

**"The command is, therefore, not to be anxious what we shall eat. For it is also commanded that in the sweat of our face we must eat bread. Toil therefore is enjoined; caring forbidden."**

**Saint Jerome**

**February 25, 2017**  
**Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



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### **Office Hours**

Monday through Thursday: 8:15 AM-3:00 PM  
Friday: 8:15 AM – 12:15 PM

**Secretary:** Agata Rabos-Kusmierczuk  
**Music Director:** Mary Goodwin

### **Mass Schedule - Horario de Misas**

Saturday- Sábado 6:00 PM Español Clinton  
Sunday - Domingo 10:00 AM English Clinton  
Sunday - Domingo 12:30 PM Español Clinton  
Sunday - Domingo 6:00 PM Español Ingold

Daily Mass – As published inside bulletin.

### **Reconciliation - Confesiones**

Saturday -Sábado, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

### **Faith Formation - Catequesis**

**Immaculate Conception, Clinton**

Saturday, 4:30 PM- 5:40 PM  
Primera Comunión -Año I y II (Español)  
Sunday, 11:00 AM-12:15 PM  
First Communion Year I & II (English)  
Wednesday, 6:30 PM-7:30 PM  
Confirmation - Year I  
Wednesday, 6:30 PM-8:00 PM  
Confirmation - Year II

**San Juan, Ingold**

Sunday, 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM  
Primera Comunión - Año I y II



**Emergency phone: 910-594-0287**

### MASS SCHEDULE and INTENTION

#### **Saturday, February 25**

6:00 PM People of the Parish

#### **Sunday, February 26**

10:00 AM + The Beaudreau Family  
+ The Rock Family

12:30 PM No intention requested

6:00 PM People of the Parish ( Ingold)

#### **Monday, February 27**

8:00 AM Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter

#### **Tuesday, February 28**

No masses

#### **Wednesday, March 1**

12:00 noon + John Carr & Juanita Cooper  
+ J.W. Cooper & Georgia Cooper

5:30 PM + Debra Sue Grady

7:00 PM (Spanish) + Eileen Dickinson

7:00 PM People of the Parish (Ingold)

#### **Thursday, March 2**

8:00 AM Brinkmann Family and Friends

#### **Friday, March 3**

8:00 AM Anne Hamilton

#### **Saturday, March 4**

6:00 PM People of the Parish

#### **Week of Sunday, March 5**

#### **Sunday, March 5**

10:00 AM + Bronisłwa Rabos

12:30 PM No intention requested

6:00 PM People of the Parish ( Ingold)

### **OFFERTORY REPORT**

Weekly budget required: \$3,400.00

Offertory received Feb.18/19 \$2,203.00

Total loan amount owed: \$137,783.00

Total paid to date: \$25,101.96

### WEEKLY MEETINGS AND CLASSES

#### **Saturday, February 25**

No classes

#### **Sunday, February 26**

9:00 AM Choir practice, Church

No classes

#### **Tuesday, February 28**

7:00-9:00 PM CRSP meeting, Fr. Price Center

#### **Wednesday, March 1**

No classes

#### **Thursday, March 2**

6:00 PM Choir practice, Church

7:00 PM Bible Study, Fr. Price Center

#### **Friday, March 3**

7:00-9:00 PM CRSP meeting, hall and church

#### **Saturday, March 4**

4:30 PM-5:40 PM Primera Communi3n,  
A3o I y II (Espa3ol), Fr. Price Center

#### **Sunday, March 5**

9:00 AM Choir practice, Church

11:00 AM-12:15 PM First Communion  
Year I & II, Fr. Price Center

### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Sir 17:20-24; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7;  
Mk 10:17-27

Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-8, 14, 23;  
Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6ab, 12-14, 17;  
2 Cor 5:20 — 6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6ab, 18-19;  
Mt 9:14-15

Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32

Sunday: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-6, 12-13,  
17; Rom 5:12-19 [12, 17-19];  
Mt 4:1-11

**ASH WEDNESDAY**  
*Miércoles de Ceniza*



March 1  
*1 de marzo*

Schedule of Masses  
*Horario de Misas*  
12:00 p.m. (English),  
5:30 p.m. (English),  
7:00 p.m. (*Español—Ingold*)  
7:00 p.m. (*Español*)

**Stations of the Cross—Via Crucis**  
Every Friday—*cada Viernes*

**6:00 PM** Soup for the Soul/  
*Sopa para el Alma*

Served in the Fr. Price Center

**7:00 PM** Stations of the Cross/*Via Crucis*  
Celebrated in church

Date:

Soup for Soul provided by:

Friday, March 3

Confirmation Class

Friday, March 10

Hispanic Committee

Friday, March 17

Knights of Columbus

Friday, March 24

Parish Council

Friday, March 31

Faith Formation Students

Friday, April 7

Women's Group

March 14: Our Lady of Guadalupe, Newton Grove

**March 21, Immaculate Conception, Clinton**

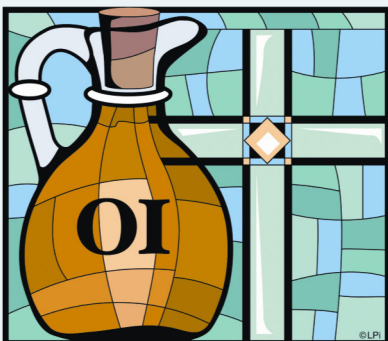
April 3, Saint Mary of the Angels, Mount Olive (6:30 p.m.)

April 5, Sta. Clara, Magnolia

April 3: Transfiguration, Wallace



All at **7:00 p.m.** unless indicated otherwise



**Friday, March 10**

**Mass of Anointing**

**11:00 a.m.**

The Anointing of the Sick “is not a sacrament for those only who are at the point of death. Hence, as soon as any one of the faithful begins to be in the danger of death from sickness or old age, the fitting time for that person to receive this sacrament has already arrived.”

Blessed Pope Paul VI

Our 2017 Best Lent Ever email program will be based on *Resisting Happiness*. And the program is available to every Catholic and every parish for free! [Sign up](#) to receive daily emails with short inspirational videos from Matthew Kelly and the Dynamic Catholic team during Lent. Go to [dynamiccatholic.com/bestlentever/#signup](http://dynamiccatholic.com/bestlentever/#signup)

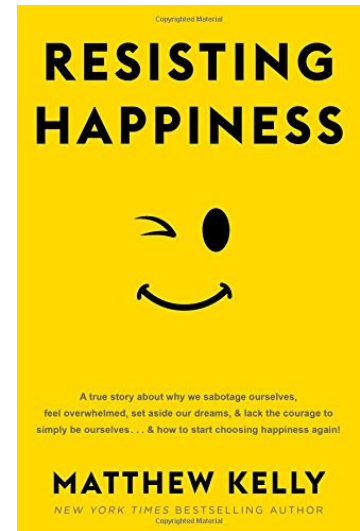
### About *Resisting Happiness*

Best Lent Ever 2017 is based on Matthew Kelly's newest book, *Resisting Happiness*. It's a true story about why we sabotage ourselves, feel overwhelmed, set aside our dreams, and lack the courage to simply be ourselves . . . and how to start choosing happiness again.

### ABOUT BEST LENT EVER 2017

We all know the things that make us happy, but we don't always do them. Lent is an opportunity to change that. This year we invite you to do something different. Sign up for Best Lent Ever, a **FREE**, video-based email program featuring internationally acclaimed speaker and *New York Times* bestselling author Matthew Kelly. From Ash Wednesday to Easter Sunday, Matthew will help you identify what stands between you and happiness . . . and what to do about it. Are you ready for your best Lent ever?

[Sign Up!](#)



Eres feliz? Puede que sea la pregunta equivocada. La mayoría de las personas piensa que es relativamente feliz, al mismo tiempo que reconoce que podría ser más feliz – quizás hasta mucho más feliz. Las personas corrientes y los más destacados filósofos han estado explorando esta cuestión de la felicidad por miles de años, y las teorías abundan. Pero éste no es un libro de teorías. *Resistiéndose a la Felicidad* se trata de considerar de una manera profundamente personal y transparente que desarma, por qué sabotamos nuestra propia felicidad y qué hacer al respecto.

¿Estás abrumado? ¿Procrastinas? ¿Sientes a veces que eres tu peor enemigo? En este libro fascinante, con su característica combinación de lo profundo y lo práctico, Matthew Kelly nos ayuda a comprender por qué sentimos estas cosas y como superarlas. Kelly nos dice que dejar de resistirnos es esencial para convertirnos en la mejor versión de nosotros mismos y vivir con pasión y propósito.

En el Católico Dinámico estamos apasionados con volver a vigorizar a los católicos y a sus parroquias. La Mejor Cuaresma de Todos los Tiempos (Best Lent Ever) es uno de nuestros programas gratuitos mas populares. Esta próxima Cuaresma el programa presentará, diariamente, videos de dos minutos de duración que los llevarán a través de *Resistiéndose a la Felicidad*, capítulo por capítulo. Visiten [DynamicCatholic.com/Best Lent Ever](http://DynamicCatholic.com/Best Lent Ever) para inscribirse y aprender más.



## **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**First Friday, March 3**

**After 8 AM mass**



## **ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA**

**Segundo Miércoles, 8 de marzo**

**Después de la Misa de las 7:00 p.m.**

### **Sampson County Community Health Survey 2017**

Sampson County is conducting a survey of our county to learn more about the health and quality of life within the county. Sampson County agencies will use the results of this survey to help address the major health and community issues in our county.

The survey is completely voluntary, and it should take no longer than 20 minutes to complete. Your answers will be completely confidential. The information you give us will not be linked to you in any way. Tell us what you think by clicking on the link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/97H8HSG>

### **Encuesta sobre la salud de la Comunidad de Sampson 2017**

El Condado de Sampson esta haciendo una encuesta en nuestro condado para conseguir más información sobre la salud y la calidad de vida en el condado. Agencias del Condado de Sampson utilizarán estos resultados para crear planes que sirvan para solucionar algunos de los problemas de salud y comunitarios que tiene este condado. La encuesta es totalmente voluntaria y tardaremos unos 20 minutos en completarla. Sus respuestas serán totalmente confidenciales. La información que nos dé nunca será relacionada con usted por ningún motivo. Oprima <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/97H8HSG> para tomar la encuesta.

## **Bishop's Annual Appeal**

The 2017 BAA has begun. Our goal for this year is \$21,724; \$796 lower than last year. For those of you who have donated in the past, you should have already received a letter and pledge card from the Diocese of Raleigh. Thank you to those who have already returned their pledges and payments in the offertory basket. How does the BAA benefit our parish? In 2016 our mission church, San Juan Ingold, received a grant of \$5000 to replace their ancient and ineffective heating system. Part of that grant was funded through our donations to the BAA. The BAA has also been hard at work helping our neighbors in Eastern North Carolina who were so devastatingly affected by hurricane Matthew. Please consider supporting the BAA this year. If you are in need of a pledge card, our in-pew pledge envelopes will be available soon.

# BAA Pledge Card

2017  Bishop's Annual Appeal

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Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Mailed/e-mailed reminders and auto credit card payments will begin in the month after your pledge.

City \_\_\_\_\_

☐ I prefer to receive pledge reminders via email at: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

☐ I prefer to receive my reminders in Spanish

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Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like more information on: ☐ Stocks/Other Deferred Giving ☐ Wills/Bequests ☐ I have put the Diocese of Raleigh in my Will

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# WORSHIP



INSTRUMENTS OF

*God's Mercy*

## Ministry Trainings

This year, the Office of Divine Worship will be holding ministry trainings for the lay faithful throughout the Diocese. With funds from the Bishop's Annual Appeal, these



regional trainings will focus on Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, readers and altar servers and will act as a vehicle to support those involved in liturgical ministries. These trainings will act as a forum to share resources among all parishes, while also strengthening the overall Diocesan vision of liturgical ministry. Aaron Sanders, Director of the Office of Divine Worship, stated, "While certain details of liturgical ministry vary from parish to parish, these trainings anchor that variation within the common life of the Diocese, a life shaped by a shared vision of each ministry and a common set of best practices."

## Rite of Election

Each Lent, the Office of Divine Worship, funded in part by the Bishop's Annual Appeal, coordinates the Rite of Election for the Diocese of Raleigh. The Rite of Election begins a candidate's final preparation to enter the Catholic Church, which culminates in Baptism or reception into full communion at the Easter Vigil. The candidate recognizes that their choice to become Catholic is based in God's choice to choose them. Their sponsor also recommends the candidate to the Bishop, acknowledging that they have answered God's call. This past year, The Office of Divine Worship held five Rites of Election for nearly 700 candidates throughout the Diocese. These rites took place at St. Thomas More in Chapel Hill, St. Ann in Clayton, Basilica Shrine of St. Mary in Wilmington, St. Patrick in Fayetteville and Holy Family in Elizabeth City. These joyful days, where new Catholics continue their journey of joining the Church, are yet another example of how the Bishop's Annual Appeal helps to spread the Gospel of our Lord.



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