

"And because man is ever liable to change, He therefore warns the Apostles, who have been entitled 'the salt of the earth,' to continue steadfast in the might of the power committed to them, when He adds, *If the salt have lost its savor, wherewith shall it be salted?* But if the doctors having become senseless, and having lost all the savor they once enjoyed, are unable to restore soundness to things corrupt, *they are become useless; and are thenceforth fit only to be cast out and trodden by men.*

Saint Hilary of Poitiers

February 5, 2023
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
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Office Hours
Monday-Friday 8:15 - 2:30 pm
Administrative Assistant
Agata Rabos-Kuśmierczuk

Music Director: Michael Mozingo

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

First Communion:

Saturday, 4:30 PM- 5:45 PM
Sunday, 11:00 AM-12:15 PM

Confirmation:

Tuesday, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Year II
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Year II
Wednesday, 6:00 PM—7:00 PM Year I

San Juan, Ingold

Primera Comunión: Sunday, 4:40 PM - 5:45 PM

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 4

11:00 AM Sister Maxine Tancraitor, C.D.P.

6:00 PM People of the Parish

Week of Sunday, February 5

Sunday, February 5

10:00 AM + Maria Kuśmierczuk
Agata & Kaya Kuśmierczuk (b-day)

12:30 PM People of the Parish

6:00 PM (Ingold) People of the Parish

Monday, February 6

8:00 AM Mary Oliver

Wednesday, February 8

7:00 PM Fr. Goyo Hidalgo

Thursday, February 9

8:00 AM + Attilio Galanti

Friday, February 10

8:00 AM Fr. Mike Schmitz

Saturday, February 11

6:00 PM People of the Parish

Week of Sunday, February 12

Sunday, February 12

10:00 AM Knights of Columbus,
council # 11848

12:30 PM People of the Parish

6:00 PM (Ingold) People of the Parish

OFFERTORY REPORT

Weekly budget required: \$3,750.00

Offertory received Jan. 29 **\$3,118.00**

Total loan amount owed: \$137,017.54

Total paid to date: \$87,056.86

Amount owed: \$49,960.68



Please pray daily for our church community:

Libbi Zaccardi, Dorothy West, Dale Underwood, Elly Tsao, Theresa Williford, Travis Barcomb, Joan Pomnitz, Marta Melton - Dambeck, Evelyn Kornegay, Marie Stowers, Joseph Miller, Liz Wills, John Stiles, Levere C. Montgomery Jr., Warren Montgomery, Londyn Marie Gwinn, Kathy & Charles Pare & family, Beth Pare, Loretta Walker

Please pray for all the intentions written in our "Prayer Book of Life" located in the vestibule. Anyone with any need is invited to write prayer requests in the book.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c; Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday: Gn 1:20 — 2:4a; Ps 8:4-9; Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30; Mk 7:14-23

Thursday: Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 7:24-30

Friday: Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90:2-6, 12-13; Mk 8:1-10

Sunday: Sir 15:15-20; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37 [20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37]

Wilmington Rally and March for Life

The 2023 Rally and March For Life Wilmington will be February 25 at Long Leaf Park, shelter #6. Ample parking available at shelter #4/5 and by the baseball fields. Rain or shine. Some seating available. Speakers will be Dr. Bill Pincus, President of NC Right To Life; Suzanne and Rachel Guy of 40 Days for Life.

For more info, contact wilmingtonnc4life@gmail.com.

MUSIC Greetings Church Family!



Themes found in today's readings:

Christ is the light of the earth. The Church is the light in the darkness.

Responsorial: "The just man is a light in darkness to the upright." Psalm 112

Did you know that National Senior Citizens Day is August 21, 2023?

I am proud that we recognize our seniors at IC each month during our senior lunch.

I found an interesting article at ubahouston.org encouraging us to "celebrate" seniors:

- *They have gained wisdom through experience.
- *They're involved in ministry opportunities.
- *They pass down a legacy of faith.
- *They've experienced faith through trials.
- *They can teach lessons in respect and honor.

May is Senior Citizens Month first initiated by President John F. Kennedy in April 1963.

Lent begins in 17 days! I am looking forward to a spirit-filled Holy Week!

In His Love!
Michael



Senior luncheon
February 19
at noon



Adoración Eucarística
Martes, 7 de febrero,
8:00 p.m.

Adoración Eucarística
Jueves, 9 de febrero
7:00 p.m. INGOLD



Pláticas Bautismales

Las pláticas para el **Sacramento del Baustimo** tendrán lugar el **Segundo Domingo** del mes de **febrero** después de la Misa de las 12:30 p.m. Cae el día **12**.

En el día de las pláticas, favor de traer una copia del Acta del Nacimiento de la persona que será bautizada. Los padrinos deben estar casados por la Iglesia Católica y traer consigo el Certificado de Matrimonio, y haber recibido los Sacramentos de Iniciación: (Bautismo, Primera Comunión, Confirmación).



No deben estar Niños pequeños presentes en las pláticas. Es importante poder concentrarse en el mensaje que queremos comunicar a los padres y padrinos sin la distracción de tener que atender a los niños.



Retiro de Matrimonio

“El Anillo es para Siempre”

Sábado, 15 de abril, 7:00 a.m. — 9:00 p.m.
Domingo, 16 de abril, 7:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.

Abierto a toda pareja casada ó no casada
Cupo para 25 parejas

Hay que inscribirse de antemano con José Baños o P. José

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

In February

Kaya Jessica Kuśmierczuk - Feb. 4

Agata K. Rabos-Kuśmierczuk - Feb. 5

Charles Wynn - Feb. 10

Amelia Grace Braswell - Feb. 10

Andrea Sada Romero - Feb. 15

Marie Stowers - Feb. 15

Elizabeth Tsao - Feb. 26

Baldomero Aguilar - Feb. 27



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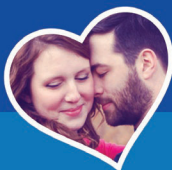
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