

Transfiguration of Jesus Catholic Church

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Misión Católica de Santa Clara

352 N Academy St, Magnolia, NC 28453



August 30, 2026 – 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Mission

To love and know more profoundly our Catholic Faith, worship the Lord, minister to our members and to further spread our Faith in the community.

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Website [TJC]:



Website [STC]:



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Contact Us

Parish Office: 9AM-12PM Tues, Thur-Fri | Wed 4-6PM [STC]

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Fr. Tyler Sparrow, Administrator

Deacon Michael Vandiver, Deacon

If your concern is an emergency call for someone who is dying to receive Sacramental Last Rites, please call or text the parish's emergency line: 910-983-4024.

Parish Events

- September 4: Bill Lord Memorial Golf Tournament
- September 8: Women of Transfiguration Church @ 10:00AM Founder's Hall
- September 12 @ 10:00AM: National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children Prayer Service. Held at Our Lady of Guadalupe in Newton Grove.

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Saturday

- 4:00PM Confessions
- 5:00PM English Vigil Mass

Sunday

- 8:30AM English Mass
- 10:30AM Spanish Mass
- 1:00PM Spanish Mass [STC]

Tuesday

- 9:00AM English Mass
- 6:00PM Confessions & Adoration
- 7:00PM Spanish Mass

Wednesday [STC]

- 6:00PM Confessions & Adoration
- 7:00PM Spanish Mass

Thursday

- 9:00AM English Mass
- 9:30AM - 10:30AM Adoration

Friday

- 9:00AM English Mass

Sacramental celebrations (Baptism, Holy Matrimony, etc.) and quinceañeras take place on Saturdays during the day at the discretion of the Pastor. Quinceañeras **must reach out at least one year** before the desired date. Inquiries for Baptism and Holy Matrimony should communicate with the parish **at least 6 months** prior to desired date.

Ministries & Activities

Ministry Contacts

Office Email: office@tjccw.org

Parish: www.tjccw.org

Mission: www.stccm.org

Pastoral Council

Brian Russell - 317-213-6044

Finance Council

Mike Orlowski - 910-789-9430

Hispanic Ministry

Luis Galan - 910-271-4200

Mass Intentions & Mass Cards

Donna Schulz - 910-285-0711

Music Director

Lara Capparuccia - 910-548-0505

Prayer Tree

Prayer Tree Requests should be sent to all three committee members. This is to ensure that no prayer request goes unanswered. Also, please make sure that permission is given by the person or family needing prayer, to send out the request.

Cheryl Partyka

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Donna Davis

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Maureen Goodwin

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Catherine Powell, Jay Knight, Kathleen Murray, Sandy Tillard, Blair Davis, James Callahan, Kaye Foster, Kelly Parish, James Keeney, Jim Scott, Norm Green, Tom Tworowski, Tom Stracuzzi, Robert Czachor, Anna White, Sandra Parker, Stan Lavis, Sandy Reed, Addie DePersiis, Atticus Davis, Jen Matera, Jay D Hunter, Joe Costa, Larry Nunnermacher, Louis Conrad, Brittany, Jacob, Pat O'Connor, Jean Overstrom, Gracie Schmidt, Pam Usher, Chris Merritt, Callie Rae Salner, Penny, Ann Davenport, Chris DeGennaro, Matthew Thomas, George Redman, Mary Kelly.

Dear Jesus, we turn to You in the time of illness. O dearest Comforter alleviate our worry with your gentle love. We place our sick under Your care and humbly ask that You restore Your servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge whatsoever you do, you do for the love of us. Amen.

Pope Leo XIV's Monthly Prayer Intention for August:

For Evangelization in the City

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.



The 18th Annual Bill Lord Memorial

Knights of Columbus Council 12921

At River Landing Golf course

September 4th, 2026

The 2026 "Bill Lord Memorial" golf tournament will be its 18th year and will again provide grant opportunities to our Duplin County Exceptional Children

Program. Last year the Knights donated **\$14,000**

to local charities raised from this event.

Registration - 8:45 AM Shotgun Start - 9:30 AM

Format: Four-Person scramble for men and women of all levels

Driving range, Golf Ball sleeve, Cart and Luncheon included in the registration

fee: Prizes will be awarded at Luncheon.

Registration Fee: **\$125 per player**

A custom sign to be placed at a tee box can be purchased for advertising a company/business or memorializing a loved one for a **\$100** donation.

Memorial Service for Aborted Children Marian Shrine of the Unborn in Newton Grove

On Saturday, September 12th, pro-life Americans throughout the country will gather at the gravesites of aborted babies and other memorial sites dedicated in their honor for the 14th annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children.

Solemn vigils will be held at these sites to commemorate the more than 65 million children who have lost their lives to legal abortion since 1973, and to remind our society of the humanity of the unborn child. This year, the Transfiguration Human Life & Dignity Committee is coordinating the event in Newton Grove where 157 aborted babies are buried at the Marian Shrine of the Unborn. Please mark your calendars and join us for this memorial service in our Deanery:

Event: National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children

When: Saturday, September 12th, 10:00 AM

Where: Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, 211 Irwin Drive, Newton Grove, NC (The memorial service will be held on the grounds of the Marian Shrine of the Unborn)

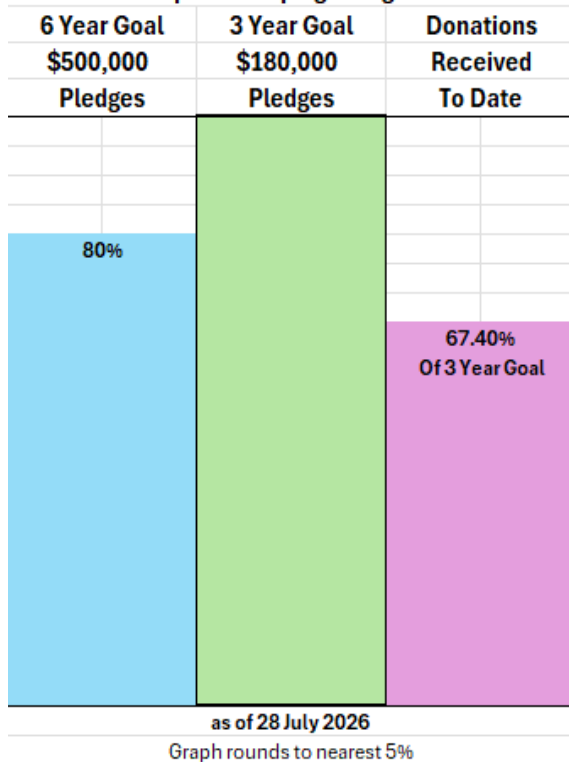
For More Info Contact: Cheryl Homan at cherylhoman1@hotmail.com or 419-236-8372

Together let us remember the victims of abortion and pray for an end to this injustice in our land during the National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children.

All 157 aborted babies have been named, thank you so much for your contributions, and please know we will pray for all of them by name!

Parish Financials & Announcements

Capital Campaign Progress



Finance Council Monthly Report

	July Budget	July Actuals	July Expense
Offertory	\$15,900	\$15,702	
Maintenance Others	\$4,413	\$5,538	
Total	\$20,313	\$21,240	\$24,013
Net Revenue			(\$2,773)

Proudly Pro-Life Gala with Rachel Campos-Duffy

Join National Right to Life and North Carolina Right to Life, for its Proudly Pro-Life Gala on September 17 at the Hilton Charlotte Uptown featuring special guest

Rachel Campos-Duffy.

Dr. Matthew Harrison will be honored with the Proudly Pro-Life award for his work

as a pioneer of the abortion pill reversal.

Tickets and sponsorships: nrlcgala.com

Seating is limited and expected to sell out—reserve today!

For questions contact events@nrlc.org



With the help of the Diocese of Raleigh, we will be installing new network and phone equipment to strengthen our infrastructure. Please be patient if phone service is not available for a brief time. **Setup scheduled for Sep. 3.**

Thank you for understanding.

Fr. Sparrow will be away at the following times:

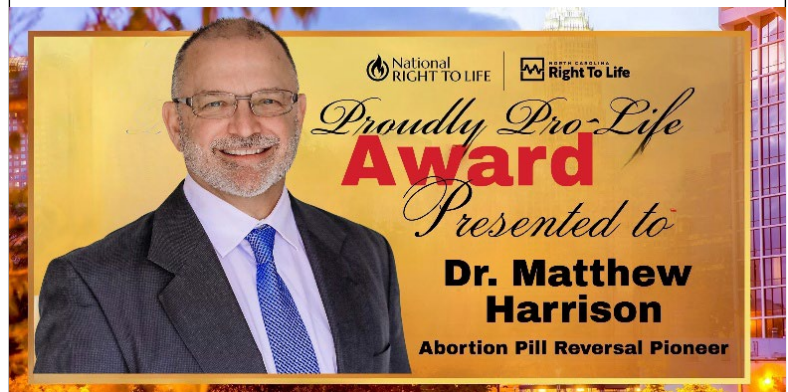
September 8
[Priest Training Day]

September 14-17
[Priest Retreat]

October 12 -16
[Eius Training Workshop]

October 17*
[Wedding Away]

**A guest priest will be coming to cover Confessions and Mass that evening.*



PLEASE NOTE

The monthly breakfast on the first Sunday of the month is **CANCELLED** for September, as most people will be travelling for the Labor Day Weekend.

Walking with Purpose Rooted and Radiant Bible Study Founders' Hall

Beginning Tuesday, 9/15 or Saturday, 9/19 9:30 AM

Register online @

<https://forms.gle/17WoA2YkVCgMBdJr7>

Questions? Contact Karen Lutze @ 740-973-7732

Service Opportunities & Additional Announcements

Women of Transfiguration Church (WOTC)

Join WOTC and enjoy opportunities for community outreach, spiritual growth, friendship, and parish support. Souper Sunday (with the Knights of Columbus), Women's World Day of Prayer, bible study, Belgian mum sale in the fall, and a Christmas Advent tea are just some of their many activities. Meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 10 am in Founders' Hall.
Call **Mary Lou Petrone, President**, at 973-271-0454.

Feed Our Hungry Children Backpack Ministry

Can you spare 45 minutes once a month to pack backpacks for food insecure school children in Duplin County?
Be a substitute packer at the Wallace Methodist Church.
Contact **Jim Perry** at 910-441-9499 for more information.

Duplin Christian Outreach Ministry

If you would like to help potential clients in an unexpected crisis, be a volunteer to interview at the Crisis Center at 514 South Norwood Street. Hours are optional on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9-11:30.
Call **Tomme Maier** at 910-285-6000 or visit www.duplinchristian.org for more information.



Knights of Columbus Council 12921

Named for Fr. Bernadine Golden, former priest of Transfiguration, the Knights are a fraternal organization empowering Catholic men to live their faith and serve family, parish community and country. Volunteer for any of their sponsored service activities: the Bill Lord golf tournament, coats for kids, food pickup for Feed Our Hungry Children and the Helping Hands food pantry, Souper Sunday (with WOTC), etc. Meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at 6 pm in Founders' Hall.
Contact **Jack Flatley, Grand Knight** at 301-481-3785.

Blessings in Store

Interested in retail?? Volunteer at Wallace's thrift store on Main Street. Hours are flexible Thursday-Saturday 11-2. Work includes sorting donations, displaying goods, and cashiering. All profits help sponsor the programs offered to the community during crisis situations by the Duplin Christian Outreach Ministry.
Call **Lois McCartney** 910-714-8241 for more information.

Altar Server Training

Please mark your calendars for Saturday, September 19 @ 6:00PM following the Saturday Night Mass for a 1-hour altar server training session. Both current servers and anyone who is looking to become an altar server are asked to please attend this training.

Formación para Monaguillos

Por favor, marquen en su calendario el domingo 20 de septiembre @ 2:30PM después de la misa a la Misión Católica de Santa Clara para una sesión de formación de monaguillos por 1 hora. Se pide tanto a los servidores actuales como a cualquiera que quiera comenzar a servir como un monaguillo que asista a esta formación.

The Practice of Mass Intentions

It is a long-standing tradition of Catholic worship to offer Masses for specific intentions, especially for souls of the faithful departed. Members of the faithful within a community request that one of the regularly scheduled Masses, either on Sunday or even Daily Mass during the week, be offered for a specific intention, and provide a small donation to the church as an offering for that intention. Not only do these donations help to fund the church and its needs (bread/wine for Mass, candles, altar linens, etc.), but they are also a real symbol of the requester's work building up to the celebration of the Catholic Mass. This is why the collection, bread, and wine are processed up at the beginning of the Offertory, for they are the work of human hands being offered to God for His glory and use. The donation made for a Mass Intention carries the same significance, the fruits of the work of human hands offered to God in prayer for the brethren.

However, one of the Sunday Masses, in accord with the Liturgical Law, of the parish celebrated by the pastor is to be the Mass offered "For the People". This is a singular weekend Mass the priest offers for the community of that parish and its needs, and is to be kept free of any Mass Intentions. Previously, this was not done at Transfiguration, so we will be adopting this practice.

How it will work: Starting at the end of September, we will be rotating between the 5:00PM Sat, 8:30AM and 10:30AM Sun Masses each weekend which one will be the Mass For the People, descending chronologically and resetting cyclically. Other weekend Masses will still be available for intentions, as well as Daily Masses during the week. Please call Donna Schulz 910-285-0711 to schedule an Intention for English Masses, or Sheyla Andrade at 843-817-0897 for Spanish Masses.

La Practica de Intenciones por la Santa Misa

Es una tradición antigua en el culto católico ofrecer misas con intenciones específicas, especialmente para las almas de los fieles difuntos. Los fieles dentro de una comunidad solicitan que una de las misas programadas regularmente, ya sea los domingos o incluso en la misa diaria durante la semana, se ofrezca con una intención específica, y que hagan una pequeña donación a la iglesia como ofrenda para ello. Estas donaciones no solo ayudan a financiar la iglesia y sus necesidades (pan/vino para la Misa, velas, mantelería de altar, etc.), sino que también son un verdadero símbolo del trabajo del solicitante en la preparación de la celebración de la Misa católica. Por eso la colecta, el pan y el vino se procesan al principio del Ofertorio, pues son obra de manos humanas ofrecidas a Dios para su gloria y uso. La donación hecha para una Intención de la Misa tiene el mismo significado, siendo los frutos del trabajo de manos humanas ofrecidos a Dios en oración por los hermanos.

Sin embargo, una de las misas dominicales, conforme a la Ley Litúrgica de la parroquia, celebrada por el párroco debe ser la misa que se ofrece "Para el Pueblo". Esta es una misa única de fin de semana que el sacerdote ofrece para la comunidad de esa parroquia y sus necesidades, y debe mantenerse libre de cualquier intención de misa. Antes, esto no se hacía en Transformaciones, así que adoptaremos esta práctica.

Cómo funcionará: A partir de finales de septiembre, rotaremos entre las misas dominicales de las 17:00 y las 10:30 cada fin de semana, que será la misa para el pueblo, descendiendo cronológicamente y reiniciándose cíclicamente. Otras misas de fin de semana seguirán estando disponibles para las intenciones, así como misas diarias durante la semana. Por favor, llame a Sheyla Andrade al 843-817-0897 para programar una Intención para Misas en español.

Weekly Schedule August 29 – September 5

**STC = Santa Clara Mission*

Saturday			The Passion of Saint John the Baptist 1 Cor 1:26-31/Mk 6:17-29
Vigil for Sunday 4:00PM 5:00PM	Confessions Vigil Mass for Sunday (English) +Walter Rising, +Lawrence Bock, requested by John and Julia Callahan	Greeters: Transporter: Lectors: EMC: Altar Servers:	22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 20:7-9/Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27 W. Vertolli, S. Vertolli M. Francis J. Peterson, D. Conte J. Ciuccoli, M. Hopkins, Dcn. Mike M. McCarthy
Sunday			22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 20:7-9/Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27
8:30AM	Mass (English)	Greeters: Transporter: Lectors: EMC: Altar Servers:	M. Kusnierz K. Lutze K. Mackey, G. Stracruzza P. George, B. Harran, P. Harran Leah, Neil
10:30AM	Mass (Spanish)	Greeters: Transporter: Lectors: EMC: Altar Servers:	Bailey, Adriana Angela, Elias, Joseph Jairo, Dorian
1:00PM	Mass (Spanish) *STC		
Monday	No Liturgies, Office Closed		1 Cor 2:1-5/Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday 9:00AM 6:00PM 7:00PM	Mass (English) Adoration & Confessions Mass (Spanish)		1 Cor 2:10b-16/Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday 6:00PM 7:00PM	*STC Adoration & Confessions Mass (Spanish)		1 Cor 3:1-9/Lk 4:38-44
Thursday 9:00AM 9:30AM	Mass (English) Adoration		Pope Saint Gregory the Great 1 Cor 3:18-23/Lk 5:1-11
Friday 9:00AM	Mass (English)		1 Cor 4:1-5/Lk 5:33-39