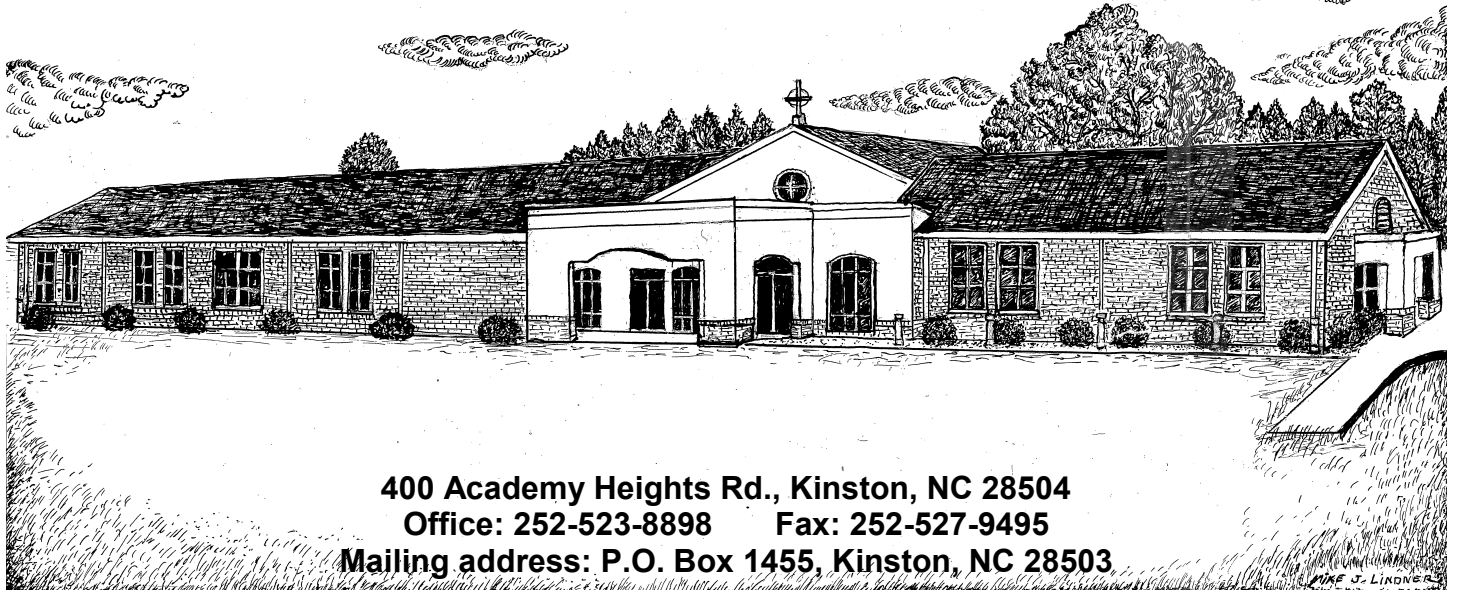


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Mass Schedule

Weekdays*:

Tuesday	12:00 PM	English
Wednesday	6:30 PM	Spanish
Thursday	6:30 PM	English
Friday	8:30 AM	English

Weekend:

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

*See inside Mass Intentions list for cancellations.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

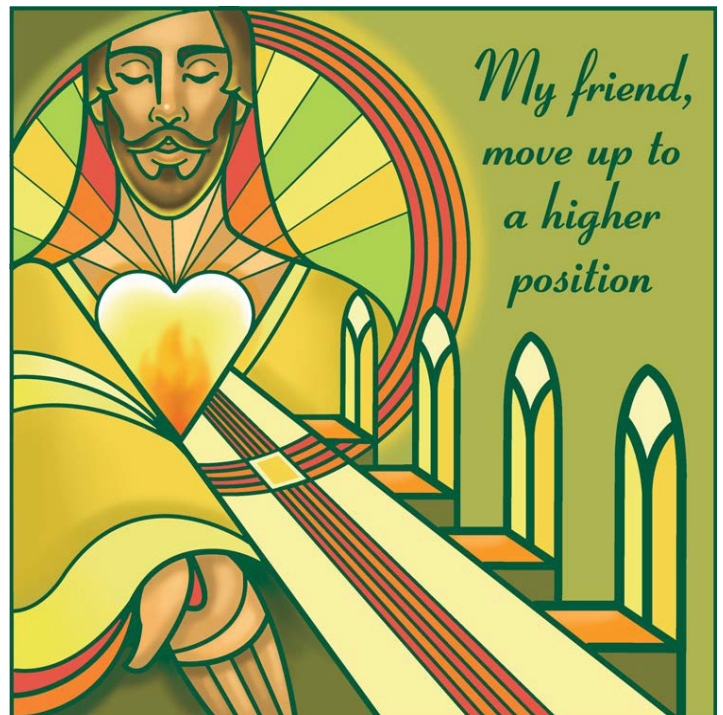
Saturday from 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

Wednesday & Thursday
from 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Or any time by appointment with Fr. Arturo

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY
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SEPTEMBER 1ST 2019

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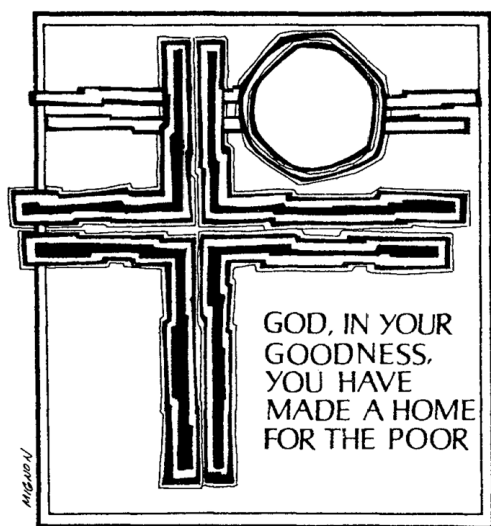
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CABECERA

September 1, 2019 Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

HUMILITY

Humility is a virtue we don't see much in our times. It seems that bragging, swaggering, and arrogance dominate our fashion for everything and our Internet conversations. Who hasn't been irritated by the "trolls" who try (usually with bad grammar and poor spelling) to start an online fight with those whose opinions do not align with theirs? Our stores, catalogs, and online shopping sites are full of useless items geared in use and price to the very rich, as ordinary, useful things seem to fade off the sales scene. As the rich get richer, the poor get poorer and the middle class is fading away. What is the antidote to this? Humility is a good place to start. Devotion to God is worth more than riches. "The father of orphans and the defender of widows is God in his holy dwelling. God gives a home to the forsaken; [God] leads forth prisoners to prosperity."

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Conduct your affairs with humility (Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29).

Psalm — God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor (Psalm 68).

Second Reading — You have approached the city of the living God (Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a).

Gospel — Those who humble themselves will be exalted (Luke 14:1, 7-14).

Pope's Monthly Intention

September 2019:

The Protection of the Oceans

That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

From the Pastor

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Dear Parishioners,

The summer vacations come to an end with this Labor Day weekend. Schools' classes have already started and many families are back in town resuming their regular lives. Parishes also resume their regular functioning with teaching and ministry programs and committees and groups meetings.

I would like to welcome back all the parishioners who were away during the summer break. Our Faith Formation program will start on Sunday September 8th. Along with Maria Jones, the Director of Religious Education, I am very excited about the classes that we are about to begin. We hope we would be able to serve many of the children in the parish and help parents in this very important task of training the children in the faith.

I look forward to this new school year as a new year of blessing for all.

Sincerely, Fr. Arturo

Our Lord's Humility

(From the Catechism of the Catholic Church)

525. Jesus was born in a humble stable, into a poor family. Simple shepherds were the first witnesses to this event. In this poverty heaven's glory was made manifest.

559. Although Jesus had always refused popular attempts to make him king, he chooses the time and prepares the details for his messianic entry into the city of "his father David". Acclaimed as son of David, as the one who brings salvation, the "King of glory" enters his City "riding on an ass". Jesus conquers the Daughter of Zion, a figure of his Church, neither by ruse nor by violence, but by the humility that bears witness to the truth. And so the subjects of his kingdom on that day are children and God's poor, who acclaim him as had the angels when they announced him to the shepherds.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament



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Friday, September 6th, from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm. A sign-up sheet is located in the atrium for anyone who would like to volunteer to spend some time in adoration. Parishioners can sign up for one or more 30 minute segments. Someone must be present in front of the Blessed Sacrament while it is exposed.

Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

For the Weekend of August 18th, 2019

(Fiscal Year starts July 1st)

1st collection August 19th, 2018:.....	\$1,656.00
1st collection August 18th, 2019:.....	\$1,679.00
Accum. 1st collection previous year.....	\$13,028.00
Accum. 1st collection current year.....	\$10,794.00
Accum. Operation income* previous year.....	\$21,039.00
Accum. Operation income* current year.....	\$18,735.00
Outreach Fund on August 2018.....	\$534.00
Outreach Fund on August 2019.....	\$675.00

*Moneys non-restricted for regular parish functioning
(includes first collection)

Next Weekend Second Collection

Name: Catholic University

Purpose: To provide funding for academic scholarships.

Type: National level (all funds are sent to the Conference of Bishops for distribution; small donations like \$1.00-\$2.00 go a long way in this nationwide pool of donors). Second collections are optional. Parishioners are given this choice at the moment of passing the baskets.

Segunda Colecta del siguiente Domingo

Nombre: La Universidad Católica de los Estados Unidos

Propósito: Conceder becas para estudios académicos.

Clase: Nivel nacional (todos los fondos son enviados a la Conferencia de Obispos para ser distribuidos; donaciones pequeñas como \$1.00-\$2.00 contribuyen a una colecta grande a nivel nacional).

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

Back to School Supplies



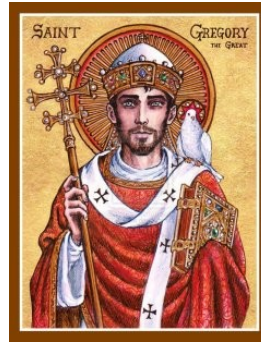
It's that time of year again! While you are out shopping, please consider picking up a few school supplies for our parish children. We will be collecting supplies to donate to the students in our parish. Or make a monetary donation towards supplies or school fees. If you have any questions or would like to

donate supplies please contact the office.

The students are in great need of: pens (black, blue, red), stick glue, erasers, notebook paper, composition notebooks, folders (all types), spiral notebooks, three ring binders, colored pencils, lined index cards, pencils, bottled glue, markers, etc.

Saints of the Week

Tuesday, Sept. 3rd: Saint Gregory the Great, Pope, Doctor of the Church; died 12 March 604; prefect of Rome; papal legate to Constantinople; as pope, noted for liturgical reform and chant; sent missionaries to England; wrote on many moral and theological subjects (e.g., *Moralia on Job, Dialogues, and Pastoral Rule*); one of the four great doctors of the Latin Church; called himself the “*servus servorum Dei*”; patron saint of music.



Parish Council Meeting

The Parish Council will meet on Tuesday, September 10th at 7:00 pm in the conference room. Meeting is open to all parishioners.

Treasures from our Tradition

The readings today center on mindfulness, awareness of where we stand in God's plan. The mountain of Sinai carries a message of the majesty and distance of God, while Jesus' presence as host of the banquet speaks of intimacy and mystery. September's shadow calls us all to mindfulness as we prepare to return to life outside of summer. The Christian life holds these two places of knowledge of God in careful balance. Even in the accounts of the Passion we see the table of the upper room in balance with the Mount of Olives.

Altar means “high place,” yet it is also a table. The former liturgy of the Latin Rite began with the priest bowing at the foot of the altar's three steps, chanting *Introibo ad altare Dei*, or “I will go to the altar of God,” followed by the altar servers' response, “The God who gives joy to my youth.” Many parishioners can recall and recite this scene by heart. As with so many things in liturgy, there are layers of meaning in our worship. The altar table evokes memories of the high places once reserved for encounter with the holy, and the intimacy of the table where hospitality draws us to share food and drink.

African American History & Heritage

Sept. 3rd: Frederick Douglass escapes from slavery—1838.

Sept. 5th: “Pap” Singleton leaves Tennessee with 73 African-Americans to establish Singleton's colony in Kansas—1877.

1 de septiembre de 2019

Vigésimo Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

LA HUMILDAD

La humildad es una virtud que no vemos mucho en estos días. Parece que la vanidad, la prepotencia y la arrogancia dominan nuestras costumbres de todo y en nuestras conversaciones en Internet. ¿Quién no se ha molestado por los *trolls* de quienes intentan (por lo general con una mala gramática y falta de ortografía) empezar una pelea con aquellas personas que no coinciden con sus opiniones? Nuestras tiendas, catálogos y tiendas virtuales en línea están llenas de cosas inútiles destinados al uso y por el precio a los ricos, en tanto las cosas ordinarias parecen desaparecer de esos lugares de venta. A medida que los ricos se hacen más ricos, los pobres se van haciendo más pobres y la clase media va desapareciendo. ¿Cuál es el antídoto para esto? La humildad es un buen lugar para empezar. La devoción a Dios vale mucho más que todas las riquezas. "Padre de huérfanos, protector de viudas, Dios vive en su santa morada, Dios prepara casa a los desvalidos, libera a los cautivos y los enriquece".

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Maneja tus asuntos con humildad (Sirácide 3:17-18, 20, 28-29).

Salmo — Dios da libertad y riqueza a los cautivos (Salmo 68 [67]).

Segunda lectura — Te has acercado a Jesús, el mediador de una nueva alianza (Hebreos 12:18-19, 22-24a).

Evangelio — Los que se humillan serán ensalzados (Lucas 14:1, 7-14).

La Intención Mensual del Papa Septiembre 2019:

La protección de los océanos

Para que políticos, científicos y economistas trabajen juntos para proteger los mares y océanos del mundo.

Notas del Párroco

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Apreciados Parroquianos,

Las vacaciones de verano terminan con este fin de semana del Día del Trabajo. Las clases de las escuelas ya han comenzado y muchas familias están de vuelta en la ciudad reanudando sus vidas normales. Las parroquias también reanudan su funcionamiento regular con programas de enseñanza y ministerio, y comités y reuniones de grupos.

Me gustaría dar la bienvenida a todos los feligreses que estuvieron fuera durante las vacaciones de verano. Nuestro programa de Formación de Fe comenzará el domingo 8 de septiembre. Junto con Maria Jones, Directora de Educación Religiosa, estoy muy entusiasmado con las clases que estamos por comenzar. Esperamos poder servir a muchos de los niños en la parroquia y ayudar a los padres en esta tarea tan importante de entrenar a los niños en la fe.

Espero que este nuevo año escolar sea un nuevo año de bendición para todos.

Cordialmente, Padre Arturo

La Humildad de Nuestro Señor

(Del Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica)

525. Jesús nació en la humildad de un establo, de una familia pobre; unos sencillos pastores son los primeros testigos del acontecimiento. En esta pobreza se manifiesta la gloria del cielo.

559. Jesús rehuyó siempre las tentativas populares de hacerle rey pero elige el momento y prepara los detalles de su entrada mesiánica en la ciudad de "David, su padre". Es aclamado como hijo de David, el que trae la salvación. Pues bien, el "Rey de la Gloria" entra en su ciudad "montado en un asno" no conquista a la hija de Sión, figura de su Iglesia, ni por la astucia ni por la violencia, sino por la humildad que da testimonio de la Verdad. Por eso los súbditos de su Reino, aquel día fueron los niños y los "pobres de Dios", que le aclamaban como los ángeles lo anunciaron a los pastores.

Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento



El viernes 6 de septiembre de las 9:00am a las 6:00pm. Una hoja para anotarse está localizada en el atrio para los que quieran pasar algún tiempo en adoración. Parroquianos pueden anotarse para uno o más segmentos de 30 minutos. Alguien tiene que estar presente mientras el Santísimo Sacramento está expuesto.



Tue. September 3	12:00 pm	†Robert Jacobs Req. by Jean Peterman
Wed. September 4	6:30 pm	Open Mass Intention
Thurs. September 5	6:30 pm	Open Mass Intention
Fri. September 6	8:30am	Open Mass Intention
Sat. September 7	5:00 pm	†Armin Miller Req. by Siglinda Miller
Sun. September 8	9:00 am	†Mary Kuzdenyi Req. by Rose Hamlin
	11:30 am	Holy Spirit Parishioners

† Denotes an intention for the deceased

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) will be starting on Sunday, September 8th during each Sunday Mass. After opening prayer, children will be called up to be escorted out to Room 1 by the catechist. Children will be escorted back to Mass during the Presentation of the Gifts. All children ages 4-8 are invited to attend. Mrs. Laura Key, our 1st Grade Catechist, will be the instructor for this program during the 9:00am Mass.

Liturgia Infantil de la Palabra

La Liturgia de la Palabra de los Niños comenzará el domingo 8 de septiembre durante cada misa dominical. Después de la oración de apertura, el catequista llamará a los niños para que los acompañe a la sala 1. Los niños serán acompañados de regreso a Misa durante la presentación de las ofrendas. Todos los niños de 4 a 8 años están invitados a asistir. La Señora Patty Keesee será la maestra de este programa durante el Misa de 11:30am.

Daycare at the Spanish Mass

We will be opening our Daycare at the Spanish Mass on Sunday, September 8th. All children ages newborn-5 years old are welcome. Children can be dropped off in Room 1 beginning at 11:15am until Mass begins and can be picked up immediately after Mass ends. Volunteers and donations are welcome for this program. Please contact the office for more information.

Guardería durante la Misa en Español

Abriremos nuestra guardería durante la Misa en Español el domingo 8 de septiembre. Todos los niños de recién nacidos a 5 años son bienvenidos. Los niños pueden dejarse en la sala 1 a partir de las 11:15 a.m. hasta que comience la misa y pueden ser recogidos inmediatamente después de que termine la misa. Voluntarios y donaciones son bienvenidos para este programa. Por favor, póngase en contacto con la oficina para más información.

Registration for Faith Formation

Classes will start in just two weeks, Sunday, September 8th. Families that have not registered their children are encouraged to do so as soon as possible. Children in all grades of School are welcome to attend classes. Faith Formation is an ongoing activity for children (and adults too). The practice of bringing the children to catechesis only when they are in need of a sacrament is no longer acceptable. There is no fee attached to the registration; donations are welcome.

Inscripción para las Clases de Catecismo

Las clases comenzarán en solo dos semanas, el domingo 8 de septiembre. Se recomienda a las familias que no hayan registrado a sus hijos que lo hagan lo antes posible. Los niños de todos los grados de la escuela pueden asistir a clases. La formación en la fe es una actividad continua para niños (y adultos también). La práctica de llevar a los niños a la catequesis solo cuando necesitan un sacramento ya no es aceptable. No hay costo adjunto al registro; se aceptan donaciones.

Office Closed

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, September 2nd in observance of Labor Day. It will re-open on Tuesday, September 3rd.



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Oficina Cerrada

La oficina de la parroquia estará cerrada el lunes 2 de septiembre en observación del Día del Trabajo. Se reabrirá el martes 3 de septiembre.



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We kindly ask that you pray for the following parishioners and loved ones: Manny Arcino, Mila Q. Arionday, Joseph Bennet, Julie

Blue, Judyth Boyette, Michael Cannon, Kathy and Monroe Clevenger, Brenda Edwards, Toni Frankfort, Patrick Gallagher, Miguel Garcia, Trey Hamlin, Debra Hardison, Fabian & Joyce Hayden, Beth Stalnaker Hill, Maria Hill, Frances Hinson, Baylor Jackson, John Jones, Bonnie Kasper, Laura Key, Charles Thomas McDonald, Caroline McMahan, Lennie McMahan, Irma Medina, Robert Melton, Fredrick Miller, Benita Parker, Ariana N. Parkman, Jackie Pitt, Genie Register, Herb Register, Gina Riggs, Deborah Romero, Anne & Anthony Ruggiero, Phil Ryals, Msgr. Jerry Sherba, Laydon Stanley, Lillian Stogner, John & Julie Stowaway, Karen Stubbs, Barbara Toteno, Darlene Vaughn, and Justin Wharton.