

ANNOUNCEMENTS



TO ALL THE PARISHES IN THE Cape Fear Deanery

Everyone is invited to **St. Stanislaus Catholic Church** for the *Divine Mercy* Devotion and Celebration on **Sunday, April 27 @ 3:00pm.**

We are proud to have the *Knights of Columbus* from the **Cape Fear Deanery** to serve as **Honor Guard** for this event.

Following our devotion, everyone is invited to enjoy a delicious luncheon of **Fried Chicken and Pulled Pork** in our Parish Hall.
Side dishes are appreciated.

What a wonderful day of worship and fellowship with parishioners from the whole *Cape Fear Deanery!*

*St. Stanislaus Catholic Church, 4849 Castel Hayne Rd.,
Castle Hayne, NC 28429 - (910)-675-2336*



Stewardship

April 15, 2025

11:00 AM (English) Mass

Offertory	\$ 810.00
Holy Thursday	\$ 30.00
Easter	\$ 25.00

1:00PM (Spanish) Mass

Offertory	\$ 910.00
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Total	\$ 865.00	Total	\$ 910.00
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St. Joseph Catholic Church



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The Resurrection of the Lord
Sunday, April 20, 2025

Share in the Apostolic Mission of the Church

We, the parishioners of St. Joseph Catholic Church, a community of faith, being spirit-filled and empowered by our baptism, are called to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ. United by our worship, our continued commitment to faith formation and our love for one another, we dedicate our time, talents, and treasure to the enrichment of our community and the greater glory of God.

We welcome all visitors!

Welcome to St. Joseph Catholic Church. We are glad you chose to be with us today. If you are traveling, we pray for your safe journey home. If you live in this area, we hope you will return soon to worship with us.



Sunday Mass:

11:00 am in English

1:00 pm in Spanish

Daily Mass:

Wednesdays at 8:30 am

Thursdays at 8:30 am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please come spend some time with our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration. Adoration begins at **3:00 pm every Wednesday** and ends at **7:00 pm**.



SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Parents must attend a preparation class prior to having their child baptized. Please schedule an appointment with Father Roger to discuss the procedure.

RECONCILIATION: Immediately following Mass and by appointment.

MARRIAGE: The marriage preparation program for the Diocese of Raleigh takes 6 months. Please contact Father Roger for an appointment.

1ST PENANCE, 1ST HOLY COMMUNION, & CONFIRMATION:
Contact Father Roger for information.

Today's Readings

Acts 10: 34a, 37-43

Psalms 118: 1-2, 16-17, 22-23

"This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad."

Colossians 3: 1-4

John 20: 1-9



For **Daily Mass Readings**
go online to:

<http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings>

<http://www.ewtn.com/daily-readings>
(Includes Daily Mass video)

Today's Meditation

RISEN LIFE IN JESUS

"If then you were raised with Christ, seek what is above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Think of what is above, not of what is on earth."

- Colossians 3:1-2

Alleluia! Jesus is risen! His tomb is empty! "Death has no more power over Him" (Rm 6:9). Alleluia!

Because we've been baptized into Christ, we have died with Him (Rm 6:4). "If we have been united with Him through likeness to His death, so shall we be through a like resurrection" (Rm 6:5). This very day we have already "been raised up" with Jesus to share in His glorious, heavenly, risen life (Col 3:1).

For many in the United States, the joy of Easter means returning to the things we gave up for Lent. It's back to chocolate, sweets, soft drinks, ice cream, etc. Yes, we do have to "celebrate and rejoice" on Easter (Lk 15:32), and these treats help us to celebrate. However, if we find our joy simply in returning to the old life we lived before Lent, we will have missed Easter.



Jesus is the Reason for the season! He is risen! We are invited to a risen life with Him so new, powerful, and exciting that we can't sufficiently celebrate it with the "old yeast," that is, our old joys and lifestyle (1 Cor 5:7). Let us "be intent on things above rather than on things of earth" (Col 3:2). Let's celebrate the fifty-day Easter season by immersing ourselves in God's Word, which is sweeter than the tastiest candy (Ps 119:103), and in the Eucharist, the "bread of sincerity and truth" (1 Cor 5:8).

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PRAYER LIST

Nick Hesse

Nery Fields

Bill Barnett

Marilyn Malberg

Jeanette Rivenbark

All those incarcerated

All those who suffer from addiction

The Butrim Family

Gina Brooks

Liz Becker

The Daniels Family

Geraldine Egner

United States Leadership

Phyllis Kubelka

Stacey Riemer

Darrin Pierres

Michael Kubelka

The unborn



Please e-mail agnesfields@gmail.com to have a loved one placed on our prayer list. If you have placed a prayer list, and you feel they no longer need to be on it, please e-mail so that we may update it.