

"He says, *You know not what you ask*; as if He said, 'You speak of honors, but I am discoursing of wrestlings and toil; for this is not a time of rewards, but of blood, of battles, and dangers.' Wherefore He adds, *Can you drink of the cup that I drink of, and be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized withal?* He draws them on by way of question, that by communication with Himself, their eagerness might increase."

Saint John Chrysostom

October 17, 2021

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Mass Schedule - Horario de Misas

Saturday - Sábado 6:00 PM Español Clinton
Sunday - Domingo 10:00 AM English Clinton
Sunday - Domingo 12:30 PM Español Clinton
Sunday - Domingo 6:00 PM Español Ingold

Reconciliation - Confesiones

Saturday -Sábado, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

Daily Mass – As published inside bulletin.

Faith Formation - Catequesis

Immaculate Conception, Clinton

Primera Comunión -Año I (Español)

Saturday, 4:30 PM- 5:45 PM

First Communion Year I (English)

Sunday, 11:00 AM-12:15 PM

Confirmation - Year I

Tuesday, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Group I

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Group II

San Juan, Ingold

Primera Comunión - Año I (Español)

Sunday, 4:40 PM - 5:45 PM

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 16

6:00 PM People of the Parish

Week of Sunday, October 17

Sunday, October 17

10:00 AM + Ed, Dick, Bob, John & Mike
Besaw

12:30 PM Esther Santibañez y
José de Jesús Santibañez

6:00 PM People of the Parish (Ingold)

Monday, October 18

8:00 AM + Winifred Williams

Wednesday, October 20

7:00 PM + Teresa Correa

Thursday, October 21

8:00 AM + Rev. Thomas Sullivan, C.Ss,R.

Friday, October 22

8:00 AM + Fr. Phill Tighe

Saturday, October 23

6:00 PM People of the Parish

Week of Sunday, October 24

Sunday, October 24

10:00 AM + Gabe DeLuca

12:30 PM + Juan Antonio Sánchez

6:00 PM People of the Parish (Ingold)

OFFERTORY REPORT

Weekly budget required: \$3,750.00

Offertory received Oct. 10 **\$2,176.00**

Total loan amount owed: \$137,017.54

Total paid to date: \$75,574.96

Amount owed: \$61,442.58

WEEKLY MEETINGS AND CLASSES

Saturday, October 16

No class

Sunday, October 17

No classes

Tuesday, October 19

6:00 PM -7:00 PM Confirmation -
Group I, Fr. Price Center

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Confirmation -
Group II, Fr. Price Center

Saturday, October 23

4:30 PM - 5:45 PM First Communion
Class (Spanish), Fr. Price Center

Sunday, October 24

11:00 AM - 12:15 PM First Communion
Class (English), Fr. Price Center

4:40 PM - 5:45 PM First Communion
Class (Spanish), Ingold

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18;
Lk 10:1-9

Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21;
Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-8;
Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77,
93-94; Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6;
Lk 13:1-9

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-6; Heb 5:1-6;
Mk 10:46-52



Please pray daily for our church community:

Theresa Williford, Travis Barcomb, Elly Tsao, Joan Pomnitz, Marta Melton - Dambeck, Evelyn Kornegay, Marie Stowers, Joseph Miller, Julia Moore, Carlyle Williams, Liz Wills, John Stiles, Levere C. Montgomery Jr., Warren Montgomery, Londyn Marie Gwinn, Kathy & Charles Pare & family, Beth Pare, Loretta Walker

Please call the church office if you wish to add a name to this list.



Greetings Church Family!

MUSIC

The Responsorial for this 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time is from Psalm 32: "May your love be upon us O Lord, as we place all our hope in you/ The word of the Lord is faithful." And in the Gospel from Mark, we hear "For the son of man did not come to be served but to serve and give his life as a ransom for many." Powerful words for us to ponder today!

Day 12 in my 40 Day study from *The Purpose Driven Life* goes right along with the Response and Gospel today: *Developing Your Friendship With God! In order to nurture a more intimate relationship with God, I must do the following to TRUST GOD:*

- *I must choose to be honest with God.
- *I must choose to obey God in faith.
- *I must choose to value what God values.
- *I must desire friendship with God more than anything else.

Thank you all for your kind words after mass last week concerning the communion anthem. I am proud of these dedicated choir members who continue to "sing joyfully unto the Lord." We are grateful that the music liturgy at IC brings you comfort and peace in this troubled world: "Come, Just As You Are." Blessings! Michael

Wedding Anniversary Mass

The Wedding Anniversary Mass, typically celebrated each year in October, honors those celebrating wedding anniversaries, with special recognition to couples with 25, 50, or 60 years of marriage. The Mass will take place on Sunday, October 24 at 3:30pm at Holy Name of Jesus Cathedral in Raleigh. Register to attend the Mass and/or to receive a Commemorative Certificate: <https://raldioc.configio.com/go/wam2021>.

Cada año durante el mes de octubre regularmente llevamos a cabo una Misa de Aniversario de bodas en la Catedral del Santo Nombre de Jesús en Raleigh. En ella celebramos a quienes festejan su aniversario de bodas, con reconocimiento especial para las parejas que cumplen 25, 50 y 60 años de matrimonio. La Misa de este año se llevará a cabo el domingo 24 de octubre a las 3:30 p.m. en la Catedral del Santo Nombre de Jesús, en Raleigh, Carolina del Norte. Para registrarse para asistir a la Misa y/o recibir su certificado conmemorativo visite la página de internet: <https://raldioc.configio.com/go/abodas2021>

Synod of Bishops will begin in the local Churches

In October, Pope Francis will open a three-year synodal journey with three phases (diocesan, continental, universal) of consultations and discernment, culminating with the assembly in October 2023 in Rome.

“One listening to the others; and all listening to the Holy Spirit.”

To make the synodality desired by Pope Francis since the beginning of his pontificate concrete and visible, the next Synod of Bishops, scheduled for October 2023, will not only be celebrated in the Vatican but in each particular Church of the five continents, following a three-year itinerary divided into three phases: diocesan, continental and universal.

A decentralised Synod

The Synod was conceived by Pope Paul VI as a way to continue the collegial experience of the Second Vatican Council. During the ceremonies commemorating the 50th anniversary of the institution of the Synod of Bishops, Pope Francis expressed his desire for a common path for “laity, pastors, the Bishop of Rome.” Now, for the first time, a “decentralised” Synod is being celebrated.

Diocesan phase: consultation and participation of the People of God

The objective of this phase is the consultation of the People of God. To this end, the Secretariat of the Synod will send a preparatory Document accompanied by a Questionnaire and a Vademecum with proposals for carrying out the consultation in each particular Church.

Continental phase: dialogue and discernment

This will mark the beginning of the second, continental phase, scheduled to take place from September 2022 to March 2023.

The aim is to engage in a dialogue on the *Instrumentum laboris*. At the end of their discussions, each continental grouping will draft a final document, which they will send to the General Secretariat in March 2023.

Universal phase: the bishops of the world in Rome

The synodal journey will culminate in October 2023 with the celebration of the Assembly of Bishops in Rome, according to the renewed procedures established in 2018 by Pope Francis in the Constitution [*Episcopalis communio*](#).



¿Qué es el Sínodo de los Obispos?

El Sínodo de los Obispos es el órgano (instituto eclesiástico) permanente de la Iglesia que mantiene el espíritu de colegialidad surgido a partir del Concilio Vaticano II.

[El Sínodo de Obispos fue creado por Pablo VI en 1965](#). Sus objetivos son: fomentar la unión entre el Papa y los Obispos, facilitar el conocimiento de la situación de la Iglesia en el mundo actual y fomentar la concordancia de opiniones.

El **XVI Sínodo de los Obispos** tiene por tema “Por una Iglesia sinodal: comunión, participación y misión” y tras la reorganización aprobada por el papa el pasado mayo consistirá en un proceso de casi tres años para dar voz a las diócesis y los fieles.

Así, el papa pidió que el Sínodo no sea **“una convención eclesial, una conferencia de estudios o un congreso político sino un acontecimiento de gracia, un proceso de sanación guiado por el Espíritu Santo.”**

“El Espíritu nos pide que nos pongamos a la escucha de las preguntas, de los afanes, de las esperanzas de cada Iglesia, de cada pueblo y nación. Y también a la escucha del mundo, de los desafíos y los cambios que nos pone delante. No insonoricemos el corazón, no nos blindemos dentro de nuestras certezas”, instó.

“Dios no habita en lugares asépticos y tranquilos, lejos de la realidad, sino que camina a nuestro lado y nos alcanza allí donde estemos, en las rutas a veces ásperas de la vida”, recordó el pontífice ante el clero reunido en la basílica de San Pedro.

Tras esta apertura, se pasará a una fase de consulta de los fieles hasta abril de 2022, enviando un cuestionario a cada diócesis, mientras que en septiembre de ese año y hasta marzo de 2023 se planteará las mismas cuestiones a nivel continental.

La Asamblea General del Sínodo se reunirá en octubre de 2023 en el Vaticano para estudiar y debatir toda la información recabada e integrada en el conocido como “Instrumentum Laboris”, un documento de trabajo.

Adsumus Sancte Spiritus

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;

Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.

All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

Adsumus Sancte Spiritus

Ven, Espíritu Santo.

Tú que suscitas lenguas nuevas
y pones en los labios palabras de vida,
líbranos de convertirnos en una Iglesia de museo,
hermosa pero muda, con mucho pasado y poco futuro.

Ven en medio nuestro,
para que en la experiencia sinodal
no nos dejemos abrumar por el desencanto,
no diluyamos la profecía,
no terminemos por reducirlo todo
a discusiones estériles.

Ven, Espíritu de amor,
dispón nuestros corazones a la escucha.

Ven, Espíritu de santidad,
renueva al santo Pueblo de Dios.

Ven, Espíritu creador,
renueva la faz de la tierra.

Amen.

Becoming Magdalene

Experience a morning retreat that brings to life Mary Magdalene's faith and experience of Jesus on Saturday, October 23 from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Holy Infant Catholic Church's DeSales Center. A feast of story, imagery, and depth of feeling, this 60-minute performance by Olivia Woodford, a theater artist and storyteller, will be followed by discussion, illuminates the character and faith of this singular Galilean woman who traveled with Jesus, stood at the Cross, assisted with his burial, and was the first to witness the Resurrected Christ. For more information about this event, contact Lynn Sale at 919-973-0018 or lynns@holyinfantchurch.org or register online at holyinfantchurch.org/woodford.



Ignatian Spiritual Exercises

Trying to make a decision? Need to discern God's will? Consider participating in the Ignatian Spiritual Exercises. The St. Thomas More/UNC Newman Spiritual Direction Ministry is offering the Spiritual Exercises this fall. Called "a retreat in everyday life," the program is an excellent alternative for people unable to do a traditional 30-day retreat. Through biblical meditation and other spiritual practices, you will come to know and love Jesus, yourself and others. You will be asked to pray/reflect 30-60 minutes a day and share reflections each week in small group. Groups (in-person or Zoom) will meet on Wednesdays from 5:30-7:00PM from October 13, 2021 - May 25, 2022. Cost: \$450 (a \$50 registration payment and the balance in one or two payments). For questions or more information, please contact Cindy Neely at neelycynthia@gmail.com. To register, visit www.stmchapelhill.org/ignatian-exercises.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Let the colors of fall remind you to rediscover the beauty of your marriage. Worldwide Marriage Encounter has all the tools you need for a great marriage. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experiences on Nov 5-7, 2021 in ATLANTIC BEACH, NC and Jan 28-30, 2022 in NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://NCMarriageDiscovery.org> or contact us at applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org or 704-315-2144.

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