr., Thomas & Iona Franklin, Leroy Fair, Nancy Helms, Cheryl Gellineau Smalls, Ame Cherie Cannon, Ycein Henderson, Henry White, Vive Brown, George Lewis, Mildred Ledbetter, John McDowell, Douglas Duncan, Rita Gittens, Judith Bazile, Cheryl Hunt, Teresa Park Thurman, Robin Worthy Leach, John Chrisp (father of Marcie Chrisp), Nicholas Pope, and all the special intentions of our parishioners.

Prayer Shawl

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.

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