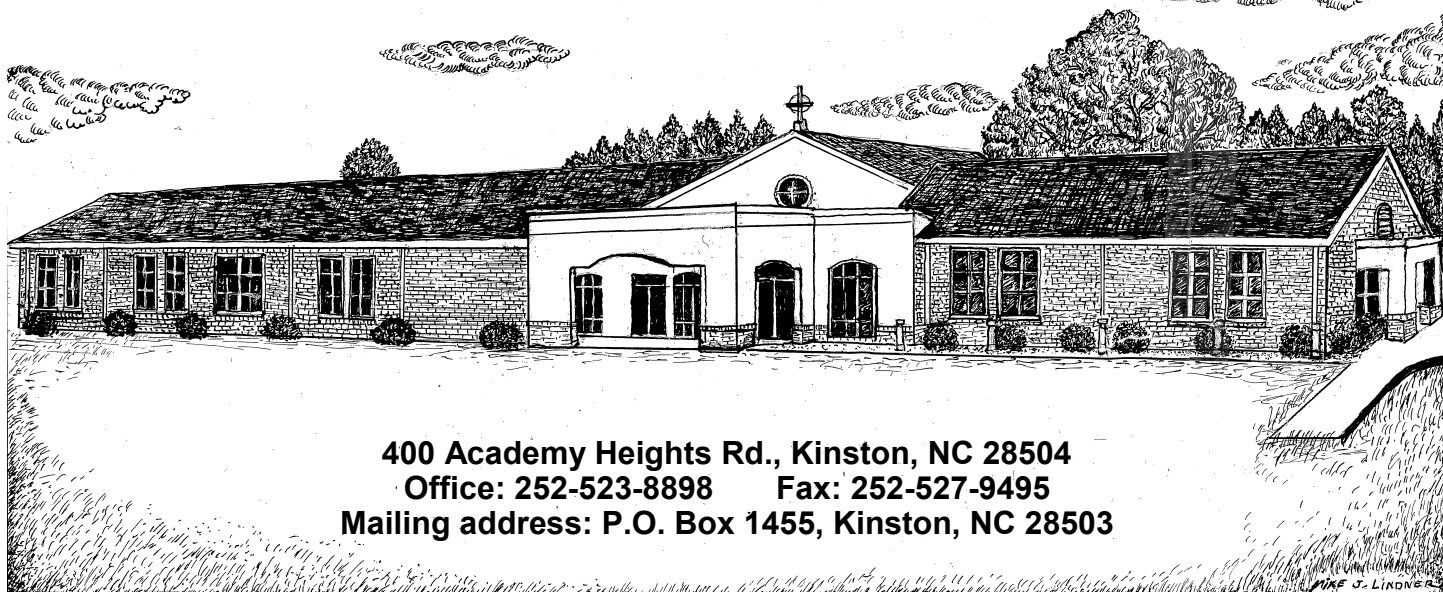


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Mass Schedule

Weekdays:

Tuesday	9:00 AM	English
Thursday	9:00 AM	English

Weekend:

Saturday	4:00 PM	English
Sunday	9:00 AM	English
Sunday	11:30 AM	Español

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday/Sábado: 3:00-3:30 Confession

Any time by appointment with Fr. Yaeger.
Please call the office to schedule appt.

Church Facebook Page

Please visit our Facebook page:
Holy Spirit Kinston NC

SEÑOR, MÁNDAME IR A TI
CAMINANDO SOBRE EL AGUA

19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
AUGUST 9, 2026

XVIII DOMINGO DEL
TIEMPO ORDINARIO
9 DE AGOSTO DE 2026



August 9, 2026
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monthly Intention

August 2026: For evangelization in the city

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness, we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.

Christmas was God *with us*.

Easter was God *for us*.

Pentecost is God *in us*.

Helpful tips:

1. Always carry identification if you are stopped by the police.
2. If you receive a traffic ticket, be sure to pay it before the day of court or pay an attorney to pay on your behalf on the day of court.
3. Make sure everything in your car is in working order, especially the license plate lights, brake lights and turn signals.
4. Do not open the door for strangers, even if they are from ICE, or if they say they have a piece of paper for you. Tell them to put it under the door or leave it outside.
5. Please never drive drunk, if you do and you are stopped you are certain to be deported.

Agosto 9, 2026
XVIII Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Intención Mensual

Agosto 2026: Por la evangelización en la ciudad

Oremos para que en las grandes ciudades, a menudo marcadas por el anonimato y la soledad, encontremos nuevas maneras de proclamar el Evangelio, descubriendo caminos creativos para construir comunidad.

La Navidad era Dios *con nosotros*.

La Pascua fue Dios *para nosotros*.

La Pentecostés es Dios *en nosotros*.

Consejos útiles:

1. Mantener siempre un documento de identificación si es parado por la policía.
2. Si recibe un ticket de tráfico, asegúrese de pagarlo antes del día de la corte, o pague a un abogado para que ellos lo paguen en su nombre el día de la corte.
3. Asegúrese que en su carro todo funcione bien especialmente las luces de la placa del carro, las del freno y las direccionales.
4. No abra la Puerta a desconocidos, aun si es de ICE, o si dicen que tienen un papel para Ud. Dígalos que lo pasen por debajo de la puerta o que lo dejen afuera.
5. Por favor NUNCA, maneje tomado, si lo hace y lo paran es deportación segura.

Parishioners Birthdays in August/Cumpleaños de los Feligreses en Agosto

Armando Baltazar Palacios	8/1	Melinna Vargas	8/11
Brianna Tinajero	8/1	Sean Keenan	8/11
Briseyda Otero Zuñiga	8/2	Manuel Rodriguez	8/12
Heather Matthews	8/2	Natziely Perez Arredondo	8/12
Maria Herrera	8/2	Ava Muskus	8/13
J. Ramirez Esquivel	8/2	Eulises Moreno	8/13
Caressa Tan	8/3	Isai Gonzalez	8/13
Moises Cisneros Perez	8/3	Nicolas Castro Lopez	8/14
Amy Arriaga	8/4	Anthony Borja	8/15
J. Ramos	8/4	Fernando Hernandez Rojo	8/15
Joseph Plasky	8/6	Maria Garcia	8/15
Patricia Guardiola Almanza	8/6		
Antonio Aguilar	8/7		
Alejandro Perez Rocha	8/7		
Hector Macedo Mendez	8/7		
William Hinson	8/8		
Lizbeth Tapia Ahomada	8/11		



Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

For the Weekend of August 2nd, 2026
(Fiscal Year starts July 1st)

1st collection August 3rd, 2025:.....	\$2,448.00
1st collection August 2nd, 2026:.....	\$2,522.00
Accum. 1st collection previous year.....	\$9,899.00
Accum. 1st collection current year.....	\$11,117.00
Maintenance Fund August 2025:.....	\$2,141.00
Maintenance Fund August 2026:.....	\$2,048.00

Next Weekend Second Collection

Name: Outreach Program

Purpose: Monthly effort to raise funds to help the needy in our community.

Type: Parish level (all funds remain in the parish for parish use only).

Second collections are optional. Parishioners are given this choice at the moment of passing the baskets.

Segunda Colecta del Siguiete Domingo

Nombre: Necesitados de la Comunidad

Propósito: Campaña mensual que recoge fondos para ayudar a las personas que vienen a la oficina a pedir ayuda.

Clase: Nivel parroquial (todos los fondos se quedan en la parroquia para su uso exclusivo).

Las segundas colectas son opcionales. A los parroquianos se les da ésta opción al momento en que circula la canasta.



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Food Pantry

We are asking parishioners to please help stock up our pantry to help people in need. The pantry needs rice, dry beans, macaroni and cheese, pastas and can sauce, can meats, cereals, and can fruit. **No** vegetables. Thank you for your gener-



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Colecta de despensa de alimentos

Estamos pidiendo a los feligreses que nos ayuden a llenar nuestra despensa para ayudar a los necesitados. La despensa necesita: arroz, frijoles secos, macarrones con queso, carnes enlatadas, cereales, pastas con salsa enlatada/envasada, y frutas enlatadas. **No** vegetales. Gracias por su generosidad.

Saints of the Week

Monday, August 10th: Saint Lawrence, Deacon, Martyr; died 258; four days after four other deacons and Pope Sixtus II were killed; cared for the temporal welfare of the Roman church; said to have been burned alive on a gridiron; after Sts. Peter and Paul, Lawrence is venerated as patron of Rome.

Tuesday, August 11th: Saint Claire, Virgin; died 1253 at age 59; disciple of St. Francis; founded the Poor Clares whose first convent at Assisi she directed as abbess for forty-two years; led an austere life, rich in the practice of charity and loving care.

Wednesday, August 12th: Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious; died 13 December 1641 at age 69 ; from Dijon; wife of Baron de Chantal and mother of six children, two of whom died at birth; as a widow, with St. Francis de Sales, her spiritual director, she founded in 1610 at Annency in Savoy the Visitation nuns; established some eighty-five monasteries before her death.

Thursday, August 13th: (1) Saint Pontian, Pope and Martyr; died 235; bishop of Rome banished by Maximinius Thrax to Sardinia where he reconciled with Hippolytus; before dying, he abdicated his office (first pope to do so) to make way for his successor, St. Anterus (3 Jan.); buried in the cemetery of Callistus.

(2) Saint Hippolytus, Priest and Martyr; died 235/236 at age 65; disputed author of the *Apostolic Tradition*; Roman priest and stern rigorist; opposed Sabellianism and milder penitential discipline of Pope St. Callistus (14 Oct.); first anti-pope (217-235); exiled to Sardinia with Pontian; source of Eucharistic Prayer II.

Friday, August 14th: Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest, Martyr; died 1941 at age 47 at Auschwitz by lethal injection; born near Lodz, Poland; founded Militia of Mary Immaculate; missioned in Japan; offered his life in exchange for the father of a family.

Saturday, August 15th: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary; the Natale or Dormitio ("Falling-asleep") of Mary came to be celebrated as early as the 5th century in the East and in Rome; patroness of France, Paraguay, Jamaica, South Africa, and New Caledonia.

African American History & Heritage

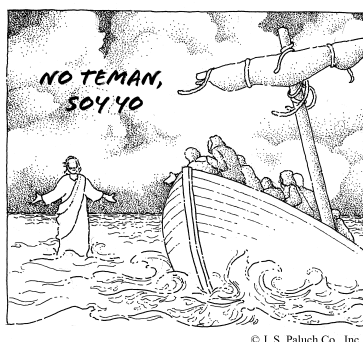
August 11th: Alex Haley, award winning author, *Roots: The Saga of an American Family*, born in Ithaca, NY. – 1921.

August 13th: President Eisenhower established Government Contract Compliance Committee to supervise anti-discrimination regulations in government contracts – 1953



Tue. Aug. 11 † Basil Moots
 Req. by Laura Miller
 Thurs. Aug. 13 † William Hieb
 Req. by B. Hieb
 Parish
 Sat. Aug. 15 George & Patty
 (25th Anniversary)
 Sun. Aug. 16 @ 9:00 am Pastor's Intention
 @ 11:30 am

† Denotes an intention for the deceased



Parish Council news

Parish council is developing fundraisers for example: Christmas ornaments, Church T-shirts with images. Coming this summer. **Next meeting** will be **August 12th** at 7:30 pm, all parishioners are welcome to the meeting.

Noticias del Consejo Parroquial

El consejo parroquial está organizando actividades de recaudación de fondos, como por ejemplo: adornos navideños y camisetas de la iglesia con imágenes. Llegarán este verano. **La próxima junta** será el **12 de agosto** a las 7:30 pm, todos los parroquianos son bienvenidos a la junta.



Faith Formation

Faith Formation registration has started. Please remember to register your child(ren) for the upcoming year.

Catecismo

Registración para el catecismo ya comenzó. Por favor de registrar a su(s) hijo(s) para el próximo año.



Baptism Preparation Class

We will have a baptism preparation class the second Sunday of each month after the Spanish Mass. If you would like to baptize your child please call or stop by the office to register before the date of the class. A copy of the birth certificate is needed!

Clase de Preparación para Bautizo

Tendremos una clase de preparación de bautismo el segundo domingo de cada mes después de la Misa de español. Si desea bautizar a su niño, por favor de llamar o ir a la oficina para registrarse antes del día de la clase. Se necesita una copia del certificado de nacimiento!

Mass Petitions

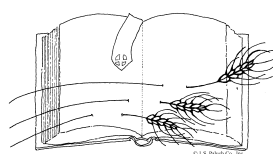
If you would like a Mass for a quinceañera or a wedding, please talk directly to Fr. Joe. There is a form that has to be fill out at the office.

Peticiones de Misas

Si desea una misa para quinceañeros o una boda, por favor de hablar directamente con el padre Joe. Para pedir una misa para quinceañeros o boda se necesita llenar una forma en la oficina.

Pastoral Council News

March and April 2026 Meeting Minutes transcripts are available for parishioners in the atrium.



We kindly ask that you pray for the following parishioners and loved ones: Fr. Bill John, Jean Barber, Aiden Betts, Jerome

Brown, Sheryl Dipnarinesingh, Felix Fernandez, Ana Fostanes, Dennis Goodson, Bryan Hanks, Christy Hardy, Mary Alice Hargitt, Fabian & Joyce Hayden, Maria Herrera, Beth Hill, Felipe Hinojosa, Johnny Hinson, Bryan Hodge, Jamie Hoyt, Richard James, Randy Jarman, Andrew Kasper, Pat Kasprzyk, Shelly King, Sonia Koonce, Colleen Kosinski, Hannah Lassiter, Susan McDonald, Ivory Meadows, Britt Mooring, Patricia Moots, Brandon Morales, Ervin Parker, Jack Purcell, Nelson Raynor, Lisa Ready, Rodolfo Rodriguez, Buddy Rogers, Christine Shannon, Glan Stalnaker, Jean Stalnaker, John & Julie Stowaw, Karen Stubbs, Kathy Sower, Harvey Tyndall, Crystal Wackerson, Tim Warren, Dennis Willis, Beverly Wilson, Matthew Wilson, and Skyler Wood.