



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

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September 29: Twenty-Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

* 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**
7:00PM 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

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

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

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.

Mark Your Calendars

Parish Annual Yard Sale:

Our annual yard sale will be held on **Saturday, September 28th from 8:00am until 4:00 pm** and after all masses Saturday and Sunday. We will also be selling pupusas and tamales!

Venta de garaje anual parroquial:

Nuestra venta de garaje anual se llevará a cabo el **sábado 28 de septiembre de 8:00 a. m. a 4:00 p. m.** y después de todas las misas del sábado y domingo. ¡También venderemos pupusas y tamales!

Baptism preparation class for older children

Monday, September 23, 30, and October 7 from 7:00pm-8:00pm. All children ages 7-15 years of age must attend all three classes with their parents and godparents. To register for this class, please contact the parish secretary at 336-475-2667 or by email at olhsecretary@gmail.com

Clase de preparación para el bautismo para niños

mayores Lunes 23, 30 de septiembre y 7 de octubre de 7:00pm - 8:00 pm. Todos los niños de 7 a 15 años deben asistir a las tres clases con sus padres y padrinos. Para inscribirse en esta clase, comuníquese con la secretaria de la parroquia al 336-475-2667 o por correo electrónico a olhsec-

Room At The Inn

SAVE THE DATE - October 3rd: 2024 Annual Banquet with keynote speaker Candace Owens! Registration opens August 22- \$50 to reserve your seat. Mark your calendar and don't miss out! For more info visit www.roomattheinnbanquet.org
RESERVE LA FECHA: 3 de octubre: banquete anual de 2024 con la oradora principal Candace Owens. La inscripción se abre el 22 de agosto. Reserve su asiento por \$50. Marque su calendario y no se lo pierda. Para obtener más información, visite www.roomattheinnbanquet.org

Pastor's Message

Dear Parishioners:

When a person says they are "spiritual but not religious." What does that mean? It can be understood that what is generally meant is that a person is interested in spiritual realities but is suspicious of the systems and structures that humans use to engage with these realities. This suspicion should give those of us intimately bound up in these systems and structures pause, and our hearts should go out to those who might make such a claim. As we approach the greatest of these gifts, the Eucharist, let us ask God to show us the areas where we are placing our trust which are outside of his goodness. Let us request the grace to open our hearts to his unexpected gifts. May we be drawn into his life and his love, bound to him. In this Blessed Sacrament.



Scripture Readings

First Reading: The LORD came down in the cloud and spoke to Moses. Taking some of the spirit that was on Moses, the LORD bestowed it on the seventy elders; and as the spirit came to rest on them, they prophesied. Now two men, one named Eldad and the other Medad, were not in the gathering but had been left in the camp. They too had been on the list, but had not gone out to the tent; yet the spirit came to rest on them also, and they prophesied in the camp. So, when a young man quickly told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp," Joshua, son of Nun, who from his youth had been Moses' aide, said, "Moses, my lord, stop them." But Moses answered him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the people of the LORD were prophets! Would that the LORD might bestow his spirit on them all!" ([Nm 11:25-29](#))

Psalm: The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart. ([Ps 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14](#))

Second Reading Come now, you rich, weep and wail over your impending miseries. Your wealth has rotted away, your clothes have become moth-eaten, your gold and silver have corroded, and that corrosion will be a testimony against you; it will devour your flesh like a fire. You have stored up treasure for the last days. Behold, the wages you withheld from the workers who harvested your fields are crying aloud; and the cries of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. You have lived on earth in luxury and pleasure; you have fattened your hearts for the day of slaughter. You have condemned; you have murdered the righteous one; he offers you no resistance. ([Jas 5:1-6](#))

Gospel: At that time, John said to Jesus, "Teacher, we saw some one driving out demons in your name, and we tried to prevent him because he does not follow us." Jesus replied, "Do not prevent him. There is no one who performs a mighty deed in my name who can at the same time speak ill of me. For whoever is not against us is for us. Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ, amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward. "Whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, it would be better for him if a great millstone were put around his neck and he were thrown into the sea. If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter into life maimed than with two hands to go into Gehenna, into the unquenchable fire..... ([Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48](#))

Prayer List

Our Sick and Homebound:

Deacon Wayne & Ursula Adams, Flor Aguilar, Mosheer Amir & family, Ralph Berger, Jeremy Brown Sr., Kim Brown, Juisa Ciardi, Luigi DiPuorto, Charles Estes, Damiana Garay, Marta Gutierrez, Jim Hoyng, Rafael Juarez Salmeron, Barbara Johnson, Maryann Jones, Jeffrey Karkey, Jean Latucci, Theresa Longo, Griselda Martínez, Rosario Martinez, Noreen Morin, Linda Oxendine, Rick Price, Adriana Ramirez, Ted Rampp, Bettie Bagley Sharpe Rowe, Arden Sheehan, Juanita Sherman, 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.

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.

Blessing of the Animals Saturday, October 5

10AM – Church Courtyard

All are invited to the Blessing of the Animals on Oct. 5th at 10 am in the courtyard between the Family Room and the Parish Life Center. [The Memorial of St. Francis of Assisi is Oct. 4th.] St Francis founded the Franciscan religious order, & throughout his life, he was known for having an affinity for animals, with stories told of birds and other creatures surrounding him as he traveled. He was a humble Christian who sought harmony with his surroundings. It is said that he started the custom of blessing animals between 1210 and 1215. One of the new stained-glass windows (by the organ) depicts St. Francis and St. Clare.



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 podemos*



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 We Invite You
 Dios te llama.
 Te invitamos.



Weekly Events Calendar

- Every Monday:** the Alliance of the two Hearts, 6:30 p.m. in the social hall.
- 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 October 10th)
- 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.

Calendario de eventos semanales

- Todos los lunes:** La Alianza de los dos Corazones, 6:30 p.m. en el salón social.
- 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 10 de octubre)
- 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

**NURTURING THE MIND, BODY, & SOUL
 DAY OF REFLECTION**

OCTOBER 16 Check-In: 1:30 p.m. Program: 2:00-4:00 p.m.
 Pennybyrn 109 Penny Road | High Point, NC 2726

Join us for a Day of Reflection sponsored by Catholic Charities Elder Ministry and hosted by Pennybyrn. The event will feature a presentation by Father Stephen Hoyt, Holy Mass, and a virtual tour of Pennybyrn. Light refreshments will be served. The program is free, but space is limited.

Register at 704-370-3220 or sandrab@ccdoc.org by Monday, October 7.

Mensaje del parroco

Estimados feligreses:

Cuando una persona dice que es “espiritual pero no religiosa”, ¿qué significa eso? Se puede entender que lo que generalmente se quiere decir es que una persona está interesada en las realidades espirituales pero desconfía de los sistemas y estructuras que los humanos usan para relacionarse con estas realidades. Esta sospecha debería hacer reflexionar a quienes estamos íntimamente ligados a estos sistemas y estructuras, y nuestro corazón debería estar con aquellos que podrían hacer tal afirmación. Al acercarnos al mayor de estos dones, la Eucaristía, pidamos a Dios que nos muestre las áreas en las que estamos poniendo nuestra confianza que están fuera de su bondad. Pidamos la gracia de abrir nuestros corazones a sus regalos inesperados. Que seamos atraídos a su vida y su amor, unidos a él. En este Santísimo Sacramento.