

PASTORAL TEAM

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MASS INTENTIONS & WEEKLY CALENDAR

Saturday, September 18

Knights of Columbus Non-Perishable Items for Loving Food Resources (Narthex)
 4:00pm Choir Rehearsal (Meeting Room # 3)
 4:00pm Confession
 5:00pm Mass Intention for Mary Ann Poli, by Fr. Dean Cesa
 5:00pm Baptism: Henry Alexander Ryder

Sunday, September 19

Knights of Columbus Non-Perishable Items for Loving Food Resources (Narthex)
 9:00am Choir Rehearsal (Meeting Room # 3)
 10:00am Mass (English) Intention for Carol "Toni" Day, by Fr. Dean Cesa
 12:00pm Mass (Spanish) For the People

Monday, September 20

9:00am Communion Service

Tuesday, September 21

9:00am Communion Service
 7:30pm Confirmation Classes—On ZOOM—Until further notice

Wednesday, September 22

12:00pm Mass Intention for Scott LeMien, by Carol Wald
 6:30pm Faith Formation Classes—On ZOOM—Until further notice

Thursday, September 23

12:00pm Mass Intention in Memory of Silvia Salinas + By Mina Sweeney
 7:00pm Coro—Outside, weather permitting

Friday, September 24

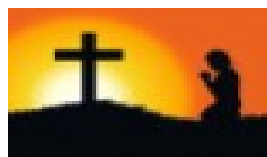
12:00pm Mass Intention in Memory of Anna Zabel + By Fr. Dean Cesa
 6:30pm Spanish Rosary (Elsa Campoverde) / Holy Eucharist Exposition / Reflection (Marisol Uriostegui - Leader)

Saturday, September 25

2nd Collection for In lieu of Priests' Retirement (we have met our goal for this), we will be collecting for the Diocesan Support Appeal (DSA)
 9:00am-3:00pm Confirmation Retreat—On Zoom—Two 90 minute sessions)
 4:00pm Choir Rehearsal (Meeting Room # 3)
 4:00pm Confession
 5:00pm Mass Intention for Fr. Jim Cahill, by Fr. Dean Cesa

Sunday, September 26

2nd Collection for In lieu of Priests' Retirement (we have met our goal for this), we will be collecting for the Diocesan Support Appeal (DSA)
 9:00am Choir Rehearsal (Meeting Room # 3)
 10:00am Mass (English) Intention in Memory of Fr. Andrew Campbell, O.S.B. + By Fr. Dean Cesa
 12:00pm Mass (Spanish) For the People



QUINCEANERAS: Favor avisar con minimo 4 meses de anticipación. La preparación dura aproximadamente un mes. En la Iglesia hay unas formas que debe llenar, en ellas encontrara mayor información.

COMMUNION CALLS AND HOSPITAL CALLS: Please call Parish Office to request the Sacraments of Communion or Anointing at home or in the hospital.

SACRAMENTO DE LOS ENFERMOS: llamar a oficina a cualquier hora.

REGISTRATION: New parishioners please register at the Parish Office. Notify the office of any changes to help keep our records up to date.

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for those who have died, especially,
Anna Zabel,
for those in nursing homes, hospitals, the
homebound, for the sick and those suffering with
COVID-19:

Victoria, John, Jane Benedetto, Norma Brandon,
Geri & Marion Brower, John Carman,
Sandra & Gary Coggins, Katie Coppack, June Cross,
Carol "Toni" Day, Ortenzio "Art" Filotei, Jean Gales,
Ladislao Gomez, Darien Halka (infant), Elise Henshaw,
Dick Hueber, Marlene Hunter, Rosendo Jacinto,
Colton Jones, Eddie & Ann LeSchack, Allison,
Joe, Mercedes & Hayley Lusk, Carolyn Mattox,
Jo MacWilliam, Marie Mauterer, Kathy McGuire,
Jean & Nick Narciso, Raymond Phillips,
Mary Ann Poli, Gail Powell, Mary Prock, Ella Reid,
Sheri Reilly, Kitty Spurrier, Mina Sweeney,
Marge Turcot & Franklin Whiteside,
Pauline Waldburger, Joey Zima

Please pray for our armed forces and diplomatic
personnel, and missionaries serving our Church,
both here and abroad:

Josh Andreucci, (USAF), stationed in Cheyenne, WY, son of Mike & Janet Andreucci
Clay Campbell (Army), South Korea, great grandson of Shirley Smith
Zachary Locklear, (Army), Ft. Hood, TX, grandson of Barbara Buell
Christopher Matthews (USAF), now in Guam, he is the grandson of Monica Matthews
Staff Sgt. Jason Pallack (US Army Corps of Engineers), Fr. Bellwar, VA, son-in-law of Ellen Dame
FC1 Thad Shampang (SW/AW) (Navy) recently transferred from the USS George H W Bush and is currently stationed at Dam Neck Base in Virginia Beach as a Re-architected NATO Sea Sparrow Missile System Naval Instructor, son of Dave & Lee Shampang
Matthew Storie (USAF), OSI, Spangdahlem, Germany, grandson of Evie Hoffman
Benjamin Cormier (USMC), Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, awaiting deployment, grandson of Barbara Penix
Colby Warren (Army), Honolulu, HI, great-grandson of Pat Alfieri

Stewardship Corner

Christian stewardship trains us to become aware that God is the ultimate giver of the gifts we have. To give to God should be "from the top" – not what may be left over.

La mayordomía cristiana nos entrena para tomar conciencia de que Dios es el dador supremo de los dones que tenemos. Dar a Dios debe ser "desde arriba", no lo que pueda sobrar.

September 18 & 19, 2021 / 18 y 19 de septiembre de 2021

Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time /
Vigésimo Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The wicked say: With revilement and torture let us put the just one to the test (Wisdom 2:12, 17-20).

Psalms — The Lord upholds my life (Psalm 54).

Second Reading — The wisdom from above is full of mercy and good fruits (James 3:16 — 4:3).

Gospel — Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me (Mark 9:30-37).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ezr 1:1-6; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 8:16-18
Tuesday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13
Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Tb:13:2, 3-4abefghn, 7-8;
Lk 9:1-6
Thursday: Hg 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 9:7-9
Friday: Hg 2:1-9; Ps 43:1-4; Lk 9:18-22
Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13;
Lk 9:43b-45
Sunday: Nm 11:25-29; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14;
Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Dios ayudará y liberará a los justos (Sabiduría 2:12, 17-20).

Salmo — El Señor es quien me ayuda (Salmo 54 [53]).

Segunda lectura — La sabiduría trae consigo muchas bendiciones (Santiago 3:16 — 4:3).

Evangelio — Jesús enseña a sus discípulos a tener humildad y sencillez como la de un niño (Marcos 9:30-37).

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Esd 1:1-6; Sal 126 (125):1b-6; Lc 8:16-18
Martes: Ef 4:1-7, 11-13; Sal 19 (18):2-5; Mt 9:9-13
Miércoles: Esd 9:5-9; Tob:13:2, 3-4abefghn, 7-8;
Lc 9:1-6
Jueves: Ag 1:1-8; Sal 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lc 9:7-9
Viernes: Ag 2:1-9; Sal 43 (42):1-4; Lc 9:18-22
Sábado: Zac 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13;
Lc 9:43b-45
Domingo: Nm 11:25-29; Sal 19 (18):8, 10, 12-14;
Sant 5:1-6; Mc 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Faith Formation Page

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About the Gospel:

Jesus explains that he will suffer and die, but the disciples are too afraid of what he is saying to question him about it. Instead, they focus on which one of them is the most important. Jesus tells them that if they want to be great, they must be humble and serve others.

In Church:

Say a special prayer for someone who is in need.

Question of the Week:

How can you serve others and help them with the difficulties they are experiencing?

Family Prayer:

Lord, help us to see you when we see people in need.

Acercas del Evangelio:

Jesús explica que sufrirá y morirá, pero los discípulos tienen demasiado miedo de lo que está diciendo como para interrogarlo al respecto. En cambio, se centran en cuál de ellos es el más importante. Jesús les dice que si quieren ser grandes, deben ser humildes y servir a los demás.

En la iglesia:

Di una oración especial por alguien que lo necesite.

Pregunta de la semana:

¿Cómo puede servir a los demás y ayudarlos con las dificultades que están experimentando?

Oración familiar:

Señor, ayúdanos a verte cuando veamos personas necesitadas.

The fruit of righteousness is sown in peace
for those who cultivate peace.
— James 3:18

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Holy Father's Prayer Intention of the Month

An Environmentally Sustainable Lifestyle – We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.

Intención de oración del mes del Santo Padre

Un estilo de vida ambientalmente sostenible: oramos para que todos tomemos decisiones valientes para un estilo de vida simple y ambientalmente sostenible, regocijándonos en nuestros jóvenes que están decididamente comprometidos con esto.

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Eucharistic Congress

This weekend's Eucharistic Congress is now a virtual event. Talks from speakers including Dr. William Thierfelder, Fr. Donald Calloway, and Dr. Gianna Emanuela Molla in English and Fr. Edwin Alberto Romo Garcia, Gustavo Adolfo Mejia, and Lupita Venegas in Spanish, will be available on the Diocesan YouTube page.

Congreso Eucarístico

El Congreso Eucarístico de este fin de semana es ahora un evento virtual. Charlas de oradores, incluido el

St. Joan of Arc Quilting Ministry

“beautiful things come together one stitch at a time”



What is the SJA Quilting Ministry?

A ministry formed to make lap quilts for the SJA Homebound.

Who can participate? Any member from SJA who has a basic knowledge of sewing and a sewing machine in good working order.

When? An organizational meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 6 at 10:30am in the Fellowship Hall.

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September 18 & 19, 2021

WEEKLY KNIGHT



Loving Food Resources

This week is the 3rd Sunday of the month, which means it's time for our monthly collection for Loving Food Resources. Please place your non-perishable food items in the indicated containers in the narthex. Thank you for your generosity!

Esta semana es el tercer domingo del mes, lo que significa que es hora de nuestra colección mensual de Loving Food Resources. Coloque sus alimentos no perecederos en los recipientes indicados en el nártex. ¡Gracias por tu generosidad!

Christmas Card Sales

Merry Christmas St. Joan of Arc Catholic parishioners! Yes, we realize that it is only September but we are prepared to help you with you upcoming Christmas plans. The Knights of Columbus will have beautiful religious Christmas cards for sale after the masses for the next several weekends, or until we sell out. We have both English and Spanish versions available for sale. As we extend our Christmas wishes to our families and friends please consider using one of our religious cards to keep Christ as the reason for the season. The sale of these cards helps the Knights help others by supporting local needs based ministries.

¡Felices Navidad feligreses católicos de Santa Juana de Arco! Sí, nos damos cuenta de que solo es septiembre, pero estamos preparados para ayudarlo con sus próximos planes navideños. Los Caballeros de Colón tendrán hermosas tarjetas religiosas de Navidad a la venta después de las misas durante los próximos fines de semana, o hasta que se agoten. Tenemos versiones en inglés y español disponibles para la venta. A medida que extendemos nuestros deseos navideños a nuestras familias y amigos, considere usar una de nuestras tarjetas religiosas para mantener a Cristo como el motivo de la temporada. La venta de estas tarjetas ayuda a los Caballeros a ayudar a otros apoyando los ministerios locales basados en las necesidades.

Clothes Collection

In the spirit of ecumenism, members of our Knights of Columbus council have been working with the ministries at Haywood Street Congregation. They have a year-round need for clothing, so we will be having a perpetual collection to assist them. They also have a need for tents. We will accept clothes or tents any day of the year you wish to donate them. No more having to wait for designated weekends. Please see Mike Pedroza for more information.

En el espíritu del ecumenismo, los miembros de nuestro consejo de Caballeros de Colón han estado trabajando con los ministerios de Haywood Street Congregation. Tienen una necesidad de ropa durante todo el año, por lo que tendremos una colección perpetua para ayudarlos. También necesitan carpas. Aceptaremos ropa o carpas cualquier día del año que desee donarlas. No más tener que esperar los fines de semana designados. Consulte a Mike Pedroza para obtener más información.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

COURT ST. JOAN OF ARC # 2471

IN UNITY AND CHARITY



Catholic Daughters of the Americas strives to embrace the principle of living through love in the promotion of justice, equality, and the advancement of human rights and human dignity for all. We donate to local and national charities, administer scholarship programs and strive "to be helping hands where there is pain, poverty, sorrow or sickness." For example: We collect Box tops for Education to support programs at Asheville Catholic School. Box tops are collected and sent to ACS twice a year, in April and December. Members of the parish are encouraged to participate. Box tops may be given to any Catholic Daughter.

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Catholic Daughters of the Americas se esfuerza por abrazar el principio de la fe que trabaja a través del amor en la promoción de la justicia, la igualdad y el avance de los derechos humanos y la dignidad humana para todos. Hacemos donaciones a organizaciones benéficas locales y nacionales, administramos programas de becas y nos esforzamos por "ayudar donde hay dolor, pobreza, tristeza o enfermedad". Por ejemplo: Recopilamos Box tops for Education para apoyar programas en la Escuela Católica de Asheville. Las tapas de las cajas se recogen y se envían a ACS dos veces al año, en abril y diciembre, se anima a los miembros de la parroquia a participar. Se pueden regalar tapas de caja a cualquier hija católica.

**ATTENTION! ALL COMMISSION LEADERS, COUNCIL LEADERS,
AND MINISTRY LEADERS . . .
ENGLISH AND SPANISH**

Now that Saint Joan of Arc is beginning to "come alive" after a very long year of COVID restrictions, commissions, councils and ministries will be busy planning future events. With that come the "volunteers." PLEASE let me know of ANY AND ALL NEW MEMBERS in your Commission, Council or Ministry. Before they become "active" in your group, they must have completed the following forms. If you do not have the following forms on file, you will not be able to volunteer:

Background check form

Volunteer form

Sexual misconduct form

And they must attend a workshop on Protection of God's Children.

Please contact Carol Wald, Parish Secretary with your list of members (new and otherwise) so that our database can be updated and the corresponding forms are on file. If you have new members joining your groups NOW, you should contact me as soon as possible.

Thanks you,

Carol Wald, Parish Secretary

Monday thru Friday, 11:00am-3:00pm (670-0051)

**¡ATENCIÓN! TODOS LOS LÍDERES DE COMISIÓN, LÍDERES DE
CONSEJO Y LÍDERES DE MINISTERIO. . .
INGLÉS Y ESPAÑOL**

Ahora que Santa Juana de Arco está comenzando a "cobrar vida" después de un año muy largo de restricciones de COVID, las comisiones, consejos y ministerios estarán ocupados planificando eventos futuros. Con eso vienen los "voluntarios". POR FAVOR, avíseme de CUALQUIERA Y TODOS LOS NUEVOS MIEMBROS de su Comisión, Consejo o Ministerio. Antes de que se vuelvan "activos" en su grupo, deben haber completado los siguientes formularios. Si no tienen los siguientes formularios archivados, no podrán ser voluntarios:

Formulario de verificación de antecedentes

Formulario de voluntariado

Formulario de conducta sexual inapropiada

Y deben asistir a un taller de Protección de los niños de Dios.

Por favor comuníquese con Carol Wald, Secretaria Parroquial con su lista de miembros (nuevos y de otro tipo) para que nuestra base de datos pueda actualizarse y los formularios correspondientes estén archivados. Si tiene nuevos miembros que se unen a sus grupos AHORA, deben comunicarse conmigo lo antes posible.

Gracias,

Carol Wald, secretaria parroquial

De lunes a viernes, 11:00am—3:00pm (670-0051)

**SECOND COLLECTIONS
FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2021**



September 4 & 5
St. Joan of Arc Mortgage / Building Fund

September 11 & 12
St. Vincent de Paul & ABCCM

September 25 & 26
We have reached our 2021 Priests'
Retirement Goal of \$6,493.00 (\$6,759.00). *

*** Please give prayerful consideration to**
donating to the Diocesan Support Appeal (DSA)
in lieu of Priests' Retirement.

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS, PLEASE SEND IN YOUR
OFFERTORY AND DONATIONS FOR THE SECOND COLLECTIONS.

YOU CAN ALSO SIGN UP FOR ONLINE GIVING; PLEASE CONTACT
PAM McRAE, BOOKKEEPER ON MONDAYS AT 828-670-0051,
BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10:00AM—1:00PM.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY.

**SEGUNDA COLECCIONES
PARA EL MES DE AGOSTO 2021**

4 y 5 de septiembre
Fondo hipotecario / de construcción de St.
Joan of Arc

11 y 12 de septiembre
San Vicente de Paul y ABCCM

25 y 26 de septiembre
Hemos alcanzado nuestra meta de
jubilacion de sacerdotes para 2021 de
\$6,493.00 (\$6,759.00). *

*** Por favor considere en oración hacer una**
donación a la Campaña de Apoyo
Diocesano (DSA) en lugar de la Jubilación de
Sacerdotes.

SI NO PUEDE ASISTIR A LA MISA, ENVÍE SU OFERTORIO Y LAS
DONACIONES PARA LAS SEGUNDAS COLECCIONES.

TAMBIÉN PUEDES REGISTRARTE PARA DAR EN LÍNEA;
COMUNÍQUESE CON PAM McRAE, CONTADOR DE LIBROS LOS
LUNES AL 828-670-0051, ENTRE LAS HORAS DE 10:00 AM A 1:00
PM. GRACIAS POR SU CONTINUA GENEROSIDAD.

THE MEANING OF DISCIPLESHIP

The geography of today's Gospel is significant. Jesus is completing his ministry in Galilee and beginning his journey to Jerusalem, where he will meet both death and resurrection. The prediction of his death placed here is the second of three in Mark's Gospel, and as usual it is the occasion for an important teaching on the part of Jesus. Today that lesson is tied to the need for his disciples to embrace a ministry of service. A play on words in Aramaic would have linked the words "child" and "servant," thus turning Jesus' gesture of placing a child in their midst into an illustration of his understanding of himself as the Servant of the Lord. It is that same awareness of the meaning of their ministry that Jesus (and Mark) wishes to instill in the disciples. Theirs must be a ministry of service if they are to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. And that service might even require of them that they be "handed over" to death. What would have been—in the culture of Jesus' day—an ordinary discussion of social status ("who is the greatest") becomes in Mark's context a key insight into the meaning of discipleship for the disciples and for us. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



EL SIGNIFICADO DE SER DISCÍPULOS

La geografía del Evangelio de hoy es importante. Jesús completa su ministerio en Galilea y comienza su viaje a Jerusalén, donde se encontrará con su muerte y resurrección. La predicción de su muerte que aparece aquí es la segunda de tres en el Evangelio según San Marcos, y como de costumbre, es ocasión para una enseñanza importante de parte de Jesús. Hoy esta lección está ligada a la necesidad de un ministerio de servicio. Un juego de palabras arameas vinculaban las palabras "niño" y "servidor", y por eso el gesto de Jesús de tomar "a un niño [poniéndolo] en medio de ellos" indica cómo se veía a sí mismo: como el Siervo del Señor. Es esta misma conciencia del significado del ministerio que Jesús (y Marcos) desean inculcar en sus discípulos. El ministerio de ellos deberá ser de servicio para que puedan seguir las huellas de Jesús. Y ese servicio podría incluso requerir de ellos que se "entregarán" a la muerte. ¿Cuál habría sido, en la cultura del tiempo de Jesús, una conversación normal sobre el estatus social ("quién es el más importante") se convierte para Marcos en una idea clave sobre el significado de qué es ser discípulos para sus seguidores de entonces y para nosotros. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

**Stewardship Weekly Summary
Month of September 2021
2nd Sunday of the Month**

4 Sundays in September 2021	Amount Collected	Amount Needed This Week	Difference For This Week's Needs
Offering for Operating Expenses	\$3,946.00	\$4,898.00	(-\$952.00)
Mortgage/Building Fund	\$305.00	\$1,049.00	(-\$744.00)

**Stewardship Monthly Summary
Month of September 2021
As of the 1st Sunday of the Month**

4 Sundays in September 2021	Amount Collected	Amount Needed This Month	Difference For This Month's Needs
Offering for Operating Expenses	\$9,502.00	\$19,593.00	(-\$10,091.00)
Mortgage/Building Fund	\$1,850.00	\$4,197.00	(-\$2,347.00)

