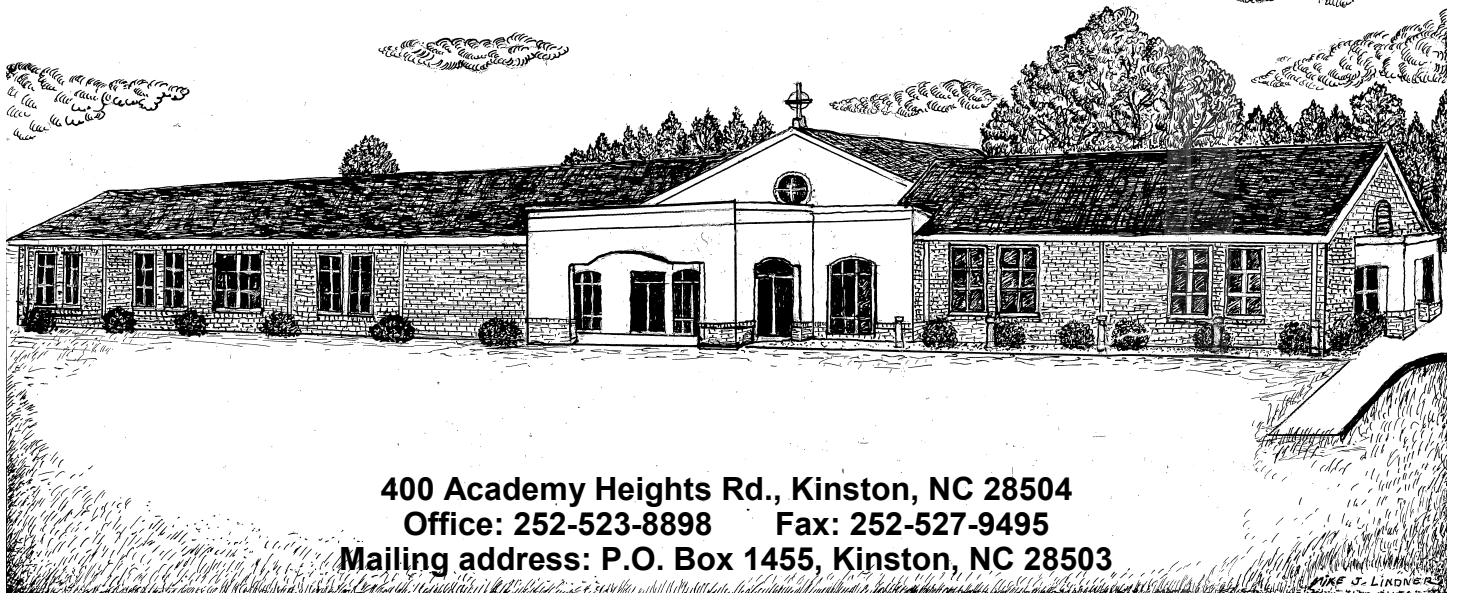


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Mass Schedule

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.

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THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT
DECEMBER 11, 2022

TERCER DOMINGO
DE ADVIENTO
11 DE DICIEMBRE DE 2022



¿ERES TÚ EL QUE HA DE VENIR?

December 11, 2022 Third Sunday of Advent

Community News

Mon. December 12th: Las mañanitas (singing) to our Lady of Guadalupe will be at 5:30 am. Mass will be at 7:00 pm.

Las Posadas, December 16th-24th: is the story of Mary and Joseph seeking shelter for the birth of baby Jesus. Each night is prayer and party time. You don't need to know Spanish to come, you should come. (Fr. Joe said so).

If you would like to receive the weekly church bulletin by email please call the office.



Be patient until the coming of the Lord

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The barren deserts will rejoice and flower. Tired bodies will receive strength. Aching hearts will be made glad (Isaiah 35:1-6a, 10).

Psalm — The Lord saves us when he comes (Psalm 146).

Second Reading — Be patient, for the coming of the Lord is as sure as the rain (James 5:7-10).

Gospel — Tell of what you hear and see: The blind regain their vision, the crippled their movement, the deaf their hearing (Matthew 11:2-11).

Pope's Monthly Intention

December 2022: Volunteer Not-for-Profit Organizations

We pray that volunteer non-profit organizations committed to human development find people dedicated to the common good and ceaselessly seek out new paths to international cooperation.



STOCKING HATS AND SOCKS

Thank you to those who contributed and benefited. We have taken our first round of hats, socks and coats to the homeless shelter. There is a can in the atrium for your donations.

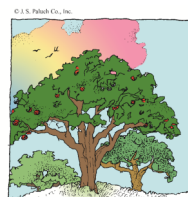
Diciembre 11, 2022 Tercer Domingo de Adviento

Noticias de la Comunidad

Lunes 12 de Diciembre: Las mañanitas a la Virgen de Guadalupe serán a las 5:30 am. La misa será a las 7:00 pm.

Las Posadas serán del 16 de diciembre al 24 de diciembre.

Si le gustaría recibir el boletín semanal de la parroquia por correo electrónico por favor de llamar a la oficina.



Sean pacientes hasta la venida del Señor

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — ¡Estén fuertes, no teman! Su Dios viene a salvarlos. Los redimidos del Señor serán coronados con alegría eterna (Isaías 35:1-6a, 10).

Salmo — El Señor nos salva cuando viene (Salmo 146 [145])

Segunda lectura — Sean también pacientes y valientes porque la venida del Señor está cerca (Santiago 5:7-10).

Evangelio — “¿Eres tú el que debe venir o tenemos que esperar a otro?” Jesús les contestó, “Vayan y cuéntenle a Juan lo que han visto y oído” (Mateo 11:2-11).

Intención Mensual del Papa

Diciembre 2022: Organizaciones voluntarias sin fines de lucro

Oramos para que las organizaciones voluntarias sin fines de lucro comprometidas con el desarrollo humano encuentren personas dedicadas al bien común y busquen incesantemente nuevos caminos hacia la cooperación internacional.



SOMBREROS Y CALCETINES

Gracias a aquellos que contribuyeron y se beneficiaron. Hemos llevado nuestro primer viaje de sombreros, calcetines y chamarras al refugio para los indigentes. Hay un bote en el atrio para sus donaciones.

Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

**For the Weekend of November 27th, 2022
(Fiscal Year starts July 1st)**

1st collection November 28th, 2021:.....	\$1,336.00
1st collection November 27th, 2022:.....	\$1,555.00
Accum. 1st collection previous year.....	\$45,887.00
Accum. 1st collection current year.....	\$42,659.00
Arch for Military Services Nov. 2022:.....	\$376.00

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.



Saints of the Week

Monday, Dec. 12th: Our Lady of Guadalupe; today's feast recalls the apparitions of Mary at the hill of Tepeyac from 9-12 December 1531 to the native convert, St. Juan Diego known to the Aztecs as Tecpatlaxope (or de Guadalupe in Spanish), meaning "she will crush the serpent of stone"; declared Patroness of the Americas by Pope Pius XII and raised to the rank of a Feast for all the countries of the Americas by the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments, 25 March 1999.

Tuesday, Dec. 13th: Saint Lucy, Virgin, Martyr; died probably in Sicily in 304 under Diocletian; because of her name, she is the patroness of those afflicted with diseases of the eye and associated with festivals of light, especially in Scandinavia; patroness of Syracuse and all Sicily.

Wednesday, Dec. 14th: Saint John of the Cross, Doctor of the Church; died 1591 at the age of 49; born in Fontiveros, Spain in 1542; mystic and poet; ally of Teresa of Jesus of Avila in founding the reformed ("Discalced") Carmelite friars; suffered cruel imprisonment and privations by the unreformed Carmelites of the Observance; authored *The Ascent of Mount Carmel*, *The Dark Night of the Soul*, *The Spiritual Canticle*, and *O Flame of Living Love*; known as the "Mystical Doctor"; Discalced Carmelites today number over 4,000 religious.

Christmas Flowers

Donations for Christmas flowers are now accepted. Parishioners who receive offertory envelopes should have received an envelope for this purpose dated December 19th, 2021. This does not mean that there will be a third collection on that date. This envelope may be placed in either collection that weekend or any other day this month. Parishioners who do not receive envelopes may use an "anytime envelope" (located in the atrium and window shelves) for this purpose.

Flores de Navidad

Los parroquianos pueden hacer donaciones para las flores de Navidad. Los parroquianos que reciben sobres por correo para el ofertorio han recibido un sobre para este propósito con fecha 19 de diciembre de 2021. Esto no significa que vaya a haber una tercera colecta en esa fecha. Este sobre puede ser puesto en cualquier colecta ese fin de semana o cualquier otro día del mes. Los parroquianos que no reciben sobres por correo pueden usar un "sobre para donaciones en toda ocasión" para este propósito.

Mass Intentions for the week



- Tue. Dec. 13 † Teddy
 Req. by Jean Peterman
- Thurs. Dec. 15 Open Mass Intention
- Sat. Dec. 17 Parish
- Sun. Dec. 18 † Robert Melton
 Req. by Circle
- † Almas del Purgatorio

† Denotes an intention for the deceased



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!



Food Pantry Drive

We are asking parishioners to bring in the needed items for families that could benefit. The pantry needs: rice, dried beans, macaroni & cheese, can vegetables and meats, cereals, fruit cups, etc. Please place your food items on the kitchen or bring them to the office.

Mass Petitions

If you would like a Mass for a quinceañera, a baptism, or a wedding, please talk to Fr. Joe. Mrs. Patty does not handle that. For a quinceañera, a form has to be fill out at the office.

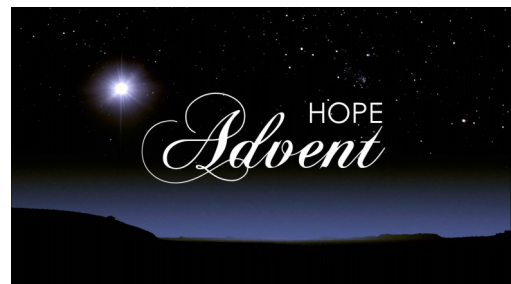
Peticiones de Misas

Si desea una misa para quinceaños, un bautizo, una boda. Por favor de hablar con el padre Joe. Mrs. Patty no esta a cargo de eso. Para pedir una misa para quinceaños se necesita llenar una forma en la oficina.



Colecta de despensa de alimentos

Estamos pidiendo a los feligreses que traigan los artículos necesarios para las familias que podrían beneficiarse. La despensa necesita: arroz, frijoles secos, macarrones con queso, verduras y carnes enlatadas, cereales, copas de frutas, etc. Coloque sus alimentos en la cocina o llévelos a la oficina.



Saturday, December 24th:
 4:00 pm Mass (English)
 7:00 pm Posada and Mass (Spanish)

Sunday, December 25th:
 9:00 am Mass



We kindly ask that you pray for the following parishioners and loved ones:
 Fr. Bill John, Mila Q. Arionday, Jean Barber, Joseph Bennet, Julie Blue, Michael Cannon, Guadalupe Cortez,

Frank Danza, Brenda Edwards, Prisila, Patrick Gallagher, Dennis Goodson, Trey Hamlin, Mary Alice Hargitt, Fabian & Joyce Hayden, Beth Stalnaker Hill, Maria Hill, Johnny Hinson, Baylor Jackson, Richard James, John Jones, Robbie Jones Jr., Bonnie and Andrew Kasper, Shelly King, Beth Kirby, Sonia Koonce, Marie and Mike Lindner, Charles Thomas McDonald, Susan McDonald, Caroline McMahan, Ivory Meadows, Kenny Meeks, Fredrick Miller, Krissy Miller, Benita Parker, Ariana N. Parkman, Jackie Pitt, Genie Register, Herb Register, Gina Riggs, Phil Ryals, Andrew Scarano, Jack Shackelford, Jean Stalnaker, Nathan Stalnaker, Laydon Stanley, Lillian Stogner, John & Julie Stowaw, Karen Stubbs, Linda Tejano, Trista Tyler, Darlene Vaughn, Henry Ward, and Justin Wharton.



Sábado 24 de diciembre:
 4:00 pm Misa (Inglés)
 7:00 pm Posada y Misa (Español)

Domingo 25 de diciembre:
 9:00 am Misa

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For Peace

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