# St. Stanislaus Catholic Parish of Castle Hayne

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Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 21, 2024



I am the good shepherd,
And I know mine and mine know me,
Just as the Father knows me and I know the Father,
And I will lay down my life for my sheep.
John 10: 14-15

# 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 4:8-12

**Psalm** — Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29

The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

Second Reading — 1 Jn 3:1-2

Gospel — Jn 10:11-18

#### MEDITATION FOR TODAY

To "take refuge in the Lord," the Good Shepherd, requires that we first face up to our own powerlessness, our limitations, and our need to follow someone if we want to experience true fulfillment in our life. Unlike literal sheep, we are aware of the risk that our Shepherd takes: "A good shepherd lays down his life for his sheep." Therefore, we exclaim, "See what love the Father has bestowed on us!" More than merely knowing the Shepherd's voice, we know his name "by which we are to be saved." Because we agree to be sheep, "we are God's children now."

Magnificat, April 2024

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:1-10 **Tuesday:** Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30 **Wednesday**: Acts 12:24-13:5a; Ps 67:2-3,5-6,8;

Jn 12:44-50

**Thursday:** 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7,16-17;

Mk 16:15-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14

Sunday: Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-28, 30-32;

1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

#### **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 4/21 9:00 a.m.

For the Intentions of our parishioners

Tuesday 4/23 8:30 a.m.

† Paul Burey by Nancy Burey

Thursday 4/25 12:00 p.m.

Birthday Blessings for Maria Choi by Cristina Braye

Friday 4/26 8:30 a.m.

† John Rovinski by Daria & Robert Prosser

Saturday 4/27 5:00 p.m.

† David Butscher by the Swart family

Sunday 4/28 9:00 a.m.

For the Intentions of our parishioners

# Liturgical Ministries Schedule

Ť	Saturday April 27 5:00 p.m.	Sunday April 28 9:00 a.m.
Sacristan	Marty Yakimovich Kathy Yakimovich	Patricia Kopchick
Reader 1 Reader 2	Marty Yakimovich Ed Pearsall	Rhonda Olson Ellen Graskoski
Altar Servers	Alex Keith Fia Hardin	Avery DeJoseph
EM-C EM-H EM-C	Cal Beasley Bob Macaluso Rose Bickert	Mitch Ledet Marsha Byrum Susan Lowe
Ushers	Wendy Fera Mick Bianco	Bill Jayne Mark Byrum

# Parish Planner

Sun.	April 21	10:15 AM	Stations of the Cross in the Via Crucis Garden
Tues.	April 23	6:00 PM	Pastoral Council Meeting
Wed.	April 24	4:30 PM	St. Stanislaus MMP– Cenacle Please call Joyce Lemon at 910-262-2131
Fri.	April 27	At 5 PM Mass	Crowning of Mary
Sun.	April 28	At 9 AM Mass	First Holy Communion

# Stewardship of Treasure

### **April 7, 2024**

Building Fund	\$205.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$47.00
Catholic relief Services	\$5.00
Easter Gift	\$215.00
For the Poor	\$70.00
General/Seasonal Flowers	\$20.00
Holy Land Shrine	\$10.00
Mass Intentions	\$65.00
Priest's Welfare	\$130.00
Sunday Offertory 4-7-2024	\$8,631.02
TOTAL	\$9.398.02



### **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 19th through April 11th
For the Repose of the Soul of
Kathryn Lipari

prayerfully offered by Ludi, Gene and Lena Lipari



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

-Ecclesiastes 3

Sammy Kosh

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	Betty LaFaze
Bozena Bekier	Cathy Lanunziata
Megan Bennett	Katie Lemaire
Mary Berrie	Kathleen Lenahan
Chris Berry	Stephen Likens
Dominic Bianco	Sonny Long
Tyler Bonnett	Laura Longo
Barbara Brenner	Kira Lorek
Teresa Brighten	Gloria Luyon
Rita Cadigan	Mary Malakian
Melissa Campbell	Larry Malakian
Gwen Canady	Mia Marchesie
Betty Cascone	Josephine McCoy
Carl Ciervo	Patricia McEnroe
Nathan Clemente	Jerry Mieyal
Teresa Coleman	Debbie Muno
JoAnne Condra	Patricia Must
Henry Cowart	Dallas Neville
Michelle Cowart	Lorraine Oswald
Donald Curtice	Melissa Peirsall
Olivia Deguzman	DonnaMaria Peppin
Rouel Deguzman	Jimmy Pete
Leighton Diorec	Joseph Policicchio
James Dudley	Patrick Reed
Janice Dukovic	Gil Riveria
Cathy Finucane	Rosa Marie Santos
Owanna Fishgold	Eveanne Schechter
Stella Florence	Robert Scheriff
J.D. Grainger Jr.	Larry Schmidt
Shirley Graham	Gerry Slater
Brenda Grainger	Pat Strickland
Fran Gurgul	Gerritt Swart
Paddy Guyton	Steve Swart
Michael Hill	Jack Theus
Marsha Humphreys	Polly Thompkins
Grace Jenkins	Brian Ullrich
Donna Jirik	Kevin Vernon
Mary Jane Kalnas	Mike Vorderburg
Camilla Kawczynski	Jean Vorderburg
Mary Keller	Armmanda Wilson
Thomas Kelley	Arynne Wilson
Mary Kelly	Diane Young
Virginia Kistler	Mike Young
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## **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 18<sup>th</sup>. Deadline for entries to be submitted & returned to the office is May 20<sup>th</sup>.

# Learning from our history Shaping our future I 2024 BAA

This Year's Goal: \$34,887

We have received \$30,327

or 87% of our Goal

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

## **Evangelization**

## **April 21– The Fourth Sunday of Easter**

It is often difficult for those living in this modern, self-absorbed, materialistic world, who have everything they need in life...to want God, too! Yet, today's readings remind us Christians that we are God's children (First John 3:1), that Jesus is the Good Shepherd who lays down his life for his sheep (John 10:11), and that Jesus is our cornerstone (Psalm 118:22). "By the Lord has this been done; it is wonderful in our eyes"- Psalm 118:23. Open your eyes, world, see what you are missing!!

#### **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!

### **BUNCO Invitation**

The church hall is reserved for **next 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

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.



## **Time to Get Ready for Our Yard Sale!**

The Social Ministries Yard Sale will be held on Saturday, May 4th, 2024: They will gratefully accept your donations in the Parish Hall from 8 a.m. to 12 Noon on Monday, April 29th thru Thursday, May 2nd.

Please do not bring old computers or non-working items, Rent a table for \$15 (call 910-470-4916 to reserve one) and earn a few extra dollars for your own needs, or assist Social Ministries by giving us those unwanted items! For more information contact Carolyn Cash at 910-470-4916.