

St. Stanislaus Catholic Parish of Castle Hayne

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Third Sunday of Easter

April 14, 2024



“Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself”

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

Tuesday	8:30 AM	Saturday	5:00 PM
Thursday	12:00 PM	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

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Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 8 a.m. — 12 p.m.

READINGS FOR TODAY

First Reading — Acts 3:13-15, 17-19

Psalm — Ps 4:2, 4, 7-9

Lord, let your face shine on us.

Second Reading — 1 Jn 2:1-5a

Gospel — Lk 24:35-48

MEDITATION FOR TODAY

The risen Christ stands in our midst and asks, “Why are you troubled? And why do questions arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself.” This is the Lord’s commandment to us. “The way we may be sure that we know him is to keep his commandments.” When we are in distress, we beg with the Psalmist, “Let the light of your countenance shine upon us!” God has answered that prayer, for “God raised the author of life from the dead.” The Lord will hear and have pity. “Touch and see.”

Magnificat, April 2024

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Sunday: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18


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	4/14	9:00 a.m.
<i>For the Intentions of our parishioners</i>		
Tuesday	4/16	8:30 a.m.
† <i>Rosemary Watkins</i> by Cristina Braye		
Thursday	4/18	12:00 p.m.
† <i>Tommy Green</i> by Charlene Pete		
Friday	4/19	8:30 a.m.
† <i>Christina Diorec</i> by Cristina Braye		
Saturday	4/20	5:00 p.m.
† <i>Isabelle & Rob Wochos</i> by Ernie & Mania Swart Clemente		
Sunday	4/21	9:00 a.m.
<i>For the Intentions of our parishioners</i>		

Liturgical Ministries Schedule

	Saturday April 20 5:00 p.m.	Sunday April 21 9:00 a.m.
		
Sacristan	Ann Wells	James & Alicia Green
Reader 1	Debbie Cool	Bill Bernacki
Reader 2	Pam Rose	Julie Russell
Altar Servers	Avery DeJoseph Bennett Wallen	Adult Volunteer
EM-C	Bobbie O’Toole Beasley Cal Beasley Rose Bickert	Bill Lilly
EM-H		Lisa Bixby
EM-C		Ludi Lipari
Ushers	Wendy Fera Dave Bickert	Dennis Kudro Bill Jayne

Parish Planner

Day	Date	Time	Event
Sun.	April 14	9:00 AM	Youth Mass
Tues.	April 16	6:30 PM	St. Stanislaus Choir Practice
Wed.	April 17	4:30 PM	St. Stanislaus MMP– Cenacle Please call Joyce Lemon at 910-262-2131
Sun.	April 21	10:15 AM	Stations of the Cross in the Via Crucis Garden

Stewardship of Treasure

March 31, 2024

Building Fund	\$40.00
Easter Gift	\$3,750.00
For the Poor	\$535.00
Holy Land Shrine	\$1,080.00
Mass Intentions	\$30.00
Priest's Welfare	\$575.00
Sunday Offertory 3-31-2024	\$5,887.40
TOTAL	<u>\$11,897.40</u>



April Second Collections

April 28th Catholic Home Missions

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



*The Main Sanctuary Candle
will burn from
April 12th through April 18th
For the Repose of the Soul of
Suzanne Pitzer*



*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 the family of Suzanne Pitzer who went to be with the Lord on April 1, 2024. Suzanne leaves behind her husband, Charles to whom she was married for over 57 years, her daughters, Margo and husband, Owen and Gretchen and husband, Jon and her grandchildren, Alexandra, Freya, Peter and Emma. We will miss her beautiful smile and welcoming spirit here at St. Stanislaus. May God be with her family at this 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
Cathy Finucane
Owanna Fishgold
Stella Florence
J.D. Grainger Jr.
Shirley Graham
Brenda Grainger
Fran Gurgul
Paddy Guyton
Michael Hill
Marsha Humphreys
Grace Jenkins
Donna Jirik
Mary Jane Kalnas
Camilla Kawczynski
Mary Keller
Thomas Kelley
Mary Kelly
Virginia Kistler
Sammy Kosh

Betty LaFaze
Cathy Lanunziata
Katie Lemaire
Kathleen Lenahan
Stephen Likens
Sonny Long
Laura Longo
Kira Lorek
Gloria Luyon
Mary Malakian
Larry Malakian
Mia Marchesie
Josephine McCoy
Patricia McEnroe
Jerry Mieyal
Debbie Muno
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
Brian Ullrich
Kevin Vernon
Mike Vorderburg
Jean Vorderburg
Armmada Wilson
Arynne Wilson
Diane Young
Mike Young
Ronnie Zich

Scholarship Opportunity

The St. Stanislaus Ladies Guild is offering a one-time \$500.00 Scholarship Award to any registered, active Parish member who has completed H.S. and wishes to further his/her education at a College, Trade School or post High School Institution. The applicant must be currently attending or enrolled in school. Applications with instructions will be available for pick up in the church office between 8 am and 12:00 pm Monday through Friday beginning March 18th. Deadline for entries to be submitted & returned to the office is May 20th.

Learning from our history Shaping our future | 2024 BAA

This Year's Goal: \$34,887

We have received \$29,777

or 85% of our Goal

If you did not receive a contribution card and envelope they are available on the Information table in the Gathering Area.

Pilgrimage to Poland See the Catholic Treasure of Poland!

Please join us on a pilgrimage to Poland! Highlights include Jasna Gora Monastery, home of Our Lady of Czestochowa, the Sanctuary of Divine Mercy and the Divine Mercy Image, the Museum and Chapel of St. Maximilian Kolbe, the cell where he was martyred in Auschwitz, the birthplace and baptismal Church of St. John Paul, Wawel Cathedral where he was ordained a Bishop and so much more! Daily Mass. October 3-12, 2024. \$3695/per person based on double occupancy. \$150 discount if you enter coupon code Bulletin150 on the registration form. For more information, please visit www.QoHTours.com or call us at 1-800-213-4295

BUNCO Invitation

It is almost time again...for BUNCO fun! The church hall is reserved for **Friday, April 26th**. Arrival time is 6:15 PM; the cost is \$5.00 per person. Each person who donates cash or nonperishable food items to our Helping Hands ministry this evening will receive one free raffle ticket. Canned chicken, peanut butter, and canned tuna are specific foods being asked for at this time.

Registering is available two ways:

- 1) the sign-up sheet is in the Gathering Area
- 2) call me (Ellen Graskoski) at 203-506-6076

It is important that you sign up **BEFORE** the date of the event. The number of persons who sign up will determine if BUNCO occurs.

I look forward to seeing your name on the sheet in the Gathering Area, or receiving a call from you to attend this Ladies' Guild sponsored event.

Evangelization

April 14– The Third Sunday of Easter

It is good that the Easter season is a long one! This year we celebrate seven Sundays of Easter...the seventh being the Ascension of the Lord as it is transferred from Holy Thursday on May 9. Jesus spent time with His apostles and other witnesses after His Resurrection helping to explain what the Paschal Mystery was all about. "Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures"--Luke 24:45. He took time to complete their formation that began three years earlier. Oh, the questions they must have asked Him once they understood! These were the men who were chosen to set up His Church on earth...the men who became so committed that they were willing to die for Him... setting up His one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

Social Ministries Baby Shower



From April 13th through April 28th, Social Ministries will be collecting donations of new and *gently used* baby clothes, diapers, bottles and baby toys for a wonderful charitable organization: the Kelly House (for mothers with addictions). Please visit our precious baby crib and you will get some ideas to help with your planning for a donation.

Thank you for sharing! Thank you for caring!