



MASS INTENTIONS & WEEKLY CALENDAR

Saturday, May 27

1:00pm Wedding: Valentin Alvares Garcia & Isabel Beltran Hernandez
4:00pm Choir Rehearsal (Meeting Room # 3)
4:00pm Confession
4:25pm Rosary
5:00pm Mass Intention for Jean Narcisco, by Fr. Dean Cesa

Sunday, May 28 Pentecost

11:00am Mass (Bi-Lingual) In Honor of Fr. Dean Cesa’s 25th Anniversary of his Ordination
12:45pm Parish Picnic to follow Mass (Outside)

Monday, May 29 Memorial Day
PARISH OFFICE CLOSED FOR DIOCESAN HOLIDAY

Tuesday, May 30

6:30pm Choir Rehearsal (Church)

Wednesday, May 31

11:00am Adoration (Church)
12:00pm Mass Intention in memory of Sue Kaplan + By Fr. Dean Cesa
6:30pm LAST CLASS FOR ALL FAITH FORMATION

Thursday, June 1

12:00pm Mass Intention in memory of Lucy Monjoa Moki + By Fr. Dean Cesa
6:30pm Knights of Columbus Meeting (Meeting Room # 2)
7:00pm Hispanic Adoration Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
7:00pm Coro (Church)

Friday, June 2

12:00pm Mass Intention in memory of Paul Sweeney + By Mina Sweeney
6:30pm Spanish Rosary and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Church)

Saturday, June 3

2nd Collection St. Joan of Arc Mortgage & Building Fund

1:00pm Quinceanera: Alexa Gonzalez Arroyo
4:00pm Choir Rehearsal (Meeting Room # 3)
4:00pm Confession
4:25pm Rosary
5:00pm Mass Intention in memory of Carl Obuchowski + By Peggy Obuchowski

Sunday, June 4

2nd Collection St. Joan of Arc Mortgage & Building Fund

9:00am Choir Rehearsal (Meeting Room # 3)
9:25am Rosary
10:00am Mass Intention for Tim Kelley, by Fr. Dean Cesa
11:25am Spanish Rosary
12:00pm Mass Intention for the people, by Fr. Dean Cesa

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS COURT
ST. JOAN OF ARC # 2471 IN UNITY AND CHARITY

Catholic Daughters of the Americas puts faith into action through a spirit of love to promote justice, equality, human rights and dignity for all people. We support the following: Catholic Charities “Angel Tree”, Victory Junction Camp, The White Ribbon Campaign, along with other non-profit ministries and our ministries within our Church. Our Chapter meets the third Sunday of each Month.

HIJAS CATÓLICAS DE LAS AMÉRICAS TRIBUNAL ST.
JUANA DE ARCO # 2471 EN UNIDAD Y CARIDAD

Hijas Católicas de las Américas pone la fe en acción a través de un espíritu de amor para promover la justicia, la igualdad, los derechos humanos y la dignidad de todas las personas. Apoyamos lo siguiente: Caridades Católicas "Angel Tree", Victory Junction Camp, The White Ribbon Campaign, junto con otros ministerios sin fines de lucro y nuestros ministerios dentro de nuestra Iglesia. Nuestro Capítulo se reúne el tercer domingo de cada mes.

Discussion Questions / Pentecost / May 28, 2023

First Reading / Acts 2:1-11 (Day)

1. Every nation was confused and amazed because everyone understood in his or her language what the apostles were saying. If you were completely open to the Holy Spirit, would you have a deeper understanding of all that you hear? Was the miracle in the speaking or the hearing? How does the Holy Spirit use the miracle of hearing with you?

2. “When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled they were all in one place together. ...” Was fear present? What took the place of “fear” after the Holy Spirit rested on each one of them? According to Pope Francis, what are the implications of this for the Church today? When they were locked in there, in the Upper Room, they were not strategizing, no; they were not drafting any pastoral plan. ...

The Spirit himself opens doors and pushes us to press beyond what has already been said and done, beyond the precincts of a timid and wary faith. In the world, unless there is tight organization and a clear strategy, things fall apart. In the Church, however, the Spirit guarantees unity to those who proclaim the message. The Apostles set off: unprepared, yet putting their lives on the line. One thing kept them going: the desire to give what they received. The opening part of the First Letter of Saint John is beautiful: “that which we have seen and heard we proclaim also to you” (cf Jn 1:3). Pope Francis Pentecost Homily / May 31, 2020

Second Reading / 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Romans 8:8-17

1. “To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit. ...” Were Vivaldi and Michelangelo, for instance, given gifts solely for their own pleasure? For whose benefit were they given? What are your gifts and for what benefit were they given to you and those around you? What gifts are you given to help with racism, gun violence, ending war or climate crisis? Are you a finder of solutions? A peace maker? A giver of food or money? One who prays?

2. Could the gifts of the Spirit help eradicate many of our problems: gifts of knowledge, wisdom, understanding, reverence, courage, right judgment and awe and wonder in the presence of God?

Gospel / John 20:19-23 or John 14:15-16, 23b-26

1. Jesus “breathed” on them. How does this relate to Genesis 2:7, “God formed man of dust from the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life”? What is the significance for you? How important is the Holy Spirit to you?

2. “... When the doors were locked where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews ...” How were the disciples different after the Spirit’s arrival? In your own life do you tend to see the Holy Spirit as dynamic and constant or as only occasional? Rate your belief in the Holy Spirit being your constant companion on a scale of 1 to 10, with 10 being the highest. Are you different when you are confident that the Spirit is with you? Explain.

SECOND COLLECTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2023

JUNE 3 & 4—ST. JOAN OF ARC MORTGAGE & BUILDING FUND

JUNE 10 & 11—WORLD MISSION (PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH)

JUNE 17 & 18—ABCCM & ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

PRIESTS’ RETIREMENT GOAL FOR 2023: T/B/D; to date we have received \$2,206.00. Amount to be collected: T/B/D. Thank you!

* Please give prayerful consideration to donating to the Diocesan Support Appeal (DSA).

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 JUNIO 2023

3 Y 4 DE JUNIO—ST. FONDO DE HIPOTECAS Y CONSTRUCCIONES JOAN OF ARC

10 Y 11 DE JUNIO—WORLD MISSION (PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH)

17 y 18 DE JUNIO—ABCCM & ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

25 DE JUNIO—SPANISH MASS ONLY: PRIESTS’ RETIREMENT

PARA 2023: T/B/D; a la fecha hemos recibido \$2,206.00. Monto a cobrar: T/B/D. ¡Gracias!

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

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.

DIOCESAN SUPPORT APPEAL (DSA) 2023 / LLAMAMIENTO DE APOYO DIOCESANO 2023

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Amount Paid	Pledge Balance	Paid & Pledge Balance	Goal	Over/Under	Donors	% of Goal Reached (Paid & Pledged)
\$20,550.95	\$6,653.20	\$27,104.15	\$28,416.90	(\$1,212.75)	67	96%



A new DSA bar code has been issued by the Diocese of Charlotte, please use this one if you are donating online.

La Diócesis de Charlotte ha emitido un nuevo código de barras DSA, utilice este si está donando en línea.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

In the second reading today, St. Paul reminds the Corinthians, “there are different gifts, but the same Spirit; there are different ministries but the same Lord.” How am I using my gifts “for the common good”?

En la segunda lectura de hoy, san Pablo recuerda a los corintios que “hay diversos dones, pero el mismo espíritu; hay diferentes ministerios pero un mismo Señor.” ¿Cómo estoy usando mis dones “para el bien común”?

Let us pray for all those who serve our country in the Military, at home and abroad, and their families. We thank them for their service.

Oremos por todos aquellos que sirven a nuestro país en las Fuerzas Armadas, en casa y en el extranjero, y sus familias. Les agradecemos por su servicio.





FAITH FORMATION PAGE

About the Gospel: Jesus visits the Apostles and gives them the authority to forgive sins! This is one of the scriptural references for the Sacrament of Reconciliation (also Penance or Confession). Jesus wanted us to have a way to be close to God again when we make a bad choice that hurts him, others, or even ourselves.

In Church: As a family, go to your parish and receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Here at St. Joan of Arc, the Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered Saturdays at 4 PM or by appointment.

Questions of the Week: What kinds of bad choices do you find yourself making?

Family Prayer: *Dear Jesus, help us to recognize when we make bad choices and to always seek your forgiveness. Amen.*

Acerca del Evangelio: ¡Jesús visita a los Apóstoles y les da la autoridad para perdonar los pecados! Esta es una de las referencias bíblicas para el Sacramento de Reconciliación (también Penitencia o Confesión). Jesús quería que tuviéramos una manera de estar cerca de Dios de nuevo cuando tomamos una mala decisión que lo lastima a él, a otros o incluso a nosotros mismos.

En la iglesia: En familia, vayan a su parroquia y reciban el Sacramento de la Reconciliación. Aquí en St. Joan of Arc, el Sacramento de la Reconciliación se ofrece los sábados a las 4 p. m. o con cita previa.

Preguntas de la semana: ¿Qué tipo de malas decisiones te encuentras haciendo?

Oración familiar: *Querido Jesús, ayúdanos a reconocer cuando hacemos malas decisiones y buscar siempre tu perdón. Amén.*



Holy Father's Prayer Intention of the Month: *For Church Movements and Groups – We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.*

Intención de Oración del Santo Padre del Mes: *Por los Movimientos y Grupos de Iglesia – Oramos para que los movimientos y grupos de Iglesia redescubran cada día su misión de evangelización, poniendo sus propios carismas al servicio de las necesidades del mundo.*



Faith Formation: Our Faith Formation year is wrapping up. There are two more weeks of Wednesday classes, May 24 and 31, then we break for the summer. Registrations for 2023-24 will be held in August, with classes resuming after Labor Day. Please note that the second year Confirmation class may resume early, depending on what we receive as a Confirmation date from the Diocese.

Formación en la fe Nuestro año de Formación en la Fe está terminando. Allí quedan dos semanas mas de clases los miercoles mayo 24 y 31, luego hacemos una pausa para el verano. Las inscripciones para 2023-24 se realizarán en agosto, con la reanudación de las clases después del Día del Trabajo. Tenga en cuenta que la Confirmación del segundo año la clase puede reanudarse temprano, dependiendo de lo que recibamos como fecha de Confirmación de la Diócesis.



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WEEKLY KNIGHT

May 27 & 28, 2023 / 27 y 28 de Mayo de 2023

Pentecost

Your Knights of Columbus are here to serve at this weekend's Pentecost picnic. We will be manning the grill and serving up the ice cream. We look forward to celebrating with you this weekend!

Pentecostés

Sus Caballeros de Colón están aquí para servir en el picnic de Pentecostés de este fin de semana. Estaremos manejando la parrilla y sirviendo el helado. ¡Esperamos celebrar contigo este fin de semana!

Council Elections

Council elections will be held at our monthly meeting this Thursday, June 1, at 6:30 PM. All members of the council are encouraged to attend and cast your vote for the leadership of the council for next year.

Elecciones del Consejo

Las elecciones del consejo se llevarán a cabo en nuestra reunión mensual este jueves 1 de junio a las 6:30 p. m. Se alienta a todos los miembros del consejo a asistir y emitir su voto para el liderazgo del consejo para el próximo año.

Perpetual Clothing Drive

We are supporting the WNC Rescue Mission with our perpetual clothing drive. In addition, they are accepting used furniture. We thank you for your generosity.

Colecta perpetua de ropa

Estamos apoyando la Misión de Rescate de WNC con nuestra colecta perpetua de ropa. Además, están aceptando muebles usados. Te agradecemos por tu generosidad.

Family of the Month

Congratulations to Carlos Velasquez, Yuli Ricardez, and family. In addition to being our council's Family of the Month for May, they have been selected as Family of the Month for the State of North Carolina, and will be receiving a special Holy Family gift from the Supreme Council.

Familia del Mes

Felicitaciones a Carlos Velásquez, Yuli Ricardez y familia. Además de ser la Familia del Mes de mayo de nuestro consejo, han sido seleccionados como Familia del Mes del Estado de Carolina del Norte y recibirán un regalo especial de la Sagrada Familia del Consejo Supremo.

May 27 & 28, 2023 / 27 y 28 de Mayo de 2023

Pentecost / Pentecostés

Welcome to Saint Joan of Arc Catholic Church

Bienvenidos a la Iglesia Católica de Santa Juana de Arco

SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF WEST ASHEVILLE, CANDLER, ENKA & BEYOND!

**MOST REVEREND PETER J. JUGIS, JCD
BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE OF CHARLOTTE**

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Text the word SJA1 to 84576***

“Valuing our Church as a community of faith that is welcoming and affirming, we strive to live and spread our Catholic faith so as to grow and unify the Saint Joan of Arc Parish through prayer, worship and service.”

“Al valorar nuestra Iglesia como una comunidad de fe que es acogedora y afirmativa, nos esforzamos por vivir y difundir nuestra fe católica para hacer crecer y unificar la parroquia de Santa Juana de Arco a través de la oración, la adoración y el servicio”.

Pastor	Fr. Dean Cesa	828-670-0051
In Case of Emergency	Fr. Dean Cesa	828-670-0053
Pastor's Secretary	Carol Wald	828-670-0051
Bookkeeper (Monday)	Pam McRae	828-670-0051
Parish Pastoral Council (PPC)		828-670-0051
Finance Council	Trisha Nicoll, Chairperson	504-919-3801
Buildings & Grounds Commission	Mike Andreucci, Chairperson	828-778-1233
Faith Formation Commission	Maria Eva Tabora, Commission Leader Tim Kelley, Faith Formation Coordinator Guillermo Miranda, Charlos por Bautismos	828-329-4498 828-777-1514 828-367-8976
Liturgy & Spiritual Life Commission	Connie Cathey, Chairperson	828-667-2580
Children's Liturgy	Laura Lawrence	828-777-2140
Altar Society	Parish Office	828-670-0051
Praying Hearts Ministry	Elaine Lovelace	828-545-3251
Music Ministry	Rita Pisano, Director	828-582-5223
Parish Life & Fellowship Commission	Jo MacWilliam, Chairperson	828-777-6096
Bereavement Ministry	Parish Office	828-670-0051
Stewardship Committee	Parish Office	828-670-0051
Catholic Daughters of the Americas	Diane Clarke-Hawkins	828-337-7714
Knights of Columbus	Tim Kelley	828-777-1514
Ministerio Hispaño	Antonio Garcia	828-713-3210
St. Vincent de Paul	Pager Number	828-775-1933
Catholic Charities (ccdoc.org)	50 Orange Street, Asheville, NC 28801	828-255-0146



MASS SCHEDULE—Subject to change, please listen to announcements:

Wednesday, 11:00am—Adoration

Wednesday, 12:00pm—Mass

Thursday, 12:00pm—Mass

Friday, 12:00pm—Mass

Saturday, 5:00pm—Mass (English)

Sunday, 10:00am—Mass (English)

Sunday, 12:00pm—Mass (Spanish)

CONFESSIONS—Saturday, 4:00pm OR Contact Fr. Dean Cesa for appointment.

All other inquiries, please contact the Parish Office, Monday through Friday, 11:00am—3:00pm. Front Doors to the Church are locked at all times.

Para todas las demás consultas, comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial, de lunes a viernes, de 11:00 am a 3:00 pm. Las puertas de entrada a la iglesia están cerradas en todo momento.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism—Preparation required; call parish office to make arrangements 2 months prior.

Bautismo—La platica bautismal es el tercer jueves del mes a las 6:30 pm. y el Bautismo es el sabado de esa misma semana alas 11:00 am

Matrimony—Couples planning marriage must contact parish priest at least six (6) months in advance of the marriage.

Matrimonio—6 meses de preparación. Deben ser miembros de la comunidad parroquial. Favor hablar con el padre después de la misa.

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 & 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.

Registro—Los nuevos feligreses por favor regístrese en la Oficina Parroquial. Notifique a la oficina de cualquier cambio para ayudar a mantener nuestros registros actualizados.