

St. Stanislaus Catholic Parish of Castle Hayne

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The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

December 31, 2023



We Welcome all Visitors!

Welcome to St. Stanislaus Parish. We are happy you chose to be with us today. If you are traveling, we pray for your safe journey. If you live in the Wilmington area, we hope you will return soon to worship with us.

Mass Schedule

Monday New Years Day 10:00 AM

Tuesday	8:30 AM	Saturday	5:00 PM
Thursday	No Daily Mass	Sunday	9:00 AM
Friday	8:30 AM		

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays at 3:45 p.m.

After the 8:30 a.m. daily Masses, or by appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the office six months or more prior to the proposed date of your wedding.

Parochial Administrator

Rev. Roger Malonda Nyimi

Parish Secretary and Bulletin Editor

Rebecca Clements
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Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 8 a.m. — 12 p.m.

READINGS FOR TODAY

First Reading — Sir 3:2-6, 12-14

Psalm — Ps 128:1-5

Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.

Second Reading — Col 3:12-21

Gospel — Lk 2:22-40

MEDITATION FOR TODAY

“The family is the privileged setting where every person learns to give and receive love.... The family is an intermediate institution between individuals and society, and nothing can completely take its place.... The family is a necessary good for peoples, an indispensable foundation for society, and a great and lifelong treasure for couples. It is a unique good for children, who are meant to be the fruit of the love, of the total and generous self-giving of their parents.... The family is also a school that enables men and women to grow to the full measure of their humanity.... O God, who in the Holy Family left us a perfect model of family life lived in faith and obedience to your will, help us to be examples of faith and love for your commandments” (Pope Benedict XVI).

Magnificat, December 2023

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21

Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28

Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:29 — 3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-6; Jn 1:29-34

Thursday: 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Jn 1:35-42

Friday: 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100:1b-5; Jn 1:43-51

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mk 1:7-11

Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

Our Mission Statement

In recognition of God's love and presence in every human being, the members of Saint Stanislaus Parish embrace the challenge to serve God and all His people. In fellowship with one another, we nurture our Catholic Faith through the celebration of the sacraments and reflection on the word of God. As a welcoming and culturally diverse Faith Community, we strive to proclaim and live the good News of Jesus Christ while providing for the spiritual and physical needs of those less fortunate.

Mass Intentions

Sunday	12/31	9:00 a.m.
† <i>Charlie Lipari</i>	by Ludi, Gene & Lena	
Monday	1/1	10:00 a.m.
† <i>Barry Anderson In Loving Memory</i>	by Tina Anderson	
Tuesday	1/2	8:30 a.m.
<i>Health Blessings for Jimmy Pete</i>	by Nancy Van Winkle	
Thursday	1/4	
No Daily Mass		
Friday	1/5	8:30 a.m.
† <i>Dominick Mancusi</i>	by Richard & Joan Defina	
Saturday	1/6	5:00 p.m.
† <i>Martin Yakimovich Jr.</i>	by Mary Robison	
Sunday	1/7	9:00 a.m.
<i>For the Intentions of our parishioners</i>		

Liturgical Ministries Schedule

	Saturday January 6 5:00 p.m.	Sunday January 7 9:00 a.m.
Sacristan	Marty Yakimovich Kathy Yakimovich	Kathy Roberts
Reader	Marty Yakimovich Debbie Cool	Lisa Bixby Bill Bernacki
Altar Server	Alex Keith Fia Hardin	Matt Olson
EM Cup EM Body EM Cup	Carol Ferko Rose Bickert Cal Beasley	Suzanne Morrison Frankie Hall Charlene Pete
Ushers	Wendy Fera Mick Bianco	Bill Jayne Dennis Kudro

Parish Planner

Mon.	Jan. 1	10:00 AM	Mass Solemnity of Mary the Holy Mother of God
Tues.	Jan. 2	6:00 PM 6:30PM	K of C Meeting St. Stan's Choir Practice
Wed.	Jan. 3	4:30 PM	St. Stanislaus MMP– Cenacle Please call Joyce Lemon at 910-262-2131
Sun.	Jan. 7	10:00 AM 5:00 PM	Pancake Breakfast Rosary Hosted by Knights of Columbus in the Parish Hall

Stewardship of Treasure

December 17, 2023

Cemetery	\$2,650.00
Christmas Gift	\$45.00
General/ Seasonal Flowers	\$50.00
Immaculate Conception	\$110.00
Mass Intentions	\$40.00
Religious Retirement	\$55.00
Special Discretionary	\$550.00
November Online Giving	\$5,320.00
Sunday Offertory 12-17-2023	\$5,413.75
TOTAL	<u>\$14,233.75</u>



January Second Collections

January 7th Priest's Welfare & Retirement
January 28th Latin America

*Thank You for your Continued Support
May God Bless You Always,
And in All Ways!*



*The Main Sanctuary Candle
will burn from
December 29th through January 4th
In Loving Memory of
Bill Asparro
prayerfully requested by his wife, Dee*



*There is an appointed time
for everything, and a time
for every affair under the heavens.*

—Ecclesiastes 3

A Time to Heal:

Important Information

*If you or a loved one are admitted to New Hanover Regional Medical Center, and you would like to have a priest visit you, please contact the **Pastoral Care Department** which is located on the first floor. They will get in touch with Father Greg who is our Chaplain and he will be glad to see you.*

Our Prayer List



*May all those in need of our
prayers and their caretakers
feel God's Love for them!*

Please Help us Update

Please contact us in the office at 910-675-2336 to have a loved one placed on our prayer list. If you have placed a loved one on our list and you feel they no longer need to be on it, please call so that we may update our list. Thank you very much.

Gus Baca
Bozena Bekier
Megan Bennett
Mary Berrie
Chris Berry
Dominic Bianco
Tyler Bonnett
Barbara Brenner
Teresa Brighten
Rita Cadigan
Melissa Campbell
Gwen Canady
Betty Cascone
Carl Ciervo
Nathan Clemente
Teresa Coleman
JoAnne Condra
Henry Cowart
Michelle Cowart
Donald Curtice
Olivia Deguzman
Rouel Deguzman
Leighton Diorec
James Dudley
Janice Dukovic
Cathy Finucane
Owanna Fishgold
Stella Florence
J.D. Grainger Jr.
Shirley Graham
Brenda Grainger
Tommy Green
Fran Gurgul
Paddy Guyton
Michael Hill
Marsha Humphreys
Grace Jenkins
Donna Jirik
Mattie Johnston
Mary Jane Kalnas
Camilla Kawczynski
Mary Keller
Thomas Kelley
Mary Kelly

Virginia Kistler
Betty LaFaze
Cathy Lanunziata
Katie Lemaire
Kathleen Lenahan
Stephen Likens
Sonny Long
Laura Longo
Gloria Luyon
Mary Malakian
Larry Malakian
Mia Marchesie
Josephine McCoy
Patricia McEnroe
Jerry Mieyal
Mike Muno
Patricia Must
Jacqueline Nabinger
Dallas Neville
Lorraine Oswald
Melissa Peirsall
DonnaMaria Peppin
Jimmy Pete
Joseph Policicchio
Patrick Reed
Gil Riveria
Rosa Marie Santos
Eveanne Schechter
Robert Scheriff
Larry Schmidt
Gerry Slater
Pat Strickland
Gerritt Swart
Steve Swart
Jack Theus
Polly Thompkins
Kevin Vernon
Mike Vorderburg
Jean Vorderburg
Rosemary Watkins
Armmanda Wilson
Arynne Wilson
Diane Young
Mike Young

Evangelization

December 31–The Feast of the Holy Family

On this Feast of the Holy Family, Holy Mother Church helps us to practice the virtues of family life through today's readings. It is in the catechism that the family is described in detail. "The family is the original cell of social life. It is the natural society in which husband and wife are called to give themselves in love and in the gift of life"--CCC2207. "Through the grace of the sacrament of marriage, parents receive the responsibility and privilege of evangelizing their children"--CCC2225. "The parish is the Eucharistic community and the heart of the liturgical life of Christian families"--CCC2226. It is in our imitation of the Holy Family that we pray for a share in eternity with them. Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us. Amen.

End of Year Contribution Statement

If you would like an end of year contribution statement, please contact the office to request one.

You may email Rebecca at ststans4@ec.rr.com and she will make sure that you are on the list for us to send your statement out. Thank you!

Pancake Breakfast



The Ladies Guild will be hosting a Pancake Breakfast next **Sunday, January 7th**, after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Tickets are on sale this weekend before and after Mass. Price is \$8.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children 10 and under. Tickets will be sold at the door for \$9.00. Dine-In or Take-Out.

Please join us in Parish fellowship at our Hall as we begin the New Year!



Knights of Columbus Council 11817

January 20th 2024

Blood Drive: Our Council will sponsor a blood drive on 1/20 from 10-3 in the Parish Hall. This will be run by The Blood Connection which is a Carolina based nonprofit serving the local communities. A \$25 charitable donation will be made per donor. There will be a sign-up sheet in the narthex.

Chili Cook-Off: This event is open to all Parishioners on 1/20 right after the 5:00 Mass. There are 2 ways to participate.

Submit your favorite chili recipe to be sampled and judged. Top 3 entries receive cash prizes and name placed on the "Plaque of Fame" in the Parish Hall

Come with your appetite, sample away and vote for your favorite chili.

The Knights will be selling tickets after Masses on January 6/7 and 13/14.

Cost will be \$10 for Entries and Chili Sampling

2024

Special Wedding Anniversaries



Will you be celebrating your 50th, 60th or 70th Wedding Anniversary in 2024?

Please call Rebecca in the office to let us know at 910-675-2336.