



Please Pray for...

Those who are ill or have special needs:
 Trey Bellows, Shaun Benbow, Susan Blanchard, Marie Blount, Dana Breeding, Ann Bridgman, Dianna Bryant, Dona Bureson, Joseph Buttera, J.R. Callahan, Barry Cook, Carolyn Dickenson, Mike Ducar, Maureen Flannigan, Linda Gurecky, Jackie Gunn, Yvonne Hale, Eleanor Harker, Allison Hoefling, Don & Rita Hoefling, Lane Lehman, Janet Linda, Meghan McGinnis, Debra Maddox, Ruth Miller, Barb Morgan, Brandon & Heather Niemas, Jorge Ontiveros, Lori Owensby, Kathy Quarles, Marilyn Rebholz, Rhonda Rivera, Sally Schoen, Betty Testa, Arlene Turner, and Vickie Wright, Tony & Sandy Yacovelli.

Homebound or in nursing homes:
 Marian Bogdanowicz, Norma Brandin, Vicki Cram, Bernadette Ducar, Dorothy Kelly, Fr. Andy Latsko, Margaret Morrow, Glenda Nicholson, Brenda O'Shields, Anne Papay, Dorothy Pappert, Meri Reid, Mike Slaski, Annie Tiernan, Doris Thibodeau & Thomas Zichy.

Please call or email the office to update list.
 828-686-8833, stmmc@charter.net.

Faith Formation Focus

Highlights for May 19, 2021

Parents, This is a guide for you and your children in anticipation of faith formation classes this week. Here are the topics:

	Saint Journal	Memorized Prayer	Memorize the Faith	Rosary Mystery
5th-8th Grade	St. Mary ~ Litany of Mary	Review	Review	2nd Luminous Mystery - Gratitude for gift of faith
K-4th Grade	St. Mary ~ Litany of Mary	Review All Prayers	Four Marks of the Church	2nd Luminous Mystery - Gratitude for gift of faith


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Mass Intentions

Sat 5/15 5:30PM.....† Al Widmayer
 Sun 5/16 8:30AM.....Pro Populo
 11:00AM.....Nancy Neibauer
 1:00PM† Lisa Clancy
 Mon 5/17 7:30AM.....Cherie & Mark Byrd & Family
 Wed 5/19 6:00pm..Edward & Kelly Carroll & Family
 Thur 5/20 7:30AM.....Ty Lenk
 Fri 5/21 7:30AM....† Catherine & Emily Geraghty

Scripture for the Week

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33
 Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a
 Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19
 Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26
 Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19
 Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25
 Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39
 Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; I Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15


 **Mass for US Military**

Very Reverend Monsignor Patrick J. Winslow, V.G., will celebrate a Mass for United States military personnel on Monday, May 31, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. at the Cathedral of Saint Patrick in Charlotte. The Mass and rosary (to be recited at 9:30 a.m.) will be offered for all military personnel who have died or retired and for those who are now serving. An all-American hotdog lunch will be served after Mass. 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 to Michelle Maher, Office of the Bishop, 1123 South Church Street, Charlotte, NC 28203 to be received no later than May 26, 2021.

(Please do not send original photographs as they cannot be returned.)

St. Vincent DePaul Society

 St. Vincent de Paul Society has a new contact phone number. Please make a note of it:
1-800-862-1633
 Your generous support of SVdP helps us to serve those in need throughout our community. Our Poor Boxes are in the church vestibule and in the Overflow Seating doorway. Thank You!
View more information about SVdP at the parish website: saintmmc.com

Condolences

Our prayers and condolences to George Frazier, family and friends on the death of his wife, long-time parishioner, Mary Frazier. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.
May Mary rest in peace with the Lord.

Attention Young Men


Quo Vadis Days is a five-day vocation discernment retreat for young men (ages 15-19) on June 14-18, 2021 at Belmont Abbey College.
 Attention all Catholic young men ages 15-19! Do you know where your life is going? The Lord Jesus has a great plan for you! You are invited to attend the eighth annual Quo Vadis Days camp to spend time with other young men your age looking at the Lord's call in your life. Quo Vadis days provides an effective balance between the activity of a summer camp and the quiet of a retreat. QVD is led by priests and seminarians of the diocese.

Attention Young Women

Attention all Catholic young women ages 15-19! Duc in Altum is a five-day vocation discernment retreat for young women discerning the Lord's call in their lives, June 21-25, 2021 at Belmont Abbey College. Duc In Altum provides an effective balance between the activity of a summer camp and the quiet of a retreat.

The fee for each of these events is \$150. Go to this website for all necessary information, registration forms etc:
www.charlottediocese.org/vocations.
If you are interested in one of these events, pick up a prayer card in the church entrance.

Stewardship

Weekly Offertory needed to meet our annual parish budget: **\$4,520.00**
 Weekly Offering  Offertory May 9, 2021: \$4,449.00
 Online Giving: \$885.00
 Total Offertory: \$5,334.00

Diocesan Support Appeal (DSA)
 Goal: \$29,050. Collected: \$31,191.02
 (80 households participating) **107% of Goal!!**

Offertory checks may be mailed to:
 102 Andrews Place
 Swannanoa, NC 28778
Donate online at: www.saintmmc.com
 Thank you, may God bless you for your generosity!

Schedule for the Week

In General: Church is open for prayer when staff is on campus; if front lights are on, church is open.

- May 17 6:45AM Confessions
 7:30AM Mass
 Church open for prayer
 Office Hours 9:00AM– 2:00PM
- May 18 **OFFICE & CHURCH CLOSED**
- May 19 Church open for prayer
 Office Hours 9:00AM– 2:00PM
 5:15PM Confessions; Mass 6:00PM
 6:45PM Faith Formation
- May 20 6:45AM Confessions
 7:30AM Mass
 Church open for prayer
 Office Hours 9:00AM– 2:00PM
- May 21 6:45AM Confessions
 7:30AM Mass
 Church open for prayer
 Office Hours 9:00AM– 4:00PM
- May 22 4:00PM Confessions
 5:30PM Mass (Social Distancing Enforced)
- May 23 8:30AM (Sung Mass with incense)
 11:00AM (Social Distancing Enforced)
 1:00PM-Español (Sung Mass with incense)

All Masses are livestreamed to our YouTube channel. Go to **saintmmc.com**. Click on "Mass Times & Livestream", scroll down and click "acknowledge and enter livestream"

Maintain distancing at all times in Church, overflow area, and Parish Hall. If occupancy is close to limit, ushers will redirect you to other areas.