All Saints Catholic Church

Fourth Sunday of Advent

"Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord, May it be done to me according to your word."

Luke 1:38



The Week Ahead Saturday 12/23, Advent Weekday 3:30 pm Confessions 4:30 pm Rosary 5:00 pm Mass + Ed Mooney Sunday 12/24, Vigil of the Nativity of Our Lord 8:00 am Mass + Tom Blomstrom 11:00 am Mass + Pro Populo 4:00 pm Mass + For the deceased members of the **Dennis and Cluff Families** 5:30 pm Mass—For the Intentions of Carol O'Sullivan 7:30 pm Vigil Mass + Maurice & Norma Gagne and Karl Johnson Monday 12/25, THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD 8:00 am Mass + Betty Shadely 1100 am Mass - For the Sacristans Christmas Collection Tuesday 12/26, Saint Stephen, The First Martyr 7:00 pm Baptism Class Wednesday 12/27, Saint John, Apostle and **Evangelist** 9:30 am Mass + Mike Mason 11:00 am Puckett Baptism Thursday 12/28, The Holy Innocents, Martyrs 9:30 am Mass + Mike Mason Friday 12/29, Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord A Satulor as been 9:30 am Mass + Mike Mason 10:00 am Ranger Rosary 7:00 pm Movie Night Saturday 12/30, Sixth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord 3:30 pm Confessions 4:30 pm Rosary

5:00 pm Mass + Ann Sturcken

Parish Staff

Pastor:	Rev. Agustin Guzman, C.O.
	803-627-5297, Cell Phone
Deacons:	Deacon John Hall
	Deacon Andrew J. Fatovic
Pastoral	
Assistant:	Brother John Kummer, C.O.
Secretary:	Wendy Mason (M-F)
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Director of	
Religious Ed.:	Joanne Kazista
Youth Minister:	Julie Hall

Under the Administration of the Rock Hill Oratory The Rock Hill Oratory Phone: 803-327-2097 The Rock Hill Oratory Website: <u>www.rockhilloratory.net</u>

The Week Ahead Sunday 12/31, The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph 8:00 am Mass + Lorraine North 11:00 am Mass + Robert Geers 7:30 pm Vigil Mass + Robert B. Gibson Monday 1/1, Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God, The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord 9:30 am Mass + Tony Bougor

Circle this day on your calendar: <u>Friday, February 9, 2018</u>

Plan to celebrate with someone special at

the Annual Oratory Valentine Dinner 6:30 p.m.

benefiting the Rock Hill Oratory Endowment

Dinner venue is The Events at Manchester in Rock Hill

Details to follow in the coming weeks

PS... We will be soliciting items for the silent auction. If you have

a vacation home or condo, you can make available for a few days or a week; or other valued items they will be welcome. We will place a request for these in January.

The Friends of the Oratory

Celebration of the Eucharist Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm Sunday Mass: 8:00 am & 11:00 am Wednesday, Thursday & Friday Mass: 9:30 am

Reconciliation/Confession

Saturdays:3:30-4:30 pm or by appointmentPhysical Address:530 Highway 274Mailing Address:P.O. Box 5443Lake Wylie, SC 29710Phone:(803) 831-9095Fax:(803) 831-6042Email:allsaintsparish@bellsouth.netWebsite:www.allsaintslakewylie.com

Church Office Hours

9:00 am to 3:00 pm Monday-Friday

UNDERSTANDING THE MYSTERY OF THE MASS

Discover a greater appreciation for the words and actions of the Sacred Liturgy by participating in an adult religious education class on the insightful book *Understanding the Mystery of the Mass* by Fr. Matthew Buettner, pastor of St. Michael the Archangel Church in Gastonia. The class will be facilitated by Michael Coyle, who returns to us from Charlotte. Michael holds a theology degree from Franciscan University of Steubenville and has been teaching religious education for 36 years. Join the weekly discussion on six **Thursday evenings** in Lent from **February 15 through March 22,** from **7:00 pm to 8:30 pm.** *Registration forms for this class will be in the vestibule. There is a \$13.00 fee for the purchase of the book.*

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT We are a Catholic Community dedicated to proclaiming Christ's message of love and salvation through worship, sacraments and ministries.

BREAKFAST WITH ST. NICHOLAS



The Staff of All Saints wishes you a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year!!



Merry Christmas from the All Saints Youth Ministry!

All Saints' Parish Committees

Adult Senior Fellowship Peggy Hamilton701-7334
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Annulments, Rita Kincaid
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(Crief Charles), Charlene Harger 704 E17 0102
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704 202 (610
Wedding Coordinator, Kicki Alley
Women's Org., Melinda Bumber 803-619-4188
Youth Ministry/
Young Adult, Julie Hall

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I will fix a place for my people. I will plant them so that they may dwell in their place without further disturbance

(2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16).

Psalm — For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 89).

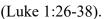
Second Reading — To the only wise God, through Jesus Christ, be glory forever and ever

Hail, full of grace

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(Romans 16:25-27).

Gospel — Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord. May it be done to me according to your word



Youth Ministry at All Saints is open to students in grades 6-8 (Middle School Youth Group) and grades 9-12 (High School Youth Group. Through presentations, socials, small group discussions, bi-weekly discipleship groups, service projects, and prayer as well as participation in Diocesan and national level retreats, leadership opportunities, and mission trips, we strive to empower our youth to live as disciples of Jesus Christ. Pick up a Spring 2018 Calendar in the PLC or vestibule and contact Julie Hall at

allsaintsyouth16@gmail.com to get involved!

	DMING COLLECTIONS
December 30-31	OPEN
December 30-31 January 6-7	Friends of the Oratory/Building
1	Fund—physical collections
January 12-14	All Saints Charities—physical
	Collection
January 20-21	OPEN
January 27-28	Church in Latin America

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: The celebration of Baptism is a moment of Grace for those to be baptized, for their families, and for the entire Parish Community. Preparation class is held the last Tuesday of each month at 7pm. Please call the office to RSVP. A Parish is a certain community of the Christian faithful stably constituted in a particular church, whose pastoral care is entrusted to a pastor (*Code of Canon Law* #515). Therefore, it is important for parishioners to register for contact and pastoral reasons. You must have a sponsor letter from the parish in which each of the godparents reside. A godparent must have received the sacraments of Baptism, Penance, Holy Communion and, if married, have been married in the Catholic Church.

Marriage: Couples planning to be married must see a priest at least six months prior to the planned marriage. Couples seeking to be married at All Saints need to fulfill the All Saints pre-marriage process. The Wedding Coordinator and/or the Pastor will provide the couple with the guidelines and secure the date and time of the wedding. Do not set a date in advance until you have spoken to the pastor.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the Parish Office if you or a member of your family need the Sacrament of Anointing.

After Hours Sick Calls: In case of serious illness after hours, please call 803-627-5297 and leave a message. Messages are checked regularly.



Angel Giving Tree A <u>BIG</u> Thank You



Thank YOU everyone for your kindness regarding the Angel Giving Tree program this year. Through your overwhelming generosity, the K of C and Respect For Life organizations collected: 8 car seats, 122 toys, almost 6,000 diapers, over 8,000 baby toiletries, and some 1,300 clothes items. They were delivered to the Gastonia Crisis Pregnancy Center and the Center Director was very thankful and ... "humbled and amazed at the provisions of our God through your ministry. Thank you. Please relay to each and everyone at your parish our gratefulness in the way God worked through them during this Christmas season." You ARE the true spirit of Christmas. Cheers and May God Bless.

OPEN WEEKDENDS 2017/2018

December 30-31 January 20-21 March 24-25 June 23-24 August 25-26 October 27-28

February 24-25 April 14-15 July 28-29 September 15-16 December 22-23

Youth Group News

Middle School Youth Group This group is for anyone in grades 6-8. We meet the first and third Friday of the month at 7-8:30 pm in the Parish Life Center.

Upcoming date: January 19th High School Youth Group

This group is for anyone in grades 9-12. We meet on Sunday evenings opposite of Confirmation Classes at 6:30-8 pm. **Upcoming dates:** January 14th & 28th Contact Julie Hall for more info 803-831-9095 or <u>allsaintsvouth16@gmail.com</u>

If you are new to our parish, you are encouraged to register as soon as possible. Registration in a parish is the norm and is required for enrollment in Religious Education programs, sacramental preparation, and sponsorship certifi-

cates. Registration forms are available in the Gathering Area.



Collection for the 12/17/2017 Weekend

Offertory	\$9.861.75
Friends of the Oratory	
Building Fund	
Votive Candle	
All Saints Charities	\$2,175.00
Saints Alive	\$880.00
Retirement for Religious	\$1.00
Christmas.	
Immaculate Conception	
Solemnity of Mary	
Families in Need	
Poinsettias	\$530.00

Adults: 918 Children: 140 Total Attendance: 1058

Faith Formation News

On **Friday, December 29th** we will be having Movie Night in the Parish Life Center from 7 pm to 9pm for all the children in the Parish.

We will be showing





Contact Joanne Kazista for more information about Faith Formation at 803-367-3299 or <u>faith-formation@bellsouth.net</u>

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Entertaining Catholic movies, programs, talks, and a great selection of popular ebooks—all just a click away! It's EASY and FREE to Register! Visit **formed.org**, click on Register, enter Parish Access Code: **T2DVPN**, enter your email and create a password, enjoy and share with others in our local community! Our parish pays an annual fee for this service, so please take advantage of it!