



St. Mary's Catholic Church

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SUNDAY MASSES PARISH CENTER

English

5:30 PM Sat. (*Original Church)

8:30 AM

10:00 AM

Spanish

7:00 AM

12:00 PM

4:00 PM

6:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES Original Church

7:30 AM Monday

7:30 AM Tuesday- SPANISH

7:30 AM Wed-Fri

12:00 PM Mon-Thu - SPANISH

6:15 PM Fridays-SPANISH (*Parish Center)

9:00 AM Saturdays

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION Original Church

Last Wednesday of the month

8:00 AM-6:00 PM

For Vocations – All Thursdays

8:00 AM-8:00 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Fridays After the 6:15pm

Spanish Mass

Saturdays 4:30 PM - ENGLISH

& by appointment. Contact your priest directly.

HOLY FAMILY VIETNAMESE MINISTRY

4112 Romaine St. Greensboro, NC. 27407

7:30 AM Tue, Wed, Fri & Sat

8:30 PM Thursday

SUNDAYS 8:30 AM

10:30 AM

2:00 PM

16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 19th, 2026– Wis 12:13, 16-19, Rom 8:26-27, Mt 13:24-43

In today's Gospel, Jesus offers three parables to describe the Kingdom of Heaven. He also explains why he speaks to the crowds in parables and interprets the parable of the sower for the disciples. This reading is a continuation of Jesus' discourse that we began reading last Sunday.

All three parables use commonplace experiences to describe aspects of the Kingdom of Heaven. The first parable is longer and more detailed than the next two, and it alerts us to the two-fold reality of the Kingdom of Heaven. The beginnings of the Kingdom of Heaven can be found in this world. The fruition of the Kingdom of Heaven, however, will not be realized until the final judgment. In the meantime, as Jesus' explanation to the disciples cautions, any effort to judge the progress of the Kingdom of Heaven is premature. Only God, in the final judgment, will distinguish the fruit of the Kingdom of Heaven and offer its reward.

The second and third parables call to our attention the abundance that will result from the small beginnings of the Kingdom of Heaven. Just as a mustard seed—the smallest of all seeds—will become a large bush, so too God will bring his Kingdom to full bloom. As a small amount of yeast will leaven the entire batch of bread, so too God will bring about the expansion of his Kingdom. In each case the image is of the superabundance that God brings out of even the smallest of signs of the Kingdom.

Contained within these parables are words of caution as well as words of consolation. In the parable of the sower we are warned against judging others. To judge and uproot the "weeds" prematurely will harm the wheat; final judgment rests with God. In the parables of the mustard seed and the yeast, we are consoled by the message that God can work wonders and produce abundance from even the smallest beginnings of the Kingdom of Heaven.

Monday, July 20
[Saint Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr]
 Mi 6:1-4, 6-8
 Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday, July 21
[Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church]
 Mi 7:14-15, 18-20
 Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday, July 22
Saint Mary Magdalene
 Feast
 Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17
 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Thursday, July 23
[Saint Bridget, Religious]
 Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13
 Mt 13:10-17

Friday, July 24
[Saint Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest]
 Jer 3:14-17
 Mt 13:18-23

Saturday, July 25
Saint James, Apostle
 Feast
 2 Cor 4:7-15
 Mt 20:20-28

Sunday, July 26
SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12
 Rom 8:28-30
 Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46

PRAYER REQUESTS

We ask the charity of your prayers for the following members and friends of our parish who are ill:



Ann Abplanalp	Isabel Castro	Rose Simpson	Bernadette Tuitt
Adelina Castro	Jan M. Antoniewicz	Lynn Reynolds	Betty Roberts
Ana López	Jane Dione Massey	Ruth White	Tom Larson
Ashley Moore	Jeronimo López	Shalonda Williams	Peggy Larson Christie
Br. William Stover, C.M.	John Garrett	Sharon Pauling	Christie Pearson
Chris Klein	Joseph Nguyen Anh	Sherry Ross	Janice Lee
Edward Butler	Tuan	Stephanie Alcazar	Tom Peterson
Fr. Daniel Kramer, C.M.	Joyce Penn	Susana López	Elaine McHale
Gabrielle Parker	Luis Carlos Castaño	Terry Bradshaw	Michelle Lee
Gus Reid	Mary Scotton	Y Blom Marcella	Erma Griffin
Gwen Drummer	Michael Cel Kmok	Maura Heyan	Scott Silknitter
Lawrence Harris	Marian Martínez	Armentha Moragne	John Stanfield
Harry McNeill	Niko Castro	Ruth Aquino	Victor Hernandez
	Oscar López	Elena González	

MASS INTENTIONS

	5:30 PM	
	7:00 AM	For the Repose of the Soul of Ruben Hernandez, Xochitl Camargo and Reina Leal
	8:30 AM	For the Repose of the Soul of Vincent Alan
	10:00 AM	For the Health of Nosakhare Harry
	12:00 PM	For Thanksgiving for the 35 th Marriage Anniversary of Roque Grimaldo y Paloma
	4:00 PM	For Thanksgiving for the Birthday of Evelyn Bermudez
	6:00 PM	For the Repose of the Soul of Leonardo Malacara
Monday, July 20	7:30 AM	
	12:00 PM	For the Physical and Spiritual Health of Rosa Martínez
Tuesday, July 21	7:30 AM	For the Physical and Spiritual Health of Rosa Martínez
	12:00 PM	For the Repose of the Soul of Albertano Viveros Gomez
Wednesday, July 22	7:30 AM	
	12:00 PM	For the Repose of the Soul of Vincent Alan
Thursday, July 23	7:30 AM	
	12:00 PM	For the Physical and Spiritual Health of Rosa Martínez
Friday, July 24	7:30 AM	
	6:15 PM	For the Repose of the Soul of Alberto Martinez Damian
Saturday, July 25	9:00 AM	

PARISH WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Mary's Social Outreach is committed to *help with rent, utilities (electricity, heat, and water), and prescription* areas. This committee is composed of all St. Mary's cultural groups under the direction of Mr. Chris Fombin. If you need assistance, please call 336-272-8650 from 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. to set up a **confidential appointment**. If you wish to make a donation to this program, please write a check to: "The Congregation of the Mission of St. Vincent de Paul in Germantown" Donations are always needed!



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 ... Easy as 1 2 3!
St. Mary's Council 8684



TENDING the VINEYARD

Goal For 2026: \$83,173.00 Donations: \$55,444.43
We have pledge envelopes at the entrance of the church. Please take one and place it in the collection basket. Please give whatever you can to help us reach our goal. Thank you.

BAPTISMAL REQUIREMENTS You can also find the baptismal requirements at <https://stmarysgreensboro.org/sacraments/> (newborns-6 years of age)

1. **REGISTRATION.** The family must be registered -form on file- for no less than 6 months before the Baptism.

- If parents are registered somewhere else, they must present a Letter of Permission from their pastor in order for the child to be baptized here.
2. **PRE-BAPTISMAL TALK.** The Parents and godparents (sponsors) must have attended a pre-baptismal talk before the date of baptism.
 3. **SPONSORS.** Sponsors must be registered at a Catholic Parish, be practicing Catholics, and must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation. If any of the Sponsors are living together as a couple, he/she must have been married in the Roman Catholic Church.
 4. **DOCUMENTS.** Bring COPIES of:
 - Child's Birth Certificate
 - Pre-Baptismal Talk Certificate (Parents & Sponsors)
 - Sponsor's Sacramental Certificates (Baptism, First Communion & Confirmation or only Marriage in case he/she is living with a significant other).

MARRIAGE ANNULMENTS

We have two Advocates for the Diocese of Charlotte Marriage Tribunal Office, and they are Parishioners. For help with **MARRIAGE ANNULMENTS**, please contact Huy (Kevin) Le at (336) 848-5433, HQL@rcdoc.org or Evelyn Bermudez at (336) 549-8378 or edbermudezvargas@rcdoc.org.



HOW TO BECOME A REGISTERED MEMBER OF ST MARY'S? Families and individuals age 21 and over are warmly invited to register. Visit the parish office to complete a form and receive envelopes at **no cost**. Official membership is recognized after **six months** of active parish participation.

IMPORTANT.... **DOCUMENT REQUESTS TO ST. MARY'S**

Do you need a Sponsor Certificate/letter for either Baptism or Confirmation, a letter for Immigration, Membership, any type of Recommendation letter, or document? We must have your registration/census ON FILE for at least 6 months prior to your request.

TO ALL ST. MARY VOLUNTEERS

CMGConnect All parishioners who volunteer in a group or ministry are required by the Diocese of Charlotte to have a **CMGConnect account**.

The CMG platform provides: (1) **Training** for volunteers who have contact with minors and vulnerable adults. (2) **Policies and guidelines** for volunteers who do not work directly with minors or vulnerable adults.

If you are a current volunteer or are interested in volunteering, please contact our Safe Environment Coordinator, **Ana Arreola – (336) 565-1515**. She will help you set up your CMG account and guide you through the process.

OUR FAITH COMMUNITIES

ENGLISH-SPEAKING COMMUNITY

**Schedule subject to change, please contact your coordinator directly*

- MONDAYS** **Family Life Education**, 6:00 PM -8:00 PM, Parish Center, classrooms 3 & 4. *On Selected Mondays.*
- TUESDAYS** **Faith Formation**, 6:00 PM -7:30 PM, Parish Center, classrooms 1-8.
Multilingual Rosary, 6:30 PM -7:00 PM, Original Church.

LATINO COMMUNITY

**Schedule subject to change, please contact your coordinator directly*

- MONDAYS** **Family Life Education**, 6:00 PM -8:30 PM, Parish Center, classrooms 3 & 4.
Altar Servers, 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM, Parish Center, classroom 7 & 8. *Second and fourth Mondays of the month.*
- TUESDAYS** **Multilingual Rosary**, 6:30 PM -7:00 PM, Original Church.

Rosa Mística, 6:00 – 7:45pm, Original Church, *Second Wednesday of the month.*

Faith Formation, 6:30 – 8:00pm, Parish Center, Classrooms 1-8.

THURSDAYS **Bible Study**, 7:00-9:00PM, Parish Center, Cry Room.

Adult Choir Practice, 7:30-9:00PM, Parish Center, Classroom 7.

FRIDAYS **Hispanic Young-Adults' Group**, 7:00 – 9:00pm, Parish Center, Classroom 7.

Charismatic Group, 7:15 – 9:00pm, Original Church.

SATURDAYS **Faith Formation**, 11:00am – 12:30pm, Parish Center, classrooms 1-8

PRE-BAPTISMAL TALK St. Mary's (free) in Spanish will take place on **Sunday, August 9th, after the 4:00 pm. Mass.** in the Parish Center. Pick up a packet with all the information requested to celebrate the sacrament at St. Mary's. *For more information, please call Raul and Esmeralda Andrade at 336-482-6169.*

COMMUNITY WEDDINGS *For information, please contact Dcn. Enedino Aquino at 336-963-3704*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY Blessings!

We would like to acknowledge all birthdays for this coming week July 19– July 25

Adan López	David Muñoz-Zavala	José Salvador García Espitia	Rafael Morales Cruz
Adriana Arreola	Diego Antonio Prieto Aguilera	Karina Servin	Raul Lopez Morales
Adriana Valdez	Dioema Zarate Olmedo	Kathryn Waite	Raul Mondragon Aburto
Agustin Mosqueda	Eduardo Correa	Lidey Cristina Mendoza Pinacho	Ricardo Berlanga
Alder Romero Solano	Eli Obed Navarrete De León	Lidoine Arango	Robert William Standen
Alejandra Ruiz García	Emma Corina Pérez y Pérez	Lucila Hernández	Roberto Sierra
Alexis Navarro	Emma Hdok	Luis Alberto Guerrero	Rosa Lilia Toledo García
Alicia Luqueno Sánchez	Erasto Sánchez Robles	Magdalena Gaeta Ramos	Sandra Bernal
Alondra Catalina Marín Álvarez	Evelyn Bermúdez Vargas	Maggie T.L. Tran	Santiago Osorio-Reyes
Amanda Michele Varela	Fabiola Sánchez Herrera	María Elena Flores García	Santiago López Pérez
Ana Beatriz Martínez Gómez	Fatimata Tapsoba	María Elena Flores García	Selvin Rene Elías Figueroa
Angelica María Espitia Negrete	Felicitas Sánchez	María Guadalupe Cortez Lara	Sergio Espitia Cortez
Anselmo Razo Limas	Gervin Argelio García Corado	Mario Zavala	Silvia Jhoana Urgiles
Antonio Sandoval Vera	Graciela Hernández Santos	Michael T Abele	Susana García Hernández
Arelí Juárez Ibarra	Harriet Ahu-Darkwah	Miguel Ángel Rodríguez Beltran	Tanya Aragon
Argelia Peralta	Hilda González García	Miguel Mota	Teresa Marlene Gómez Escobar
Ayde Adachel Vega de Resto	Iván Guadalupe Sánchez Castro	Miriam Campos Rodríguez	Ulissess Ruiz-Sosa
Barbara Vasquez	Janette Herrera	Nataly Lloarra Rodríguez	Valeria González Morales
Bryan Mosqueda Cortes	Jeffrey Blay	Nelly Sánchez-Peralta	Verónica Cortez Martínez
Bulmaro Sosa Sosa	Jennifer Y Yanez Sáenz	Oracio Aguilar	Wendy Faison
Christopher Walson	Jesús Acosta Gómez	Patrick Preudhomme, Sr.	Yadira Medel
Christy Siu K Beltran-Ortiz	José Álvarez-Arriola	Pragedes Morga	Yahaira Zaldivar
David Hernández	José Manuel Sánchez Jiménez	Rady Rojas	Yendry Mora Uva

Names listed are ages 21+. We joyfully celebrate all children, teen, young adults, and little one in our parish. If we are missing your big day or you wish to be removed, please send an email to info@stmarysgreensboro.org or call 336-272-8650

CELEBRATE OUR FAITH



STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Stewardship is a way of thanking God for all His blessings by returning to Him a portion of the time, talent and treasure we have received. Please remember to help your parish by continuing your offerings with your envelopes or by mailing in a check.

MAIN \$11,643.00

Thank you for your generosity at this time!

WEEKLY EXPENSES \$11,500.00

For utilities, programing, salaries, Diocesan Assessments, and supplies.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Next Out of the Garden food distribution will be Wednesday July 22th starting at 2:30 PM. Volunteers are asked to arrive to help by 1:30 PM.

The next Igbo Language Catholic Mass in the Diocese of Charlotte will take place on Sunday, July 26th, 2026 at Our Lady of Consolation Catholic Church, Charlotte NC at 1:00 PM. The celebrant will be Bishop Michael T. Martin, OFM Conv. For more information, please call 336 -707 -3625.

Together In Holiness! A Catholic Marriage Conference that Inspires Spouses and Empowers Parents, Save the Date, November 21, 2026 at St. Ann / Charlotte, NC. And at St. Pius X / Greensboro, NC. Conference registration opens on July 27th. for more information, contact the conference coordinators at th@forlifeandfamily.org.

FREE EVENT for ADULTS with ASPERGER'S - If you would like to meet up with other "Aspies", join us on Thursday, July 30, 26 at the Glenn-McNairy Library, 4860 Lake Jeanette Rd, Greensboro. We'll have music, snacks and card or board games! Space is limited; call Dianne McCutcheon (336-937-5453) to reserve your space. 😊

You probably know a couple in a troubled marriage. Maybe a neighbor couple? Maybe relatives? You can help them by referring them to Retrouvaille, a ministry specifically for troubled marriages, chilled marriages, failing marriages, disillusionment, misery, problems, difficulties, crises, Including separations, For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program in Charlotte area on Oct 2nd-4th, 2026 for couples, Email: bill-lyn@helpourmarriage.org or Call confidentially : 727-343-6701 Website: www.HelpOurMarriage.org

The annual Diocesan 25th and 50th Wedding Anniversary Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Martin on Sunday, October 11, 2026, at 2:00 PM at The Cathedral of Saint Patrick in Charlotte. If you were married in 1976 or 2001, you are invited to the annual Diocesan Wedding Anniversary OR If you are celebrating your Silver or Golden Wedding Anniversary this year and wish to attend the celebration, please scan the QR code to register and this is the link below in your social media for couples to register. [Wedding Anniversary Mass - Diocese of Charlotte](#). Will be followed by a reception. Limit of 2 guests per couple.

