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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.

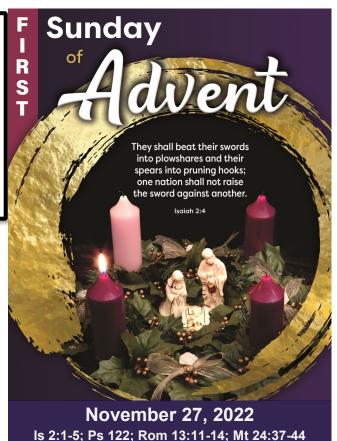
Marriage: Couples are asked not to set a date for their wedding until an initial meeting with the Pastor.

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



MASS SCHEDULE

	5:00 pm 8:30 am & 11:30 am
	12:00 pm & 6:30 pm 8:00 am
Monday	No Mass
	9:00 am
Wednesday Evening Services	
Holy Hour	5:30 pm
(Adoration, Rosary, Evening Prayer)	
Mass	6:30 pm
	9:00 am
	12:00 pm

Reconciliation Times

Saturday	4:00-4:45 pm
Wednesday	
Or by Appointment (9	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

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SANCTUARY LIGHT

The Sanctuary Light will illuminate the Blessed Sacrament this week **For the Health of Daniel & Ethan Tavarez**, given by Claudia Rodriguez.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this week are given In Loving Memory Al Grupy and in Thanksgiving for All Our Blessings, given by Camille Grupy.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mary

11:30a People of Good Shepherd Parish

Monday No Mass

Tuesday 9:00a ⊕ Victoria Osifo

In Honor of Kim Ngan Nguyen

Health of Chong Zacher

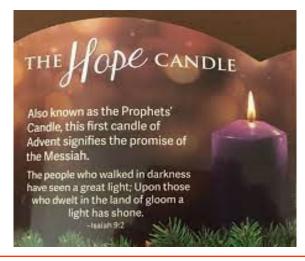
Thursday 9:00a Health of Anthony Richardson Friday 12:00p Honor of Cecilia Hayes & Maria

Harris

5:00p 🕆 John & Margaret Daly

Sunday 8:30a 🕆 Pete Porreco

11:30am People of Good Shepherd Parish



NEXT WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR ST ISIDRO/HALF-A-CAN

This is a once-a-month collection that helps pay the non-interest bearing mortgage payments for the land purchased by Good Shepherd for San Isidore's new church as part of our mission parish responsibilities. The money will also be used to defray the cost of needed maintenance for our Church. We ask each family to donate \$10.00 a month to this collection.

Please be generous.

Donating online is easy

Visit our website, good-shepherd-church.org and click on the Online Giving Button and follow the instructions. EFT donations are reported monthly. Thank you to everyone who donates online.

This Week's Parish Activities

<u>Sunday, November 27—First Week of Advent</u> <u>Liturgical Year A, Cycle 1</u>

No Faith Formation Classes

Thursday, December 1

10:00a—Holy Stitchers, Rm.2 Social Hall

5:30p—Legion of Mary Meeting, OCIA Rm.

Friday, December 2- First Friday

12:00p—First Friday Mass

12:30p—Eucharistic Adoration (Until 9p)

12:30p—(beginning with Litany to the Sacred Heart)

6:00p—Choir Practice

7:00p—Youth Ministry Eucharistic Adoration, Church

7:30p—Youth Ministry Social Activities, Social Hall

Saturday, December 3- First Saturday

8:00a—First Saturday Mass

8:30a—First Saturday Rosary/Angelus, Church

10:45a—Baptismal Prep, Office

4:25p—Rosary, Church

Women of Charity Fundraiser Raffle after all Masses >>> **Sunday. December 4**

9:45a—OCIA Catechesis, OCIA Rm.

9:45a—OCIA Inquiry, Library

9:45a—Grades K-5 Classes

1:00p—Grades 6-12Classes



THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY December 8

This feast day of Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation. Join us for Mass Thursday, December 8th at 12:00p or 6:30p.

Join the Legion of Mary in praying the Rosary at 11:30a and 6:00p



Fiscal Year July 2022- June 2023

Due to the Holiday Timing for Bulletin Submission Deadline, stewardship offertory data will be reported in next week's bulletin.

Thank you!

Thank you for your continued support to the Parish.

May God bless you.

FROM THE OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION

BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATES are needed for all children and youth preparing for First Communion and Confirmation. If your child was not baptized at Good Shepherd, you must provide a copy of baptismal certificate to the Office of Catechesis. Please mail, scan and email or bring to the Parish Office by the end of November.

ATTENTION PARENTS OF YOUTH IN CONFIRMATION I and II CLASSES

Next Sunday, December 4th is your opportunity to spend some quality time with your child in class. You will have the opportunity to work together learning about Jesus' Family Tree as you create a masterpiece to be revealed at the Parish Advent Evening of Reflection. Come to class with your child

and add to your book of wonderful memories.



ADVENT EVENING OF REFLECTION

Are you feeling a little stressed as we start preparing for Christmas? How about taking a little "down time" that will help you and your family sit back and enjoy reflecting on the meaning of the trees associated with the Advent Season.

'TIS THE SEASON OF... TREES will help you understand why trees and ornaments placed on them are so important. This is a family event—Children will be asked to place an ornament on the trees. The evening will end with some yummy refreshments!

SAVE THE DATE— FRIDAY, DEC. 9TH 6:30-8:00PM IN THE CHURCH

What is Advent?

Beginning the Church's liturgical year, Advent (from, "advenire" in Latin or "to come to") is the season encompassing the four Sundays (and weekdays) leading up to the celebration of Christmas.

The Advent season is a time of preparation that directs our hearts and minds to Christ's second coming at the end of time and to the anniversary of Our Lord's birth on Christmas. **Visit**: *usccb.org* for more information!

Safe Environment Training

The Office of Child and Youth Protection will host an Online Webinar Training Session on Tuesday, Dec. 13, 2022 at 7:00p for those required to receive initial certification or the 5-year renewal. Register online at through Dioceseofraleigh.org, go to CALENDAR, then DIOCESAN EVENTS and look for the title and the date. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. After completion, you will receive your Certificate of Completion available to print. Make sure you provide a copy to Janice Scott, Parish Safe Environment Coordinator.



First Friday Devotion in reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Exposition and Eucharistic Adoration beginning after Mass at 12pm and concluding with Benediction at 9pm Friday night.

First Friday is December 2nd.

We ask for two volunteers to sign up for each hour. Sign up on the board next to the Welcome Table in the Gathering Area.

First Saturday Devotion in reparation to God and the Immaculate Heart of Mary We welcome you to join us for First Saturday, December 3rd.

- Mass at 8:00am
- Rosary/Angelus after 8am Mass
- Confession at 4:00pm



FIRST SATURDAYS

Honoring Our Lady of Fatima's request for 1st Saturdays, a Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed on:

SAT | DEC 3 | Sacred Heart Church



Ignited By Truth is organizing First Saturday events each month to honor Our Lady of Fatima's request for First Saturdays.

Date: Saturday, December 3rd, 2022 Time: 9:40am (following the 9am Mass)

Location:

Sacred Heart Church 200 Hillsborough St. Raleigh, NC 27603

Please join us in reverent and peaceful prayer and singing as we place our beloved nation under the Mantle of Mary, Mother of God.

Bring your whole family; all are welcome!

Event will be held outside the church. Please dress appropriately for the weather conditions on that day.

Good Shepherd has Spiritually Adopted two babies in danger of abortion.

abortion.
Girl's Name: Amelia Grace
Boy's Name: Joseph Anthony
Week Forty: For 40 weeks, I have

been growing in my mother's womb, and on Nov. 23rd, I was born!



Hello World! It's me!

To know more about Spiritual Adoption, visit: https://iprayforlife.wordpress.com/spiritual-adoption-of-the-unborn-child/

Thank you on behalf of all the little babies for whom you prayed ~ HAPPY BIRTHDAY, AMELIA & JOSEPH!



Pray for Peace Respect Life Work for Justice ~for our Parishioners~

Irina Anderson, Rosemonde Angrand, Miguelina Aracena, Archie Barringer, Pamela Blackmore, Mary Brooks & daughter Cheree, Fr. Mike Coveyou, Teresa & Gerard Dorais, Edward & Marilyn Felten, Tylena Fisher, Ginny French, Fr. Gaul, Roy & Cheryl Hauck, Ana Haughn, Elizabeth Hester, Ursula Hicks, Dorothy Hinrichs, Joan Hosking, Marlene Kovasckitz, Paul Marascia & Family, Theresa Marchman, Barbara Martin, Billy McCammit, Kevin O'Connor, Ed Pappa, Richard Pataky, Rosemarie Revelle, Wendell & Diane Smith, Paul Sullivan, **Donald Taylor**

~for Living and Deceased Priests and Deacons of our Diocese~

~ Friends and Family who are ill, homebound, or have asked for our prayers~

Linda Bashore, Barbara Bostic, Elaine & Nicholas Caras, Joy Coleman, Ty Cravatta, Hoi Hiung, Myong H. Kendall, Mike Long, Charlie MacEacheen, Larry McIntosh, Steven & Jennette Pastor and Family, Thien Tam, Don Tiuong, Betty Wile, Mary Yassem, For the lost sheep of Parish families

~for our Military and Deployed~

We pray for the safety and the Lord's protection of our men and women in the military, especially: David Brown, Christian Glenn Gostev, Bernard Jenkins, Jr., Paul Rivers

If you know of any parishioners or family members of parishioners that are deployed overseas, please call the Office to have them included in our Parish Prayer List.

~For additions and updates, please contact the Office at (910)425-1590 or email: gsbulletinedit@gmail.com~

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.

Christmas Share Tree

Each year we adopt several families from Good Shepherd, and San Isidro to help those less fortunate. This year we will place our Christmas Share Tree in the Gathering Area with GIVING TREE ornaments beginning November 26th.

Green ornaments are for Good Shepherd gifts and should be wrapped. Red ornaments are for San Isidro and should not be wrapped.

Ornaments have been made by the Holy Stitchers as a gift to those who participate. Keep the ornament and remove the tag. Attach the tag to the gift purchased and place it under the Share Tree. Gift limits are \$25.

This is an opportunity for you to share Christmas with families less fortunate.

Thank you and May God bless you

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

During the Christmas Season, you have an opportunity to help with the cost of flowers to decorate the Church by making a donation in "honor of" or "memory of" your loved ones.

If you would like to make a donation, please use your envelope included in your envelope mailing.

Envelopes also available on the Welcome Table. Write names clearly on front and back of envelope and place it either in the offertory basket or in the basket located on the Welcome Table by Sunday,

December 18th. **對我就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就就**

Women of Charity Fundraiser





You will have a chance to buy Raffle Tickets and place them in the jars of items you want to win. Raffle Tickets will be pulled and prizes awarded after the 11:30a Mass on December 4th

All proceeds will be used to provide smiles at Christmas for children of needy families.

As always, thank you for your support

Catholic Charities—Fayetteville Region

Our local Catholic Charities location on Ramsey Street in Fayetteville is looking for additional volunteers during all service hours.

Catholic Charities provides services in the community Monday thru Thursday, 9a-12p.

They are also in need of children's winter clothing, shoes and coats. These items can be gently used or new, ranging in sizes from Infant to 14/16.

Contact: Vicky Jimenez, 910-424-2020, x.2601, Vicky.jimenez@ccharitiesdor.org

The ALMs HOUSE

Cold weather is here!

The ALMs House Thrift Store is in need of new or good condition blankets.



The items can be dropped in the Gray Basket beside the Share Basket in the Gathering Area, or directly to the Thrift Store at 5512 Patterson Street, Hope Mills.

The Store is open Tuesday-Thursday, 9:00 - 11:00am.

Thank you in advance for your kindness.



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.

<u>Sick and Homebound/Hospitalized:</u> 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.

<u>Bulletin Deadline</u>: Requests must be received 10 days <u>prior</u> to the weekend the announcement is to be published. E-mail your request to: <u>gsbulletinedit@gmail.com</u>.

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 or PCS'ing? Please contact the Parish Office and let us know.





CONTACTS FOR MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES:

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Legion of Mary

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Sick & Homebound

Contact Legion of Mary

Women of Charity & Welcoming Committee

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Office of Faith Formation

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