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**Whoever does not take up his cross
and follow me is not worthy of me.**

Matthew 10:38



Saturday, June 27 - 2nd Collection Peter's Pence
28th Anniversary of Father Upah's Ordination!

7:30AM - Men's Group

3:00PM - Baptism

4:00PM - Confession

5:00PM - Mass - Rev. William J. Upah (L)

[Refreshments follow]

Sunday, June 28

8:00AM - Mass - St Therese Parishioners

10:30AM - Mass - Janet Dahl Duffy (D)

[Refreshments follow each Mass]

Monday, June 29

No Mass, nor activities noted

Tuesday, June 30

11:30AM - Rosary

12:00PM - Mass - Peggy Hahn (D)

Wednesday, July 1

11:30AM - Rosary

12:00PM - Mass - Jim Tyznar (D)

Thursday, July 2

11:30AM - Rosary

12:00PM Mass - Jean Williams (D)

12:30PM - Adoration

4:30PM - Benediction

Friday, July 3

11:30AM - Rosary

12:00PM - Mass - Jim Kornegay (D)

Saturday, July 4 - 2nd Collection Priests' Welfare & Retirement
Independence Day!

7:30AM - Men's Group

4:00PM - Confession

5:00PM - Mass - Lance Corporal Ross Carver (D)

Eucharistic Adoration

Come Let Us Adore Him!

Thursdays,
12:30 - 4:30PM Benediction
All Welcome! Bring a Friend!

Interested in the Knights of Columbus?

Contact:
Frank Bio
frankbio2@gmail.com

Or:
<https://kofc12885.org/>
Charity, Unity, Fraternity & Patriotism!

Like to Quilt? **Handmade with Love** will be meeting here at St. Therese the 3rd Tuesday of every month. Next one - 7/21/26

Contact: Marian Spagnoli _snookie.spagnoli@gmail.com

Contact the Parish Office if you would like to put someone on the Prayer List. It is under revision.
Email: office@catholicwb.org

[Title your email "Bulletin Prayer List"]

Need a priest to visit you while in Novant?

Contact the Pastoral Care Department at the hospital, or our Parish Office for assistance. Scheduled surgery for a serious matter? Contact the office for an appointment to receive anointing before you are admitted.

Need a gluten-reduced host? Come early to the back door of the sacristy and ask Father well-prior to the start of Mass, so preparations may be made.

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Confessions are heard on Saturdays, 4PM - 4:45PM

Eucharistic Adoration: Thursdays, 12:30PM - 4:30PM

Baptisms: Visit www.catholicwb.org. Click on Sacraments, then on Baptism...

Anointing: Persons concerned about their health are encouraged to receive this sacrament.

Contact the Parish Office.

Marriage: Visit the parish website and download all information about this sacrament. Contact the office at least 6 months prior to a possible wedding date.

Confirmation & First Communion: Contact the Parish Office

Pastor

Reverend William J. Upah

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Volunteer with Eugene Ashley Center?

(A transitional housing center for homeless veterans.) Contact Pete Klingenburger or Rosemary Burney:

Petek123@aol.com or TEXT
910-685-3872

Volunteer with Catholic Charities?

4280 US Hwy 421 N, Suite 110

***Mobile laundry trailer**

***Donate new or gently used baby clothes**

+ More ways to volunteer!

910-251-8130

Father's 28th Anniversary of Ordination Celebrated

June 27 -28

Refreshments after every Mass!

[Greeting cards may be dropped into box, brought to the office or mailed.]

Rescue Mission of Cape Fear

Seeking donations (will pick up after garage sales!) and assistance with cooking for shelter meals.

502 Castle St

910-343-0366

www.rescuemissioncapefear.org

Vocation to the Priesthood?

Diocese of Raleigh

Office of Vocations

www.ncpriest.org

Wilmington Catholic Radio

93.1 FM in Wilmington.

Shows may also be heard online at on their website:

www.wilmingtoncatholicradio.com

Other 2026 Vocations Event

JULY 20-23 **Quo Vadis**

High School Retreat

Brenda Elizalde, 984-900-3403

brenda.elizalde@raldioc.org

St Therese Saturday Morning Men's Group

In a world full of pressure, noise & isolation, men need strong friendships, honest conversation and faith that connects to real life. Join men of all ages for coffee, conversation, brotherhood & discussion about family, work, leadership, purpose & becoming the men God created us to be.

No pressure. No bible expertise required.

Just authentic conversation & support centered in Christ.

SAT: 7:30AM - 9:00AM

Contact: jim@gibson-consultants.com

Great Shrines of France

Pilgrimage with Fr. Upah

April 12 -24 2027

206tours.com/cms/frupah/

Fr. Thomas Price Catholic High School

The high school is located in the Tileston building of the Basilica Shrine of St. Mary and has officially launched!

Applications for school year 2026-2027 are now being accepted. For more information, please visit:

www.ftpch.org

Pro Life Resources

Need help?

Lifeline Pregnancy Center 910.392.0001
Abortionpillreversal.com
HOPEAFTERABORTION.COM
Project Rachel: 1.888.456.4673
Struggling with infertility? popepaulvi.com
Natural Family Planning: www.usccb.org/NFP
www.dioceseofraleigh.org/human-life-and-dignity

6/27/26: Happy 28th Anniversary, Father!

Greeting cards may be mailed, popped into the offertory basket, or brought to the office.

Recently, as part of St. Therese's commitment to tithing a portion of its offertory to help the needy of our community - donations were made to the following organizations: Brunswick Family Assistance, Catholic Charities, Eden Village, the Seminarian Partnership Program (via the Foundation of the Diocese of Raleigh), The Healing Place of New Hanover County, Handmade with Love Quilters, Mother Hubbard's Cupboard, St. Joseph's Food Pantry and the Knights of Columbus' scholarship program. We invite you to learn more about these organizations or volunteer.

Priests' Welfare & Retirement Fund **2nd Collection: July 4 & 5**

Fr. Gene Grabowski, the late Msgr. Matt Hendrick, the late Fr. Joe Vetter, and the late Fr. Trent Watts - all benefitted from this fund....Our parish has a significant annual obligation totaling \$60,000.
[Not a national collection: Benefits OUR diocesan priests.]

Thank you for your generosity!

June Offertory, as of 06/21/26:
June Needed/Budget \$66,920.00
Received \$50,063.31

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
"...Whoever loses his life for my sake will find it."

Peter's Pence

2nd Collection

June 27 - 28

[All Masses]

Supports the Pope's charitable works, emergency relief efforts, & humanitarian aid for victims of natural disasters and wars.

www.usccb.org/peters-pence

Bishop's Annual Appeal

See the poster on our bulletin board with the QR Code to donate. Or visit:

<https://dioceseofraleigh.org/bishops-annual-appeal/bishops-annual-appeal-donate-online>

This week's Saints/Special Observances

Sunday: Thirteenth **Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Monday: Saints Peter and Paul

Tuesday: First Martyrs of the See of Rome

Wednesday: Saint Junipero Serra

Thursday: Thursday of Week 13 in Ordinary Time

Friday: Saint Thomas

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

Sunday: **Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Monday Vigil Acts 3:1-10 Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 Gal 1:11-20 Jn 21:15-19

Monday Day Acts 12:1-11 Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18 Mt 16:13-19

Tuesday Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12 Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8 Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday Am 5:14-15, 21-24 Ps 50:7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 16bc-17 Mt 8:28-34

Thursday Am 7:10-17 Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 Mt 9:1-8

Friday Eph 2:19-22 Ps 117:1bc-2 Jn 20:24-29

Saturday Am 9:11-15 Ps 85:9 and 10, 11-12, 13-14 Mt 9:14-17

Sunday Zec 9:9-10 Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14 Rom 8:9, 11-13 Mt 11:25-30

Food Pantry News

You can help the poor and working poor (over 300 families) in our community in a variety of ways....

Make a monetary donation: St. Joseph's Food Pantry, 1303 US Hwy 17, Burgaw, NC 28425

Donate: non perishable food items when you come to church. Canned meats, soups, stews, vegetables, milk or fruit. Instant mashed potatoes, pasta, cereal, baking mixes.

Call Jane Yemma to get onto the drivers' schedule: 910-547-4243. Or volunteer to unload, collect food from resource partners, or work directly with clients. Contact Kevin Gannon at 732-861-6600.

If you are a compassionate person, volunteer! The rewards are life-changing.....

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