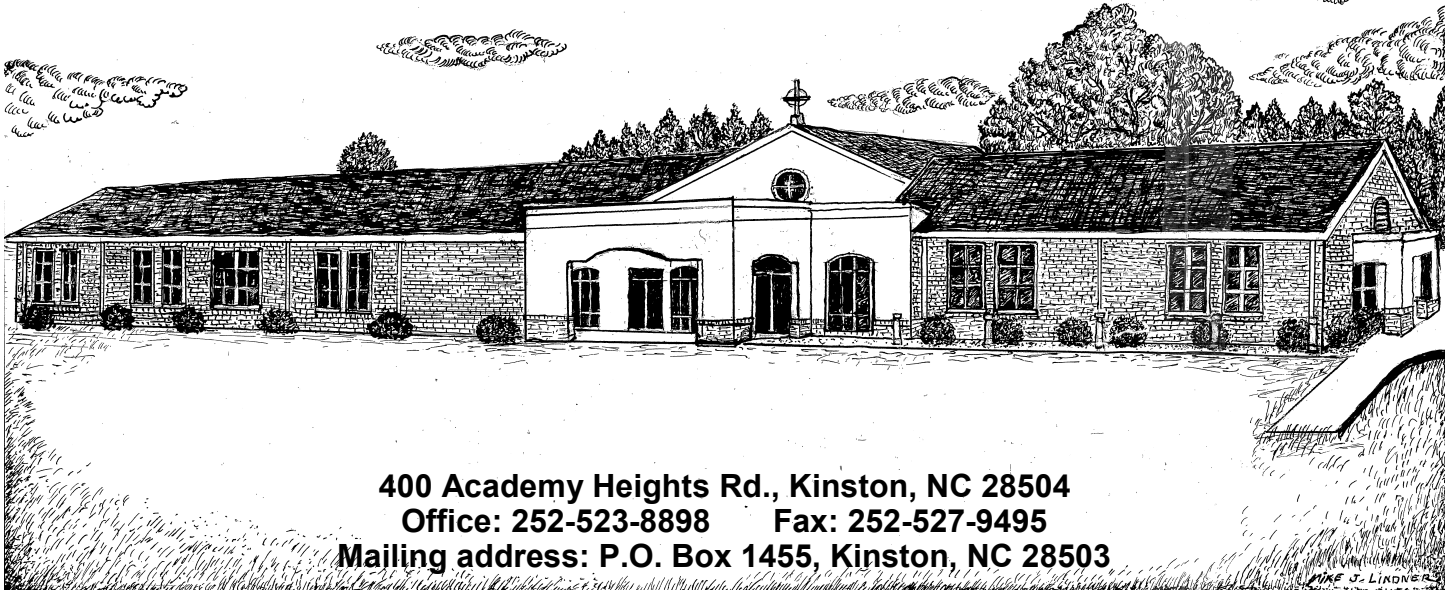


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## Mass Schedule

### Weekdays:

Tuesday	12:00 PM	English
Wednesday	6:30 PM	Spanish
Thursday	9:00 AM	English
Friday	9:00 AM	English

### Weekend:

Saturday	5:00 PM	English
Sunday	9:00 AM	English
Sunday	11:30 AM	Spanish

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday from 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

Or any time by appointment with Fr. Arturo

PENTECOST SUNDAY

JUNE 5TH, 2022

DOMINGO DE PENTECOSTÉS

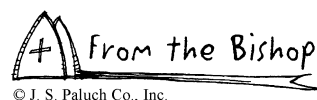
5 DE JUNIO DE 2022

Peace

be with you

LA PAZ ESTÉ CON USTEDES

## June 5, 2022 Pentecost Sunday



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### THE SPIRIT'S ACTIVE POWER

The mystery of the Trinity refers to one God in three persons. We frequently acknowledge Jesus as “the second person of the Trinity,” but referring also to the Spirit as a “person” comes less naturally. In religious art, the Holy Spirit often appears as a dove or, as in today’s reading from the Acts of the Apostles, tongues of fire. Much rarer are images of the Spirit as a “person” in recognizable human form. Today’s readings do not settle the issue of how to picture the Spirit, but they certainly give shape to the Spirit’s active power in the world and in each human heart. In Acts, the Spirit enables people to speak and understand a variety of languages. Paul’s letter to the Corinthians praises the Spirit for all kinds of spiritual gifts, services, and “workings.” Finally, in John’s Gospel, Jesus calls the Spirit our Advocate and our divine teacher.

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### TODAY’S READINGS

**First Reading** — Filled with the Holy Spirit, the apostles begin to speak in tongues (Acts 2:1-11).

**Psalm** — Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth (Psalm 104).

**Second Reading** — In one Spirit we are baptized into one body and given to drink of one Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13) or Romans 8:8-17.

**Gospel** — Jesus Christ appears to the disciples and sends them on their mission with the power to forgive or retain sins through the Holy Spirit (John 20:19-23) or John 14:15-16, 23b-26.

### Pope’s Monthly Intention

#### June 2022: Elderly

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

My Brothers and Sisters,

While we have been given the gift of life by our Creator and the teachings of the Church that each life is sacred, we are every day reminded that we live in a world in which life is taken for granted or even disregarded.

When violence affects the “stranger” or the “invisible” it makes it easier for us to ignore it or think it does not exist. In many ways we are distanced from this culture of death. Sometimes, however, we see firsthand, most notably when young school children are senselessly murdered, that we are living in a culture that has become an offense to God and to one another in this way.

We have also learned that these challenges do not improve when we face them in isolation. While many of us have recently welcomed a return to being surrounded by a loving community, so many others may never have the experience to be cared for, welcomed, or loved by a family or neighbor.

Each one of us has a responsibility to address these evils and to support one another in overcoming them. We are called to be instruments of healing and ambassadors of reconciliation to one another. True healing comes from the one who created us; we cannot truly heal ourselves. In the midst of crisis, when we ask, “Why?” or “Where to?” we must look to Christ and where he leads us.

There are many steps that can be taken to address violence, mental health issues and divisions among us which prevent us from bettering our culture. The path forward is one of love. When we treat the “other” as our neighbor we will help them find hope and acceptance. Together we will find hope in this way, by loving one another as God has loved us.

Please join me in praying for the dead and for their grieving families, and for those who are lonely, angry, isolated and lost.

In Christ,

† Luis Rafael Zarama, J.C.L.  
Bishop of Raleigh



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### SMALL PLEASURES

Little things seem nothing, but they give peace, like those meadow flowers which individually seem odorless but all together perfume the air.

—Georges Bernanos

## Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

**For the Weekend of May 22nd, 2022  
(Fiscal Year starts July 1st)**

1st collection May 23rd, 2021:.....	\$1,644.00
1st collection May 22nd, 2022:.....	\$1,227.00
Accum. 1st collection previous year.....	\$75,493.00
Accum. 1st collection current year.....	\$98,729.60
Outreach Program May 2021:.....	\$249.00
Outreach Program May 2022:.....	\$162.00

## Next Weekend Second Collection

**Name:** Emergency Fund

**Purpose:** Frequent effort to raise funds to set aside in order to cover parish unexpected expenses and to reduce the need to withdraw from savings or to borrow.

**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:** Fondo de Emergencia

**Propósito:** Colecta frecuente que recoge fondos para ser ahorrados a fin de pagar los gastos inesperados de la parroquia y para reducir la necesidad de gastar ahorros o hacer préstamos.

**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 a momento en que circula la canasta.

## Fruits of the Holy Spirit

When people receive the Holy Spirit, they are empowered to produce what are called the “fruits” of the Holy Spirit.

According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church, the fruits of the Holy Spirit are:

- Charity
- Chastity
- Faithfulness
- Generosity
- Gentleness
- Goodness
- Joy
- Kindness
- Modesty
- Patience
- Peace
- Self-control



## Saints of the Week

**Thursday, June 9th:** Saint Ephrem, deacon, Doctor of the Church; died 373 at age 67; Syrian theologian and poet who authored biblical commentaries, homilies, and composed many hymns still used today by the Syriac liturgy; founded a theological school at Nisbis; lived in Edessa (in Mesopotamia); known as the “harp of the Spirit”.

**Saturday, June 11th:** Saint Barnabas, Apostle; died 1st century; preached the gospel in Antioch; companion of St. Paul; attended the Council of Jerusalem; martyred on, and patron of the island of his birth, Cyprus; mentioned in the Roman Canon.

## African American History & Heritage

**June 8th:** U.S. Supreme Court outlawed discrimination in Washington, DC restaurants - 1953

**June 11th:** University of Alabama is forced to desegregate and enrolls its first two African-American students, Vivian Malone and James A. Hood - 1963

## Pentecost

The first Pentecost was a reversal of what happened at the tower of Babel.

In the story of the Tower of Babel, the diversity of languages prevented people from understanding one another. At Pentecost, the diversity of languages presented no obstacle to understanding. At Babel, diversity prevented unity of hearts and minds. At Pentecost, diversity did not hinder unity of heart and minds.

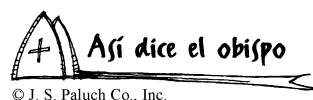
Consider the root meaning of the word catholic. It comes from the Greek word referring to something that has a universal application. For example, the law of gravity would be a catholic principle — it is universal, it applies to all situations.

In Christianity, catholic means that the Gospels’ teachings and values are universal. They can enrich every facet of human life — for young and old, for every culture, for every unique individual. Everyone doesn’t have to be the same in order to be Christian.

The Word of God is meant to be like yeast, like salt, like light — going forth and enriching, affecting all human life. Unity is not achieved by huddling together. It is achieved by letting the Spirit of God blow where it will, letting it shine forth throughout the earth, throughout various cultures and age groups.

The Feast of Pentecost is a feast of catholicity. It celebrates the capacity of the Spirit to reach out to everything, and to unite hearts and minds that come from many places.

## 5 de Junio de 2022 Domingo de Pentecostés



### EL PODER ACTIVO DEL ESPÍRITU

El misterio de la Trinidad se refiere a un Dios en tres personas. Con frecuencia reconocemos a Jesús como “la segunda persona de la Trinidad”, pero también referirse al Espíritu como una “persona” parece menos natural. En el arte religioso cristiano, el Espíritu Santo a menudo se le representa como una paloma, o como en la lectura de hoy de los Hechos de los Apóstoles, como lenguas de fuego. Son menos frecuentes las imágenes del Espíritu como una “persona” reconocible en forma humana. Las lecturas de hoy no resuelven el tema de cómo representar al Espíritu, pero ciertamente dan forma al poder activo del Espíritu en el mundo y en cada corazón humano. En los Hechos de los Apóstoles, el Espíritu hace posible que las personas hablen y entiendan diversas lenguas. La carta de Pablo a los corintios alaba al Espíritu por todo tipo de dones espirituales, servicios y “obras”. Por último, en el Evangelio de Juan, Jesús llama al Espíritu nuestro abogado y nuestro maestro divino.

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### LECTURAS DE HOY

**Primera lectura** — Llenos del Espíritu Santo, los apóstoles empezaron a hablar en lenguas (Hch 2:1-11).

**Salmo** — Envía tu Espíritu, Señor, y repuebla la faz de la tierra (Salmo 104 [103]).

**Segunda lectura** — Fuimos bautizados en el Espíritu para formar un sólo cuerpo (1 Corintios 12:3b-7, 12-13) o Romanos 8:8-17.

**Evangelio** — Jesús se aparece a los discípulos y los envía en su misión con el poder de perdonar o retener los pecados mediante el Espíritu Santo (Juan 20:19-23) o Juan 14:15-16, 23b-26.

### Intención Mensual del Papa

#### Junio 2022: Ancianos

Oramos por las familias cristianas de todo el mundo; para que encarnen y experimenten el amor incondicional y avancen en la santidad en su vida diaria.

Mis hermanos y hermanas,

Si bien nuestro Creador nos ha dado el regalo de la vida y las enseñanzas de la Iglesia de que cada vida es sagrada, todos los días se nos recuerda que vivimos en un mundo en el que la vida se da por sentada o incluso se ignora.

Cuando la violencia afecta al “extraño” o al “invisible” nos facilita ignorarla o pensar que no existe. En muchos sentidos estamos distanciados de esta cultura de muerte. A veces, sin embargo, vemos de primera mano, sobre todo cuando los niños en edad escolar son asesinados sin sentido, que estamos viviendo en una cultura que se ha convertido en una ofensa a Dios y a los demás de esta manera.

También hemos aprendido que estos desafíos no mejoran cuando los enfrentamos de manera aislada. Si bien muchos de nosotros hemos acogido recientemente el regreso a estar rodeados por una comunidad amorosa, es posible que muchos otros nunca tengan la experiencia de ser cuidados, bienvenidos o amados por una familia o un vecino.

Cada uno de nosotros tiene la responsabilidad de abordar estos males y apoyarnos unos a otros para superarlos. Estamos llamados a ser instrumentos de sanación y embajadores de reconciliación entre nosotros. La verdadera curación viene de quien nos creó; realmente no podemos curarnos a nosotros mismos. En medio de la crisis, cuando preguntamos, “¿Por qué?” o “¿Adónde?” debemos mirar a Cristo y hacia dónde nos lleva.

Hay muchos pasos que se pueden tomar para abordar la violencia, los problemas de salud mental y las divisiones entre nosotros que nos impiden mejorar nuestra cultura. El camino a seguir es uno de amor. Cuando tratamos al “otro” como nuestro prójimo, lo ayudaremos a encontrar esperanza y aceptación. Juntos encontraremos esperanza de esta manera, amándonos unos a otros como Dios nos ha amado.

Únase a mí para orar por los muertos y sus familias en duelo, y por aquellos que están solos, enojados, aislados y perdidos.

En Cristo,

† Luis Rafael Zarama  
Obispo de Raleigh





Tue. June 7	Open Mass Intention
Wed. June 8	Open Mass Intention
Thurs. June 9	Open Mass Intention
Fri. June 10	Open Mass Intention
Sat. June 11	† Giselle Owens Req. by Ron Owens Parishioners
Sun. June 12	Open Mass Intention

† Denotes an intention for the deceased

### Father's Day Cards

Father's Day Spiritual Bouquets are available in the atrium. The outer envelope is to be returned to the parish office with the name(s) of the man (or men) living or deceased that parishioners would like to be remembered at the Masses on Father's Day. Parishioners keep the inner envelope with card and may give or mail them to the person(s) or relative(s) you ask to be remembered at Mass.

### Sobres del Día del Padre

Los sobres del día del Padre están disponibles en el atrio. El sobre de afuera debe ser regresado a la oficina parroquial con el nombre(s) del hombre (u hombres) vivos o fallecidos que los parroquianos les gustaría que sean recordados en las Misas el día del Padre. Los parroquianos se quedan con el sobre de adentro y la tarjeta es para dársela o enviarla a la persona o familiar que ustedes piden ser recordados en la Misa.



### Graduation Recognition

Parents with High School and/or College students who are graduating this year are asked to please inform the office about graduation. We would like to recognize these students during a Mass on Sunday in June.

### Misa de Graduación

Se les pide a los padres con estudiantes de preparatoria y de universidad que se gradúan este año que informen a la oficina sobre la graduación. Nos gustaría felicitar a estos estudiantes durante la misa un domingo de junio.

## The Word Among Us

Grow closer to God this Summer! Pick up a copy of the devotional publication *The Word Among Us* and spend a few minutes each day reflecting on the word of God and applying it to your daily life.

Copies are located at the church exits.

*The Word Among Us* includes:

- A daily meditation, based on one of the Mass readings, that will help you understand the Scriptures and lead you into prayer.
- Articles to help you grow in your Catholic faith and walk with the Lord in everyday life.
- Inspiring witnesses by everyday people about how God has worked powerfully in their lives.

Upcoming issues include:

- June: The gift of the Eucharist
- July: Finding peace in the midst of life's trials
- September: The dignity of every human person, created in God's image and likeness

Be sure to pick up a copy as each issue becomes available so you can experience the joy of hearing from God each day!



### Pastoral Council News

April 2022 Meeting Minutes transcripts are available for parishioners in the atrium.



Remember the Sick

We kindly ask that you pray for the following parishioners and loved ones: Mila Q. Arionday, Jean Barber, Joseph Bennet, Julie Blue, Michael Cannon, Guadalupe Cortez, Frank Danza, Brenda Edwards, Patrick Gallagher, Trey Hamlin, Mary Alice Hargitt, Fabian & Joyce Hayden, Beth Stalnaker Hill, Maria Hill, Johnny Hinson, Baylor Jackson, John Jones, Bonnie and Andrew Kasper, Joyce Kellum, Beth Kirby, Sonia Koonce, Maria and Mike Lindner, Charles Thomas McDonald, Susan McDonald, Caroline McMahon, Ivory Meadows, Robert Melton, Fredrick Miller, Krissy Miller, Benita Parker, Ariana N. Parkman, Jackie Pitt, Genie Register, Herb Register, Gina Riggs, Phil Ryals, Andrew Scarano, Jean Stalnaker, Laydon Stanley, Lillian Stogner, John & Julie Stowawy, Karen Stubbs, Trista Tyler, Darlene Vaughn, Henry Ward, and Justin Wharton.

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