



Saint Eugene Catholic Church
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Office Hours:

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- Asheville Catholic School 828-252-7896
- Catholic Campus Ministry
- UNC-A 828-226-3809
- Catholic Charities 828-255-0146
- Parish Pastoral Council
- Richard Anderson, Chair 828-645-8605
- richpanderso@gmail.com

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.

**TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**



September 16, 2018

IF YOU WISH TO COME AFTER ME
YOU MUST DENY YOURSELF,
TAKE UP YOUR CROSS,

and follow me.

MARK 8:34

**TWENTY- FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 16, 2018**

Faith or Works?

Sometimes we think the argument of faith vs. works started with the Reformation. But the second reading shows that it was already being debated in New Testament times. The simplified version of the debate has the Reformers saying that faith alone is all we need to be saved, while the Catholic side says we have to do good to be saved. Actually, they are both right. The idea of works being necessary for salvation probably goes back to the Old Covenant emphasis on the law and the Commandments. The Jews believed that keeping the law showed their holiness. They avoided anything or anyone that was unclean. They believed that their religious practices set them apart from the pagans around them. Then Jesus came to show that only God is Holy. Our holiness comes from loving God and loving others. Because Jesus is the Son of God, He is the best way to know God. So believing in Jesus is not just believing that He exists, (like those who believe in Santa Claus or UFO's.) It means we believe in Love, the love Jesus showed by His life and death. We believe in a Person who loves us and showed us that God is not our boss or judge; He is our Father. He gives us life and protects us; He supports us and also lets us learn from our mistakes. Then He forgives us, showing that He loves us even when we turn away from Him. So if we truly believe in Jesus we believe in what He said and did. We follow his commandment of love, not because we want to avoid evil, but because we love Him so much we want to be just like Him. We help others, not to make us look good, but to show them how good God is. So you cannot truly believe in Jesus without wanting to help others to know and love him too. Jesus' way of saying that in today's Gospel was to take up our cross and follow Him. That is truly a work of faith.

Staff

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Sunday: Is 50:5-9a; Ps 116:1-6, 8-9; Jas 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35
- Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 7:1-10
- Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 7:11-17
- Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31 -- 13:13; Ps 33:2-5, 12, 22; Lk 7:31-35
- Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Lk 7:36-50
- Friday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13
- Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-14; Lk 8:4-15
- Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-8; Jas 3:16 -- 4:3; Mk 9:30-37

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.

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.

THE WEEK AHEAD

- Saturday, September 15**
- 4:00pm Reconciliation - RR
- 4:30pm Catholic Committee of Appalachia Bake Sale - SH
- 5:30pm Mass/*Mike Byus* † - C
- 5:30pm Spanish Prayer Group - SEYH
- 7:00pm Grupo de Oracion/ Spanish Praying Group - C
- Sunday, September 16**
- 8:30am Mass/*Bernice Witzel* † - C
- 9:30am Catholic Committee of Appalachia Bake Sale - SH
- 9:45am Care of Creation- Rm.2
- 9:45am Faith Formation - ASC
- 10:00am Choir Rehearsal - Rm.1
- 11:00am Mass/*Richard Olsen* † - C
- 12:00pm Catholic Committee of Appalachia Bake Sale - SH
- 12:00pm Baptism Class - Rm.2
- 1:30pm Misa/ *People St. Eugene* - C
- 5:00pm SEY Life Teen - SH,C,K
- Monday, September 17**
- 8:00am Mass/ *Sigmund (Butch) Gucfa* † - ASC
- 8:30am Pre-School - N
- 10:00am Crafty Ladies - Rm.2
- 4:00pm St. Vincent de Paul - P
- 7:00pm St. Eugene's Rosary - ASC
- Tuesday, September 18**
- 8:00am Mass/*Mass* - ASC
- 8:30am Pre-School - N
- 3:00pm Vicariate Meeting for Clergy
- 7:00pm Knights of Columbus - SH
- Wednesday, September 19**
- 8:00am Mass/ *People of St. Eugene* - ASC
- 8:30am Pre-School - N
- 8:30am Recitation of the Rosary - C
- 6:30pm Enriquecimiento Matrimonial - SEYH
- 7:00pm Choir/Coro - Rm.1,C
- Thursday, September 20**
- 8:00am Communion Service - ACS
- 8:30am Pre-School - N
- 8:30am Faith Sharing - P
- 6:30pm Hispanic Women's & Men's Cursillos - P, SEYH
- 7:00pm RCIA in Spanish - Rm.2
- Friday, September 21**
- 8:30am Pre-School - N
- 8:30am Rosary - CC
- 9:00am Mass/*Anna Giaia* † - C
- Saturday, September 22**
- 4:00pm Reconciliation - RR
- 5:30pm Mass/*Andrew McHugh* † - C
- 5:30pm Spanish Prayer Group - SEYH
- 7:00pm Grupo de Oracion/ Spanish Praying Group - C

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ACS-Asheville Catholic School ASC-All Saints Chapel C-Church
 CC-Children's Chapel CR-Conference Room GP-Gathering Plaza
 GS-Gathering Space K-Kitchen SEY-St. Eugene Youth SEYH-St. Eugene
 Youth House N-Nursery P-Parlor RR-Reconciliation Room SH-Social
 Hall

BLOOD DRIVE ON OCTOBER 14

St Eugene's parishioners and visitors will have an opportunity to donate during the Parish Blood Drive on Sunday, October 14, from 8:30 AM to 1:30 PM. This is a great opportunity to help our neighbors who may be in need of blood. The American Red Cross and the Knights of Columbus thank you in advance for your generosity. Appointments may be made by signing up on the poster displayed in the Narthex or by contacting Michael Cooney at (828) 575-2776 Tom Kotz at (828) 645-9857 .

BIG BAKE SALE

The Catholic Committee of Appalachia (CCA) will collaborate with St. Eugene's Women's Guild with a big bake sale this weekend, September 15 and 16, for the benefit of CCA's Annual Gathering. The Annual Gathering is part of CCA's educational mission. Last year it was held in Black Mountain and this year it will be held at the 4H Educational Center in Abingdon, VA. The title of this year's event is Least Engaged or Most Enraged? Confronting White Privilege & Racism. Please consult CCA's website, ccappal.org, for details.

**WORDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. Take time for your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend on Nov 9-11, 2018 in ATLANTIC BEACH, NC and Mar 1-3, 2019 in Hickory, NC. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://NCMarriageDiscovery.org> or contact us at applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org or 704-315-2144.

25TH AND 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

If you are celebrating your Silver or Golden Wedding Anniversary this year, please contact our church office if you wish to be included in the celebration. The Mass will be held on Sunday, November 4, 2018 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church. Mass begins at 2:30pm and will be followed by a reception. To receive an invitation, you must call our church office to register.

CRAFTY LADIES

Will resume on September 17th at 10:00 am in the meeting room 2. Please join us for fellowship and crafty projects. Any questions call Mary Ann at 828-299-4196.

THE LADIES OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH

Will meet on September 19th at 11:30 am at the Red Lobster on Tunnel Road. Any questions call Mary Ann at 828-299-4196.

ALTAR SERVER

Are you interested in becoming an altar server? We are currently recruiting new servers to assist Fr. Pat at Mass. Children interested in becoming altar servers should be in at least third grade and MUST have made their First Communion. Contact Ray Kull at 645-6039 or cubfanray@frontier.com if you are interested.

GET YOUR FLU SHOTS ON OCTOBER 7

Flu season is approaching and St. Eugene Church and CVS Pharmacy are offering an opportunity to get your flu shots on Sunday, October 7 at St. Eugene Church. Look for further details in next weekend's bulletin and an opportunity to sign-up.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MONTHLY MEETING

The Knights of Columbus will have their monthly meeting this Tuesday, September 18 in the Church Social Hall beginning at 7 PM. All Knights are encouraged to attend. If you are a Catholic man, age 18 and older, and are interested in the Knights of Columbus, please contact Dave Hetrick at 828-231-6106 or gk11911.steugene@gmail.com.

READY FOR NOVEMBER ELECTIONS?

Visit the table with the flag for voter Information and registration. Following all weekend Masses on the weekends of Sept. 29-30 AND October 6-7.

STEWARDSHIP

Sharing our talents arises from the fact that God has given each of us the ability and gifts to do certain things well, and we are to develop those talents from the good of others.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Liz Aiello, Tonya Argueillo, Rosemarie Ball, Joan Birmingham, Josh Brown, Brenda Browne, Nathan and Sandy Buchanan, Jim & Jeanne Bucher, Elizabeth Buckley, Gary Collins, Kathie Coltellino, Karen Corbett, Brian Delta-Bianca, Bob Dettlebach, Olga Deubel, Dennis Delaney, Eleanor Eason, Maureen Emory, 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, 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, Haley Townsend, Maudeb Vandermeer, Phyllis Veilleux, Joyce Vidal-Williams, Jeanne Werth, and Ronnie Williams.

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 - Fort Bragg, NC
Capt - Kaitlyn Ryan - Air Force - Rome, NY
 William S. Kwiatkowski– US Military Academy - West Point, NY
ENS - Logan Sullivan - Navy - Yokosuka, Japan
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.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS SUNDAY,
SEPTEMBER 16TH.
FAITH FORMATION**

(4yrs - 5th grade)

Sundays, 9:45am-10:45am
at ACS

September 16th - Regular Classes

EDGE-Middle School
(Grades 6TH - 8TH)

Sundays, 5:00pm to 7:00pm
September 16th– Kick Off!

SEY LIFE TEEN– High School
(Grades 9th-12th)

Sundays, 5:00pm to 7:00pm
September 16th - Kick Off!

**ASHEVILLE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER
SHARING GROUP**

Would you like to join our next monthly meeting on Saturday, 22nd September at 7PM? Contact Meghan and Stephen Forrest 828-329-9115 for details. We would love you to join us. Some socializing, good talks, great company, and most important renew your relationship as a couple.

KAIROS

The Kairos program of North Carolina is going to be having their second weekend at Swannanoa Correctional Center for Women September 20-23. There are several ways that you can help to make a difference on the weekend and they are: buy a meal for \$10 for a resident during the weekend, write 42 letters, sign a prayer sheet so your name will be put on a prayer chain to be displayed during the weekend, color 42 placemats, or make a banner. A table will be set up outside of Mass if you would like to hear more or get involved – stop by!

**FREE NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING (NFP)
FULL COURSE**

September 29th in Hendersonville at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, from 1 pm to 4:30 pm.

Topics to be covered include:

- * Effectiveness of modern NFP methods
- * Health risks of popular contraceptives
- * Benefits of NFP - health, relational, and spiritual
- * Church teaching on responsible parenting
- * And...how to use NFP

For more information, contact: Joan Pajak at (413) 325-4380 or joanelizabethrn@gmail.com. To RSVP,

contact Pam McCoy at (828) 693-6901
or churchoffice@icwnc.com

ECO TIP

Do a trash audit. What gets thrown away each week? What can be recycled? What might be composted? Are there single-use items that could be replaced with reusables? Aim for zero waste!



**from CARE OF CREATION
One Earth. One Home**

Flowers in the Church the weekend of September 2nd were;
In Memory of Fran Naeger
by JoAnn Naeger

Flowers in the Church the weekend of September 9th were;
In Memory of Edward & Rena Shiring
by Kristen, Katelyn & Paul Shiring
AND
In Memory of Salvatore N. Milazzo
by Ginny Raviotta

Flowers in the Church this week are;
In Memory of Bill & Jean Chambers
by Eric & Tracy Jedd
AND
In Memory of Bill Barry
by John & Lynn Phillips
AND
In Memory of My Parents, Philip & Gertrude
Langlois
by John & Marie Langlois
AND
In Memory of Richard Olsen
by Brigid Olsen.

2018—REVISED SIGNIFICANT DATES

October 28th - Confirmation Mass (Bi-Lingual)
 November 1st – 9:00am and 7:00pm Mass
 (Holy Day of obligation)
 November 2nd – 9:00am and 7:00pm (Spanish)
 November 22nd – 9:00am Mass of Thanksgiving
 November 28th - 7:00pm St. Eugene hosts Advent
 Ecumenical Service
 December 1st – 10:30am – First Reconciliation
 December 5th - 7:00pm St. Mark's Lutheran Church
 hosts Advent Ecumenical Service
 December 8th – 9:00am Mass
 (Holy Day of obligation)
 December 9th – 1:30pm Our Lady of Guadalupe
 December 12 - St. Mary's Episcopal Church hosts
 Advent Ecumenical Service
 December 19th - St. Paul's United Methodist Church
 hosts Advent Ecumenical Service
 December 22nd – 4:00pm and 6:00pm (Spanish) Vigil
 Masses
 December 23rd – 10:00am Mass (decorate church for
 Christmas after this Mass)
 December 24th – 4:00pm, 8:00pm
 December 25th – 10:00am, 12:00noon (Spanish)
 December 31st – 4:00pm Vigil
 January 1st, 2019 – 10:00am, 12:00noon (Spanish)

REFUGEE UPDATE

Catholic Charities is who the government uses all over the United States to Welcome the refugees and help them go through the steps of adjusting to their new country. We can find them furniture when they find a low rent apartment. Most are from the Ukraine, Moldova and Belarus. Think of what it takes to set up a household. Everything from mattresses to dishes. You can help by going through your belongings and sharing the “stuff” you don't need or use. Please call Carol Duin 828-337-5228 or text and I will pick it up! There are two new families arriving in Asheville in September.

DAYS OF REFLECTION

Join Catholic Charities for an opportunity to gather with other seniors from around the diocese to deepen and share one's faith. Days of Reflection provides the chance to experience the inspiring power of God's love and be nourished by His word as one continues a life-long journey of faith.

• Date: Wednesday, October 17th

Location: Catholic Conference Center
 1551 Trinity Lane, Hickory, NC 28602

Presenter: Fr. Patrick Cahill

Topic: “How can silence and imagination improve your prayer life?”

Check-In: 9:45 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.

Program: 10:20 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Cost: \$18 per person includes light morning refreshment & lunch –

Make checks payable to Catholic Charities

Deadline for Registration: Monday, October 8th

To Register: Contact Sandra Breakfield at 704-370-3220 or email sabreakfield@charlottediocese.org

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JOB OPPORTUNITY

Catholic Charities Director of Development: The Diocesan Office of Development has an opening for a full-time Catholic Charities Director of Development. The candidate must have an undergraduate degree and a minimum of 5 years' experience in fundraising; extensive fundraising experience may be substituted for a completed undergraduate degree. A knowledge of Blackbaud Raiser's Edge or other fundraising database software is preferred. Responsibilities include creating and executing the annual development plan for Catholic Charities; engaging, retaining, nurturing and recognizing current donors; identifying and cultivating new donors. Please submit cover letter and resume by October 3, 2018 to Jim Kelley, Office of Development, jkkelley@charlottediocese.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