

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 25

9:00AM ✘ Lillus Kurland By: Bill & Marilyn Armstrong
 11:00AM ✘ Gene Moses By: Dee Holliday
 1:00PM
 5:00PM ✘ Vivien Nelson By: Lucy Pope

Monday, May 26

11:00AM Dr. Glenn McCain By: Jim and Sharon Glose

Tuesday, May 27

6:30PM

Wednesday, May 28

6:30PM

Thursday, May 29

11:00AM ✘ Rosario Andricain By: Smith Family

Friday, May 30

NO MASS

Saturday, May 31

5:00PM ✘ Richard Gates, Jr. By: Tom & Diane Henahan

Sunday, June 1

9:00AM ✘ Frank Kobularcik By: Lucy Pope
 11:00AM ✘ Chris Quinlivan By: Quinlivan Family
 1:00PM
 5:00PM ✘ Hilda Hearn Kelly By: Gail Middleton



In your kindness please remember the following in our parish...

Joe McGinnis, Mary McGinnis, Gerry Hennessee, Sr. Veronica Grover, Elsie Frye, Fran Wroclawski, Patsy Croce, Clark Phillips, Kay Phillips, Heida Rollins, Bill Rollins, Bob Goodrich, John Sturdevant, Ann Sanders, Fran Doyle, Regina Shue, Horace Smith, Valerie King, Danny Kendall, Kenny Edmiston, Buddy Horne, Julia Armién, Annette Connell, Maureen Deese, Bill Pickering, Ted Neal, Sue Sansevero, Jake Hagemann, Helen Mulvaney, Don Palmer, Luke McKee, Tiffany Brook, Jan Johnson, Austin Schill, Edna Hess, Olive Werhand, Ardy & Adelaide Stevens, Mary Jo Jones, Nancy Torres, Michael McNally, Jack Ribosh, Debra Collins, Raul Lopez-Ibanez, James Shue, Marie Mahnke, Molly Raiola, Don Ruggiero, Sharon Speights, Bill Enos, Sharon Glose, Pat Viola, Cody Herrick, Pat Winburn, Liz & Charles Cooper, Charles & Beverly Siever, Mary Mulholland, Faith Petho, Miguel Alonso, David Weaver, Nancy Gallucci, Renee Cristy, Paul Bauer, Harriet Weaver and Carolyn Shotwell

and among our friends and family...

Stephen Piccolo, Stephen Flohr, Gus Giustonzzi, Joan St. Aubin, Charles McNeil, William Shackleton, Patty Armién, John and Fran McMorrow, Michael Shue, Isabella Santos, Joe Keller, Deborah McNeil, Carolyn Lamkin, Mel Gaertner, Alexis Whalen, Patti McGoey, Mary Kobularcik, Eileen Rilli & Tom Vealy, Frances Fowler, Rhonda Davis, Dr. Glenn McCain, Charles Aragon, Uncle of Diana Sturdevant and Grace Aranda, Mother of Cathy Brennan

(Previously named friends and family members are now placed in our Book of Intentions)



Rosary and Benediction—Join us for the scriptural rosary and benediction every Friday in May at 7:00PM as we celebrate the month of Mary. Free rosaries are available compliments of the Knights of Columbus.



If there is anyone in the parish who would need the Holy Sacrament of **Anointing of the Sick**, there will be a special Mass on **Saturday, May 31 at 10:00AM**, sponsored by the **HOPE Committee**.

Anointing is typically presented to those who need healing from physical or mental illness or someone who will be under going surgery. Refreshments will be served after Mass. If anyone is in need of transportaion, please call Mary Adams at 704-545-1224 or for more information, please contact Virginia Horne at 704-823-0846.



We welcome the following next weekend at the Sunday 11:00AM Mass:

**David Joseph Gaertner, Child of David & Gretchen
 Landon Joseph Evangelisto, Child of Robert & Caroline**

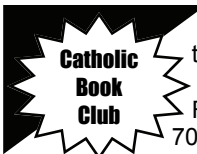
Blessings to the Gaertner & Evangelisto families!

◆ All are invited to the Hispanic Ministry's Retirement Party for Fr. Jim on Sunday, June 8 following the 1:00PM Mass. Food, Fun and Fellowship will be provided!

◆ Great opportunity for community service...Help is needed to setup and cleanup for Bi-lingual Mass on Sundays from 12:30—2:30PM. Please call Edra Alonso at 704-846-7753 if you are interested.



Anyone who is considering joining the next RCIA class in September and may need an annulment of a previous marriage before coming into the Church, should register NOW so that the annulment process can be started as soon as possible. Contact Sr. Veronica at 704-545-1224 x 17 or 704-545-1607.



The May book selection is "Snow Flower and the Secret Fan" by Lisa See. Read and join us on May 27 at 10:30AM in the Conference Room. For more information call Marilyn Armstrong at 704-753-1112.

Faith Formation is in need of many volunteers to teach and co-teach Faith Formation and Confirmation. There are openings for Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday sessions. Faith Formation requires an hour of preparation at home, 28 weeks of teaching from Sept-May, August teacher meetings, a background check and one three-hour Protecting God's Children class taken at convenience of volunteer. Please call Martha Hannah or Cheryl Finch if you are interested or have questions about this volunteer opportunity.

Servant Leadership Team

This is a call to share your time and talent with many personal rewards. SLT (Servant Leadership Team) serves the parish as a pastoral council. There are 12 members with a rotation of four members each year. Each member serves a three year term. The term begins in September but the process of selection begins now. There will be an information meeting on May 28 at 7:00PM. Please open your hearts to this call! If you plan to attend this meeting, please call Mary Adams at 704-545-1224.



THE PASTOR'S MASTERS 2008 — The Knights of Columbus is hosting the annual PASTOR'S MASTERS GOLF TOURNAMENT on June 1, 2008 at Charlotte National Golf Course. Men and women are welcome to sign-up and register for this event at the easel by the welcome table.

"Are you smarter than Fr. Jim?" This might be your last opportunity to find out! Join the Education Commission for the 3rd Annual Trivia Night for Adults on May 31 at 6:15PM in the FLC. Beverages are provided. Bring a dish to share. Manhattans are on us! Sign up by the Welcome Table. Contact Amber Ockerbloom for more information at 704-649-8179.

Refugee Resettlement Office of Catholic Social Services is in critical need of apartment furnishings for fully approved and documented international refugees through the US Department of State. **During the months of May and June the office will be setting up 20 apartments** for incoming Burmese refugees and will need sofas, loveseats, occasional chairs, lamps, kitchen tables and chairs, pots and pans, dishes, sheets, blankets and towels, etc. in gently used condition. **NO BEDS OR CLOTHING ARE NEEDED AT THIS TIME. Pick up available for large items.** For more information please contact **Mary Jane Bruton at 704-370-3283.**

Our Lady of Lourdes Preschool is happy to announce that they will be having their first Summer Camp. It will run from June 9 through August 4 from 9:00AM to 5:00PM with extra care available. The camp is open to children who will be three years old by June 9 and must be completely toilet trained, through nine years old. Registration deadline is May 30. Call Paola Orjuela at 704-289-2773 for more information.



EXCHANGE STUDENT- We are looking for host families who can provide a sage home environment while making an exchange student from France or Spain, a full member of your family. Starting June 15, June 27 and July 7 respectively, French and Spanish high school students, between 13-18 years of age, will be able to practice their English and learn about American culture while in your care for three weeks and interacting with your children and/or grandchildren. Families interested in spending three weeks, this June or July, bridging the cultural divide, are strongly encouraged to apply immediately by going to our website: www.ttlhost.com or contacting Prof. Frederic Fladenmuller at 252-754-2136 or at fladenmullerf@ecu.edu.



As of 05-19-08, 25% of our parishioners have pledged \$67,864. We need each of you to help us reach our goal of \$70,937. Please consider making a pledge if you have not already done so. Thank you for your generosity!



to our **SPONSOR OF THE WEEK...** This week we would like to thank **CAROLINA FUNERAL SERVICE & CREMATION CENTER** for advertising in our bulletin.



Offertory May 18:	13,137.50
We Care (7.5% of offering)	<985.32>
Horizon Debt Elimination	784.00
Combines Missions	2,778.00
Total	\$16,699.50

Thanks to your recent Offertory donations, the WE CARE Committee was able to make a donation to HOUSE OF MERCY.

REMINDER: Direct Draft options for Horizon/Offertory contributions are now available! Please visit www.stlukechurch.net/donations.htm for an online form and further information, or call Lori Kissinger at 704-545-1224 x11.

Registered Families:	1504
Envelope Users for month of April:	709

Stewardship of time, talent and treasure faces certain obstacles; greed, selfishness, irresponsibility and a lack of trust.

This Week in our Parish

Sunday, May 25
NO ACTIVITY

Monday, May 26
Office Closed



MEMORIAL DAY

Tuesday, May 27

10:30AM Book Club-Conference Room
12:00PM Faith Formation Staff Lunch

Wednesday, May 28

7:00PM Servant Leadership Team Information Meeting-FLC
7:30PM Sojourn-Worship Space

Thursday, May 29

9:30AM ESL Class—Conference Room
7:00PM Cub Scouts—FLC
7:30PM Spirit - Worship Space

Friday, May 30

7:00PM Rosary & Benediction--Worship Space

Saturday, May 31

10:00AM Anointing Mass & Reception-Worship & FLC
6:00PM Trivia Night-FLC

Sunday, June 1

1:00PM Pastor's Masters-Charlotte National Golf Club
7:00PM Knights of Columbus-FLC