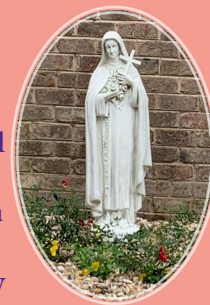




**St. Therese
Catholic
Church**

Dear Saint Therese,
the Church needs to radiate
the brightness, the fragrance
and the joy of the Gospel. Send
us your roses! Help us to be,
like yourself, ever confident in
God's immense love for us, so
that we may imitate each day
your "little way" of holiness. Amen.



The Divine Liturgy

Sunday Obligation

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:30am
11:00am
1:30pm (Spanish)
5:00pm (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Monday, NO MASS
Tuesday, 12:10pm
Wednesday, 8:30am
Thursday, 12:10pm
Friday, 12:10pm
First Saturday, 9:00am

Holy Days

check bulletin or website

Adoration of the

Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

Thursday, 7:00pm
First Friday, 12:45pm and 7:00pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays: 4:00pm — 4:45pm
Thursdays: 7:00pm — 8:00pm

Parish Office

Hours: 9:00am — 2:45pm
Monday — Friday

Address: 700 Nash St NE
Wilson, NC 27893-3047

Phone: 252-237-3019

E-mail:
st.therese.wilson@gmail.com

Carmelite House:
610 Nash St NE

Website: sttheresewilson.com

Father Fernando Torres, VF, Pastor

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New Parishioners

Welcome to our parish. We invite you to register, as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the office during office hours, in the Tower Room or on our parish website. Though a rather simple act, registration allows the parish to know how many families live in the parish. It also provides an official record of your membership and is essential for sacramental preparations and sponsorship certification.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents must be registered members of the Parish and in full communion with the Roman Catholic Church. Participation in the Pre-Baptismal Program is required. Parents must register by calling the parish office.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Arrangements must be made with the Pastor at least six months in advance. Participation in Marriage Preparation Workshop is required.

Sacrament of Anointing

The sacrament is celebrated upon request prior to surgery or at the time of illness. Please notify the Parish office of the illness or hospitalization of a parishioner.

**For emergencies,
please see next page.**



**WELCOME ALL GUESTS TO
ST. THERESE CHURCH.
WE ARE GLAD YOU HAVE
JOINED US TODAY AND
HOPE TO SEE YOU AGAIN.**

Order of Mass #6 - Readings of the Day #704

Prelude:	<i>Wer bist du</i>	Bach
Processional:	<i>O come, O come, Emmanuel</i>	444
Kyrie		232
Responsorial Psalm:	<i>Cry out, cry out with joy and gladness: for among you is the great and Holy One of Israel.</i>	1098
Gospel Acclamation		375
Preparation of the Gifts:	<i>The Angel Gabriel from Heaven Came</i>	467
Sanctus		349
Memorial Acclamation:	<i>Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.</i>	309
Final Doxology		418
Lamb of God		356
Communion:	<i>People, Look East</i>	447
	<i>choir: Prepare the Way of the Lord</i>	452
Recessional:	<i>Comfort, Comfort, O My People</i>	466
Postlude:	<i>Prelude in D</i>	Herbert Walker



ALTAR FLOWERS

*This weekend's Altar flowers are
in memory of Joe Rodri by Jo Anne Rodri.*

If you would like to sponsor the flowers in honor or memory of someone, please call Tery in the church office.



The Church office will be closed
**Thursday, December 19 through
Wednesday, January 1.**



**ANointing
OF THE
SICK
PRIEST VISIT
NON-
EMERGENCY**

Non-emergency priest visits to the home or hospital should be requested by calling the office during regular office hours. Requests for non-emergency anointings may also be made at the church at anytime. Requests for homebound or nursing home visits on a regular basis, temporary or long-term, are set up through the church office.

**FOR EMERGENCY ONLY
PRIEST VISIT**

When someone is under the threat of death, please call the office at **252-237-3019**. If it is after office hours or on a weekend, press **option 9**. Please be sure to leave a clear message with your name and phone number. For additional assistance you may call Deacon Michel at 252-230-4668.

**ASSISTED LISTENING
DEVICES**

Listening devices are available for those who need hearing assistance during Mass. You may pick one up in the sacristy before Mass. Please return it to the sacristy after Mass.

**PLEASE DO NOT WRAP
THE WIRE AROUND THE
RECEIVER!!!!**

**If there is a problem with
the unit, please let
Yvonne, our sacristan,
know what the problem
is.**

SPECIAL NEEDS

If you have any special needs regarding the reception of the Holy Eucharist, such as being physically unable to approach the Altar, please tell the Usher.



parishioners:

Mary Alsager	Mitch Piasecki
Dorothy Calamito	Mary Stanton
Sandra Cary	Natallie White
Tom Christenberry	

family and friends:

Ricky Barbour	Michelle Murphey
Trang Basel	James Myers
Shaun Breen	Peggy Parker
Jordan Corbett	Jim Rangitch
Jeanette Diegelman	Kenny Rayfield
Tommy Gibson	Cindy Rogger
Joan Greene	Pam Russell
Donna Heary	Sitay Salesa
Lisa Howell	Michael Thomas
Edward T Kettner	Terry Tornatore
Roz Kettner	Xiomara
Georgianna Lavallee	Vega-Fernandez
Max Long	Anna Wheeler
Tom May	
Alice McLaughlin	

* indicates names were added this week
Names for the prayer list **must** be at the request of, or approved by a family member.

They will remain on the prayer list for a period of **one month**.

If you would like to have a name added, removed or **retained**, please call the parish office.



12/14	<u>Saturday</u>	9:00 am	NO MASS
		5:00 pm	✠ Andrew Szamatowicz
12/15	<u>Sunday</u>	8:30 am	✠ Charlie Salim
		11:00 am	People of the Parish
		1:30 pm	Mass in Spanish
		5:00 pm	Mass in Spanish
12/16	<u>Monday</u>	12:10 pm	NO MASS
12/17	<u>Tuesday</u>	12:10 pm	✠ Robert Carlson ✠ Joe George ✠ Odell Batts
12/18	<u>Wednesday</u>	8:30 am	♥ Nick Schimick ♥ Marge Stolarik ✠ Robert & Marie Spengler
12/19	<u>Thursday</u>	12:10 pm	✠ Thomas Trukawinski ✠ Joe George ✠ Phyllis Haakinson
12/20	<u>Friday</u>	12:10 pm	✠ Kathy D Farris ✠ Joe George ✠ Phyllis Haakinson
12/21	<u>Saturday</u>	9:00 am	NO MASS
		5:00 pm	✠ Joseph Rodri
12/22	<u>Sunday</u>	8:30 am	♥ Declan Carlson
		11:00 am	People of the Parish
		1:30 pm	Mass in Spanish
		5:00 pm	Mass in Spanish



Pray for those serving

In Iraq: *Specialist Jared Schow*

In New Mexico: *Airman Kemari Joelle Jones*

In Japan: *Jasmin Piedra*

In US: *James Stead*



Children's Hunger Elimination of Wilson (CHEW)

CHEW distributes weekend meals to chronically hungry students in Wilson County. The food is purchased with donations. The real strength of CHEW is the many volunteers that give of their time and energy to staff the distribution centers and pack the food items. **Our next pack day will be Monday, December 16 at 10:30am in the school.** If you would like to help, please contact the Church office.



Parish Advisory Council

Our next meeting will be on **Tuesday, December 17 at 7pm** in the Carmelite house.



Book Club aka God Seekers

We will meet again on **January 8 at noon** in the school building.

We meet for about an hour and a half and would love to have you join us. We will be discussing *Chance or the Dance* by Thomas Howard (This book will be discussed on Formed in 4 episodes). We will continue the discussion of this book in **February**. Contact Joan Satterly, 291-0523, if you have any questions.

PRIME-TIMERS

Attention parishioners ages 50 and over: Join us for lunch on **Wednesday, January 8 at 11:30am. Place is to be determined.**

Please RSVP to Susan Ewan at 237-8722 by **Monday, January 6.**



St. Therese Women's Group

Our group is open to all women of the Parish. There are no dues.

Our next meeting will be **Tuesday, January 14 at 6:30pm in the school—3rd classroom on the right.**

Questions? Contact: Colleen Coda, 252-908-4881 or Carol Wike 252-419-0117.

If you would like to receive the Women's Group Updates, please e-mail Colleen at cmfenloncoda@gmail.com.



Cornerstone Charismatic Prayer Group

For where 2 or 3 are gathered in my name, there am I in their midst — Mt 18:20
Let us come together to pray and praise the Lord. (Bring your Bible.) **We meet at 10:15am every Monday morning in the Carmelite house.**
Contact: Eileen Campbell, 243-4327.



Knights of Columbus

Our next meetings are **Tuesdays, January 14 and January 28 at 7pm** in the Knights Room in the school building.

We are inviting all Catholic men to join our council. The Knights are a fraternal organization of Catholic men who help to serve our priests, parish and our community. Contact: Matt Komara, 440-668-3574.

Knight News: We still have some of our famous Pasta Sauce available for sale, please contact your favorite Knight!



Anyone want to play BUNCO!

Bunco is a dice game that is easy to play, **no experience is needed** and is a great time to socialize. **We will NOT meet in December. Put Tuesday, January 21 on your calendar and join us from 1pm to 3pm in the school, first classroom on the right.** Any questions? Please call the church office.

Kneady Gals

Our next bake day is to be determined in the school kitchen.



If you care to join us, all you need is a desire to knead & some basic supplies (a bowl, measuring cups & spoons, rolling pin, etc). No experience is necessary and we welcome all who like to socialize and meet new people. For more information, call Pat McCollum at 617-449-8798.

Moms Group

This group is open to all moms of the parish.

All ages and stages, including expectant moms are welcomed. Come meet Catholic moms, get the kids together, and have fun!

Text Josie at (509) 499-0364 for the next get together.





Angel Tree

The St. Therese Angel Tree will help support Choices Women's Center this year. The gifts on the tree will address the needs of young mothers and their babies. Choices Women's Center has offered new baby items to mothers who are struggling financially. It has now expanded their boutique to include basic toiletry items for mothers too. Tags will be available on the Angel Tree, located in the vestibule of the church, from **November 27 until December 18**. Items do not need to be wrapped, however gift bags (like Marshall's shopping bags) are welcome. Please place them in the cradle next to the tree.

Choices Women's Center beliefs align to those of our Catholic faith - life must be protected with the utmost care from the moment of conception (CCC 2271). We ask that you not only be generous financially to this mission, but support these mothers and their children spiritually through prayer.

If you have any questions regarding this gift drive, you can contact Tynishae Woodard at (252) 237-6833.

BAPTISM



Baptism Preparation Class

Our baptism preparation class, for baptisms that will be celebrated in English, is usually held the second Sunday of each month

from 12:30pm-1:30pm.

Our next class is January 12.

Pre-registration at least a week in advance is required. Please call the Church office to register.

This class is required for all parents who will have their child baptized at St. Therese. We will not schedule a baptism until the parents have attended the class. Any parishioner that will be a godparent at St. Therese or in another parish may also attend.

Baptisms in English will take place **after the 11am Mass one Sunday a month. The next date for baptisms is January 26.**

PLEASE NOTE: Godparent forms need to be signed IN THE PRESENCE OF A CATHOLIC PRIEST.



Faith Formation

FAITH FORMATION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are in need of more catechists and catechists assistants due to some recent

schedule conflicts and changes.

If you are interested, please e-mail

Barbara Cornman,

Faith Formation Coordinator at

stfaithform@sttheresewilson.com.

THANK YOU!



YOUTH GROUP

All High School students are invited every Sunday

evening from 7:15 to 8:45pm in the school gym for some fun, music, praise and learning.

Contact Director of Youth Ministry, Roge Guerra at 252-559-0369 for more information.

St. Therese Catholic Church

Women's Morning Reflection

Saturday,

**March 1, 2025
8:30am—1pm**

All Women are invited to join us as we discover

Elizabeth Ann Seton

First American Canonized Saint.



Looking for Cantors

Cantors are needed for Saturday and Sunday morning Masses. Please contact Choir

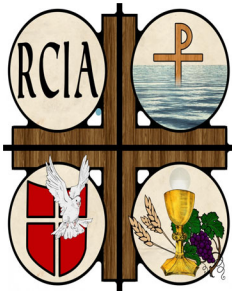
Master Dexter Ruffin for further inquiry at scarlatti83187@hotmail.com.



Rosary Beads Donations Needed

The Knights of Columbus are collecting rosary beads for use in the Faith Formation classrooms.

If you have any spare rosary beads you can donate, please put them in the donation basket in the Tower Room.



Does someone you know have questions about our Catholic faith?

Please tell them about RCIA at St. Therese and ask them to call Anne Bach (234-6227) or the Church office (237-3019) if they are interested in the classes.



Homebound/ Sick Ministry

If you know of someone that is homebound; in assisted living; or is recovering from a recent surgery; and would like a visit, please contact the Church office.



Liturgical Ministers NEEDED

Altar Servers, Readers, Ushers, and Extraordinary Ministers are ALL

NEEDED to assist at all weekend Masses, holy days and special Masses. Please contact Joan Satterly at satshak@aol.com, if you are interested.



Altar Server Recognition

The next altar server recognition drawing will be at the end of December. Every time someone serves, their name is entered into a drawing for a \$50 gift card. The gifts have been generously donated by groups and/or individual parishioners.

December 21/22 Fourth Sunday of Advent

(YEAR C old p. 1046/ new p. 1050)

	<u>Sat—5:00pm</u>	<u>Sun—8:30am</u>	<u>Sun—11:00am</u>
Reader.....	Michael O'Sullivan	Cindy Bailey	Yvette Miller
Extraordinary Ministers.....	JoAnn O'Sullivan Nancy Rosas	Susan Fleck Debra Simons	Gretchen McKeithan Maureen Hooper
Ushers.....	Al Germann Betty Hooks	Scott Fleck Bonny Jones	Ellie Rawlings Frank Stead
Altar Servers.....	Gabriella & Jenna Brys-Wilson	Lydia Simons Christopher Douglas	Cristobal, Cristian, & David Osorio-Flores
Linens.....	Yvonne Bridgers		
Counters (12/23) Monday....	Ann Christenberry, Bonny Jones and Kathy Gettys		



COME TO ADORATION

"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest." - Mt 11:28

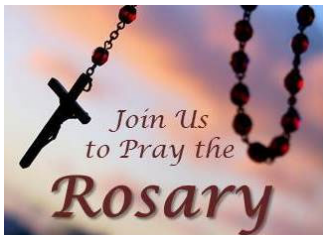
"Let us take time, in the course of the week, in passing, to go in and spend a moment with The Lord who is near."

— Pope Benedict XVI

ADVENT ADORATION

Advent is a time of anticipation and preparation for the celebration of the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. This Advent, St. Therese parishioners will have a special opportunity to spend extended time with our Lord in **Adoration on Wednesday, December 18 starting after the 8:30am Mass until 9:30pm. Benediction will follow at the end of the day.** A Sign-up sheet is in the vestibule. It is important that our Lord not be left unattended.

**Come to Advent Adoration,
Thursday Adoration or
First Friday Adoration.
He is waiting for You!! Come!**

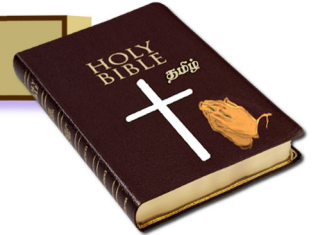


Rosary

Join us every **Monday at 12:10pm in the Chapel** to pray the rosary.

The Rosary is the most powerful weapon to touch the heart of Jesus, Our redeemer, who loves His Mother and all of us. May we be given the grace to heed Padre Pio's admonition: "Love Our Lady, make others love her. Always say your Rosary and say it well."

READINGS OF THE DAY



December 15, Third Sunday of Advent

Zep 3:14-18 / Is 12:2-6 / Phil 4:4-7 / Lk 3:10-18

December 16, Monday of the Third Week of Advent

Num 24:2-7, 15-17 / Ps 25:4-9 / Mt 21:23-27

December 17, Tuesday of the Third Week of Advent

Gen 49:2, 8-10 / Ps 72:1-4, 7-8, 17 / Mt 1:1-17

December 18, Wednesday of the Third Week of Advent

Jer 23:5-8 / Ps 72:1-2, 12-13 18-19 / Mt 1:18-25

December 19, Thursday of the Third Week of Advent

Jud 13:2-7, 24-25 / Ps 71:3-6, 16-17 / Lk 1:5-25

December 20, Friday of the Third Week of Advent

Is 7:10-14 / Ps 24:1-6 / Lk 1:26-38

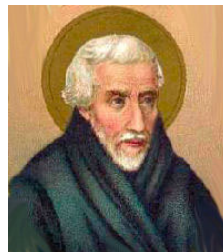
December 21, Saturday, Memorial of St Peter Canisius

Sgs 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18 /
Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21 / Lk 1:39-45

December 22, Fourth Sunday of Advent

Mic 5:1-4 / Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 / Heb 10:5-10 /
Lk 1:39-45

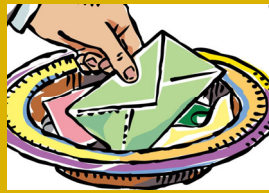
SAINTS OF THE DAY



Dec 21 Peter Canisius Died in 1597; Dutch Jesuit catechist and missionary; leading voice in counter-reformation Germany; organized the German Jesuit province and founded several colleges; authored a popular and enduring catechism; known as the "Second Apostle of Germany."

Weekly Offertory

November 30/
December 1



Weekly Offertory **Last Year:** \$8,716.00
This Year: \$7,640.00

Budget for October: \$42,252.00
Actuals for October: \$36,239.00

Year-to-Date Budget: \$175,821.00
Year-to-Date Actual: \$166,969.00
(July 1—Oct 31)

ESTIMATED Priest Retirement Assessment

for Fiscal Year 2024-2025: \$30,611.48
Received 2024-2025: \$8,888.00

Offertory Envelopes sent: 269

Envelopes received: 83

Thank you for your continued support!

Please remember St. Therese Church in your will.



NEW WAY TO DONATE

Any parishioners who patronize **Kountry Kitchen, 618 Ward Blvd** are kindly asked to save their receipts and deposit them in the marked **slot** in the Tower room. They will donate a percentage of the receipt total to the Parish.

Columbarium



Two columbarium units are located on the church grounds. Please contact Jack Schimick, 252-243-0493, or the church office for any information regarding the purchase of a niche. Each niche holds two urns. The urns and engraving are included.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Effective January 1, 2025,
the cost for a niche in the columbarium
will increase to \$4,000.



SPECIAL COLLECTION

THIS Sunday is SHARE SUNDAY.

Please place non-perishable food (no glass containers) or monetary donations in the baskets provided. Share Sunday donation envelopes may be placed in the regular collection. Monetary donation are distributed to Hope Station, Wesley Shelter and Choices Women's Center.



Online Giving

Credit cards are accepted!!

You can set up recurring donations or just one-time donations. You may use the QR code or go to: <https://sttheresewilson.weshareonline.org/index.aspx>

There is an option for all the annual special collections and also an option for Holydays/holidays. Just scroll down to "events" on the main page.



PARISH COMMUNICATION

Our parish is using the remind app/program. This program is a great tool to **communicate quickly and efficiently any changes in schedules** along with gentle reminders of activities going on in our church.

To receive e-mails: send blank e-mail to
stccinfo2@mail.remind.com

To receive texts: text @stccinfo2 to number 81010

Don't Miss the

DEADLINE!

Bulletin

DEADLINES

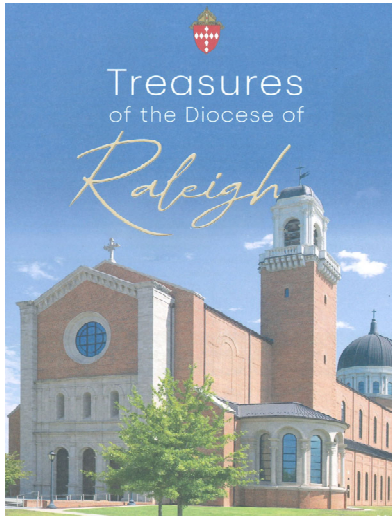
PLEASE MAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING

BULLETIN DEADLINES:

- **Friday, Dec 27 for Sunday, January 5**
- **Friday, Jan 3 for Sunday, January 12**
- **Friday, Jan 10 for Sunday, January 19**

All announcements need to be **in writing or e-mailed** and in the parish office by **2pm.**

NO EXCEPTIONS!



**DIOCESE
LIMITED-
EDITION BOOK
FOR SALE**

It is a 332 page, 9.65"x 11.81" glossy, full color, soft cover book which includes history of every parish in the Diocese as well as the history of the Diocese.

Cost is \$40/each

and may be purchased in the church office.
(Cash and checks only.)



First Saturdays by IBT

Ignited By Truth is organizing First Saturday events each month. A **Rosary** and also the **Divine Mercy Chaplet** will be prayed. **Marian hymns will also be sung.** Please join in reverent and peaceful prayer and singing. Events will be held outside. Please dress weather-appropriate.

For more information, visit IgnitedByTruth.org. The next time and place is: **January 4— after the 9am Mass**

Sacred Heart, 200 Hillsborough St, Raleigh

Burial Plots for Sale

A parishioner is selling 2 burial plots at Evergreen Memorial Gardens, on Nash Street.

If you are interested, please contact Ann Christenberry, 252-243-6298.

HURRICANE HELENE RELIEF AID

Ways to help western North Carolina in the aftermath of Hurricane Helene:

- PRAY for all affected!
- Donate online with Catholic Charities using the QR code or visiting:
www.catholiccharitiesusa.org



**WORLD-WIDE MARRIAGE
ENCOUNTER (WWME)**

"He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." Bring the Holy Spirit into your marriage by participating in a WWME weekend:

**March 21-23 in Emerald Isle
or May 2-4 in Hickory.**

For more information contact us at 704-315-2144
or applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org



**Project Rachel
Support Group**

Abortion is experienced by millions of women, many of whom are Catholic. The Project Rachel ministry assists women and men who have been wounded by abortion to find healing and peace. There is a **support group in the Triangle area**. If you have experienced an abortion and would like (confidential) information about the support group, contact Project Rachel at project.rachel@raldioc.org, or (919) 852-1021 or go to the website: <https://rachelnc.org>. Calls and appointments are kept strictly confidential.



**Courage /
Encourage**

Courage is a Roman Catholic apostolate which ministers to persons, both men and women, who experience same-sex attractions and desire support to live the Catholic Church's teaching on chastity. The local chapter of Courage in the Diocese of Raleigh can be reached confidentially at 984-900 or courage@couragenc.org.

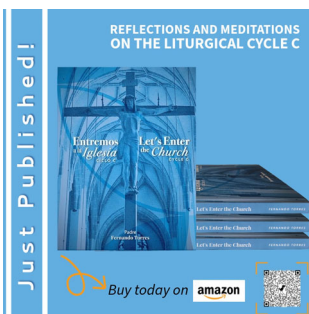
EnCourage is a related program for the loved ones – parents, siblings, spouses, or children – of persons who experience and act on same-sex attractions. These chapters meet separately from Courage chapters. The local chapter of EnCourage meets monthly and can be reached at encourage@couragenc.org, or 984-900-3212.

DECEMBER 15, 2024—THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT
15 DE DICIEMBRE, 2024 –TERCER DOMINGO DE ADVIENTO



**PLEASE, DO NOT
MOVE ANYTHING
AROUND IN THE
VESTIBULE
UNLESS APPROVED BY
THE CHURCH OFFICE.**

**PLEASE! PLEASE! PLEASE!
DO NOT DROP OFF
ANYTHING IN THE
TOWER ROOM UNLESS
SPECIFICALLY REQUESTED
OR PRE-APPROVED
BY FATHER FERNANDO.**



**Father Fernando's New Book—
Cycle C—Now Available on Amazon**

Each Sunday and on the special celebrations, this book is intended to be an aid for the biblical message to resound not only in our ears but also in our minds and hearts. Use the website: <https://amzn.to/3AS0K5E> or the below QR code

**El nuevo libro del padre Fernando –
Ciclo C –**

Ya disponible en Amazon

Cada domingo y en las celebraciones especiales, este libro pretende ser una ayuda para que el mensaje bíblico resuene no solo en nuestros oídos, sino también, en nuestras mentes y corazones. <https://amzn.to/3AS0K5E> o utilice el código QR

Renovation in the church

In January, we will be renovating the presbytery to highlight the Catholic signs that should predominate in the Catholic Churches.

First, we will extend the presbytery, where the altar is located, to the wall. We will put in the central part, between the columns, a wall that will serve to support the new crucifix, of more visible size and the altar where the new tabernacle will be installed, making it more visible from the entrance to the sanctuary.

These changes do not affect either the structure or the style of the Church, but it allows the Catholic signs in our parish church to be highlighted.

Thanks to the generosity of those who already donated and those who wish to donate, which helped to make this project possible. God bless you.



Remodulación de la iglesia

En enero, queremos hacer la remodelación del presbiterio para resaltar los signos católicos que deben predominar en las Iglesia católicas.

En primer lugar, extenderemos el presbiterio, lugar donde se encuentra el altar, hasta la pared. Pondremos en la parte central, entre las columnas una pared que servirá para sostener el nuevo crucifijo, de tamaño más visible y el altar donde se instaure el nuevo tabernáculo, haciéndolo más visible desde la entrada al templo.

Estos cambios no afectan ni la estructura ni el estilo de la Iglesia, pero permite resaltar los signos católicos en nuestro templo parroquial.

Gracias a la generosidad de los que deseen donar, ayudar a hacer posible este proyecto. Dios los bendiga.



Unción de los Enfermos

Para solicitar el sacramento de la unción de los enfermos en caso de que no sea de emergencia se debe llamar a la oficina para que el sacerdote visite al enfermo en el hogar o en el hospital. En caso de emergencia, en peligro de muerte, llame a la oficina al 252-237-3019. Presione el número 9 para emergencia y deje un mensaje claro, con su nombre y el número de teléfono. Para asistencia adicional puede llamar al Diácono Michel al 252-230-4668.

Sacramento de la Confesión

Sábados de 4:00pm a 4:45pm
Jueves de 7:00pm a 7:45pm

FECHAS IMPORTANTES PARA LOS SACRAMENTOS

Pláticas bautismales, miércoles 6pm

(2 pláticas en la serie) presenten copia de acta de nacimiento en la primera plática:

Bautismos: 14 dic

contacto la Hna Martha para programar una fecha

Pláticas matrimoniales, en la escuela

miércoles, 7pm: Ser determinado
(bilingüe) domingo, 11am:

Ser determinado

Para Ponerse en contacto con:

- ♦ Hermana Martha Alvarado, HSMG (calendario de quinceaños, bodas; catequesis de adultos y adolescentes en español; pláticas matrimoniales; consultas familiares) 252-505-6258
- ♦ Elizabeth Ortiz (oficina de la iglesia, habla español), 252-237-3019, opción 7
- ♦ Abraham Mora – música, coro de niños 252-969-4336
- ♦ Edith Serrano – música, 252-292-4762
- ♦ Maria de Jesús “Marichuy” Mosqueda— ensayos para bodas y quinceaños 252-668-9266



LIBROS AZULES PARA EL ADVIENTO

El Librito Azul de Adviento está disponible en la Sala de la Torre de forma gratuita. El Librito Azul contiene datos interesantes sobre nuestra fe y una reflexión sobre la lectura del Evangelio del día. Por favor, lleve uno por familia para utilizar durante el Adviento en preparación para el nacimiento de Nuestro Señor.



TAMPOCO MUEVA NADA EN EL VESTÍBULO A MENOS QUE LO APRUEBE LA OFICINA DE LA IGLESIA.



Caballeros de Colón

Nuestra próxima junta se llevará a cabo el **martes 14 y 28 de enero a las 7 pm** en el cuarto de Caballeros de Colón dentro de la escuela.

Le hacemos la cordial invitación a todos los hombres católicos a unirse a nuestra organización. Los caballeros de Colón es una organización fraternal de hombres católicos que ayudan a servir a sus sacerdotes, parroquia, y comunidad. Contacten a Oscar Aranda, 252-290-1447 o Matt Komara, 440-668-3574.

Donaciones en Línea

Hemos recibido nuestro nuevo código QR para que puedas dar tu donativo dominical en línea.

Es muy fácil, solo necesitas usar el celular y completar la información.

<https://sttheresewilson.weshareonline.org/index.aspx>



REQUISITOS PARA BAUTIZAR A UN NIÑO

-**Inscripción previa con dos (2) meses de anticipación** con Hna. Martha (252-505-6258)

-**Padres (y/o padrinos)** deben **asistir en misa**, en domingo o durante la semana, en Sta Terese u otra iglesia católica, como **muestra de cumplir la promesa** que se hace en la ceremonia de criar a sus hijos en la práctica de la fe católica.

-**Padres (y/o padrinos)** asisten en **pláticas bautismales** (vea calendario de fechas ya establecidas).

- Padrinos deben ser **casados por la iglesia**, y católicos practicantes.

Prayers for Advent Wreath Candle Lighting



Third Week of Advent

The Advent wreath is made of four candles and a circle of branches. Before the first candle is lit, the household gathers for this blessing. Traditionally three of the candles are purple the color of Kings and of penance. A rose-colored candle is used to mark the Third Sunday of Advent as a time to rejoice over the closeness of Christmas and the coming of Christ.

The following prayer should be repeated each day during the third week. Before the prayer, the mother lights the first two purple candles and the rose-colored candle.

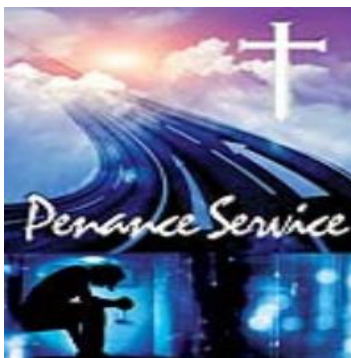
Leader: Lord, lend Your ear, we beg, to our prayers, and lighten the darkness of our minds with the grace of Your coming. You who are God, living and reigning.

All: Amen

The three candles are allowed to burn during the evening meals for the third week.

PENANCE SERVICES

As you prepare for Christmas, remember the most important part — your soul. Everyone is urged to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation during the Advent Season, so mark your calendars now! If you were not able to attend our service, here are some other local ones. **All start at 7pm.**



December 17—St Gabriel, Greenville
December 18—OLPH, Rocky Mount



HOLYDAY

Mass Schedule

Wednesday, December 25 is **Christmas** and Wednesday, January 1 is the **Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God.**

They are both Holy Days of Obligation.

The Mass schedule is as follows:

Tuesday, December 24, Christmas Eve:

5pm—Family Mass

7:30pm—Mass in Spanish

10pm—Mass during the Night in English

Wednesday, December 25, Christmas Day:

11am—Mass in English

1:30pm—Mass in Spanish

**Tuesday, December 31, Vigil,
Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
the Mother of God (New Years' Eve):**

NO MASS

**Wednesday, January 1,
Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
the Mother of God (New Years' Day):**

11am—Bilingual Mass

SERVICIO DE PENITENCIA

Mientras se prepara para la Navidad, recuerde la parte más importante: su alma. Se insta a todos a recibir el sacramento de la reconciliación durante la temporada de Adviento, ¡así que marque su calendario ahora! Si no pudiste asistir a nuestro servicio, aquí hay otros servicios locales.

Todos comienzan a las 7pm.