

SO I SEND YOU

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily: Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m.*, Chapel Saturday Vigil: 5:30 p.m., Church Sunday: 8:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.*, Church * In-person & virtual

CONFESSION

Saturday, 4 p.m. to 4:45 p.m., Chapel or by appointment

ADORATION

Thursday, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., Chapel

PARISH CENTER OFFICE

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OFFICE HOURS

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VISIT US ONLINE

Go to holyinfantchurch.org or scan the QR code below.



OPEN HEARTS · OPEN HANDS · OPEN MINDS

THOUGHTS FROM SALESIAN SPIRITUALITY

"Let us think only of spending the present day well. Then, when tomorrow shall have come, it will be called today and then, we will think about it." - St. Francis de Sales



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FIND IT ON THE WEB

Our parish website is your <u>primary</u> source for the most complete and up-to-date information about the parish. Visit holyinfantchurch.org for details on many topics, including:

- † Mass and Liturgy Times
- **† Office Hours and Contact Information**
- **Calendar of Events**, including event details
- **News** within the parish and around the diocese
- Worship & Sacraments, including sacramental prep information for Baptism, Reconciliation (Confession), Eucharist, Confirmation, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick, and Holy Orders; Vocations for men and women; and Funerals
- † Faith & Learning for adults, teens, and children; becoming Catholic; Catholic schools
- Salesian spirituality and the Oblates of St. Francis de Sales
- † Joining the parish
- **†** Getting Involved
- **†** Ministries & Groups

Safe Environment Victim Assistance Hotline

Call 866-535-SAFE

PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND

During the General Intercessions at our weekend Masses, we remember all members of our parish and community who are homebound or suffering any illness. Please remember the following in your prayers this week:

Jean Arlotta; Mary Anthony; Jo Agusta; Nancy Balding; Sandy Balintfy; Jeff Baker; Colette Bean; Jerry DeBenetto; Jennifer Bland; Mary Bocckino; Margaret Burnette; Joanne Callahan; Maria Capone; Alice Chamis; Lillian Davids; Bea Davis; Rosemary Donohue; Eileen Dowling; Christine Drap; Irene Dunbar; Jason Ferrigan; Zosima Flores; Adela Florey; Marjorie Goode; Mary Jane Haga; Mary Jane Harvey; Jane Helmer; Dave Jognia; Aileen Kock; Bill & Donna LaMountain; Alice Lefebvre; Walter Lupa; Peggy McIntyre; Maria Mitch; Monique Mueller; Nelida Muniz; Clarence Nonnenmacher; Kathleen O'Donnell; Johnathan Palermo; Louise Peloquin; Bill Perkins; Rosalind Riggio; Nancy Rizzo; Shelia Rogers; Bill Scheeler; Julia Schmidt; Tom Schreve; Betty Short; Kathy Smith; Brian Smith; Bob Smith; Hugo Sotolongo; Corrine Stavely; Marisa Suarez; Richard & Emily Thomas; Germaine Turcott;

If you or a loved one are hospitalized or homebound, contact the Parish Center.

Pentecost Sunday May 28th

Mass Times & Intentions May 29th to June 4th, 2023

Masses are livestreamed & in person unless otherwise stated.

Monday, 9 am
Tuesday, 9 am
Wednesday, 9 am
Manuel Elpa
Military Members
Loan Pham

Thursday, 9 am Parishioners of Holy Infant

Friday, 9 am Vocations Saturday, 9 am Peace in Ukraine

*Saturday, 5:30 pm *Sunday, 8:30 am

Beatrice Stamper
Kathie Fitzgerald (birthday)

Sunday, 11:30 am Mary John

*in person only

To honor a loved one, living or deceased, with a mass intention, visit holyinfantchurch.org/mass-intentions.

For more information on memorials for altar wine, lamp or altar flowers, visit

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gen 3:9-15; Ps 87:1-3, 5-7; Jn 19:25-34 Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-8; Mk 10:28-31 Wednesday: Zeph 3:14-18; Is 12:2-6; Lk 1:39-56 Thursday: Sir 42:15-25; Ps 33:2-9; Mk 10:46-52 Friday: Sir 44:1, 9-13; Ps 149: 1-6, 9; Mk 11:11-26 Saturday: Sir 51:12-20; Ps 19:8-11; Mk 11:27-33 Sunday: Ex 34:4-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52-33; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

You may also read the daily scripture readings online at **USCCB.org** every morning.

Stewardship of Treasure | July 1 - April 30

	Needed	Received	Difference
First Offertory	\$729,739	\$784,952	\$55,213
Christmas Offertory	\$30,000	\$24,507	(\$5,493)
Easter Offertory	\$20,000	\$15431	(\$4,569)
Holy Day Collections	\$5,000	\$6,407	\$1,407
Maintenance Offertory	\$29,160	\$33,174	\$4,014
	\$813,899	\$864,471	\$50,572

UPCOMING EVENTS

All events are in person unless otherwise stated.
Go to *HolyInfantChurch.org/calendar*for details on the following events:

- May 29 Memorial Day OFFICE CLOSED
- May 30 Centering Prayer 8 am
- May 30 Justice Garden Workday 9 am
- May 30 Stephen Leaders Meeting 10 am
- May 30 Table Facilitator Training 7 pm
- May 31 Choir Rehearsal 7 pm
- June 1 Marian Prayer 9:30 am
- June 1 Eucharistic Adoration 12 pm
- June 1 Yarn Ministry 7 pm
- June 3 Justice Garden Workday 9 am
- June 3 Rosary-Making 3:30 pm
- June 3 Reconciliation 4 pm
- **June 4** Leadership Summit 9:45 am
- **June 4** EMOC Spring Potluck 2 pm
- June 4 Catechumenate Session 5:30 pm

The parish library is open on Sundays from 8 am−4 pm



OBLATES ANNUAL APPEAL NEXT WEEKEND

Your contributions during this special collection will support the many ministries of the Oblates as well as the formation and training of future Oblates.

Faith Development

Families & Children Michalene Sutton 919-973-0013

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WEEKLY PODCAST

As we prepare to celebrate Pentecost, join Jeff and Jonathan Kregor, interim Dean and Professor of Music at the University of Cincinnati (and fellow UNC-CH alum and Newmanite!) for a conversation on the music of the Holy Spirit, including several familiar songs we sing for our liturgies here at Holy Infant.



REGISTER FOR BLESSING OF THE GRADUATES AND SAVE THE DATE

On June 11 during the 11:30 Mass, we will recognize graduates with a special blessing. No matter where you are graduating from - high school, community college, or university - your parish wants to recognize this milestone in your life.

Graduates, please scan the QR code above to let us know if you will be joining us.

OUT OF THIS WORLD

Launch kids on a cosmic quest where they'll have a blast shining Jesus' light to the world. We are so excited to celebrate God's OUT OF THIS WORLD love! Save the date for VBC 2023 beginning July 9th and running through the 12th from 5:30-7:30 pm. VBS is open to children 4 years old through rising 6th graders. We are also seeking teens to volunteer during camp. The camp will be hosted in the Desales Center, with some events happening outdoors.

The cost is \$35 for one child, \$60 for two children, and \$75 dollars for three or more children. Financial assistance is available! Use the QR to register your child(ren). Please reach out to Michalene with any questions at msutton@holyinfantchurch.org.



BLESSING BAG COLLECTION

Teens this summer will be making Blessing Bags to be distributed to the homeless as part of our DeSales Service Works Retreat. Please consider donating any of the following items! Donations may be left in the baskets in the Narthex under the brochure tables.

- Gallon Bags
- Nonperishable, individual snacks (Nuts, granola bars, Trail Mix, Crackers, Raisins)
- · Band-Aids or Travel size first aid kits
- Travel Size packages of Baby wipes/ moist wipes

- Toothbrushes
- **Ponchos**
- Chapstick
- Socks

· Gum or Breath mints



Ministries

Pastoral Associate
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SUMMER GARDEN PREP

June 3rd from 8 - 11 am

All ages are welcome!

We are hosting a mulch party! Bring wheelbarrows, shovels, pitchforks, and small buckets. Wear garden gloves, sun protection, and bring water to drink.

PITCH IN FOR CHARITY

Join Catholic Charities on Friday, June 23rd as we cheer on our Durham Bulls! This game is an opportunity to take a break, catch a baseball game, and support Catholic Charities, all at the same time. See below for more information. If you have further questions, please contact Malcolm Nicol, Communications Specialist at (984)900 –3116.

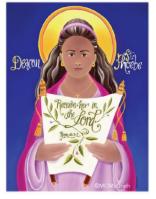
Durham Bulls v. Syracuse Mets Friday, June 23rd at 6:35 pm

Tickets must be purchased through the Catholic Charities link using the QR code above. \$5 of every ticket purchased will support the work of Catholic Charities. Plus, every fan who purchases a ticket through the Catholic Charities link will receive a special gift!

SILVER ROSE CEREMONY

On May 5, a Silver Rose ceremony was held in the Chapel at Holy Infant. Knights and other parishioners gathered to pray the rosary and offer prayers and petitions to Our Lady. In particular, we prayed for all Life, especially the life of the unborn, and for the elderly and people subject to violence.

This is the second year that Holy Infant has hosted a Silver Rose Ceremony. Before traveling to our parish, this Silver Rose was at Holy Infant parish in Reidsville and it traveled to St. Luke's in Raleigh after it left our parish. Our own parishioner, Tim Hall, is the NC chairman for these events.



ST. PHOEBE

Brother Mickey McGrath released a new image depicting St. Phoebe. He shares, "I was delighted to receive this commission to create an image of St. Phoebe, a woman I knew very little about other than the fact that she is the Patron Saint of Women Deacons. When I learned that Phoebe is depicted in traditional iconography as holding a scroll - and that she did not wear a stole as we see being worn by deacons today - it led me to imagine her with an open scroll with the words from St. Paul's letter to the Romans written on it: "Receive her in the Lord." I felt it important to depict St. Phoebe as a strong and determined woman with the wisdom of years symbolized by her grey-streaked hair. I chose the colors she is wearing for their gentle strength and for their subtle suggestions of the liturgical seasons of Advent and Lent - times of contemplative hope and welcoming the new."



CHECK OUT OUR PARISH CALENDAR FOR MORE UPCOMING EVENTS AT HOLY INFANT



Oblates of St. Francis de Sales

FINDING GOD IN THE BARBERSHOP

A few weeks ago, I found out my barber was closing his business and retiring. Brothers Joe and John Innamorato, who were born in Carife, a town in Southern Italy, opened their shop in January 1980. This classic barbershop was located on a busy avenue in the Rhawnhurst section of Northeast Philadelphia. John was a graduate of Father Judge High School and has cut the hair of many Oblate priests, brothers, and seminarians for over forty years. When he was in high school, he would go to the faculty residences of North Catholic and Father Judge and cut the Oblates' hair right on the premises. The walls of the shop were decorated with personal items and souvenirs collected over the years. Other memorabilia included statues, pictures of saints, and memorial cards of Oblates who had died.



John Innamorato and Joe Innamorato of Hair Perfection.

What I liked about John and Joe was that they gave every customer what he needed. It wasn't just about giving someone a trim or a shave, but the experience in their shop gave everyone a few minutes of peace. Some customers wanted to talk the whole time they were in the chair and others wanted to rest and catch some quiet. Some looked around at the pictures and postcards and others closed their eyes. The barbershop provided a place of balance and rest from the busy pace of our world.

The brothers closed their shop just a few weeks after they celebrated their 43rd anniversary as a business. It was right before we began the Lenten season and entered the spiritual desert where we encounter God. In many ways, the barbershop experience is like time in the Lenten desert. A visit to the barber can be an opportunity for rest and reflection, a place for quiet and community. Like Lent, a trip to the barbershop is a chance to look into the mirror and work on ourselves. We see ourselves and ask, "What do I need to change, where do I need improvement?" Our haircut reminds us that some things need to be taken away for us to be refreshed and renewed. In some ways, our time at the barbershop is like a mini-retreat.

The barbershop I have been writing about and visiting for 17 years was called "Hair Perfection." The name of the barbershop reminds me of a past reflection I wrote on perfection. We are always on the road to perfection, always working to be our best selves. I hope that during our journey, God will continue to lead us to perfection one step at a time.

-Father Jack Kolodziej, OSFS Provincial Wilmington-Philadelphia Province

