

## AUGUST

### Evangelization – Families

That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly “schools of true human growth”.

### **VOLUNTEER Opportunities:**

**Johnston Food Bank** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month from 8–11AM

Stock shelves and bag food items for distribution.

Located at the old Mobley Library across from the Johnston Elementary school.

**ECCHO** 300 Gray St. –Tuesdays & Saturdays from 9AM-NOON

Sort and hang clothing – Clean and sort the food pantry

August 27, October 1, and October 5

### BAA

Please consider a gift to the **Bishop’s Annual Appeal**.

Your gifts will provide funding to accomplish things such as:

- pay for the education and formation of seminarians and deacons
- help our brothers and sisters in need through Catholic Charities Services
- evangelize future generations through Youth and Young Adult Ministry programs provide pensions and healthcare for our retired priests

Thank you for your prayerful consideration. Together, we are doing the Lord’s work and building His kingdom.

Go To: [www.sccatholic.org](http://www.sccatholic.org)

Or: Make a check payable to **BAA** and place it in the Sunday collection basket.

Watch or listen to Catholic movies, DVDs and eBooks for *FREE*.

Go to: **Formed.org** (click Register)

Enter our parish code: **QQ4VRT** (create a personal account)

(Share this information with your friends and family so they may join!)

English & Spanish Titles & Children’s DVD’s available!

**Get the free FORMED app**

Please send any information you would like included in the bulletin no later than the end of office hours the Tuesday before you would like it to be included.

Go to **masstimes.org** to find a local Catholic Church when traveling.

**Sunday, August 25, 2019**

**9:00AM**

Welcome To

**Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception**

Santa María de la Inmaculada Concepción

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**Summer Office Hours:**

**Tuesday: 10:00-3:00**

**Wednesdays 10:00-3:00**

**Thursdays 10:00-3:00**

**Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Vigésimo Primer Domingo Del Tiempo Ordinario**

**Please join us for Fellowship after Mass  
in the Parish Hall**

Get to know your church family.  
Volunteers are needed to help with healthy brunch items, snacks and clean up, especially with CCD children coming to class.  
Please text Krysti 803-508-3818 if you would like to participate or for more information.

Men's Club Meeting will be held  
Monday, August 26th 6:00PM.

Anyone Willing To Prepare A Meal Contact  
David Rollison at customhomes@wctel.net

CCD Registration is now open for the 2019-2020 year!

Information and registration forms have been sent via email with your bulletin and are also available in the back of the church.  
Please contact the office or Deacon Larry with any questions.

“Knock and the door will be opened to you.” Discover the amazing plan God has for you and your marriage on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend Nov. 8-10, 2019 in North Myrtle Beach, SC and Jan. 31-Feb. 2, 2020 in North Myrtle Beach, SC.  
Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at:  
<https://SCMarriageMatters.org>  
or contact us at [applications@scmarriagematters.org](mailto:applications@scmarriagematters.org) or 803-810-9602.



Find more information about FORMED on the back. Please take advantage of this incredible program!

**Finances**

(August 18)	Reg. Collection	1,896.00
<b>Weekly Budget</b>		<b>2,503.00</b>
(x 113 weeks)		282,839.00
YTD Collections		187,781.09
YTD Balance		<b>(-95,057.91)</b>
Building/Maint. Fund	3	20,062.09
Cemetery Fund		3,017.30
Outside Donations		8,461.16
<b>DOC Collections:</b>		
<b>Diocesan Bicentennial Year</b>		<b>40</b>
<b>Outreach</b>		<b>145</b>

**MASS SCHEDULE**

SUNDAYS 9:00AM

**MASS INTENTIONS**

- For the people

August 25, 2019

Celebrant: Fr. John Paul Masilamani

Deacon: Dcn. Larry Deschaine

Lector: John/Pressley

Presentation of Gifts: Tricia Rainsford and Family

**Holy Adoration and Confession:**

Tuesday and Thursday from 5:30-6PM

**Mass:** Tuesday and Thursday at 6PM

September 1, 2019

Celebrant: Fr. John Paul Masilamani

Deacon: Dcn. Larry Deschaine

Lector: Danny/Krysti

Presentation of Gifts: Renee Garcia and Friends

**Sun. Readings:** Year C Page 640

[Isaiah 66:18-21](#)

[Psalm 117:1, 2](#)

[Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13](#)

[Luke 13:22-30](#)

**Altar Servers:**

T Longobardo III / D. Avant /

C. Haskins/ A. Weaver

**Music Director:** Beverly Hamrick

**Saint of the Day**

Saint Louis of France's Story

At his coronation as king of France, Louis IX bound himself by oath to behave as God's anointed, as the father of his people and feudal lord of the King of Peace. Other kings had done the same, of course. Louis was different in that he actually interpreted his kingly duties in the light of faith. After the violence of two previous reigns, he brought peace and justice.

Louis "took the cross" for a Crusade when he was 30. His army seized Damietta in Egypt but not long after, weakened by dysentery and without support, they were surrounded and captured. Louis obtained the release of the army by giving up the city of Damietta in addition to paying a ransom. He stayed in Syria four years.

Louis deserves credit for extending justice in civil administration. His regulations for royal officials became the first of a series of reform laws. He replaced trial by battle with a form of examination of witnesses and encouraged the use of written records in court.

Louis was always respectful of the papacy, but defended royal interests against the popes, and refused to acknowledge Innocent IV's sentence against Emperor Frederick II.

Louis was devoted to his people, founding hospitals, visiting the sick, and like his patron Saint Francis, caring even for people with leprosy. He is one of the patrons of the Secular Franciscan Order. Louis united France—lords and townsfolk, peasants and priests and knights—by the force of his personality and holiness. For many years the nation was at peace.

Every day, Louis had 13 special guests from among the poor to eat with him, and a large number of poor were served meals near his palace. During Advent and Lent, all who presented themselves were given a meal, and Louis often served them in person. He kept lists of needy people, whom he regularly relieved, in every province of his dominion.

Disturbed by new Muslim advances in Syria, he led another crusade in 1267, at the age of 41. His crusade was diverted to Tunis for his brother's sake. The army was decimated by disease within a month, and Louis himself died on foreign soil at the age of 56. He was canonized 27 years later.  
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