



Transfiguration of Jesus Catholic Church

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**'Hear, O Israel!
The Lord our God is Lord alone!**

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 3, 2024

On the HORIZON

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| November 2 | 8:00 AM | All Soul's Day Mass (Bilingual) |
| | 9:30 AM | Fall Clean-Up |
| November 16/17 | | Diocesan Centennial Sunday |
| November 25 | 9:45 – 11:30 AM | Advent Retreat (English) |

Thirty first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Background on the Gospel Reading

As we continue to read from Mark's Gospel, our Lectionary skips a chapter that helps set the context for today's reading. If we were to read the sections skipped ([chapter 11](#) and part of [chapter 12](#)), we would hear about Jesus' entry into Jerusalem, his cleansing of the Temple, and the questioning of Jesus' authority by the chief priests, scribes, and elders. The context, therefore, for this Gospel is Jesus' growing exposure before the Jewish authorities. Jesus is being questioned and tested by the Jewish authorities, yet the scribe who addresses Jesus in today's Gospel seems to be an admirer; he is not testing Jesus.

The question posed in today's Gospel requires Jesus to interpret the Law of Moses. The Mosaic Law consists of the Ten Commandments and many additional commandments, numbering into the hundreds. For a devout Jew, adherence to the Mosaic Law is an expression of faithfulness to God's covenant with Israel. The ranking of these commandments was regularly debated among the teachers of the Law.

Jesus was not the only Jewish religious teacher to connect these two commandments, love of God and love of neighbor. Both of these commandments were central elements of the religious tradition that Jesus learned from his Jewish community. Indeed, these commandments continue to be central aspects of contemporary Jewish religious understanding. Jesus' response to his questioners proposed an integral connection between these two aspects of the Jewish Law. Love of God finds its expression in our love for our neighbor. Many believe, however, that this connection was heard in a new and fresh way when spoken by Jesus.

The scribe who questions Jesus in today's Gospel engages in a positive dialogue with Jesus. He agrees with Jesus' teaching that the commandments to love God and love neighbor stand above the commandment to offer worship and sacrifice in the Temple. With this dialogue, Jesus appears to close the debate with the Jewish authorities. Mark reports that no one dared to question Jesus further.

Our Mission

To love and know more profoundly our Catholic faith, worship the Lord, minister to our members and to further spread our faith in the community.

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New Office Hours

Mon. 9-6 PM (Wallace)
Tue. Day-off
Wed. 9-12 NN (Goldsboro)
Wed. 2-6 PM (Magnolia)
Thur. 9-12 NN (Wallace)
3-6 PM (Goldsboro)
Fri. 9-12 PM (Wallace)
Call to make an appointment

Adoration

Mon. 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Thurs. 9:30-10:30 AM

Reconciliation

Thur. during Holy Hour
Sat. 4:30 PM or by appointment

Weekend Mass Schedule

Transfiguration of Jesus

Saturday 5:00 PM English
Sunday 8:30 AM English
10:30 AM Spanish

Santa Clara Mission

1:00 PM Spanish

Weekday Masses

Mon, Thurs-Fri 9:00 AM (Eng.)
Mon 7:00 PM (Esp.)
Wed (Santa Clara) 7:00 PM (Esp.)

The Pope's Monthly Intention (November)

For anyone who has lost a child

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

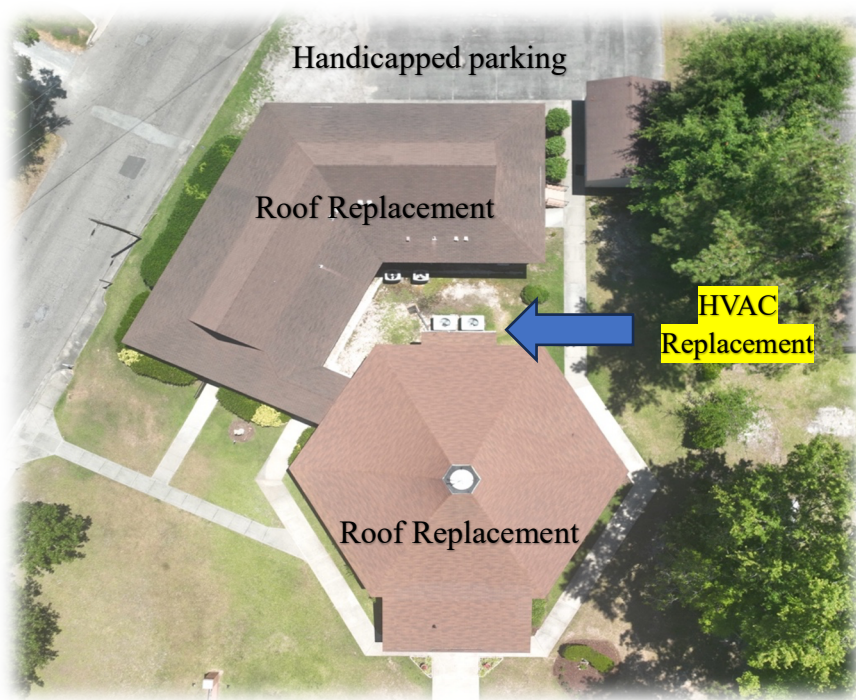
Prayer Tree Requests should be sent to all three committee members. This is to ensure that no prayer request goes unanswered. Also, please make sure that permission is given by the person or family needing prayer, to send out the request.

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Dear Jesus, we turn to You in the time of illness. O dearest Comforter alleviate our worry with your gentle love. We place our sick under Your care and humbly ask that You restore Your servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge whatsoever you do, you do for the love of us.

Parish Capital Campaign – 75th Anniversary

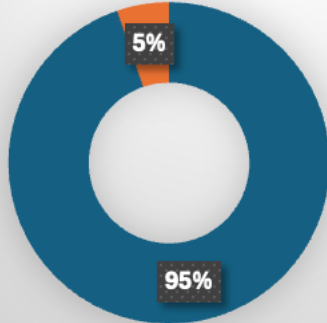


If you are using the envelope marked capital campaign, don't forget to write your name or envelope number.

Parish Ministries & Committees

Capital Campaign Progress Report

Capital Campaign Progress



Finance Committee (Monthly Financials)

| | Sept Budget | Sept Actuals | Sept Expense |
|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Offertory | \$14,165 | \$21,145 | |
| Maintenance | \$2,255 | \$3,390 | |
| Others | | | |
| Total | \$16,420 | \$24,850 | \$18,744* |
| Net Revenue | | | \$6,106 |

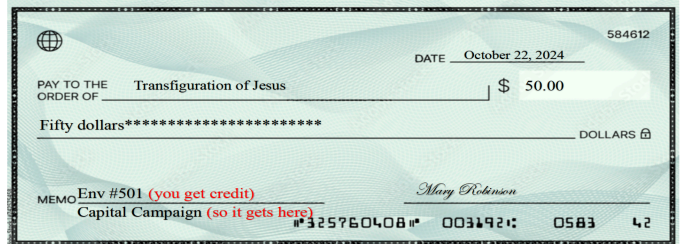
Includes the Rectory Loan Payment of \$399.00

All Soul's Day

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Listen kindly to our prayers, O Lord, and, as our faith in your Son, raised from the dead, is deepened, so may our hope of resurrection for your departed servants also find new strength. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

November 2 All Soul's Day Mass: 8:00 AM



Discernment Prayer

O God, I come before you seeking your wisdom on behalf of this nation. Give it to us, Lord, without finding fault. Let it guide us in choosing the leaders who value our interests. There are different candidates with different ambitions. Give us your spirit of discernment to know their real motives for wanting leadership. Help us as citizens to respect authority and work for the common good. Amen.

Parish First Sunday Breakfast



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HELPING HANDS FOOD PANTRY

November 4, 2024, is the Annual Food Drive for The Helping Hands Food Pantry. If you haven't received a bag, please pick one up at Mass this weekend. All members of Transfiguration of Jesus parish are encouraged to assist in this very needed food drive. Please return filled bags to the Church next weekend. Thank you for your support.

Weekly Schedule (November 2 - 9)

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| Saturday 8:00 AM 9:30 AM 4:30 PM 5:00 PM | All Soul's Day Mass (Bilingual – TJCC) Parish Fall Clean Up Confessions Vigil Mass (English) +Ciuccoli & Carley Family – Special Intention requested by Rich and Jennifer Ciuccoli | Greeters: Transporter: Lectors: EMC: Altar Servers: | B Jaco B Jaco J Hodgson B Keeney, D Schulz, D Conte M McCarthy |
| Sunday 8:30 AM 9:30 AM 10:30 AM | English Mass +Angie Neiderer-Staud for health requested by Ed and Donna Schulz Parish First Sunday Breakfast Spanish Mass | Greeters: Transporter: Lectors: EMC: Altar Servers: Greeters: Transporter: Lectors: EMC: Altar Servers: | THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Dt 6:2-6/Heb 7:23-28/Mk 12:28b-34 J Flatley, B Flatley T Vandiver G Stracuzza, T Vandiver V Matera, P George, Deacon Mike Neil, Isaac, Leah Jorge, Tino, Jorge, Elias, Valentin, Alberto Jorge, Tino, Jorge Carolina, Luis, Lusy Josef, Dorian, Sofia, Jairo |
| Monday 9:00 AM 9:45 AM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM | Mass Bible Study Adoration (Spanish) Mass (Spanish) | | Saint Charles Borromeo Phil 2:1-4/Lk 14:12-14 |
| Tuesday | Election Day | | Phil 2:5-11/Lk 14:15-24 |
| Wednesday 10:30 AM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM 7:30 PM | Finance Committee Meeting (TJC) Adoration in Santa Clara Mass in Santa Clara (Spanish) Finance Meeting in Santa Clara | | Phil 2:12-18/Lk 14:25-33 |
| Thursday 9:00 AM 9:30 – 10:30 | Mass (English) Morning Prayer/Adoration | | Phil 3:3-8a/Lk 15:1-10 |
| Friday 9:00 AM | Fr. Randy, Deacon Mike, Bro. Wil are in the Cathedral No Mass/No Communion Service Centennial Mass of the Diocese of Raleigh | | Phil 3:17—4:1/Lk 16:1-8 |
| Saturday 4:30 PM 5:00 PM | Confessions Vigil Mass (English) | | Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22 |