



## SAINT MARY CATHOLIC PARISH OF LAURINBURG



**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
21 DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO.  
AUGUST 27, 2023/ 27 DE AUGUST, 2023**

### HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL

5:00 P.M. ENGLISH

SUNDAY

9:00 A.M. ENGLISH

12:00 P.M. ESPAÑOL

DAILY

Tuesday, Wednesday,  
Thursday, and Friday

9:00 A.M. ENGLISH

in the Chapel of Divine Mercy

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

to be announced in Parish bulletin.

### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday 4:00PM to 4:30PM,

Sunday 11:00AM to 11:30AM

and by appointment.

**Web: <http://www.saintmaryparishlaurinburg.org>**

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM/SACRAMENTO DEL BAUTISMO

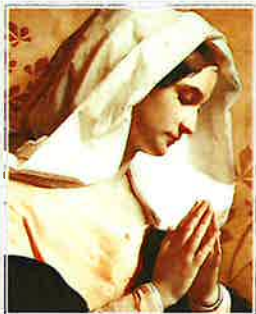
Please contact the parish office to arrange a preparation class and to schedule the date of Baptism. Por favor contacte a la Oficina Parroquial para hacer arreglos para la clase de preparation y programar la fecha del Bautismo.

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE/SACRAMENTO MATRIMONIAL

Arrangements with the pastor must be made before you fix the date of wedding. The diocese requires 6 months of marriage preparation prior to the wedding. Please call the office to scheduled an appointment with the Pastor. Arreglos con el Pastor deben ser hechos antes q ud. ponga la fecha de la boda. La Diocesis require 6 meses de preparacion pre-matrimonial antes de la boda. Por favor llame a la Oficina Parroquial para hacer una cita con el Pastor.

### SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION SACRAMENTO DE CONFIRMACION Y PRIMERA COMUNION

For the youth, Raleigh Diocesan regulations require two full years of Faith Formation prior to the celebration of these Sacraments. Para los jovenes , Las reglas diocesanas requieren dos años completos de Formacion de Fe antes de la celebration de estos Sacramentos.



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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday & Wednesday from 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

Thursday & Friday 2:00 PM to 5:00 P.M.





We extend a warm welcome to visitors. Also, to Catholics returning, for whatever reason, from a hiatus in their faith practice, we say “welcome home”. If you find yourself beginning to set down roots in our parish community, we invite you to become a registered member of Saint Mary Parish. You can pick up a registration form from the table in the back of the

church. Once completed, either mail it to the parish office or simply place it in the offertory collection basket.

**DIOCESE OF RALEIGH EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS**

On Saturday, Oct. 21, 2023 from 8:30 am to 6:30 pm at the Raleigh Convention Center. Those who wish to attend, please contact Bernadette Bowen.

Open registration for adults is available via the Eucharistic Congress mobile app. Each person who plans to attend must register with a name and individual email address to sign up for sessions. A single email address cannot be used for multiple registrants. This applies to both the app and web registration. Signing in on the mobile app automatically registers you for the event; you may then register for individual sessions you plan to attend.

Daily Holy Mass Tuesday thru Friday at 9:00 a.m.  
 First Friday Adoration from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.  
 First Saturday Holy Mass at 9:00 a.m.

**Catholic Ladies' Guild of Saint Mary Parish.**

**The Ladies' Guild Meeting is Saturday, September 9th, 10am (second Saturday this month). All ladies of Saint Mary Parish are welcome!**



**DIOCESE OF RALEIGH BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**



2023 Saint Mary BAA Goal \$ 19,869.99 Committed \$14,600

“Giving is not just about making a donation,

Meta 2023 Santa María BAA \$ 19,869.99

“no se trata solo de hacer una donación.

**Offertory Report for August 20, 2023**

Offertory <b>needed</b> for the week .....	\$ 3,750.00
Offertory <b>received</b> for the week .....	\$ 1,184.47
Received for Offertory/ Recibido para Ofertorio	
5:00 PM English .....	\$ 455.00
9:00 AM English .....	\$ 567.00
12:00 PM Español .....	\$ 162.87
Online Giving .....	369.10
Collection for Hispanic Ministry	\$ 285.00
Received for Budget Deficit .....	
Received as Donations-	\$2,300.00
Received for Candles .....	\$
Refreshments (Monday).....	\$ 109.00

*Thank you for your gifts and continued support to the parish. May God continue to bless all of you.*

**COUNTING TEAM**

August 29, Bernadette Bowen, John Clinton, Luoise Moussa  
 Sept. 05, Owen McNulty, Sandy Robbins, Karen Harris.

**COUNTING ON TUESDAYS AFTER THE 9:00AM HOLY MASS**

**SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE MONTHS AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER 2023**

- August 06, Church Maintenance
- August 13, Priest Welfare & Retirement
- August 20, Church Community Service
- August 27, Budget Deficit
- September 03, Maintenance
- September 10, Catholic University
- September 17, Church Community Services
- September 24, Budget Deficit

**Volunteers for the Month of September, 2023**

**Lectors**

Saturday: Mark Murphy  
 Sunday: Joyce Fuchs

**Altar Servers** Jacob Catanzarite,  
 Khanh-an (Aiden) Ho, Gia-An (Jacob) H

**Altar Linens:** Gwen Arrigon

**Bingo Caller:** Francisco Herrera/Mike Butler

**Table:** Ken Nichols, Kelly Beam

**SAINT MARY CATHOLIC PARISH OF LAURINBURG**

**Pastor: Fr. Cyriac John** ~ Email: cyriacjohn13@gmail.com  
**Deacon: Alexander Vicent** ~ Email: mrvicent627@gmail.com  
**Administrative Assistant: Rosy G. English** ~  
 Email: parish.office@cplnc.org  
**Trustees: Jim Kirby** ~ Email: jimb\_kirby@yahoo.com or  
 Call: 910-610-5950  
**Doug Bowen** ~ Email: dbowen7772@gmail.com or  
 Call: 910-384-4597  
 Please contact the trustees before you take anything from the church and let them know what you are taking and who is taking, and let them know when you return them to the church.  
**Faith Formation Coordinator: Bernadette Bowen** ~  
 Email: catholicparishlaurinburg@gmail.com  
**President of Finance Committee: Matthew Pracht** ~  
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**Safe Environment Coordinator: Bernadette Bowen** ~  
 Email: catholicparishlaurinburg@gmail.com

**Mass Schedule & Intentions**

Mass Stipend \$10.00

Saturday August 27, 2023-  
 5:00 pm **Holy Mass** †

Sunday, August 28, 2023  
 9:00 A.M. Holy Mass ~ English **Parishioners**  
 12:00 P.M. Santa Misa ~ Español †

Monday, August 29, 2023  
 9:00 am **No Holy Mass**

Tuesday, August 30,, 2023  
 9:00 am **Holy Mass**

Wednesday, August 31, 2023  
 9:00 AM **Holy Mass** †

Thursday, September 01, 2023  
 9:00 am **Holy Mass** -

Friday, September 02, 2023  
 9 :00 am **Holy Mass** † Mary McNulty  
 Req. By Owen McNulty

**Thought for the Week**

**“He who fears the Lord will have a happy end; even on the day of his death he will be blessed”  
 Sirach 1:11**

**PARISHIONERS OF SAINT MARY**

Our next fish fry will be held on Thursday, September 14th. Normally we give \$1,300 to the Church for use of the kitchen and to help with the budget deficit. This upcoming fish fry, ALL of the profits will go to the Church which will be approximately \$4,000. If you never volunteered at one of our previous fish dinners and would like to help support your church, this is your chance.

If you not able to volunteer, please come and purchase a meal for \$10.00. Our serving times are from 11:00 am until 1:00 pm and again from 4:30 pm until 6:30 pm . If you would be able to volunteer, the hours are from 10:00am until 1:30 pm and from 3:30 pm until 7:00 pm. You can work either shift or both. The work is not hard and you get to spend some good time interacting with fellow parishioners. If you want to help out, please contact Frank Jute at 910-266-8346 or Jim Kirby at 910-610-5950

Thanks to the volunteers, who keep our church and yard clean”

**FAITH FORMATION NEWS**

*Faith formation will start on September 10th, 2023. Registration forms are located at the church entrance. Please register your child /children before September 10., 2023. We are always in need of Catechists, please prayerfully consider sharing your time and talent.*



On Sunday Oct. 15th, 2023 from 2:00pm-6:00pm

**Scripture for the Week -August 27-Sept. 01**

Sunday : Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5 Ps 149:1-6 Mt 23:13-22  
 Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8 Ps 139:1-6 Mk 6:17-32  
 Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13 Ps 139:7-12b Mt 23:27-32  
 Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13 Ps 90:3-5 Mt 12:42-51  
 Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8 Ps 97:1-2 Mt 25:1-13

**Remember the Sick in your Prayers**

Bob Robbins	Brenda Mills	Betty Culbreth
Michael Schmidt	Paul Morrow	Mary Lou Dunsford
Donna Ward	Ryan Murphy	Chris Hunt
Tomas Mancia	Shannon Murphy	Kent Jute
	Thomas McColl	Grace Russo
	Deborah O'Donnell	Chona C. McIntyre



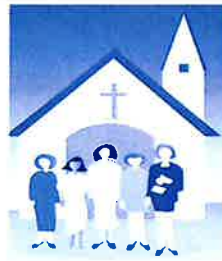
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## Catholic Ladies' Guild of Saint Mary Parish

Meetings are held the first Saturday of each month at 10am. All Ladies are invited.

President: Louise Moussa



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