



Saint Eugene Catholic Church
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Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00am English
 1:30pm Spanish
 Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 8:00am
 Thursday: 8:00am *Communion Service*
 Friday: 9:00am

Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction:

Every Friday when school is in session from 10:00am - 12:00 Noon

Rosary: First & Third Monday of every month at 7:00pm, every Wednesday following the 8:00am Mass and every Friday at 8:30am

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:00-5:00pm

WELCOME!!

We are glad you are worshipping with us and would like to help you any way we can. Please call or stop by the Parish Office so we may meet and greet you in a personal way. We encourage you to register with us soon. Registration forms can be obtained from the Parish Office or in the Narthex.



As the test of what the potter molds is in the furnace, so in tribulation is the test of the just.
 Sirach 27:5

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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 March 3, 2019

This week, Jesus tells us that we must examine our own inner selves, our attitudes and dispositions, virtues and faults, rather than judging others. What is in our hearts comes out in what and how we speak. If our hearts are filled with kindness and compassion, those qualities will be evident in our speaking, just as beautiful, wholesome fruit comes only from healthy trees. And vice-versa. The Wisdom writer Sirach in the first reading agrees with this concept--that we will be judged by our words. Paul reminds us that the reward of discipleship is eternal life. Today's psalm of thanksgiving and praise reminds us of God's kindness and faithfulness, which we are to emulate in our thoughts, words, and deeds. We are known, each of us, by our own fruit.

WORDS AND FRUIT - What do these two things have in common? In Luke's Gospel today, Jesus uses the image of a fruit tree to explain the importance of speaking with care. If the tree is healthy (that is, good), we expect to enjoy tasty fruit, but no one would pick the fruit of a tree that appears to be diseased. Good fruit is like good words that indicate one's spiritual growth and maturity--a person whose heart and words are filled with goodness. We will be known as good or evil by the qualities--of mercy and compassion, or pride and selfishness--that come from our hearts and enter the world through our mouth.

We hear similar advice from the book of Sirach in our first reading. Just as the fruit will indicate whether or not the tree from which it came was healthy, so too do our words indicate what we think, how we view the world and our neighbors. Words are important, indeed.

ACTIONS AND VICTORY - But what about our actions? These surely are also signs of goodness or the opposite, aren't they? Today's psalm sings about the just ones who will be like trees flourishing in the house of the Lord, bearing fruit throughout their lives. Justice implies action--mercy, compassion, love. In the second reading, Paul advises the Corinthians to devote themselves to the work of the Lord, that their labors would not be in vain, because the reward of acting with integrity is victory over sin and death. The person of justice and integrity acts and speaks from a new heart, made possible by Jesus sacrifice.

Do actions speak louder than words? Maybe between this Gospel and last weeks, when Jesus told us to love our enemies, Jesus is showing us that both are vital and essential aspects of following the life of discipleship. May our fruit always reflect the sweetness of living a good life.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Sunday: Sir:27:4-7; Ps 92:2-3, 13-16;
1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45
- 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: Dt 26:4-10; Ps 91:1-2, 10-15;
Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM AND MARRIAGE

Because of the important community nature of the celebrations of Baptism and Marriage in the church, interested parties are expected to make advanced arrangements to allow for appropriate preparation programs to be completed. For Baptism, at least two months and for Marriage, at least six months notice is required. Thank you! Please call Parish Office.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to dedicate a Mass for someone, it may be scheduled either by stopping by the parish office or calling. Since a Mass Stipend is truly an offering, the amount is entirely up to the individual scheduling the intention. The only insight we can offer is that the average stipend is approximately \$10.00 per scheduled Mass. The offering is truly up to you. Consideration: A Mass stipend is not required, rather it is a customary offering to the Priest. The spiritual value is in the Mass itself. The inability to offer a stipend should never deter someone from scheduling a Mass.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Saturday, March 2

- 12:00pm Spanish Baptisms - C
- 4:00pm Reconciliation - RR
- 5:30pm Mass/People of St. Eugene - C
- 5:30pm Grupo de Oracion - SEYH
- 7:00pm Grupo de Oracion - C

Sunday, March 3

- 8:30am Mass/People of St. Eugene - C
- 9:30am Knights of Columbus Pancakes Breakfast - SH,K
- 9:45am Faith Formation - ACS
- 9:45am RCIA - P
- 10:00am Choir Rehearsal - Rm.1
- 11:00am Mass/People of St. Eugene - C
- 11:00am Children's Church - CC
- 12:15pm Baptism in English - C
- 12:30pm Crafty Ladies - P
- 1:30pm Misa/La Gente de San Eugenio - C
- 5:00pm EDGE/SEY Life Teen - SH,K,C,ASC

Monday, March 4

- 8:00am Mass/People of St. Eugene - ASC
- 8:30am Pre-School - N
- 4:00pm St. Vincent de Paul - P
- 7:00pm St. Eugene Rosary - ASC

Tuesday, March 5

- 8:00am Mass/People of St. Eugene - ASC
- 8:30am Pre-School - N
- 6:30pm Parish Council Meeting - SH
- 7:00pm Hispanic Prayer Choir Group - C

Wednesday, March 6 - ASH WEDNESDAY

- 8:00am Mass with Distribution of Ashes/ People of St. Eugene - ASC
- 8:30am Pre-School - N
- 8:30am Rosary - ASC
- 10:00am Liturgy of the Word and Distribution of Ashes - C
- 12:15pm Liturgy of the Word and Distribution of Ashes - C
- 5:30pm Liturgy of the Word and Distribution of Ashes - C
- 7:00pm Choir - Rm.1
- 7:00pm RCIA en Español - SEYH
- 7:30pm Liturgy of the Word and Distribution of Ashes - C
- 9:00pm 40 hours devotion - ASC



Thursday, March 7

- All Day Adoration - ASC
- 8:00am Communion Service - ASC
- 8:30am Pre-School- N
- 8:30am Faith Sharing - P
- 10:00am Care of Creation - Rm.2
- 6:30pm Hispanic Women's Cursillos - P
- 6:30pm Hispanic Men's Cursillos - SEYH
- 7:00pm St. Eugene Devotion Liturgy - C

Friday, March 8

- 8:30am Pre-School - N
- 8:30am Rosary - ASC
- 9:00am Mass/People of St. Eugene - C
- 5:00pm 40 Hours Devotion Closing Liturgy - C
- 7:00pm Enriquesimiento Matrimonial (Marriage Prep) - Rm.2, P

Saturday, March 9

- 4:00pm Reconciliation - RR
- 5:30pm Mass/People of St. Eugene - C
- 5:30pm Grupo de Oracion - SEYH
- 7:00pm Grupo de Oracion - C

MARCH 2019						
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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ASH WEDNESDAY



8:00am Mass and Distribution of Ashes

10:00am Liturgy of the Word & Distribution of Ashes

12:15pm Liturgy of the Word & Distribution of Ashes

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7:30pm Liturgy of the Word & Distribution of Ashes

WANTED

Person knowledgeable in raising vegetables. Looking for vegetable coordinator for the 5 raised bed boxes in our Friendship Garden/Jardín de la Amistad for the Spring. Duties include, deciding which vegetables to plant, deciding when to plant them, coordinating planting, weeding, watering days, coordinating the harvesting and delivery of vegetables to Food Pantry and those on limited income. If you, or anyone you know, might be interested, please contact Cynthia Gibbs, Garden Coordinator. cynthia@gibbsco.com, 828-684-3555.

ASHEVILLE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER SHARING GROUP

Would you like to join our upcoming monthly meeting on Saturday, 9th March at 7PM? Contact Karen ©Brian Cavagnini 828-712-5844 for details. We would love you to join us. Some socializing, good talks, great company, and most important renew your relationship as a couple.

40 HOURS DEVOTION

We will be celebrating a 40-hours Devotion from Ash Wednesday, March 6, to the following Friday, March 8th. Sign-up sheets are available on the table near the Social Hall. If you are involved in any ministry whatsoever in the parish, our goal is for every volunteer to sign up for one hour of Eucharistic Adoration during this time. Please sign up in the social hall for one of the hours during this retreat time with Our Eucharistic Lord.



DEVOCION 40 HORAS

Vamos a celebrar una devoción de 40 horas desde el miércoles de ceniza hasta el viernes, 8 de marzo. Las hojas de inscripción están disponibles en la mesa cerca del Salón Social. Si usted está involucrado en cualquier ministerio de la parroquia, nuestro objetivo es que cada voluntario se inscriba en una hora

de Adoración Eucarística. Por favor inscribase en el salón social por una de las horas durante este tiempo de retiro con Nuestro Señor Eucarístico.

SAINT EUGENE YOUTH STATIONS OF THE CROSS / VIA CRUCIS JUVENIL

Sunday, March 17th at 5:00pm at the Parish of St. Eugene. All are welcome!
Domingo, 17 de Marzo a las 5:00pm en la Parroquia de San Eugenio. Todos están bienvenidos!

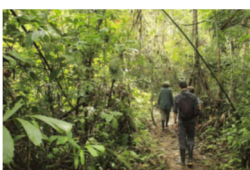
THE JOY OF SOX

Our parish will again be collecting NEW men's, women's and children's socks March 2-17th. The homeless very rarely receive the gift of new socks so your donation can help reduce foot and general health problems and bring dignity and joy to recipients. Socks will be distributed to local organizations that serve the homeless and needy. This is a great project for families! Last year we collected nearly 2,000 pairs of socks! Black cotton crew socks are ideal for men, and fuzzy socks are appreciated by nursing home residents. Last year some parishioners were able to obtain sock donations from local retail businesses-this effort was greatly appreciated! There will be a collection box in the gathering space. Karen Bradley 230-3237

ST. EUGENE LENTEN MISSION SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2019

5:00 PM

"This is our sin, exploiting the Earth." Pope Francis speaking in 2014 of the destruction of the Amazon rainforests. A Presentation by Sister Nancy Schramm. Sr. Nancy Schramm, a missionary for 32 years in the Brazilian rainforest will focus on climate change, deforestation, and the impact of Sr. Dorothy Stang (below), who was murdered defending the rights of the poor in the Amazon



Spanish Translation and Child Care Available To learn more about Sr. Dorothy Stang who is being considered for canonization read "Martyr of the Amazon" by Rosemary Murphy (Available at Malaprops and www.amazon.com). After the event: 6:30 PM Knights of Columbus Fish Bake. A limited number of tickets will be on sale after Mass on March 9-10, 16-17, and 23-24.



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Liz Aiello, Tonya Argueillo, Rosemarie Ball, Joan Birmingham, Josh Brown, Brenda Browne, Nathan and Sandy Buchanan, Jim & Jeanne Bucher, Elizabeth Buckley, Connie Childers, Gary Collins, Kathie Coltellino, Karen Corbett, Patricia Lee Clarke, Brian Della-Bianca, Bob Dettlebach, Dennis Delaney, Eleanor Eason, Jennifer Faulstich, Austen Faulstich, Anne Fitzgerald-Smith, Michael Fleming, Barbara Fry, Elaine Gaines, Jim Gaines, Jeannie Gleason, Michael Grier, James Greene, Mary Hayes, Margaret Irwin, Joyce Ingle, Delores Jacon, John Kampmans, Jimmy Kennedy, John Keogh, Tommy Knapp, Grace Knutelsky, Allison Kobar, Kristin Kraft, Tonya Kriezel, Bob Krimmer, Jon & Cristy Ledford, Maureen Lewis, Aidan Luckadoo, Lisa Mason, Brigid McCarthy, Leonard & Kathy Moon, Allen Moore, Jan Perrigeaux, Brandon Pruitt, Rick Raube, Joette Reid, Knobby Riedy Jr., Ashliegh Riddle, John Riddle, Jonathon Riddle, Sara Riddle, Kevin Roberts, LJ Rodriguez, Ed Ruppen, Lillie Simons, Jack Smith, Rick Schaffer, Fred Spuhler, Lyn Stoodley, Emily Student, Joshua Townsend, Joseph Turchiano, Haley Townsend, Maudeb Vandermeer, Mary Ellen Vare, Phyllis Veilleux, Joyce Vidal-Williams, Ronnie Williams and Margaret Yanik.

ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY PRAYER LIST 2018

Let us pray for all those who serve our country in the Military at home and abroad, and their families:



- Maj** – Michael E. Korte – Army – USA
- CDR** – Dr. Timothy Mattison – USA
- LCDR** – Dr. Parnell Mattison – USA
- LtCol** – Jon Christian McDaniel – Camp LeJeune, NC
- Midshipman** - Krysta Przestrzelski – Naval Academy
- SPC** – Patrick Seeling – Army – Afghanistan
- Shawn Sinclair – Army – Fort Bragg, NC
- LCpl** - Jarrod Stoodley - Marine, F-35, Edwards AFB, CA
- ENS** – Peter Vizzini – Navy
- Maj** – Chris Wagar – Germany
- Capt** - Joseph Ryan - Army - Afghanistan
- Capt** - Kaitlyn Ryan-Wright - Air Force - Patterson, OH
- William S. Kwiatkowski– US Military Academy - West Point, NY
- SPC** - Paul Grillot - Army - Fort Sill, OK
- Angel Daniel Valladares - Marine, South Carolina
- Kenneth Van Vo - Marine, North Carolina
- P01** - Christopher Balot - NAVY, USS Carl Vinson (CVN-70)
- LTJG** - Logan Sullivan - Navy - Yokosuka, Japan

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE



Parroquia de San Eugenio – Información en Español

Tel: 828-254-5193 **Fax:** 828-254-5797

Horario de Oficina:

9:00 am – 4:00 pm de Lunes a Viernes

Padre Patrick Cahill: Tel: 828-254-5193 ext:15 **Emergencia:** 828-231-8645

Misa en Español: Domingo a la 1:30 pm **Confesiones:** Sábado a las 4:00 pm

Ministerio Hispano del Vicariato de Asheville:

Antonio Garcia ministryhisp@gmail.com
828-333-5120.

Catecismo y Sacramentos:

Pre-K a Octavo (8) - Elementary & Middle School
Tracy Jedd 828-254-5193 Ext.21

Noveno (9) a Dozavo (12)
Andrea Robles 828-254-5193 Ext.30

Bautismos & Clases de Adultos Mayores de 18 Años
Marta Gonzalez 828-450-7835

Eventos Especiales: Bodas o Quinceañeras hable a la oficina o visítenos con 6 meses de anticipación.

Otros Ministerios: Ministros de Eucaristía, Lectores, Hospitalidad, Coro en Español, Sonido, Grupo de Oración, Cursillistas (Mujeres & Hombres), Protegiendo los Niños de Dios, Enriquecimiento Matrimonial, y Eventos Especiales.

Si le gustaría pertenecer a alguno de estos Ministerios de la Parroquia de San Eugenio, preséntese con uno de los miembros de ese Ministerio antes o después de Misa.

**FAITH FORMATION
SUNDAY SCHOOL**

(4yrs - 5th grade)

Sundays, 9:45am-10:45am

March 3 - Sunday School

EDGE & SEY LIFE TEEN

(Grades 6th-12th)

Sundays, 5:00pm to 7:00pm

March 3 - EDGE & SEY

March 10 - EDGE & SEY

March 17 - Youth Stations of the Cross

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RAFFLE

How would you like a chance to win \$5,000, or \$4,000, or five other cash prizes and help the local Knights of Columbus. The Knights will be selling North Carolina State Council raffle tickets after all the Masses this weekend. First place prize is \$5,000 cash, second place prize is \$4,000, and third through seventh place prizes range from \$200 to \$500 cash. Cost is \$5 per ticket with half of the cost of the raffle tickets staying with your local St. Eugene Council to help fund many of their charitable programs during the year. Drawing for the winners will be held at the NC State Convention in Raleigh, NC on April 27.

**BREAKFAST THIS WEEKEND FOR
CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY**

Mark your calendars... the Knights of Columbus will be hosting a free breakfast (pancakes and eggs) this Sunday, March 3 after the 8:30 and 11:00 Masses. Donations will be graciously accepted to support the Asheville Area Catholic Campus Ministry. Please plan to enjoy a good breakfast, fellowship, and support our young adults. The Knights of Columbus thank you for your continuing generosity.

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE:

The 9th Annual Catholic Men's Conference will be held on Saturday, March 16, at St. Patrick Cathedral, Charlotte, NC. Speakers include:

- Doug Barry - EWTN host of Battle Ready
- Fr. Richard Sutter - Priest, Former Army Ranger, World Class Triathlete
- Fr. David Miller - Pastor of St. Dorothy, Lincoln Mass, Adoration, Confession with lunch and breakfast, everything you need to get your Lent started right! For more information and to register go to: www.catholicmenofthecarolinas.org

ECOLOGICAL WAY OF THE CROSS

Join us in raising the Cross of Christ and reminding ourselves that the Earth belongs to God and we are designated stewards of creation. SATURDAY, MARCH 23rd at 11:30am. Join us at the Beaverdam Lake Bird Sanctuary - shuttle available from St. Eugene. Free Registration - Deadline Friday, March 15th. Email ChristianDiscipleshipCenter@gmail.com to register or call (828)350-8220. A soup and sandwich luncheon will follow. In case of inclement weather, the prayer service will be at St. Eugene.

**RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY
MOVIE NIGHT**

You are cordially invited to Respect Life Ministry Movie Night: Unplanned, the Story of Abby Johnson, a former Planned Parenthood director who is now a leader in the prolife movement. A "Red Carpet" Event Hosted by Mountain Area Pregnancy Services (MAPS) of Asheville will tentatively be held on Thurs. March 28th at 7pm at the Biltmore Regal Cinema at Biltmore Park. Please contact Elizabeth Harris, MAPS Volunteer and St. Lawrence Basilica Respect Life Coordinator at #450-1880 to RSVP or for more info. Tickets can be purchased in advance online.

WE REALLY WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

The Parish Council and a just-forming Liturgy Commission are conducting a parish survey to find out what you really think about all aspects of our Church's liturgies. Paper copies are available at Church and need to be turned in by March 10 (please leave in the box marked LITURGY SURVEY at the table in the Gathering Space). You may also take the survey online at <https://goo.gl/forms/dTGPWQ2FzhLrOpGt1> or the main page of the church website ww.steugene.org. For all those times that you thought "I am going to put a note in the suggestion box!", here's your chance to suggest and comment.

Flowers in the Church this week are;

In Memory of Joyce Drapeau,

By Nancy Acopine;

AND

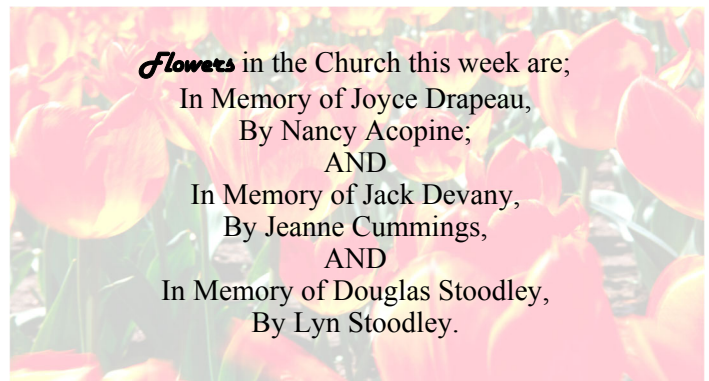
In Memory of Jack Devany,

By Jeanne Cummings,

AND

In Memory of Douglas Stoodley,

By Lyn Stoodley.



ECO TIP: CARE OF CREATION



One Earth. One Home. During the winter put on an air conditioner cover to reduce drafts and wear slippers and sweaters so you can lower your house temperature a few degrees.



ideas on how to deepen your Lenten experience. May these 40 days better prepare us to encounter ourselves, our neighbors, and our God.

CRS RICE BOWL

Join our parish and school community—and nearly 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey of encounter with CRS Rice Bowl. CRS Rice Bowl is sponsored by Catholic Relief Services, the official international humanitarian agency of the Catholic community in the U.S. CRS is motivated by the example of Jesus Christ to assist the poor and suffering people in more than 100 countries based on need without regard to race, religion or nationality. In addition, 25% of Rice Bowl funds raised goes to our local area. In the past few years the Asheville area received three grants, with our own St. Eugene parish receiving a \$1000.00 grant for our Friendship Garden. Pick up your family’s CRS Rice Bowl today in the Narthex. During the 40 days of Lent, as companions on the journey, we will encounter our neighbor. Don’t forget to download the CRS Rice Bowl App on your phone where you will find inspirational devotions and



**NEW TO MEDICARE?
CONFUSED ABOUT MEDICARE?**

What: “Medicare Choices Made Easy” – a class designed to explain Medicare, when to sign up, and how to save money! **Class is free!**

Unbiased and accurate information.

Who: Individuals who are on or plan to apply for Medicare; Caregivers or anyone with questions.

When: Tuesday, April 9th – 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Where: St. Eugene Catholic Church
72 Culvern Street, Asheville, NC 28804

To Register: Call Sandra Breakfield, Program Director Elder Ministry at 704-370-3220 or email sabreakfield@charlottediocese.org

Hosted by Catholic Charities Elder Ministry and St. Eugene Catholic Church Presented by Council on Aging of Buncombe County.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH BAKE

Mark your calendars.... the St. Eugene Knights of Columbus will be hosting their annual Fish Bake on Sunday, March 24 following the Parish Mission Presentation. Please plan to join in the Parish Mission followed by food and fellowship. Tickets will be available starting March 9. Thank you, in advance, for your support and generosity.

2018 PARISH GIVING STATEMENT

We have emailed Parish Giving Statements to all parishioners who have given us their email address. Occasionally when large bulk emails go out, they will go to your junk/spam mail folder. If you would like to receive the statement either by email or by U.S. Mail, please fill out the form below and drop in the offering basket. We prefer to email statements to save money on postage as well as office supplies.

PARISH GIVING STATEMENTS

I WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE MY PARISH STATEMENT FOR GIVING IN THE YEAR 2018

NAME: _____ ENV # _____
(Please print as printed on your church giving envelope)

Please check manner of delivery

EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Please tear off and place in the collection plate. Also, you may call the office and request your statement be sent to you or e-mail Mechelle Kobar at church Eugene@steugene.org.

THINKING OF JOINING THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?

Our weekly sessions for R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) have begun. Sessions will take place on Sundays, in the parish parlor, from 9:40 to 10:40am. The journey of faith begins with questions - your questions. What do Catholics believe? How does Catholicism fit in with other faith traditions? The process begins with an "inquiry" period when questions lead to exploration. Please join us for a fun-filled, faith-filled, Spirit-filled gathering. If you would like to begin this journey of faith, please call our parish office and provide your contact information. (Name, phone number, email address, etc.). A member of the RCIA team will contact you with further information. We will look forward to meeting you and answering your questions. Deacon Mike Zboyovski/828-254-5193, ext. #1009

LOST AND FOUND

All items found on our church grounds can be found in our Lost & Found section located at the Coat Rack in the Social Hall not in the church office. You may search this area Monday-Friday 9am-4pm or when the church is open. All items not collected by the end of each month will be donated to Catholic Charities.

NOTE: Please be aware that our bulletin is posted on our website; therefore, any information in the bulletin is out there in cyberspace, accessible to anyone. Please let the office know if this is an issue for you. *



ST. EUGENE'S IN THE LOOP!

Yes, our church is now looped! If you have hearing aids with t-coils, please turn them on. If you have a hearing loss, please ask for a Receiver from one of the Greeters/Ushers before you go into the Sanctuary. We want everyone to hear the Word!

HOSPITAL ADMISSION OR EXTENDED STAY AT HOME:

We would encourage you to celebrate the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick prior to your admission or extended convalescence. Please give us a call to arrange a time and date. Also, you may be unaware that hospitals, by law, will not automatically inform us of your presence there - even if you state your religious affiliation as Catholic on an entrance form. Whether you are hospitalized, recuperating, or simply unable to attend parish services, you or your family member is required to inform us as to your desire for visitation and/or reception of Communion. We will be happy to arrange visitations and reception of Communion once the parish office is notified regarding your wishes. It is our most sincere desire to keep our parish family connected and included, especially in times of dealing with health and recovery issues.

A simple call or email is all it takes. Celebration of Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: 828-254-5193 or to arrange a hospital or home visitation and communion: Deacon Mike - 828-254-5193 ext. 20 or deaconmike@steugene.org