



Our Lady of Consolation Catholic Church Of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charlotte

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June 10, 2018

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mass Schedule/Intentions

Saturday, June 9

5:00 PM - For birthday blessings for Michael and Christina Gittens from the Gittens and Duliepre families

Sunday, June 10

8:00AM - for all the OLC the graduates as requested by Denise and Dominick Duliepre

11:00AM - In thanksgiving and for the wedding anniversary of Hyginus and Celina Okechukwu

Tuesday, June 12, 8:30AM - repose of the soul of Margarite Baglio as requested by Dorice Narins

Wednesday June 13, 8:30AM - for the safe deployment of Brad Martin as requested by Dorice Narins

Thursday June 14, 8:30AM

Friday June 15, 8:30AM



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The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? ~Psalm 27:1

Our Lady of Consolation Engages

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November 2017- November 2018

PARISH NEWS

Graduation Sunday - CONGRATULATIONS! to all our parish family graduates! May the Lord Bless you and Keep you and make his face to shine upon you!

Fellowship Breakfast - Next Sunday, June 17, 2018 9:15AM - 10:30AM there will be a fellowship breakfast between the Masses in the Parish Life Center. All are welcome.

Fr. Carl's Retirement Party - Save the date!

There will be a retirement party for Fr. Carl on Friday, June 22, 2018 from 7PM-10PM in the PLC. Please mark your calendars and come help us celebrate with him as he moves on to retirement. RSVP to olcfamilylife@gmail.com. All are invited!



Parish Picnic Save the Date

The parish Picnic will be Sunday, June 24, 2018, 1PM - 7PM. This years picnic will be at Frank Liske Park, 4001 Stough Rd, Concord NC 28027 Sign up and donation sheets are in the back of church.

Lion King Tickets

Interested in seeing Lion King? Tickets are available for the Saturday, September 8th, 2:00PM matinee. Balcony seats are \$79 and \$96. There is a Youth workshop prior to performance \$10. Limited space. Please see Wendy Cutting or email olcfamilylife@gmail.com

Reflection - Promises

Today's liturgy is full of promises. The reading from Genesis promises a final triumph over the power of sin and a return to a new creation. The reading from Second Corinthians promises that all who follow Christ will have to struggle. It also promises, however, that we can persevere if we but recognize that Christ is within us, renewing us daily, and giving us the courage and the strength we need to endure. The Gospel promises that doing God's will makes us "family" with Jesus, who forgives all sin and triumphs over evil.

Today might be a good day for us to make some promises as well. We can promise to stop kidding ourselves

Ministry Schedule - June 16 & 17 2018

Readers

Sat. June 16, 5PM Stacie Cheatom
Sunday June 17 8AM Toni Cowsette
11AM Naomi Byrd, Catherine Gomez

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat. June 16 5PM J Dewalt, J Edouard, C Edouard
Sun. June 17 8AM M Carter, O Carter, R Carter, G Gillison, J Hunt
11AM E Hood, P McDonald, K Rose, S Carr, F Dennis,

about our own tendencies to selfishness and sin. We can promise ourselves to believe—really believe—that while we are not sinless, we are forgiven. We can promise ourselves to combat evil and sin by acting as sisters and brothers not only to the Lord, but to one another as well.

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Treasures From Our Tradition

The cathedral is a treasure in a diocese and in our tradition. It is not simply a "big church," as some say; some parish churches are larger. What makes a cathedral is the presence of the chair, called a *cathedra* (Latin for seat) reserved for the bishop.

There are many instances in our country of a local church (diocese) outgrowing a cathedral. In Baltimore and St. Louis, the former cathedrals are historic treasures in the heart of the old city, but new and larger structures now function as the seat of the bishop.

When a bishop dies or retires, it is said that "the seat is vacant," and when the new bishop is installed, the central ritual is the moment when the decree of the Holy Father is read and the new bishop is escorted to the *cathedra*. No one but the bishop sits in the *cathedra* during a ritual, but in Los Angeles the *cathedra* in the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels is accessible, and no one seems to mind when a visitor tries the *cathedra* out for the bishop's point of view.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Around the Diocese

Interested in becoming a Permanent Deacon? Have you thought God might be calling you to serve the Church as a deacon? Would you like to know more about the process involved in becoming a permanent deacon? The office of the permanent diaconate continuously collects names of men who are inquiring into the diaconate. If interested in finding out more, please call Deacon Scott D. Gilfillan at 828-327-7441 or email him at sdgilfillan@catholicconference.org. The diocese starts a new formation class every four years. An important cut-off is approaching. Before being selected for diaconate formation, a man has to complete the two-year Lay Ecclesial Ministry program offered by the diocese. Lay Ministry Program classes will begin this Fall-2018 with applications currently being accepted. These details and more on this program can be found at: <https://charlottediocese.org/ev/adult-education/>

High School Summer Program

High school aged youth are invited to attend the Faithful Servant, a week long leadership training to be held at Belmont Abbey College, June 17 - 22 this summer. The program is a mix of Catholic teaching (prayer, sacraments, discernment, morality, evangelization, etc.) and critical life skills (decision making, planning, communication, group dynamics, negotiation, etc.) For more information and to register, Google "Faithful Servant Charlotte Diocese" or call Paul Kotlowski at 704-370-3211.

Daily Readings & Calendar June 10-16, 2018

Sun. June 10 Gn 3:9-15; 2 Cor 4:13-5:1; Mt 3:20-35	8:00AM Mass, Church 11:00AM Mass, Church 4PM SLI, gym
Mon. June 11 Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 5:1-12	5PM SLI Basketball, PLC
Tue. June 12 1 Kgs 17:7-16; Ps 4:2-5, 7b-8; Mt 5:13-16	8:30AM Mass 10:00AM Golden Wings board meeting, Scout Room 10:30AM Food Pantry 7:00PM Scouting, PLC
Wed. June 13 1 Kgs 18:20-39; Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab, 8, 11; Mt 5:17-19	8:30AM Mass 6PM, Basketball, PLC 7PM RCIA, PLC
Thur. June 14 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Ps 65:10-13; Mt 5:20-26	8:30AM Mass 9:30AM - 12PM Healthy Living class, Scout Room 6PM Basketball, PLC
Fri. June 15 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14; Mt 5:27-32	8:30AM Mass 11:30AM Food Pantry
Sat. June 16 1 Kgs 19:19-21; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-10; Mt 5:33-37	4:00PM Confessions 5:00PM Mass 6:00PM Cursillo, Boy Scout Rm

Parish Weekly Tithe Report

Week of May 27, 2018 Budgeted Amount

Offertory	\$ 7,235.53	\$ 9,615.00
Deficit Reduction	\$ 385.00	
Building Repair	\$ 500.00	
Total	\$ 8,120.53	\$11,923.00

DSA - "We Are Called" - The Diocesan Support Appeal is the major source of funding for the Permanent Diaconate program in our diocese. Bishop Jugis ordained 15 men as permanent deacons in April, bringing the total number of permanent deacons serving in our diocese to 125. Please continue to pray for these men, and if you haven't already made a gift to the 2017 DSA, please do so online at www.charlottediocese.org/dsa.

St Martin de Porres Outreach Ministry

The St. Martin de Porres food pantry operates twice a week (Tuesday & Friday) distributing food boxes to those in need. Donations of food are always gratefully accepted in the vestibule.

If you or someone you know has a need for food please call 704-375-4339 to get an appointment

Prayer Intentions, Please Pray For:

Thomasina Carr, Lamonte Bailey, Errin Rochelle, Carmen Pantoja-Perez, Fr. Jim Goode, Joseph Castro, Pamela Gellineau, Michele Gellineau-Green, Bennie P. Evans, June Rousseau, Maria Rousseau, Ural Covington, Harry Baptiste, Carolyn Oates, Sr. Bessie McCarthy, Jake Suggs, Robert Collins, Jr., Lucielle Tate, Kate and Christopher Truesdale, Jensen McDonald, Eric Polite, Wilhelmina White, Victor Gellineau, Idalia Brown, Alberta Foree (sister of Clair Harvey), La-Rita Alvarado, Jennifer Makeeff, Alan Jones, Marianne B. Holman, Barbara Block, Deborah Hurst, Elmira House, Adele Moore, Barbara Young, Terry Vaughan, Jr., Thomas & Iona Franklin, Leroy Fair, Nancy Helms, Cheryl Gellineau Smalls, Ame Cherie Cannon, Ycein Henderson, Henry White, Vive Brown, George Lewis, Mildred Ledbetter, John McDowell, Douglas Duncan, Rita Gittens, Judith Bazile, Cheryl Hunt, Teresa Park Thurman, Robin Worthy Leach, John Crisp (father of Marcie Crisp), Nicholas Pope, Robin Plummer, Henry Wallace, and all the special intentions of our parishioners.

Prayer Shawl

If you or a member of your family is ill or recuperating, you may request a prayer shawl from our Prayer Shawl Ministry. Call Carol Gomiak at 704-614-5908.

FAMILY

"When I was young today's Gospel always bothered me," said Phil at a parish retreat. "Jesus is in a hostile crowd who say he's insane or possessed by Satan. Then his mother and family come asking for him. I got bullied at school. I'd have welcomed my family to rescue me. But Jesus says no, here's my family - the ones doing God's will. It took me years to realize there's no contradiction here. When we moved here we knew no one. Then Linda and I joined the Bible study group and made friends. Everything changed when our son got leukemia. Our families were way too far away to help us, so our Bible study friends became our family. They fixed meals, prayed with us, sat with Jonathan so we could rest, cleaned house, mowed the grass, and even paid bills. We love our family, but Christ empowered an extended family, our true brothers and sisters in faith." *Copyright, World Library Publications. All rights reserved.*

Living Stewardship Now

How well do you know the people in the parish groups or ministries you belong to? How far would you go to help them?

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