



Our Lady of the Highways Catholic Church Parroquia Nuestra Señora de los Caminos
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June 30th: The Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul

*** 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: 5:30 PM Liturgia de las horas
 6:00 PM English
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

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

Sacraments/Sacramentos

Baptism: Contact Deacon Martin Sheehan
Bautismo: Llamar a la oficina parroquial
Marriage: Contact Parish Office secretary six months in advance
Matrimonia: 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

Office Hours/Horario de Oficina

Mondays/Lunes
 2:00PM—5:00PM
Tuesdays/Martes
 2:00PM—5:00PM
Wednesdays/Miercoles
 2:00PM - 5:00PM
Thursdays/Jueves
 2:00PM— 5:00PM
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.

**Available positions at
Our Lady of Mercy Catholic School!**

Are you eager to blend your teaching with your faith in a community known for high academic standards and character education? Join Our Lady of Mercy Catholic School to integrate faith and education, where small class sizes allow for personalized instruction and strong student relationships. We seek teachers dedicated to fostering academic excellence, moral development, and spiritual growth. Engage in school-wide liturgies, retreats, and faith-based events, contributing to a holistic educational experience. Qualifications include a college and/or masters degree, valid teaching certification or an ability to become Diocesan Certified, and a commitment to Catholic values.

Open Positions:

- Middle School Teacher (potential subjects: ELA/Religion/History)
- Learning Support Instructor (full or part time)
- Middle School Math Teacher (Part Time)
- Technology Teacher (Part Time)
- Guidance Counselor (Part Time)
- After School Care Director (Part Time - 2:50 - 6pm)
- After School Care Assistant (Part Time - 2:50 - 6pm)
- First Grade Assistant (Part Time)

Apply today: <https://www.ourladyofmercyschool.org/contact/employment.cfm>

We would love for you to join our amazing community!

Card Campaign

The OLH Senior Club has begun sending cards to those on the Prayer List. There are several names for which we have no address. We ask that you provide an address, if possible, when making a prayer request so we can send a "thinking of you" card to all those on the list. Please direct these to Kathy Laskis, klaskis@yahoo.com and olhcommunications@gmail.com or to her phone number at the church, 336-475-2732. There are 5 cards which have been written for people on the prayer list for whom we have no addresses. Please see if you know these people and take the card to them. The cards are in the back of the church.

Pastor's Message

Dear Parishioners:

Today's Gospel account proclaims two connected miracle stories, one embedded in the other. The story that bookends the account is the healing of Jairus' daughter. A synagogue official such as Jairus would be a man of wealth who supported the synagogue. He was therefore a man of prominence and stature. Saint Mark demonstrates how we are to approach Jesus with our petitions. Whether the petitions are for ourselves or for loved ones, whether we are people of wealth, prestige, or the most inconsequential, seemingly invisible people in the world, we are to come to Christ with faith and humility. And how can we come to have the kind of faith that Jairus and this woman had in Jesus? They seem so confident that Jesus could and would do what they asked, as they needed. Let us strive to have such faith, such confidence in the Lord.



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Scripture Readings

First Reading: "In those days, King Herod laid hands upon some members of the Church to harm them. He had James, the brother of John, killed by the sword, and when he saw that this was pleasing to the Jews he proceeded to arrest Peter also. –It was the feast of Unleavened Bread.– He had him taken into custody and put in prison under the guard of four squads of four soldiers each. He intended to bring him before the people after Passover. Peter thus was being kept in prison, but prayer by the Church was fervently being made to God on his behalf....." (Acts 12:1-11)

Psalms: " **The angel of the Lord will rescue those who fear him. .** " (Ps: 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9)

Second Reading: "I, Paul, am already being poured out like a libation, and the time of my departure is at hand. I have competed well; I have finished the race; I have kept the faith. From now on the crown of righteousness awaits me, which the Lord, the just judge, will award to me on that day, and not only to me, but to all who have longed for his appearance. ..." (2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18)

Gospel: "When Jesus went into the region of Caesarea Philippi he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" They replied, "Some say John the Baptist, others Elijah, still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" Simon Peter said in reply, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.. ." (Mt 16:13-19)

Prayer List

Our Sick and Homebound: Ursula Adams, Flor Aguilar, Ralph Berger, Darlene Brown, Jeremy Brown Sr., Kim Brown, Juia Ciardi, Elmer Corron, Luigi DiPuorto, Charles Estes, Damiana Garay, Marta Gutierrez, Betsy Ann & Craig O'Hara, Jim Hoyng, Rafael Juarez Salmeron, Barbara Johnson, Maryann Jones, Jeffrey Karkey, Jean Latucci, Theresa Longo, Griselda Martínez, Rosario Martinez, Noreen Morin, Delfina Paniagua, Rick Price, Adriana Ramirez, Ted Rampp, Pat Robinson, , Arden Sheehan, Juanita Sherman, Bill Tagliaferri, and Christi Thibodeau,

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, 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 soulsof/
Por favor oren por el descanso del alma de:**

Eleanor Blackman, Jesus Miranda,
Eva Esmeralda Diaz Miranda

PRAYER FOR THE NEW CHURCH

A. Our help is in the Name of the Lord.

B. He that made heaven and earth.

A. If the Lord does not build the building,

B. the workers toil in vain

A. Lord, let your ears be attentive,

B. to the voice of our supplication.

A. Good Father, we, the community of Our Lady of the Highways,

B. we thank you for these seventy years of parish life.

A. Thank you, Father, for the founders of this parish, and for all those who, throughout these years,

B. have worked to build the Catholic Faith in this area of North Carolina.

A. Especially, we entrust you,

B. those who already rest in peace. Receive them into your kingdom!

A. As you see, Lord:

B. Your community has grown, and we need more space.

A. Therefore, Holy Father,

B. we ask that you move our hearts and those of others,

A. so we may generously use the goods you have given us,

B. to obtain a larger church, not only for ourselves but also for future generations.

A. Saint Joseph, Patron of the Church,

B. pray for us.

A. Our Lady of the Highways,

B. pray for us.

A. And may everything be for the greater

glory of God, B. and the good of souls.

A. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

B. Amen.

ORACIÓN POR EL NUEVO TEMPLO

A. Nuestro auxilio está en el Nombre del Señor.

B. Que hizo el cielo y la tierra.

A. Si el Señor no construye el edificio,

B. en vano se fatigan los obreros.

A. Señor, estén atentos tus oídos

B. a la voz de nuestra súplica.

A. Padre, nosotros comunidad de Nuestra Señora de los Caminos,

B. te damos gracias por estos setenta años de vida parroquial.

A. Gracias, Padre, por los fundadores de esta parroquia, y por todos los que, a lo largo de estos años,

B. han trabajado en favor de la Fe Católica, en esta área de Carolina del Norte.

A. Especialmente, te encomendamos

B. los que ya duermen el sueño de la paz. ¡Recíbelos en tu reino!

A. Como ves, Señor:

B. tu comunidad ha crecido y necesitamos más espacio.

A. Por consiguiente, Padre Santo,

B. te pedimos que muevas nuestro corazón y el de los demás

A. para que generosamente

B. usemos parte de los bienes que nos has dado

A. y así podamos

B. obtener un templo más grande,

A. no solo para nosotros,

B. sino también para las generaciones futuras.

A. San José, Patrono de la Iglesia,

B. ruega por nosotros.

A. Nuestra Señora de los Caminos,

B. ruega por nosotros.

A. Y que todo sea para la mayor gloria de Dios,

B. y el bien de las almas.

A. Por Jesucristo, nuestro, Señor.

B. Amén.

