

# *St. Stanislaus Catholic Parish of Castle Hayne*

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*Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*January 14, 2024*



**AS JOHN THE BAPTIST WATCHED JESUS WALK BY, HE SAID,**

*“Behold the Lamb of God.”*

**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*

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>No Daily Mass</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>		

## **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** — 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19

**Psalm** — Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10

Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.

**Second Reading** — 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20

**Gospel** — Jn 1:35-42

## MEDITATION FOR TODAY

"I have waited, waited for the Lord." In our yearning, John the Baptist sends us to the Lamb of God. Jesus looks at us and addresses us with a breathtaking question, "What are you looking for?" For Jesus draws us to himself through the longings of our heart. The Lord once said to Saint Catherine of Siena, "I who am infinite God want you to serve me with what is infinite, and you have nothing infinite except your soul's love and desire." God's law is within our heart, for he has given us that love and desire to lead us to him, that we may delight in doing his will. We are even so bold as to say, "we are not our own," because we have the Holy Spirit within us, who joins us to Christ. Whenever we hear Christ's command, we are freed to answer with Samuel: "Here I am."

*Magnificat, January 2024*

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** 1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23;

Mk 2:18-22

**Tuesday:** 1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28;

Mk 2:23-28

**Wednesday:** 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;

Mk 3:1-6

**Thursday:** 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-13;

Mk 3:7-12

**Friday:** 1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19

**Saturday:** 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27;

Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21

**Sunday:** Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31;

Mk 1:14-20


## 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

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>1/14</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>
† <i>Al Rendano</i>	by Marelaine & Patrick Rendano	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>1/16</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>
<b>No Daily Mass</b>		
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>1/18</b>	<b>12:00 p.m.</b>
† <i>Bill Asparro</i>	by Dee Asparro	
<b>Friday</b>	<b>1/19</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>
† <i>Evelyn Baird</i>	by Nancy Van Winkle	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>1/20</b>	<b>5:00 p.m.</b>
<i>For the Intentions of our parishioners</i>		
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>1/21</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>
† <i>Helen &amp; George Wall</i>	by Marelaine & Patrick	

## Liturgical Ministries Schedule

	<b>Saturday</b> <b>January 20</b> <b>5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Sunday</b> <b>January 21</b> <b>9:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Sacristan</b>	<b>Marty Yakimovich</b> <b>Kathy Yakimovich</b>	<b>Rhonda Olson</b>
<b>Reader</b> <b>R-2</b>	<b>Michelle Holbrook</b> <b>Ed Pearsall</b>	<b>Drew Stomski</b> <b>Julie Russell</b>
<b>Altar Server</b>	<b>Alex Keith</b> <b>Fia Hardin</b>	<b>Maura Olson</b>
<b>EM Cup</b> <b>EM Body</b> <b>EM Cup</b>	<b>Dennis Thompson</b> <b>Bobbie Beasley</b> <b>Cal Beasley</b>	<b>Bill Lilly</b> <b>Susan Lowe</b> <b>Lisa Bixby</b>
<b>Ushers</b>	<b>Wendy Fera</b> <b>Mick Bianco</b>	<b>Bill Jayne</b> <b>Mike Southerland</b>

## Parish Planner

Sun.	Jan. 14	10:15 AM	Stations of the Cross at Via Crucis Garden
Tues.	Jan. 16	6:30PM	St. Stan's Choir Practice
Wed.	Jan. 17	4:30 PM	St. Stanislaus MMP— Cenacle Please call Joyce Lemon at 910-262-2131
Sat.	Jan. 20	6:00 PM	K of C Sponsored Chili Cook Off

## Stewardship of Treasure

**December 31, 2023**

Christmas Gift	\$95.00
General/Seasonal Flowers	\$10.00
Latin America	\$10.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$535.00
Special Discretionary	\$500.00
Sunday Offertory 12-31-2023	\$4,575.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>\$5,725.00</u></b>



### 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!*

### Evangelization

**January 14—Second Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

"Back in Ordinary Time, we get ready to resume our walk with the Lord as he begins his earthly ministry...as we learn of Him with the current Cycle B readings. New readings with the same message..."Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God, and that you are not your own? For you have been purchased at a price."-- Cor. 6:17.

In this third year in the Eucharistic Celebration, everyone is called to renew their understanding of the Holy Eucharist. Soon, our parish will offer workshops to help us to love and appreciate God's special gift of Himself to us. Come and taste the goodness of the Lord!



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

—Ecclesiastes 3

*A Time to Mourn:*

*St. Stanislaus Parish extends our deepest sympathy to Cindy and Brian Givens on the loss of Cindy's mother, Jacqueline Nabinger, who went to be with the Lord on January 4, 2024. Jacquie enjoyed being a part of our St. Stan's family. May God be with her family at this difficult time.*

## 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  
Carol Ferko  
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  
Patricia Must  
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  
Armmada Wilson  
Arynne Wilson  
Diane Young  
Mike Young

### **Social Ministries**

Social Ministries coats and sweaters collection has begun. The collection bin is in the Gathering Area for all of your donations of cold-weather clothing items that are clean and in good condition. Please help us to give warmth to those who may not otherwise have it.

The collection will end next weekend **Sunday, January 21st**. Thank you, friends.

Would we ever forget our loyal and sweet furry companions? They need food, shelter and love just like us. By bringing in donations of pet food, clean towels, blankets and pet toys you can make these wonderful creatures much happier. Social Ministries will provide a bin for your donations and later deliver them to New Hanover County Animal Shelter. Again, thank you very much for your caring and generosity.

### **Building Fund**

We are close to having information for you to evaluate choices to enhance the Parish Hall and more.

Please consider a separate donation as often as possible for our Building Fund.

Thank you for your generosity.

### **A Ladies Guild Thank You**



The Ladies Guild Pancake Breakfast was a great success. They would like to thank you for your support. The pancakes and sausage were delicious and our parishioners enjoyed the time to socialize with each other.

Congratulations to Josie Bonanno who won the 50/50.



Knights of Columbus Council 11817

**January 20<sup>th</sup> 2024**

**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 this weekend.

**Cost will be \$10 for Entries and Chili Sampling**

**February 3, 2024**

**Blood Drive:** Our Council will sponsor a blood drive on 2/3 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.

**Please Join the Parish in Congratulating  
Charlene Pete**

**as Knights of Columbus Council 11817  
Parishioner of the Month for January**

Charlene has been a life long member of St. Stans. She graduated from the St Joseph's School in Saint Helena after starting at four years of age and received all her sacraments at St. Stanislaus. She has been very active in our church her entire life. Over her many years of service Charlene served as an Annulment of Marriage Advocate, May Crowning, Religious classes for children, Eucharistic Minister, Reader, Chairperson of the Cemetery Committee, Chair of the Polish Festival Pancake Booth and Church Tour Guide among others.

Charlene was an exceptional caregiver for her incapacitated brother for over 60 years. We are blessed to have Charlene as an example of Christian faith, love and charity. Charlene has also been civically involved in the Castle Hayne Community including being Secretary of the Castle Hayne Steering Committee and other causes. She is well known for her tireless efforts and commitment.