



Our Lady of the Highways Catholic Church Parroquia Nuestra Señora de los Caminos

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May 4, 2025: 3rd Sunday of Easter

* Mass Schedule/Horario de Misas*

Saturdays/Sabados: 4:30 PM English

6:00 PM Español

Sundays/Domingos: 8:00 AM Español

10:00 AM English

12:00 PM Español

Tuesdays/Martes: 6:00 PM English

5:30 PM **Liturgy of the Hours**

Wednesday/Miercoles: 6:30 PM **Liturgia de las horas**

7:00 PM Español

Fridays/Viernes: 6:00 PM Español

Adoration/Adoracion

Fridays/Viernes: 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Holy Day Masses will be announced/ Misas de dias festivos se anunciara

Reconciliation Schedule

Saturdays/Sabados: 4:00pm– 4:30pm

In English and Spanish

Or call the church office for an appointment

Sacraments/Sacramentos

Baptism: Contact Deacon Martin Sheehan

Bautismo: Llamar a la oficina parroquial

Marriage: Contact Parish Office secretary six months in advance

Matrimonio: Contactar a Juan Pablo y Carolina at 336-653-0828 con seis meses de anticipacion

Anointing of the sick/Uncion de los enfermos: Call the parish office/Llamar a la oficina parroquial

Parish Staff/Pesonal Parroquial

Rev. Gabriel Carvajal-Salazar, Pastor/Parroco

Rev. Mr. Martin Sheehan, Deacon/Diacono

Rev. Mr. Wayne Adams, Deacon (Retired)/Diacono (Retirado)

Rosa Guzman, Secretary/Secretaria

Kathy Laskis, Faith Formation Coordinator/

Cordinadora de Formacion de Fe

*Office Hours/

Horario de Oficina*

Mondays/Lunes -Fridays/Viernes 2:00PM - 5:00PM

Interested In Becoming a New Parishioner...

Registration Forms are available at the doors or you are welcome to contact the church office for more information.

Bienvenidos Nuevos Miembros a Nuestra Parroquia...

Los formularios de registro están disponibles en las puertas. O puede ponerse en contacto con la oficina de la iglesia para más información.

Our Mission Statement

Our Lady of the Highways, a Parish grounded in faith and service, seeks to be a people unified as a Catholic community that embraces and enjoys a wide cultural diversity. We rely on the Holy Spirit to guide us in our growth and in our Christian witness to the community. We are especially committed to promoting vocations both to the priesthood and religious life, and sacred married life.

Prayer List

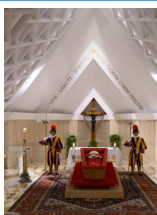
Our Sick and Homebound: Deacon Wayne & Ursula Adams, Flor Aguilar, Jose' Angel Aleman Macias, Mosheer Amir & family, Ralph Berger, Jeremy Brown Sr., Bernabe' Carvajal-Salazar, Chrys Chambers, Luigi DiPuorto, Charles Estes, Damiana Garay, Maria Louisa Gomez, Marta Gutierrez, Suzanne Hedgecock, Rafael Juarez Salmeron, Barbara Johnson, Maryann Jones, Kambria Justin, Jeffrey Karkey, Theresa Longo, Griselda Martínez, Rosario Martinez, Sandy McCormick, Noelia Montes, Noreen Morin, Mary Beth Oxendine, Fagney Palma, Delfina Paniagua, Rick Price, Adriana Ramirez, Ted Rampp, Jose Angel Robles, Mario Scarpati, Holly Schroeder, Javier Serrato, Arden Sheehan, Juanita Sherman, Carla Smith, Bill Tagliaferri, Christi Thibodeau, and Dottie Whitehouse.

Friends & Family Serving in the Military:

Please let us know if these people are still in the military and need our prayers. Thank you: Ryan Fisher, Christopher Hackney, Michael Harris, Everett Henry, Christian Juarez Solis, Jasmine Leahy, Caleb Littleton, James Michaels, Joshua Ramsey, Nathaniel Ramsey, David Reid, Rebecca Schweigart, Ryan Smithling, Angela Monserrath Solis, and John Wagner.

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of/ Por favor oren por el descanso del alma de:

Pope Francis & Jason Alvarado



Teens: Where are you going in life?

Explore how God is calling you at these vocations summer camps!

YOUNG MEN (ages 15-19): Jesus has a great plan for you! At *Quo Vadis Days*, spend an unforgettable week exploring what that plan may be, talk one-on-one with priests and seminarians of the diocese, get equipped with tools to strengthen your faith, plus have fun with other young men like you from around the Diocese of Charlotte. Sign up soon – space is limited to 100 applicants!

Monday-Friday, June 16-20, 2025

Belmont Abbey College, Belmont

Cost: \$150 Deadline to apply: June 2

Learn more and pre-register: www.charlottediocese.org/vocations/quo-vadis-days

For more info, contact Father Brian Becker, Diocesan Promoter of Vocations, at bjbecker@rcdoc.org or Lainie Lord, Office of Vocations, at ldlord@rcdoc.org.

YOUNG WOMEN (ages 16-19): Spend a week diving into your faith, following the example of Our Lady, at *Duc in Altum*, a summer vocations camp uniquely designed for young women to discover how the Lord is calling you as His beloved daughter, learning how to enhance your prayer life and having fun with others.

- Monday-Friday, June 23-27, 2025
- Belmont Abbey College, Belmont
- Cost: \$150
- Deadline to register: June 9

Get details and register:

www.charlottediocese.org/vocations/woman-religious/duc-in-altum

For inquiries, contact Sister Mary Jacinta at mjacinta@stjcs.org.

Pastor's Message

Dear Parishioners:

In times of uncertainty, friends get together and regroup; they meet in places that offer familiarity and comfort. So it was that the disciples gathered at the sea, to go fishing, following the Resurrection. As we come together for the Eucharist, we, like the disciples, are reminded of Jesus' love for us. He offered himself for us on the cross, and now he nourishes us with the spiritual strength to follow him. We must remember that we are loved if we are going to go out and love God and others. Then we can go forth in, love to serve him, as he calls all of his disciples to do.



Mensaje del parroco

Estimados feligreses:

En tiempos de incertidumbre, los amigos se reúnen y se reagrupan; se reúnen en lugares que ofrecen familiaridad y consuelo. Así fue como los discípulos se reunieron junto al mar para pescar, después de la Resurrección. Al reunirnos para la Eucaristía, nosotros, como los discípulos, recordamos el amor de Jesús por nosotros. Se ofreció por nosotros en la cruz y ahora nos nutre con la fuerza espiritual para seguirlo. Debemos recordar que somos amados si vamos a salir y amar a Dios y al prójimo. Entonces podremos salir, amar para servirle, como él llama a todos sus discípulos a hacer.

Scripture Readings

First Reading: When the captain and the court officers had brought the apostles in and made them stand before the Sanhedrin, the high priest questioned them, "We gave you strict orders, did we not, to stop teaching in that name? Yet you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and want to bring this man's blood upon us." But Peter and the apostles said in reply, "We must obey God rather than men. The God of our ancestors raised Jesus, though you had him killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as leader and savior to grant Israel repentance and forgiveness of sins. We are witnesses of these things, as is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him." The Sanhedrin ordered the apostles to stop speaking in the name of Jesus, and dismissed them. So they left the presence of the Sanhedrin, rejoicing that they had been found worthy to suffer dishonor for the sake of the name. ([Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41](#))

Psalms: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. ([Psalm 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13](#))

Second: I, John, looked and heard the voices of many angels who surrounded the throne and the living creatures and the elders. They were countless in number, and they cried out in a loud voice: "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing." Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, everything in the universe, cry out: "To the one who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor, glory and might, forever and ever." The four living creatures answered, "Amen," and the elders fell down and worshiped. ([Revelation 5:11-14](#))

Gospel: At that time, Jesus revealed himself again to his disciples at the Sea of Tiberias. He revealed himself in this way. Together were Simon Peter, Thomas called Didymus, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, Zebedee's sons, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We also will come with you." So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. When it was already dawn, Jesus was standing on the shore; but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, have you caught anything to eat?" They answered him, "No." So he said to them, "Cast the net over the right side of the boat and you will find something." So they cast it, and were not able to pull it in because of the number of fish. So the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord." When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he tucked in his garment, for he was lightly clad, and jumped into the sea. The other disciples came in the boat, for they were not far from shore, only about a hundred yards, dragging the net with the fish. When they climbed out on shore, they saw a charcoal fire with fish on it and bread. Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish you just caught." So Simon Peter went over and dragged the net ashore full of one hundred fifty-three large fish. Even though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come, have breakfast." And none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they realized it was the Lord. Jesus came over and took the bread and gave it to them, and in like manner the fish. This was now the third time Jesus was revealed to his disciples after being raised from the dead. ... ([John 21:1-19](#))

Weekly Events Calendar

- Every Monday:** the Alliance of the two Hearts, 6:30 p.m. in the social hall.
- Every Wednesday:** Prayer Assembly with the Missionaries of Mary Immaculate at 8 p.m. in the Church.
- Every Thursday:** The Apostles of the Word 7 p.m. in the social hall.
- Every Friday:** Eucharistic adoration from 9 am. to 6 p.m.
- Every Second Thursday of the month** at 7:00 pm the Parish Council meets in the Social Hall. (**Next meeting, May 8, 2025**)
- Every Second Friday of the month** at 10:30am OLH Senior Club meeting in the Social Hall.
- Every Third Saturday of the month:**
 - Nocturnal adoration from 7:00pm until 5:00am on Sunday.
- Every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the Month:**
 - Youth Group Meeting from 11:00am—1:00pm.

Calendario de eventos semanales

- Todos los lunes:** La Alianza de los dos Corazones, 6:30 p.m. en el salón social.
- Todos los Miercoles:** Asamblea de Oración con los Misioneros de Maria Inmaculada a las 8 p.m. en la Iglesia.
- Todos los jueves:** Los Apóstoles de la Palabra 7 p.m. en el salón social.
- Todos los viernes:** Adoración Eucarística de 9 a.m. a 6 p.m.
- Todos los segundos jueves del mes** a las 7:00 p.m. el Consejo Parroquial se reúne en el Salón Social. (**Próxima reunión el, Mayo 8 de 2025**)
- Todos los segundos viernes del mes** a las 10:30 a.m. Reunión del Club de Mayores de OLH en el Salón Social.
- Todos los terceros sábados del mes:**
 - Adoración nocturna de 7:00 p.m. hasta las 5:00 a.m. del domingo.
- Cada primer y tercer sábado del mes:** Reunión del grupo de jóvenes de 11:00 a 1:00 horas

Homechoolers: Join GIFTS Catholic Enrichment Co-op!

Enjoy great friendships, fun classes, and liturgical celebrations! GIFTS Meets on Friday evenings at St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church in Greensboro during the school year. Classes beginning Fall 2025: High School—Art, Health & Nutrition, and Spanish (high school credit option); Middle School—Art, Logic, and Spanish: Grades 4-5—Nature Studies, U.S. States & Presidents, and Literature: Grades 2-3—Geography, Religion, and Incredible Inventors; Grades K-1—Spanish, Religion, and Science. Nursery & Pre-K—Create & Play, Storytime & Craft, and Littles in the Kitchen. Registration for the fall closes June 30, 2025! Find us at: <https://giftscatholichomeschoolers.com> OR at GiftsCatholicHomeschoolers@gmail.com.

YOUNG WOMEN (ages 12-15): *Talitha Koum* is like a “mini” *Duc in Altum* exclusively for you! At this one-day retreat/camp, experience your faith, open your heart and grow in confidence, and have lots of fun.

8 a.m. – 4 p.m. Monday, June 23, 2025

Belmont Abbey College, Belmont

Cost: \$25

Deadline to register: June 9

Get details and register:

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JÓVENES MUJERES (de 12 a 15 años): *Talitha Koum* es como un “mini” *Duc in Altum* ¡exclusivamente para ti! En este retiro/campamento de un solo día, vive tu fe, abre tu corazón, crece en confianza y diviértete mucho.

- Lunes, 23 de junio de 2025, de 8 a.m. a 4 p.m.
- Belmont Abbey College, Belmont
- Costo: \$25
- Fecha límite para inscribirse: 9 de junio

Obtén más detalles e insíbete en:

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Bus Trip - March for Life in Raleigh

Join the Family Life Office in a daylong bus trip pilgrimage on Saturday, May 17, 2025 to our state capitol for a Mass, rally, and march for life! \$25 per person. Scan the QR code to learn more and sign up! FamilyLife@rcdoc.org for any questions.



Faith Formation Fundraiser

Thank you to all of you who bought food and raffle tickets the last 3 weekends to help the Faith Formation department. You were all very generous and helped us raise just over \$7,000. Thank you to all teachers and parents who helped make the beautiful baskets to be raffled off and for the fabulous food. You all worked very hard and are greatly appreciated! Part of the money will be used to make up the budget shortfall and the rest will be saved in a special account for future expenses and scholarships.

Jóvenes: ¿Qué plan tiene Dios para ti?

¡Explora cómo Dios te está llamando en estos campamentos vocacionales de verano! **JÓVENES VARONES (de 15 a 19 años):** ¡Jesús tiene un gran plan para ti! En *Quo Vadis Days*, pasa una semana inolvidable explorando cuál podría ser ese plan, habla uno a uno con sacerdotes y seminaristas de la diócesis, adquiere herramientas para fortalecer tu fe y diviértete con otros jóvenes como tú de toda la Diócesis de Charlotte. ¡Inscríbete pronto, el espacio está limitado a 100 participantes! • Lunes a viernes, del 16 al 20 de junio de 2025 • Belmont Abbey College, Belmont • Costo: \$150 • Fecha límite para aplicar: 2 de junio Obtén más información y haz una pre-inscripción en: www.charlottediocese.org/vocations/quo-vadis-days Para más información, contacta al Padre Brian Becker, Promotor Diocesano de Vocaciones, en bjbecker@rcdoc.org, o a Lainie Lord, de la Oficina de Vocaciones, en ldlord@rcdoc.org.

JÓVENES MUJERES (de 16 a 19 años): Pasa una semana profundizando en tu fe, siguiendo el ejemplo de Nuestra Señora, en *Duc in Altum*, un campamento vocacional de verano diseñado especialmente para jóvenes como tú, para descubrir cómo el Señor te llama como Su hija amada, aprender a enriquecer tu vida de oración y divertirse con otras jóvenes. • Lunes a viernes, del 23 al 27 de junio de 2025 • Belmont Abbey College, Belmont • Costo: \$150 • Fecha límite para inscribirse: 9 de junio Obtén más detalles e insíbete en: www.charlottediocese.org/vocations/woman-religious/duc-in-altum Para consultas, contacta a la Hermana Mary Jacinta en mjacinta@stjcs.org.

Pat and Joan White Second Sunday Food Collection

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting food and donations **next weekend, May 10 & 11** for one of our local food pantries. Thank you for your generosity/Los Caballeros de Colón estarán recolectando alimentos y donaciones el próximo fin de semana, 10 y 11 de mayo, para una de nuestras despensas locales. Gracias por su generosidad.

Digital Bulletin

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