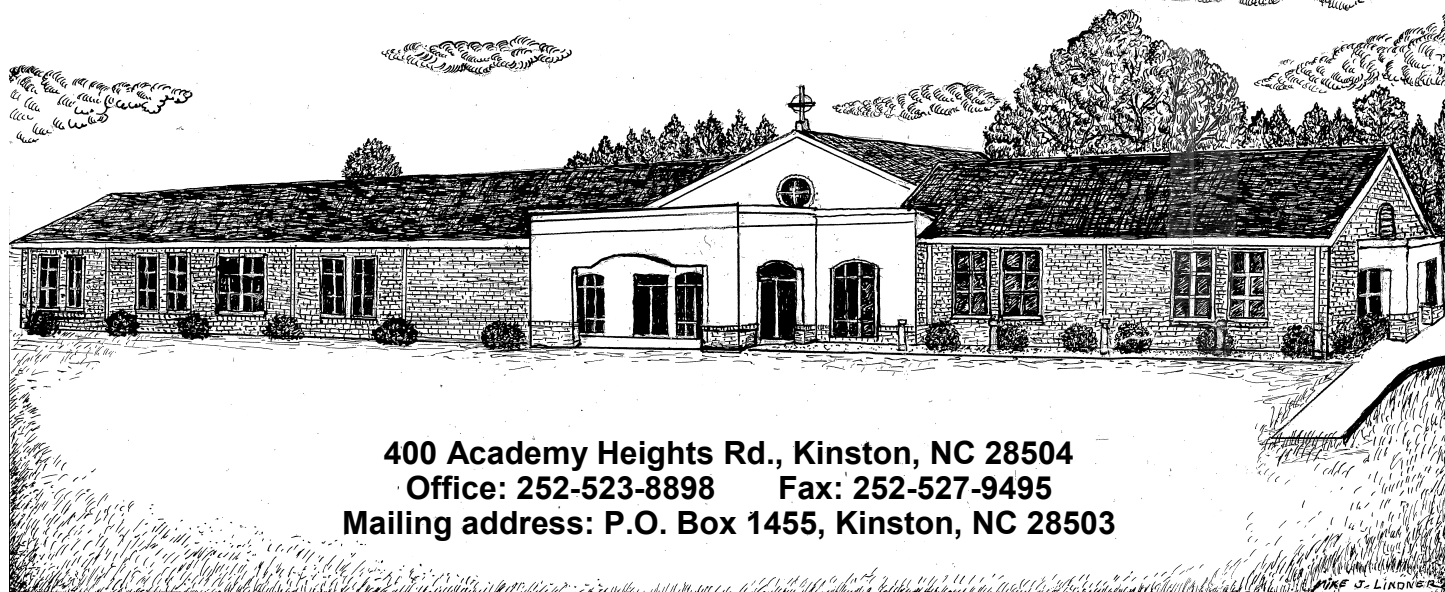


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Mass Schedule

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

20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
AUGUST 16, 2026

XX DOMINGO DEL
TIEMPO ORDINARIO
16 DE AGOSTO DE 2026



MUJER, QUÉ GRANDE ES TU FE

August 16, 2026
20th 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 16, 2026
XX 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.

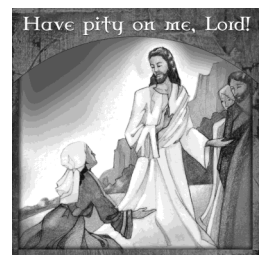
La Navidad era Dios *con nosotros*.
La Pascua fue Dios *para nosotros*.
La Pentecostés es Dios *en nosotros*.

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. Dígales 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

Briana Baltazar	8/17	Frederick Miller	8/26
Maryland Baltazar	8/17	Arisbeth Lara Soto	8/27
Alberto Valle-Baltazar	8/18	Jaquelin Villaseñor-Villa	8/27
Gianna Rueda-San Juan	8/18	Jose Guzman	8/27
Juan Arias-Mondragon	8/18	Julian Mata Rodriguez	8/27
Fr. Joe Yaeger	8/19	Myrka Rojas Baten	8/27
Flavio Ramirez-Rubio	8/19	Yael Ramirez Rico	8/27
Jesus Vasquez	8/20	Andrea Trejo-Irineo	8/30
Lizeth Ramirez-Benitez	8/20	Froylan Jr. Perez-Ramirez	8/30
Agustin Espino	8/21	Samuel Cordova	8/30
Laura Miller	8/21	Miguel Rodriguez	8/31
Sofia Gonzalez-Robles	8/21		
Victor Aldana	8/21		
Israel Rocha-Olarte	8/22		
Katie Garcia-Miranda	8/23		
Luis Figueroa	8/24		
Antonio Lara-Soto	8/25		
Alondra Rodriguez	8/26		



Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

**For the Weekend of August 9th, 2026
(Fiscal Year starts July 1st)**

1st collection August 10th, 2025:.....\$1,305.00
1st collection August 9th, 2026:.....\$1,240.00
Accum. 1st collection previous year.....\$11,204.00
Accum. 1st collection current year.....\$12,357.00
Emergency Fund August 2026:.....\$795.00

No Second Collection Next Weekend

We will only have one collection next weekend. Please consider giving a little more to this collection. Thank you!

No Habrá Segunda Colecta la Próxima Semana

Solo tendremos una colecta la próxima semana. Por favor considere dar un poco más a esta colecta. Gracias!



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-



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

Wednesday, August 19th: Saint John Eudes, Priest; died 1680 at age 79; founded (1643) the Congregation of Jesus and Mary ("Eudists," today numbering about 470 religious), for training the clergy; also founded the Sisters of the Good Shepherd to assist morally endangered women, especially prostitutes; promoted cult to the Hearts of Jesus and Mary.

Thursday, August 20th: Saint Bernard, Abbot, Doctor of the Church; died 1153 at age 63; Cistercian abbot of Clairvaux; reformer and spiritual author; preached against the Albigensians; founded sixty-eight monasteries; preached the Second Crusade; denounced injustice and worked for peace; known as *Doctor mellifluus*; patron of Gibraltar.

Friday, August 21st: Saint Pius X, Pope; died 20 August 1914 at age 79; undertook liturgical and canonical reforms especially communion for children and frequent communion for adults; condemned Modernism; wished "to renew all things in Christ"; patron of sick pilgrims.

Saturday, August 22nd: The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary; today's Memorial, prescribed in 1954 by Pope Pius XII for 31 May, is now fittingly celebrated on the octave today of the Assumption.



We wish Fr. Joe a Happy and Blessed Birthday!

African American History & Heritage

August 18th: The first Black person admitted to the University of Mississippi, James Meredith, graduates from University of Mississippi, 1963

August 20th: The first twenty Africans brought to Jamestown, Virginia as slaves - 1619

August 21st: Nat Turner leads a slave revolt in Southampton, Virginia - 1831



Tue. Aug. 18	Pastor's Intention
Thurs. Aug. 20	† Faithful Departed
Sat. Aug. 22	Pastor's Intention
Sun. Aug. 23 @ 9:00 am	Rick & Laura Miller
@ 11:30 am	Req. by Family
	Parish

† 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.

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.



Faith Formation

Faith Formation registration will continue throughout the month of August after each Mass.

Catecismo

Las inscripciones para el Catecismo continuaran durante el mes de Agosto después de cada Misa.



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

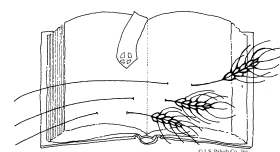
If you would like a Mass for a quinceañera or a wedding, please talk directly to Fr. Joe. There is a form that has to be fill out at the office.

Peticiones de Misas

Si desea una misa para quinceaños o una boda, por favor de hablar directamente con el padre Joe. Para pedir una misa para quinceaños 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 Stowawy, Karen Stubbs, Kathy Sower, Harvey Tyndall, Crystal Wackerson, Tim Warren, Dennis Willis, Beverly Wilson, Matthew Wilson, and Skyler Wood.