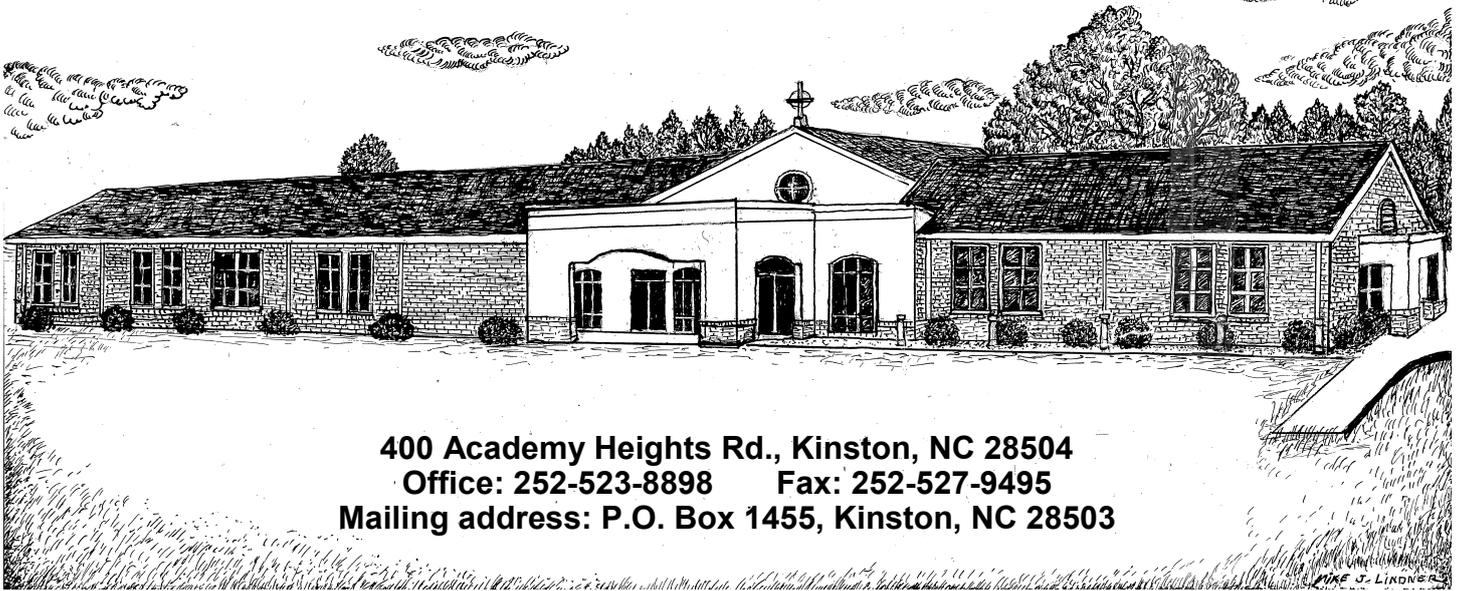


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Mass Schedule

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

SE TRANSFIGURÓ EN SU
PRESENCIA

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 1, 2026
SEGUNDO DOMINGO
DE CUARESMA
1 DE MARZO DE 2026

*He was transfigured
before them*



Marzo 1, 2026 Second Sunday of Lent

Monthly Intention

March 2026: For disarmament and peace

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

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.

Marzo 1, 2026 Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma

Intención Mensual

Marzo 2026: Por el desarme y la paz

Oremos para que las naciones avancen hacia un desarme efectivo, en particular el desarme nuclear, y para que los líderes mundiales opten por el diálogo y la diplomacia en lugar de la violencia.

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 March/Cumpleaños de los Feligreses en Marzo

Levi Key	3/1	Alejandro Roman	3/10
Alicia Vargas Patricio	3/2	Maria Romero	3/11
Felipe Martinez Hinojosa	3/2	Maria Villa Ontiveros	3/11
Ruby Roman Sanchez	3/2	Thanh Dinh	3/12
Maricarmen Apolinar Sanchez	3/2	Adan Sanchez De La Cruz	3/12
Anthony Aldana Venancio	3/2	Jennifer Martinez Hinojosa	3/12
Idonia Rocha Hernandez	3/3	Luzbina Peñalonzo	3/13
Brandon Rodriguez	3/4	Jose Rodriguez	3/13
Katherine Lopez Sanchez	3/4	Kennry De Leon	3/13
Ana Alvarez Molina	3/5	Nicole Valle Baltazar	3/13
Dulce Perez Cortez	3/5	Juan Perez Cortez	3/15
Esmeralda Moreno Tavares	3/5		
Edwin Vasquez Rocha	3/6		
Avery Real	3/6		
Roberto Salinas Villa	3/7		
Kailan Urquijo	3/8		
Yuri Gonzalez	3/9		



Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

For the Weekend of February 22nd, 2026
(Fiscal Year starts July 1st)

1st collection February 23rd, 2025:.....	\$2,520.00
1st collection February 22nd, 2026:.....	\$2,764.00
Accum. 1st collection previous year.....	\$76,356.00
Accum. 1st collection current year.....	\$69,466.00
Outreach Program February 2025:.....	\$905.00
Outreach Program February 2026:.....	\$1,246.00
Ash Wednesday 2026:.....	\$1,169.00

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!



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, March 6th, we will have an hour of Adoration after 9:00 am Mass.

Norms for Abstinence

Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence. Abstinence is observed by all 14 years of age and older. On days of abstinence, no meat is allowed. Note that when health or ability to work would be seriously affected, Church law does not oblige. When in doubt concerning fast and abstinence, the Parish Priest should be consulted.



Normas para la Abstinencia

Los viernes de Cuaresma son días de abstinencia. La abstinencia se observa en todas las personas de 14 años de edad y mayores. En los días de abstinencia, no se permite carne, pollo, puerco. Tenga en cuenta que cuando la salud o la capacidad de trabajar se verían seriamente afectadas, la ley de la Iglesia no obliga. En caso de duda sobre el ayuno y la abstinencia, se debe consultar al párroco.

Saints of the Week

Tuesday, March 3rd: Saint Katharine Drexel, Virgin; died 3 March 1955 at age 97; Philadelphia heiress and foundress of the Missionary Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament; established some forty-nine foundations, including Xavier University in New Orleans; canonized 1 October 2000 by Pope John Paul II.

Wednesday, March 4th: Saint Casimir; died 1484; Polish prince known as the “brother and defender of the poor”; led an austere life; patron of Poland and Lithuania.

Saturday, March 7th: Saints Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs; died at Carthage in 203 under Septimus Severus.

African American History & Heritage

March 6th: U.S. Supreme Court’s Dred Scott decision denies citizenship to Blacks - 1857



Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento

El viernes 6 de Marzo después de la misa de las 9:00 am, tendremos adoración por 1 hora.



Sacrament Announcements

First Communion Retreat/Parent Meeting: April 25th at 10:00 am. (We’ll also be making Banners).

First Communions: May 16th at 11:00 am.

Confirmation parent meeting: May 3rd during class.

Confirmations: May 23rd at 11:00 am.

Anuncios Sobre Sacramentos

Retiro de Primera Comunión y junta de padres: 25 de Abril a las 10:00 am. (También estaremos asiendo unas pancartas).

Primeras Comuniones: 16 de Mayo a las 11:00 am.

Junta de padres de confirmación: 3 de Mayo durante la clase.

Confirmaciones: 23 de Mayo a las 11:00 am.



Tue. Mar. 3 Pastor's Intention
 Thurs. Mar. 5 † William Hieb
 Req. by B. Hieb
 Sat. Mar. 7 Pastor's Intention
 Sun. Mar. 8 @ 9:00 am Pastor's Intention
 @ 11:30 am Parish

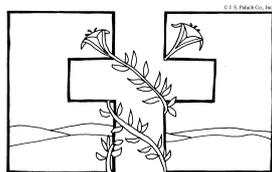
† Denotes an intention for the deceased

The Epic Center

Walk 4 Life & 5K
 Saturday, April 18
 Lenoir Community College
 Event starts at 8:00 am
 Rain or Shine



Stand for life, support mothers, and make a difference in our community! Gather a team or come solo, every step helps provide hope and resources to families facing unplanned pregnancies.



Viacrucis

Cada Viernes durante la Cuaresma a las 7:00 pm (servicio bilingüe, una estación en inglés seguida de una estación en español).

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday of Lent at 7:00 pm (bilingual service, one station in English followed by one station in Spanish).

Daylight Savings

Daylight Savings Time starts next weekend. Please make sure to turn your clock forward 1 hour before going to sleep on Saturday.

Cambio de Horario

El cambio de horario empieza el próximo fin de semana. Por favor asegúrese de cambiar su reloj 1 hora para adelante antes de dormir el Sábado.



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

November 2025 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, Laura Baugher, Aiden

Betts, Mike Bridwell, Jerome Brown, Sheryl Dipnarinesingh, Ana Fostanes, Dennis Goodson, Bryan Hanks, Christy Hardy, Mary Alice Hargitt, Fabian & Joyce Hayden, Maria Herrera, Beth Hill, Johnny Hinson, Bryan Hodge, Jamie Hoyt, Richard James, Andrew Kasper, Pat Kasprzyk, Shelly King, Sonia Koonce, Colleen Kosinski, Ray Manning, Susan McDonald, Ivory Meadows, Patricia Moots, Brandon Morales, Ervin Parker, Jack Purcell, Nelson Raynor, Rodolfo Rodriguez, Buddy Rogers, Christine Shannon, Jon Shackelford, Jean Stalnaker, Vincent & Edward Stone, John & Julie Stowawy, Karen Stubbs, Kathy Sower, Harvey Tyndall, Crystal Wackerson, Tim Warren, Dennis Willis, Beverly Wilson, Matthew Wilson, and Skyler Wood.