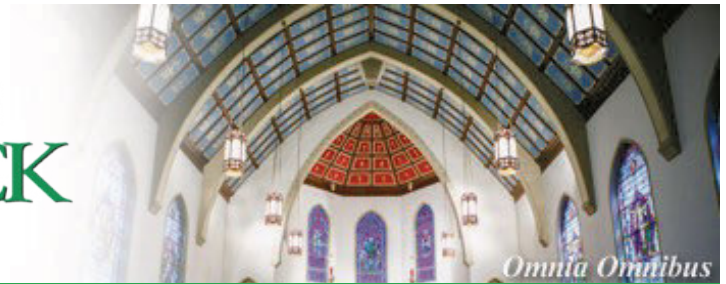




# The Cathedral of ST. PATRICK



*Omnia Omnitibus*

## The Roman Catholic Diocese of Charlotte

The Most Rev. Michael T. Martin,  
OFM Conv.  
*Bishop of Charlotte*  
Very Rev. Peter N. Ascik  
*Pastor & Rector*

# SEPTEMBER 21ST, 2025

25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY CYCLE: C — WEEKDAY CYCLE: I — PSALTER: WEEK II

### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm  
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am,  
and 11:30 am

### DAILY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 12:10 pm  
No Masses on Tuesdays  
Friday (school year): 8:30 am  
Saturday: 8:00 am

### HOLY DAY SCHEDULE

7:30 am, 12:10 pm, 7:00 pm

### CONFESSION

Thirty minutes before daily Masses  
Saturday: 7:30 am and 4:00 - 5:00 pm

### ADORATION

Wednesday: 8:00 am - 6:00 pm  
Sunday: 10:00 - 11:00 am

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mondays - Fridays  
9:00 am to 4:00 pm



*"For the children of this world are more prudent in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. No servant can serve two masters. He will either hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon." ~ Luke 16:8b, 13*



## Mission Statement

*We the members of The Cathedral of St. Patrick, through the mercy of God the Father, the grace of Jesus Christ, and the power of the Holy Spirit, seek to grow continually in knowledge of and love for God. We strive to enable ongoing conversion to Christ of our adults, to inspire faith in our children, and to be witnesses of His love in the greater community.*

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# THIS WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

DATE	MASSES & INTENTIONS	EVENTS
<b>Saturday</b> September 20th	<b>8:00 am</b> † <b>Rosemary Wagner</b> <i>Requested by Anonymous</i> <b>5:30 pm</b> † <b>Mark Belfiore</b> <i>Requested by the Somerville Family</i>	7:30 AM—Confessions 8:00 AM—Mass 4:00 PM—Children’s Choir Practice 4:00—5:00 PM—Confessions 5:30 PM—Vigil Mass
<b>Sunday</b> September 21st  <i>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>7:30 am</b> † <b>Juan Guillen</b> <i>Requested by Gonzalo Bustamante</i> <b>9:00 am</b> <b>Vivienne Wintering</b> <i>Requested by GERALYN Wintering</i> <b>11:30 am</b> <b>Pro Populo</b>	7:30 AM—Mass 9:00 AM—Mass 10:00 AM—Eucharistic Adoration 10:15 AM—Faith Formation Classes 10:15 AM—Confirmation Classes Begin 11:30 AM—Mass
<b>Monday</b> September 22nd	<b>12:10 pm</b> † <b>Norma McLean</b> <i>Requested by 5th Bible Study Group</i>	11:30 AM—Confessions 12:10 PM—Mass 7:00 PM—Young Adult Faith Formation
<b>Tuesday</b> September 23rd	<b>No Tuesday Mass or Confessions</b>	1:00 PM—Adult Faith Formation 3:00 PM—Children’s Choir Practice
<b>Wednesday</b> September 24th	<b>12:10 pm</b> † <b>Donquavius Davis</b> <i>Requested by Anonymous</i>	8:00 AM—6:00 PM—Eucharistic Adoration 11:30 AM—Confessions 12:10 PM—Mass 7:00 PM—OCIA Class 7:15 PM—Cathedral Choir Practice
<b>Thursday</b> September 25th	<b>12:10 pm</b> † <b>Thomas Ashcraft</b> <i>Requested by Patricia Neilson</i>	7:00 AM—Men’s Rosary 11:30 AM—Confessions 12:10 PM—Mass 7:00 PM—Hora Santa
<b>Friday</b> September 26th	<b>12:10 pm</b> <b>Greg Wintering</b> <i>Requested by GERALYN Wintering</i>	11:30 AM—Confessions 12:10 PM—Mass 3:00 PM—Children’s Choir Practice
<b>Saturday</b> September 27th	<b>8:00 am</b> <b>Bert &amp; Lucy Rodriguez</b> <i>Requested by the Rodriguez Family</i> <b>5:30 pm</b> † <b>Griffiths Family</b> <i>Requested by MK</i>	7:30 AM—Confessions 8:00 AM—Mass 9:00 AM—Baptism (Amelie Cil Niekdom) 4:00 PM—Children’s Choir Practice 4:00—5:00 PM—Confessions 5:30 PM—Vigil Mass
<b>Sunday</b> September 28th  <i>26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>7:30 am</b> <b>Lori Phillips</b> <i>Requested by the CCHS Community</i> <b>9:00 am</b> <b>Pro Populo</b> <b>11:30 am</b> † <b>Charles Rains</b> <i>Requested by Carol Rains</i> <b>2:00 pm</b> <b>Catholic Heritage Society Mass</b>	7:30 AM—Mass 9:00 AM—Mass 10:00 AM—Eucharistic Adoration 10:15 AM—Baptism Prep Class 10:15 AM—Faith Formation Classes 10:15 AM—Confirmation Class 11:30 AM—Mass 2:00 PM—Catholic Heritage Society Mass 3:00 PM—Catholic Heritage Society Reception

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY FAIR

Have you ever felt called to serve more deeply at Mass? On **Sunday, September 28th**, we invite you to our Liturgy Ministry Fair, which will take place after each Mass.

This is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about the many ways you can share your gifts in the liturgy—from being a lector, usher, or altar server to joining the choir or assisting as a sacristan. Representatives from each ministry will be available to answer questions and help you discern how your talents can best serve our parish community.

Come discover how you can be part of the heart of our worship and help enrich our parish's prayer life. We look forward to seeing you after Mass!

## GOSPEL REFLECTION

Before I was a priest, I was a lazy worker for a retail Apple store. Hearing a rumor that my boss was going to fire me, I secretly sold iPhones for half-price, gave away dozens of free iPads, and donated several brand-new laptops to managers in other stores in the mall. After a week, my boss called me into his office. He knew what I was up to. He said I had cost the store thousands of dollars. "Really great work, John," he said. "I am going to recommend you to be my assistant manager and double your pay." I was amazed.

And so are you. Which is understandable because it never happened. How could it? My tall tale is a retelling of Jesus' brow-furrowing parable we hear this week. A lazy, dishonest steward defrauds his boss and then the "master commended the dishonest servant for acting prudently" (Luke 16:8). What is the Lord saying to us?

Most of us treat our spiritual lives like a lazy teenager at an Apple store. We really don't care. We go through the motions. Then, if we are lucky, something happens that shakes us to spiritual action; to employ whatever time, money, and resources we have to build around us a strong network of love. Every saint did that. Our Lord is so good he wants us to use his stuff to forgive debts and to bless others. He wants us to ensure our future. So do it!

— Father John Muir

## WEEKEND SCHEDULE

### Saturday:

7:30 AM—Confessions

8:00 AM—Mass

4:00—5:00 PM—Confessions

5:30 PM—Vigil Mass

### Sunday:

7:30 AM—Mass

9:00 AM—Mass

10:00 AM—Eucharistic Adoration

11:30 AM—Mass

## SUNDAY READINGS

### 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time September 21st, 2025

#### First Reading:

The LORD has sworn by the pride of Jacob: Never will I forget a thing they have done! (Am 8:7)

#### Psalm:

Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor. (Ps 113)

#### Second Reading:

There is also one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as ransom for all. (1 Tm 2:5-6)

#### Gospel:

"No servant can serve two masters. He will either hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and mammon." (Lk 16:13)



## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

*Timmy Embaye  
Thanh Pang Ting  
Alex Murphy  
Melanie McKloskey  
Mariclaire Vazquez  
Nick Marocchini  
Stephen Guilfoyle, III  
Joseph Gustafson  
Stephanie Boaze  
Madeline Zingale  
Hunter DeCoudres  
Kathryn Goldrick  
Jack Mahoney  
Anna Kennelly*

*Jacob Murphy  
Callan Brown  
Brian McNulty  
Brian Neilson  
Joseph A  
Henry Young  
Ciara Roelofs  
Anthony Valencia  
Luke Zingale  
Moses Wintering  
Bob Heck  
Kristen Stewart  
Estefany Bochman  
Nolan DeRose  
Caleb Cil*



## JOB OPPORTUNITIES



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while providing exceptional and timely HR  
service with grace, trust, and compassion."



## BAPTISM PREPARATION

Did you know the Cathedral offers a Baptism preparation class on the **Fourth** Sunday of every month? The class is held in the Family Life Center Library at 10:15am. To register for September 28th, please email [mhinson@stpatricks.org](mailto:mhinson@stpatricks.org).

## GET FORMED

Visit [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) and search for St. Patrick's Cathedral for access to a wealth of Catholic material.

**FORMED**

## CATHOLIC TRIVIA

**Question:** What do Catholics call the four books of the Bible that describe the teachings and life of Jesus?

**Answer :** The Gospels.

## RETIREMENT RECEPTION

### RETIREMENT RECEPTION IN HONOR OF

*Mim Hinson*

Please join us for a "light" dinner as we celebrate the retirement of Mim Hinson on Saturday, October 4th following the 5:30 p.m. Mass.

Mim has faithfully served our parish for over 20 years. She has touched all of our lives either directly or indirectly in so many different ways, and we will truly miss her.

Mark your calendars for October 4th and join us in thanking Mim for her many years of dedicated service to the Cathedral!

## VIANNEY PILGRIM STATUE

We invite parishioners to bring home our St. John Vianney pilgrim statue and pray for vocations to the priesthood, especially here in the Diocese of Charlotte. Each week a family may pick up the statue when they attend Mass on Saturday evening or Sunday morning and then return the statue the following Saturday afternoon prior to 5:30 pm. **The statue is CURRENTLY AVAILABLE in the sacristy.** To take home the statue, please contact the Parish Office at [info@stpatricks.org](mailto:info@stpatricks.org).



## SAFE ENVIRONMENT

### Virtus has changed to CMG Connect

The Diocese of Charlotte has enhanced its Safe Environment program with new, comprehensive policies and procedures updated for today's issues and needs.

**All who volunteer in any capacity or work in at the Cathedral or the Diocese of Charlotte will need to be set up and certified through CMG Connect.**

**Existing Virtus users:** If your Virtus account contained your email address, please look for an email from the diocese or your local Safe Environment coordinator with instructions for how to access your new CMG Connect account.

**New volunteers:** Please contact your local parish's Safe Environment coordinator for further instructions or you can visit <https://charlottediocese.org/offices/safe-environment/> to register as a new volunteer.

**Questions?** Please contact the parish office at [info@stpatricks.org](mailto:info@stpatricks.org) or 704-334-2283. You may also contact the Diocese Safe Environment Office at [safeenvironment@rcdoc.org](mailto:safeenvironment@rcdoc.org).

## HORA SANTA EN ESPANOL

¡Actualización importante! La hora santa será todos los jueves del mes de 7 pm a 8 pm en la iglesia.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Council 770 meets at St. Patrick's on the **first Tuesday of every month**. Agenda for the meetings is:

6:30 PM Rosary (Chapel)  
7:00 PM Business meeting (FLC)  
7:30 PM Social, Bible study (FLC)



The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic men's fraternal and service organization. Membership is open to all practicing Catholic men. For more information about the Knights contact: [knights@stpatricks.org](mailto:knights@stpatricks.org).

[www.kofc770.org](http://www.kofc770.org)

Instagram/Facebook: @kofc770

### MASS INTENTIONS

To schedule a Mass intention, please contact the parish office at (704) 334-2283, or stop by in person. An individual can have a Mass requested for anyone living or deceased. \$10 offering per Mass.

Only one intention is allowed per Mass. Parishioners may schedule up to three Masses within a six-month period. Non-parishioners may schedule one Mass within a six-month period.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is ordinarily celebrated at the Cathedral on Sunday afternoons at 1:30 pm. Prior to scheduling your child's Baptism, parents will need to participate in our Baptismal Preparation Class held on the **fourth** Sunday of each month and complete the Baptismal registration form. Please visit [www.stpatricks.org/the-sacrament-of-baptism](http://www.stpatricks.org/the-sacrament-of-baptism) to register for the preparation class and download the form.

### HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

Send an e-mail to: [prayerworks@stpatricks.org](mailto:prayerworks@stpatricks.org) with your request. The request will be added to our prayer chain and the intention will be remembered by our prayer team. Simply e-mail your contact information and you'll be added to the prayer list.



## STEWARDSHIP OF OUR TREASURES

### OFFERTORY CONTRIBUTIONS

Offertory Collection 9/8-9/14 \$	5,213.00
Online Giving for past week \$	7,535.00
Total Weekend Contributions \$	12,748.00
Budget \$	15,833.00
Over (Short) \$	<b>(3,085.00)</b>
Total Weekend Mass attendance	670



### DIOCESAN SUPPORT APPEAL

2025 Assessment \$	83,417.00
Amount Paid \$	50,765.13
Pledge Balance \$	3,719.87
Over (Under) \$	<b>(28,932.00)</b>
Donors	39

The purpose of the Diocesan Support Appeal (DSA) is to help provide the annual funding necessary to carry out the mission of our diocese. The DSA provides funding for 50 ministries and programs. St. Patrick is currently behind on its assigned goal for 2025. Please note that if the goal is not met, the remaining balance will have to be paid from our general operating account.

DSA Goal

**\$83,417**



### PRIEST RETIREMENT

2025 Assessment \$	23,909.00
Amount Collected \$	14,804.00
Over (Under) \$	<b>(9,105.00)</b>

The annual collection for Priests' Retirement & Benefits will be taken up this weekend, September 21, 2025. Our priests have dedicated their lives to serving us through the sacraments and pastoral care. This collection helps provide for their retirement and medical needs, ensuring they are cared for with dignity.

Priest Retirement Goal

**\$23,909**



## ONLINE GIVING

Scan the QR code to the right or visit <https://www.osvhub.com/st-patrick-cathedral/giving/funds> for more information on how you can sign-up for online giving today!



**Reminder:** The second collection on the first weekend of each month is for Capital Improvements.

## HONORING OUR LEGACY, BUILDING OUR FUTURE



Thank you to all that have supported the **Honoring our Legacy, Building our Future Campaign.**

The campaign will address the much-needed repairs to our sacristies and bell tower and ensuring the continuing radiance of the Cathedral's stained-glass windows. Scan the QR code to pledge your



## ADORATION

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the Cathedral is offered in the Cathedral every Wednesday from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm, and on Sundays from 10:00 am to 11:00 am.



## CALLING YOUNG ADULTS

Are you in your 20s or early 30s and looking to meet other young adult Catholics at St. Patrick?

You're in luck! A small group of young adult leaders created a Young Adult Group here at the Cathedral and encourage you to get involved. Use the QR code to connect with the group and learn more about their monthly coffee meet ups at Backyard Brew after the 11:00 am Mass.

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Couples celebrating their wedding anniversary are invited to the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass, celebrated by Bishop Martin on **Sunday, October 26, 2025 at 3:00 p.m.** at Saint Patrick Cathedral in Charlotte, followed by a reception.

Registration is free and the deadline is **Friday, October 17th**. To register, simply scan the QR Code in this bulletin with your phone.



For questions, please contact Brendan Dudley at [bddudley@rcdoc.org](mailto:bddudley@rcdoc.org).

## BANNS OF MARRIAGE



**Katarina D'Alois & Timothy Blatchford**  
*Wedding: Saturday, August 16th*

**Kathryn Harclerode & Roger Regelbrugge**  
*Wedding: Friday, September 5th*

**Bridget Rusciollelli & Dominic Nelson**  
*Wedding: Saturday, October 11th*

## RETRouvaille

**Retrouvaille Marriage Help** offers a welcoming and loving space to couples who have been living with the misery of a failing marriage. Retrouvaille offers hope: hope that it is not too late, hope of a different and better marriage.

Retrouvaille helps couples to show each other mercy through the opportunities it provides to listen, to forgive, to be reconciled and to move into their futures believing that God loves them and with His help and their efforts, their marriages can be healed and restored. Retrouvaille provides help for marriage problems/difficulties/ crises.

For more information about the upcoming Retrouvaille weekend program in the Charlotte area on Oct. 3rd—5th, 2025 for couples, please see the information below:

Email: [3062ac@helpourmarriage.org](mailto:3062ac@helpourmarriage.org)  
Call: (727) 343-6701  
Website: [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com)

## BECOME A PARISHIONER

Church membership is an obligation of discipleship and love that derives from being united with Christ. At the Cathedral, active membership is a requirement for the celebration of a marriage or baptism, for one to be eligible to be a Godparent or Confirmation sponsor, and for special benefits such as tuition subsidy at a Catholic school. There are certain minimum requirements for parish membership called the precepts of the Church. The following are three of those precepts and how we look upon them in relation to parish membership.

**ATTENDANCE AT WEEKLY MASS.** The first precept of the Church requires the faithful to participate in the Eucharistic celebration when the Christian community gathers together on the day commemorating the Resurrection of the Lord (CCC #2042) and on holy days of obligation (CCC #2043). Since the Cathedral's weekly Mass attendance envelopes are the primary way we determine if parishioners are regularly attending Mass, parishioners must place their envelopes in the collection basket every Sunday regardless of whether one makes a financial contribution or donates online.

**RECEIPT OF THE SACRAMENTS.** The third and fourth precept of the Church state that the faithful must ensure preparation for the Eucharist by the reception of the Sacrament of Penance at least once a year, and the reception of Holy Communion at least once a year during the Easter season (CCC #2042) and to join in fast and abstinence during Lent.

**SUPPORT OF THE CHURCH.** The fifth precept of the Church states that the faithful have the duty of providing for the material needs of the Church, each according to their abilities in a regular, identifiable, and meaningful way.

## HOW TO REGISTER AS A PARISHIONER

To register as a parishioner of the Cathedral, please visit [www.stpatricks.org/register-as-a-parishioner](http://www.stpatricks.org/register-as-a-parishioner) or scan the QR code to the right, and complete the simple online form. Alternatively, paper registration forms are located near each of the entrances of the Cathedral.





## SACRED MUSIC

### THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PATRICK SACRED MUSIC

#### CATHEDRAL CHOIR



- The Cathedral Choir sings for the 11:30am Mass on Sundays and also on Holy Days throughout the year.
- Rehearsals are held on Wednesday evenings from September through June.
- Its members range from high school age to adult.

#### CATHEDRAL HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR



- A choral group for all young people in grades 9-12, plus any younger boys with changed voices.
- Rehearsals are held Sunday afternoons at 5pm, approximately once a month.
- This choir sings once monthly at the Saturday 5:30pm Mass.

For more information, contact Gianfranco De Luca:

[gdeluca@stpatricks.org](mailto:gdeluca@stpatricks.org)

704.334.2283 x425

## CHILDREN'S CHOIR

### THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PATRICK CHILDREN'S CHOIRS



The Cathedral of St. Patrick offers as one of its ministries a quality choral music program for children in grades 2-8 that is both fun and rewarding.

#### 2ND GRADE CHOIR

The 2nd grade cathedral choir serves as an introduction to basic vocal technique, music theory, and the importance of working together as a musical group. They practice 30 minutes each week, and sing one Sunday a month at the 9am Mass at St. Patrick's during the school year and for the annual Cathedral Advent/Christmas Concert.

#### 3RD-8TH GRADE CHOIR

The 3rd-8th grade choir uses a choir workbook—*Voices for Life*—and practices an hour weekly. They sing one Sunday a month at the 9am Mass at St. Patrick's during the school year and for the annual Cathedral Christmas Concert.

**FEES:** All choir members are asked to purchase a choir shirt (\$24). 3rd-8th graders purchase a choir workbook (approximately \$8).

In addition, the choir will have full choir practices approximately every 6 weeks on Sunday evenings at 5pm. There will be no Tuesday, Thursday or Saturday practices the week prior to full choir practices, and they are followed by pizza and fellowship at 6pm.

#### REHEARSAL OPTIONS:

Tuesdays at 3pm or 4:15pm; Fridays at 3pm; Saturdays at 4:15pm

QR code for registration:



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## CUB SCOUTS & BOY SCOUTS

**Join Cub Scouts — Open to Boys & Girls in Kindergarten through Fifth Grade**

For questions or to get involved with Cub Scout Pack 9, please contact Chanda Mofu at [chandamofu@gmail.com](mailto:chandamofu@gmail.com).

**Join Boy Scouts — Open to Boys Ages 11 to 17**

For more information, please email Scoutmaster Rob Stallings at [stallingsfamily5@yahoo.com](mailto:stallingsfamily5@yahoo.com).

## VIGIL OF THE TWO HEARTS

### First Fridays & First Saturdays

Cathedral of St. Patrick | 1621 Dilworth Road E. Charlotte

**Next vigil: October 3-4**

**Celebrant: Fr. Kevin Tran**

Join us on each First Friday through First Saturday of the month in an overnight vigil to honor the Hearts of Jesus & Mary, to pray for our families, to offer penance for our sins, and to pray for the conversion of our nation.

**All families & parishes invited to participate!**

- 8pm First Friday Mass (10/3)
- 9pm—8am Nocturnal Adoration
- 9pm Holy Hour of Reparation
- 8am First Saturday Mass (10/4)

**Please sign up for Eucharistic Adoration times at: [defendthefamily.org/two-hearts](http://defendthefamily.org/two-hearts)**



"Tell everybody that God grants us graces through the Immaculate Heart of Mary; that people are to ask Her for them; and that the Heart of Jesus wants the Immaculate Heart of Mary to be venerated at His side. Tell them also to pray to the Immaculate Heart of Mary for peace, since God entrusted it to Her."  
— St. Jacinta Marto



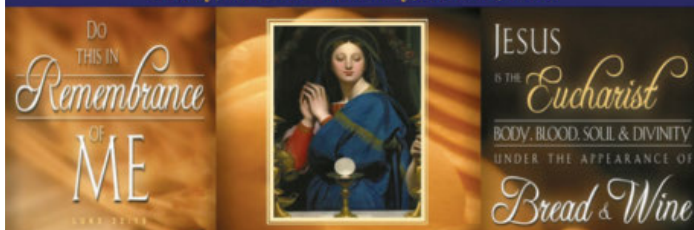
The Vigil of the Two Hearts is a special monthly prayer vigil that unites devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus & Immaculate Heart of Mary, organized around 1st Friday & 1st Saturday Masses, with overnight Eucharistic Adoration in between, allowing all faithful of our diocese to unite in prayer and penance.

Sponsored by Carolina Family Coalition • [defendthefamily.org](http://defendthefamily.org) • [info@defendthefamily.org](mailto:info@defendthefamily.org)



## MARIAN EUCHARISTIC CONFERENCE

**13th Marian Eucharistic Conference / Greenville Convention Center**  
**Friday, Oct. 24 - Saturday, Oct. 25, 2025**



**Fr. Joseph Wolfe**  
EWTN Chaplain & EWTN Chapel Dean

**Fr. Chris Alar**  
MIC  
Provincial Superior

**Russ Breault**  
President & Founder of  
Shroud of Encounters

**Fr. Donald Calloway**  
MIC, SFR, STL  
Vicar Provincial

**Daniel Cellucci**  
CEO  
Catholic Leadership Institute

**John Martignoni**  
President  
Bible Christian Society



For more information, please go to [www.meconferencecsc.net](http://www.meconferencecsc.net)



# PETRO OROS BEATIFICATION CELEBRATION

You're invited to a "Beatification Celebration!"  
Saturday September 27<sup>th</sup> after 4pm Divine Liturgy

**Celebrate Divine Liturgy & our namesake, Bishop Petro Pavlo Oros, on the road to Sainthood!**  
FREE Dinner \* Bake Sale \* Mini "Byzantine Boutique" \* Fellowship & Children's Activities!



PETRO OROS BYZANTINE CATHOLIC MISSION OF FORT MILL, SC  
(CHARLOTTE METRO)  
292 MUNN ROAD  
FORT MILL, SC 29715  
(meeting at the St. Philip Ministry Center across from the main church)

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RSVP

RSVP by September 19<sup>th</sup> to [petromissionfortmill@gmail.com](mailto:petromissionfortmill@gmail.com) or via QR Code  
(capacity limit 70)

## Who is Petro Oros?

- Greek Catholic Bishop of Eparchy of Mukachevo, who celebrated sacraments in secret during the Soviet occupation of Western Ukraine in the 1940's [at a time when the Ruthenian Byzantine church was outlawed]
- Martyred in 1953; gunned down at a train station
- Recognized by Pope Francis in 2022 for his dedication to the church and care for the poor
- Formal Beatification ceremony will take place in Rome on September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- Beatification (2<sup>nd</sup> step in the canonization process) is when an individual is declared "Blessed", worthy of limited public veneration & honored for his holiness



Get in Touch: [www.carolingbyzantine.com](http://www.carolingbyzantine.com) Facebook: Petro Oros Byzantine Catholic Mission of Fort Mill SC Instagram: petro\_oros\_sc

## TOGETHER IN HOLINESS

## INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

### REQUIESCAT IN PACE

*Please pray for those who have recently passed away*

† Mark Ferreira † Conrad John † Thomas Michael Larson † Jimmie Patrum † Kathleen Potter † Charlotte Sparks † Somnang Thach † Bill Youngblood † Tin Colieng † Gull R'Com † Tom Carlisle † Kate Toma † Frank Rupar † Barbara Anne Meskill † Elizabeth Collins † Don McRae † Ron Russell † Mary Esuka † KPhe Cil Mup † Teresa Keeter † Mark Belfiore † Wendy Shaffer † Ellie Fagan † Patricia Milroth † Coleen Clementi † Janice Kinney † H Nin Nie

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Julienne Benson; Brian Blatchford; Mar Bris; Brendan Dignan; Jimmy Lee Hager; Aileen Mesa; Michael Pappas; Josette Roisin; Gail Roux; Rafael Winters; Fiona Desch; Deacon Carlos; Francoise Merrien; Bob Fagan; Kevin Niebuhr; Donnie Cates; Jim Scancarelli; The Shaffer Family; all servicemen & women.

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7<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CATHOLIC MARRIAGE CONFERENCE THAT INSPIRES SPOUSES AND EMPOWERS PARENTS

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## PARISH STAFF

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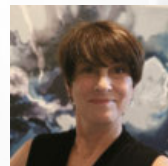
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