



GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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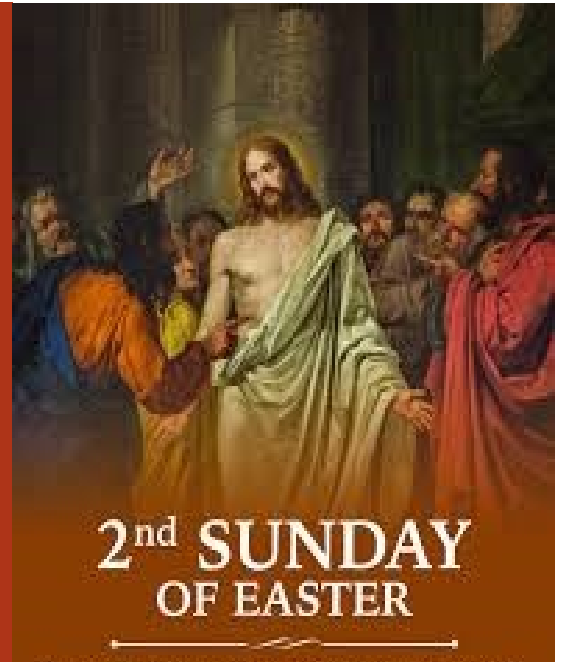
Parish Pastoral Council

Joe Bierkorte, Chairperson

Parish Finance Council

Steve Graybill, Chairperson

Divine Mercy Sunday



April 16, 2023

**Acts 2:42-47; Ps 118; 1 Pt 1:3-9;
Jn 20:19-31**



OUR MISSION

The People of Good Shepherd are dedicated to Preaching the Word of the Kingdom of God by Service to the Community and Sanctifying the One Family of Faith.

SACRAMENTS

Anointing of the Sick: Call the Parish Office to schedule.

Marriage: Couples are asked not to set a date for their wedding until an initial meeting with the Pastor.

Diocesan requirements mandate a minimum six-month period of preparation. For Marriage Prep or Annulments, please contact Deacon Joshua Klickman: 919-632-7379
Joshua.Klickman@raldioc.org

Baptism: Parental participation in a program to prepare parents is required. Contact the Parish Office at least three months in advance of your desired baptismal date to make the proper arrangements.

Baptismal Prep Sessions are the first Saturday of each month at 10:45am. Room 4.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	8:30 am & 11:30 am
Holy Days	12:00 pm & 6:30 pm
First Saturday	8:00 am
Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	9:00 am
Wednesday Evening Services	
Holy Hour	5:30 pm
(Adoration, Rosary, Evening Prayer)	
Mass	6:30 pm
Thursday	9:00 am
Friday	12:00 pm

Reconciliation Times

Saturday	4:00-4:45 pm
Wednesday	5:30-6:20 pm
Or by Appointment (910-425-1590)	

Eucharistic Adoration

Every First Friday from 1:00 pm to 9:00 pm

San Isidro Catholic Church

Mission Parish of Good Shepherd
4733 Macedonia Church Road
Fayetteville, NC 28312
(910) 424-2698
www.siccnc.org





SANCTUARY LIGHT

The Sanctuary Light will illuminate the Blessed Sacrament this week **In Loving Memory of Deceased Members of the Aberg Family**, given by the Aberg Family.

THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday	8:30a	✠ Ruth Marie Damico
	11:30a	People of Good Shepherd Parish
Monday		No Mass
Tuesday	9:00a	✠ David Mercurio
Wednesday	6:30p	In Thanksgiving to God Health of Sophie
Thursday	9:00a	✠ Rhonda Turner In Honor of Francis San Agustin & Johnny Santos
Friday	12:00p	✠ Antonio Tavarez & Miguel Arreaga
Saturday	5:00p	✠ Sam Salinas & Manuel Olivares
Sunday	8:30a	✠ Deceased Members of Cody & Dilliplane Families
	11:30a	People of Good Shepherd Parish

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

In the Diary of St. Faustina, Jesus asked that the Feast of Divine Mercy, known as Divine Mercy Sunday, be preceded by a Novena to The Divine Mercy. The Novena is nine days of prayer in preparation for the Feast Day.

For the Novena, we pray the Chaplet of The Divine Mercy each day for a specific intention. Our Lord told St. Faustina, "I desire that during these nine days you bring souls to the fountain of My mercy, that they may draw strength and refreshment and whatever grace they need in the hardships of life, and especially at the hour of death" (Diary, 1209).

The Novena of Divine Mercy began on Good Friday. **Please join us as we conclude the Novena together this Sunday, April 16th at 3:00pm in the church.**

Jesus wanted each day of the Novena to have a specific intention as listed below. For more information about the Divine Mercy Novena, visit thedivinemercy.org



This Week's Parish Activities

Sunday, April 16– Divine Mercy Sunday

No Faith Formation Classes
3:00p— Divine Mercy Chaplet, Church
4:45p— Youth Group Service at Hope House

Tuesday, April 18

6:30p— Parish Council Meeting

Thursday, April 20

10:00a—Holy Stitchers, Rm 6, Social Hall
5:30p—Legion of Mary, Rm. 2
7:00p—Knights of Columbus, CAP Rm

Friday, April 21

6:00p—Choir Practice

Saturday, April 22

Good Shepherd Sunday sign-ups after all Masses

Sunday, April 23

9:45a— Grades K-5 Classes
1:00p— Welcome Lunch for New Parishioners
1:00p— Grades 6-12 Classes



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Fiscal Year July 2022– June 2023

Due to Bulletin Submission Deadlines, Offertory for April 2nd and April 9th will be reported in next week's bulletin.

**Thank you for your continued support of our Parish!
May God bless you!**

NEXT WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS

This USCCB collection supports Home Mission Dioceses in the U.S./Territories that cannot provide basic pastoral services without outside help. These services include Mass, the sacraments, religious education, and ministry training for priests, deacons, religious sisters, and lay people.

Please be generous.

Donating online is easy

Visit our website, good-shepherd-church.org Click on the Online Giving button and follow the instructions.

Mother's Day Novena

A Novena of Masses for mothers will begin on Saturday, May 13th.

To have your mother and other special mothers included in this novena, please complete the Mother's Day Novena envelope from the April/May Mailings. Please print names clearly. If you do not receive envelopes, additional novena envelopes are available on the Welcome Table. Place envelopes in the collection basket during Mass.



BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study will resume on Wednesday, May 3rd, 10:30am in OCIA room and will be for eight weeks, ending on June 21st. The Book of Genesis will be explored. Discover how the Old Testament truly enhances and connects with the New Testament. The commitment is flexible, so please join us any Wednesday that is convenient. A sign up sheet will be on the Welcoming Table April 22/23rd and 29th/30th.

FROM THE OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION

EASTER BREAK FOR CLASSES

continues this week, April 16th. Classes will resume their regular schedule on Sunday, April 23rd. May the Risen Christ fill your heart with Easter joy!

April 16—DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY—NO CLASSES

April 23—Classes Resume

April 30—Last Day of Classes

REGISTRATION FOR '23-'24 CATECHETICAL YEAR

Registration has begun for the catechetical classes for the coming year in order for us to take advantage of discounts on textbooks that end in May. The registration forms will be available on the parish website, on the Welcome Table in the Gathering Area and in the Office of Catechesis. If your child will celebrate First Communion or Confirmation next year, we will also need a copy of the baptismal certificate.

HEADS UP! EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS IS COMING!

The Diocese will hold a day-long event at the Raleigh Convention Center on Saturday, October 21, 2023, that will focus on increasing our love of Jesus in the Eucharist. Mark your calendars and plan to come to this free event for the whole Diocese. More info will be available on the Diocesan Eucharistic Congress website as we get closer to the event.



The Legion of Mary is hosting a BROWN SCAPULAR INVESTITURE

WHEN: Wed., May 24th, 7:00p

WHERE: Good Shepherd Church

The Scapular Is a Silent Prayer

As Our Lord taught us to say the Our Father, Our Blessed Mother taught us the value of the scapula. When we use it as a prayer, Our Lady draws us to the Sacred Heart of Her Divine Son.

BARBARA WATSON SCHOLARSHIP

Any high school senior who will attend a two or four year college in the fall is encouraged to apply for this Parish Scholarship Award. Applications are available on the website or at the office.



APPLICATION WILL BE AVAILABLE NEXT WEEK

The scholarship will be awarded at the Baccalaureate Mass on Sunday, June 4th, 11:30am Mass.

FIRST COMMUNION PRACTICE

The practice will be held Saturday, April 29th in the church. PARENTS, PLEASE BRING YOUR CHILD'S BAPTISMAL CANDLE. Following is the schedule:

- Sac. Prep. II children (Ms. Kristine & Ms. Lori's class) - 9-10am
- Track II children—(children in Grades 3-8) 10:30-11:30am

Pro-Life

Join our Pro-Life Ministry in supporting the local Hand of Hope Pregnancy Clinic!

Handofhope.net

Look for the boxes to place your contribution for **Client Care Bags**, to distribute to mothers and fathers in need.

Spiritual Adoption

From Ash Wednesday through Nov. 15th, join the Pro-Life Ministry in praying for babies in danger of being aborted by praying the following prayer daily:

"Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of [baby's name], the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion."

Our Spirituality Adopted babies' names are Francis and Brittney. Due Date: Nov. 15, 2023!



He is Risen! Alleluia!

THANK YOU to everyone who contributed to the Easter Lilies to help make

our Altar beautiful! And THANK YOU to The Holy Stitchers, who decorated the Altar for this Easter!



**Good Shepherd Sunday
Parish POTLUCK
Cultural Celebration**



When: Sunday, April 30, 2023
Where: 1:00pm In the Social Hall
What: Food, Fun, Games, Trivia and Dancing

Hamburgers, hot dogs, drinks, condiments will be provided.

This year, we will try something different - try your luck at Good Shepherd and Hope Mills Trivia for adults and children. We invite our different cultures to provide their favorite dish and a popular dance in their country. As Americans, we will show off our dance moves with Line Dancing and the Electric slide!

Come try your hand with our 50/50 Raffle. Tickets: \$5.00 - 1 \$10.00 - 3

Bowls, trays, aluminum pans for your favorite dish, registration forms, and tickets for 50/50 Raffle are available in the Gathering Area.

Registration Forms need to be returned by next Sunday, April 23.

This gives us a count for the amount of hamburgers and hot dogs to cook.

**Come join us and be part of an all-inclusive day for ALL age groups!!
See you there!**

Good Shepherd Fun Days at the Ballpark!

Your Parish Council invites you to come with family and friends to support your parish fundraiser at Segra Stadium with the Fayetteville Woodpeckers!

Location: Segra "Woodpeckers" Baseball Stadium, 460 Hay Street, NC 28301

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(**Back to School Funday Night**)

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Seating sections are reserved for Good Shepherd Catholic Church.

The ticket price is \$14 per game... Unlimited purchase ability!!
Part of the proceeds goes to GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC CHURCH.
Every little bit helps our parish and is greatly appreciated...

Youth Group News

LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS— THANK YOU to all the youth that participated in this year's Living Stations of the Cross. Due to the weather, the Stations had to be moved inside last minute, and you did a fantastic job!

HOPE HOUSE—Today, April 16, 4:45-5:30p Please bring a dish, serve dinner, or both.

IGNITED BY TRUTH CONFERENCE— April 28, 4:30p—April 29th, 8:00p

Cost is \$10 per youth or \$20 per family, plus money for dinner Friday and Saturday (scholarships available).

This includes: transportation, hotel accommodations, conference and lunch.

Please RSVP by text to Mrs. Jeanette by April 23: 910-257-2959

GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY— April 30, 12:00-2:15p (for set-up & running games)

Please come out and help with the games for our Good Shepherd Family on our Parish Feast Day! Come out for all the activities or for some.

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[Pilgrimage to Italy](#)

Travel with Fr. Arulanantham (Arul) Yagappan, Pastor of Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Hope Mills, NC on our Pilgrimage to Italy.

Trip: Where: Rome, Assisi, Tuscany, Florence, Venice **Dates:** July 22-30, 2023

Cost: \$4,299.00 Airfare and ALL-Included.

Note: Limited numbers only

To register, please call (855)842-8001 or (508)340-9370, or online

www.proximotravel.com and click on the top "Clergy Trips". Scroll down to pilgrimage with Fr. Arul Y. For more detailed information kindly, visit the website at **Italy regular.**

To contact Fr. Arul Yagappan, Phone: 1 904 729 5706, Email: yarulmsfs@gmail.com

Widows' Watch Fundraiser for Wreaths Across America

Widows' Watch Ministry is accepting monetary donations for Wreaths Across America. To donate, please include cash or check in envelope marked, "Wreaths Across America", and place in Collection Basket. Checks must be made out to Good Shepherd, with **WREATHS** written on the check memo line.

Cost is 15\$ for one wreath or \$30 for three.



OPERATION RICE BOWL

Thank you to our children, youth and families for participating in their Lenten Almsgiving for CRS Rice Bowls. Please return your rice bowls to the gathering area basket or the office Sunday, April 23rd. If you would like your donation to be included as a yearly tax deduction please write: TAX RECEIPT on the top of your Rice Bowl box.



OCIA INQUIRY

If you or someone you know would like a chance to ask about the Catholic Church in a friendly setting, please join our Inquiry Sessions.

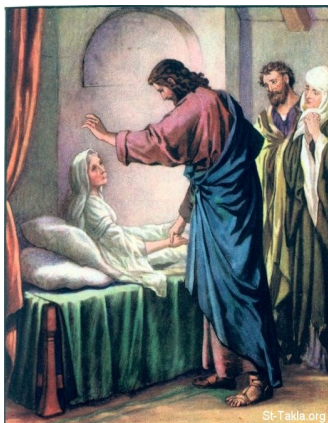
Please call the Office for more information:
910-425-1590.



Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Are you baptized and getting ready to have surgery? Just diagnosed with a short term, long term or serious illness? Ask to be anointed.

If you would like to be anointed, please let Father Arul know or call the Office at 910-425-1590.



40 Cans for Lent

The Good Shepherd Knights of Columbus Council # 8857 and Middle/High School

I CAN, YOU CAN, WE CAN

40 CANS FOR LENT



Youth thank everyone for their contributions to this year's 40 Cans for Lent project. Your support has helped to feed the hungry as a Corporal Work of Mercy during this Lenten Season.

Thank you!

MAY CROWNING

To honor our Mother in heaven, we will crown the Blessed Virgin Mary statue located outside. After the 11:30 Mass on May 14th, we will process to the Marian Grotto and two of our youth will place a crown of flowers on Mary. Procession will include prayers and songs. Everyone is invited.



Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for April 2023

For a Culture of Peace and Non-violence



We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens .

Sick & Homebound Ministry

Please help us bring Communion to our Sick and Homebound brothers and sisters who are unable to attend Mass. You will make friends and create memories that will last a lifetime!



For I was ill and you cared for me....

Call the Parish Office:
910-425-1590



Welcome to our Community!

Take a Welcome Packet from the **Welcome Table** in the Gathering Area, visit the Parish Office, or go online: www.good-shepherd-church.org.

Though a simple act, registration is a sign of one's commitment and responsibility to the parish and allows the parish to know how many families live in the parish. It also provides an official record of your **Active membership** and is **essential for participation** in parish programs and sacraments.

What is an **Active Membership**? Three points determine active membership:

- **Registration in the parish for a sufficient period of time and use of the envelope system in support of the parish;**
- **Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days;**
- **Volunteer and participate in Parish activities with time, talent, and treasure as means permit.**

Please note: The Facilities and Services of Good Shepherd Church are available to active members.

Sick and Homebound/Hospitalized: Please notify the Parish Office when someone is ill and unable to attend Mass for any significant length of time and would like to receive Holy Communion.

Bulletin Deadline: Requests must be received 10 days **prior** to the weekend the announcement is to be published. E-mail your request to: gbulletinedit@gmail.com.

Special Needs: Handicapped accessible doors are

located on the left side of the Gathering Area. Wheelchair seating is available in the front row of **chairs** in the Church. Cars must display a valid handicap sticker or placard to park in the reserved handicap spaces in the Church parking lot.

Moving? Please contact the Office and let us know.



PRAYER FOR OUR PARISH

Almighty God, my parish is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly if I am. It will be holy if I am. Its pews will be filled if I help fill them.

It will do great work if I work. It will be prayerful if I pray. It will make a generous gift for so many causes if I am a generous giver. It will bring other people into its worship if I invite and bring them. It will be a parish family of loyalty and love, fearlessness and faith, compassion, charity, and mercy if I — who make it what it is — am filled with the same qualities. Therefore, with the help of God, I will dedicate myself to the task of being all the things that I want my parish to be. Bless my journey, Lord God, I will dedicate myself to the task of being all the things that I want my parish to be. Bless my journey, Lord God that I might follow Jesus and build the Church for your glory. Amen.



To contact Ministry Leaders, please call the Parish Office at 910-425-1590

Liturgical Ministries

Sheila Franklin

Music Ministry

Justin Hubbard

Altar Servers

Sandra Hall
Communications

Dalton Wilms
Coordinator

Pastoral Council

Joe Bierkorte

Finance Council

Steve Graybill

Knights of Columbus

Kevin Croyle

Legion of Mary

Barbara Chapman

Sick & Homebound

Maria Rosario and Barbara Chapman

Women of Charity & Welcoming Committee

Robin Candido

Widow's Watch

Camille Grupy

Holy Stitches

Lee Pappa

Pro-Life

Chastidy Hall and Martha Seep

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Jeanette Hubbard, Facilitator

Youth Ministry Leaders

Teresa Clayton and Justin Shobe

Parish Social Life Committee

Janice Scott

Bulletin Inserters

Karen Phillips

Garden Committee

Jolinda Swartout

Prayer for Vocations

Heavenly Father, Bless your church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require. Help those who have embraced the consecrated life to live up to their promises. Form us all in the likeness of your Son so that in Him, with Him and through Him we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere. With Mary and Joseph, we ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.





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2023 CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

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- Be moved in Adoration or with saint's relics
- See your friends & grow your children's faith
- Leave with a blessed Miraculous Medal touched to the True Cross

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Students Age 10+ FREE Admission and Pizza

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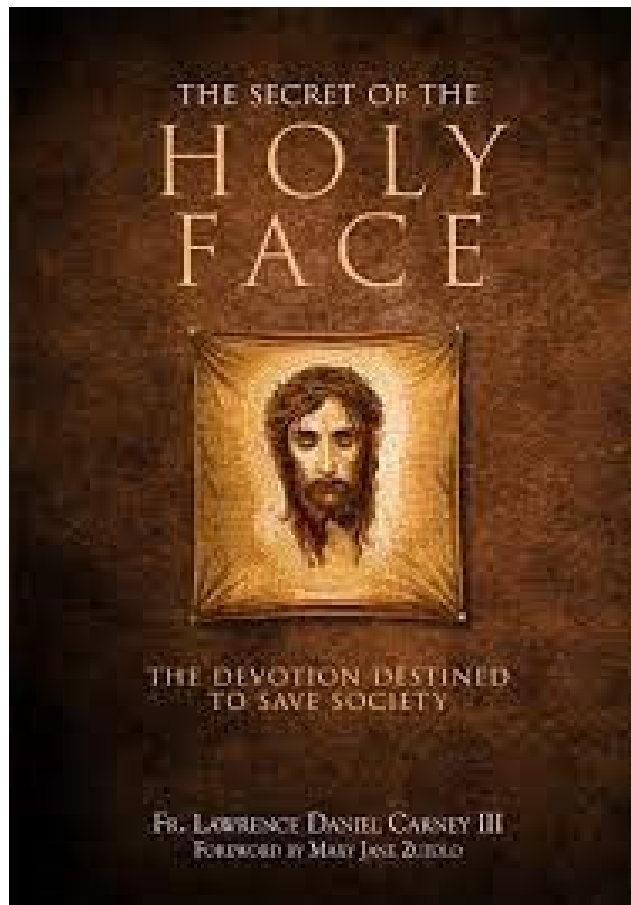
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The Secret of the Holy Face

The Devotion Destined to Save Society



Presentation by author Fr. Lawrence Carney III

Sunday, April 30 at 3:00pm

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church

2718 Overbrook Drive, Raleigh NC 27608

Questions and answers to follow

Father Carney will also sign books



Corpus Christi Retreat



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Reflections on the Mass
to deepen your life in the Eucharist

Gathering

Reflect upon the significance of gathering together as God's people.

Nourishment

Learn how to be food for a hungry world, fed by the Word and by the Word-Made-Flesh.

Sacrifice

Deepen your appreciation of how your sacrifice is united to the altar of sacrifice.

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+ Confession +

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2023 SILENT RETREAT FOR WOMEN

WITH RETREAT DIRECTOR
FATHER SEAN KOPCZYNSKI, MSJB

(OPEN TO ALL WOMEN 18 AND OLDER)
FRIDAY, JULY 21ST—SUNDAY, JULY 23RD

UNPACKING GOD'S TREASURE CHEST— THE ARK OF THE COVENANT

HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS OFFERED EACH DAY (LATIN MASS)

WHERE: CATHOLIC CONFERENCE CENTER, 1551 TRINITY LANE, HICKORY NC 28602

WHAT TO BRING: ROSARY, BIBLE, NOTEBOOK, TOILETRIES, INK PEN, SNACKS, HEAD VEIL (FOR
OPTIONAL BUT RECOMMENDED USE)

COST: \$250 PER PARTICIPANT (DOUBLE OCCUPANCY), \$280 PER PARTICIPANT (SINGLE)
INCLUDES ROOM AND MEALS (*SOME SPECIAL DIETARY NEEDS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED*)

REGISTRATION: CONTACT TAMMY HUFFMAN, LUVR1MARY@GMAIL.COM, 919-744-6998

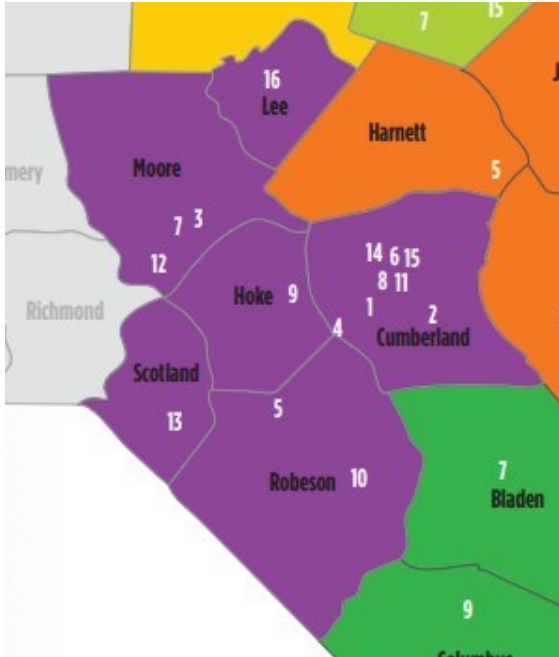
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RALEIGH MORNING STAR COMITIUM

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WAKEFIELD SPRINGS
RALEIGH, NC 27614

HURRY! SPACE IS LIMITED!



POSTS FROM AROUND THE FAYETTEVILLE DEANERY



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- 1) Good Shepherd, Hope Mills
- 2) Pope Air Force Base, Pope AFB
- 3) Sacred Heart, Pinehurst
- 4) Saint Andrew Kim, Fayetteville
- 5) Saint Andrew, Red Springs
- 6) Saint Ann, Fayetteville
- 7) Saint Anthony of Padua, Southern Pines
- 8) Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Fayetteville
- 9) Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Raeford
- 10) Saint Francis De Sales, Lumberton
- 11) Saint Isidore Mission, Fayetteville
- 12) Saint Juan Diego Mission, Robbins
- 13) Saint Mary, Laurinburg
- 14) Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic Community, Fort Bragg
- 15) Saint Patrick Fayetteville
- 16) Saint Stephen the First Martyr, Sanford

Now Hiring!

Join our Team

Saint Patrick Church would like to hire Part-Time Nursery Program Assistants who enjoy working with children and can work as a member of a team.

- Would you like to help us provide a fun, safe Christian faith educational environment for children?
- Would you like to make a difference?
- Are you interested in pursuing a career as an early childhood educator?
- If this sounds like you, please apply for this position.

Work Hours: Sunday, 9:30a - 2:00p. Some evenings, flexible hours
 For more information and to apply: myongs@stpatnc.org (910) 323-2410 Ext. 115
 Location: 2844 Village Drive Fayetteville, NC 28303
 Office: (910) 323-2410
 Website: WWW.STPATNC.ORG



Saint Patrick
Catholic Church



Future Job Opening

St. Ann School is looking for a part-time bookkeeper. The job will begin in June. For more information contact the school office.

(910) 483-3902

principal@mysacs.org

Virtual Estate Planning Webinar

As a way to help educate parishioners in their knowledge as faithful stewards of the Lord's gifts, the Foundation of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Raleigh is offering another Estate Planning Webinar on Tuesday, April 11, 2023, from 10:00 to 11:15 a.m.



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The webinar will be led by Foundation staff and a local estate planning attorney, providing an excellent opportunity for parishioners to learn more about what personal planning is and what it involves. Webinar topics include legal steps required in personal planning, understanding wills and trusts, Catholic advance medical directives, power of attorney, and an overview of the various charitable vehicles for estate planning.

Guest speakers will include:

- Ryan Flood, Planned Giving Specialist, The Foundation of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Raleigh
- Andy Blair, Estate Planning Specialist, Partner, Poyner Spruill LLP

Please note that this is a free webinar, and no solicitations will be made. For more information or to reserve a virtual seat, call Maura Aguirre, 919-568-1065; or email Maura@FoundationDOR.org.

Tribunal position openings

The Raleigh Tribunal is seeking men and women who are willing to assist individuals pursuing a declaration of nullity of a prior marriage. Our Tribunal is in particular need of those who are bilingual in Spanish or Vietnamese. A compassionate ear and the ability to maintain strict confidentiality are the main requirements. There will be five training sessions; three will be in person at the Catholic Center in Raleigh and two will be remote via GoTo Meeting. All sessions will be on Saturdays from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm and will begin in late April. Attendance at all five sessions is required. For more information about training and specific dates, please call or e-mail Mrs. Vikki Newell (984-900-3135; Vikki.Newell@raldioc.org) no later than April 17.

Courage / Encourage

Courage is a prayer and fellowship group that assists individuals with same sex attraction (SSA) to live chaste lives in accordance with the teachings of the Catholic Church. For more information email: courage.sacred.heart@gmail.com, or call 984-289-9489, or visit couragec.org. Strict confidentiality is maintained.

EnCourage is the affiliate support group for parents, friends and family members of loved ones with SSA. EnCourage helps members to focus on their own spiritual development and offers a supportive environment to share information and guidance for maintaining healthy relationships with our loved ones. Anyone wanting to speak to an EnCourage member, either in a one on one meeting or phone call until COVID restrictions are lifted for regular meetings again, please don't hesitate to reach out. For more information email: encourage.sacred.heart@gmail.com, or call 984-221-0730. Strict confidentiality is maintained.



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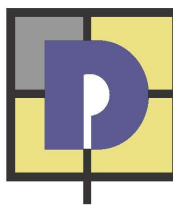
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