

# Holy Spirit Catholic Church Ministries

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## **PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

We, the parish community of Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Denver, North Carolina, continue our traditions of providing spiritual nourishment, Christian hospitality, and community outreach through liturgy, praise, faith formation and ministerial support. We are committed to the service of others in the name of Jesus Christ, especially those in surrounding counties.

We continuously strive to provide a loving and caring atmosphere in an ever-growing faith-filled parish community.

## **LITURGY & WORSHIP**

PPC Liaison: Celeste Richards

**Contact: Deacon Matthew Reilly**  
(704) 483-6448 [deaconmatthew@holyspiritnc.org](mailto:deaconmatthew@holyspiritnc.org)

### Altar Servers

**Contact: Deacon Webster James (704) 483-6448**  
Assist at Mass and other liturgical celebrations.

### Eucharistic Ministers- Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist (EME)

**Contact: Deacon Webster James (704) 483-6448**  
Assist with the distribution of Communion at Mass.

### Lectors

**Contact: Deacon Webster James (704) 483-6448**  
Read Holy Scriptures during the celebration of the Eucharist.

### Ushers & Greeters

**Contact: Debbie Martin (704) 609-2036**  
Greet parishioners, assist with seating, collect offertory, and distribute bulletins after Mass.

### Liturgical Coordinators

Sat 5:00pm	Debbie Martin	(704) 609-2036
	Angela Christopher	(716) 432-9675
Sun 8:30am	Linda Peterson	(704) 516-0095
	Bob Hasslett	(704) 966-0515
Sun 11:00am	Barbara Morrison	(704) 745-8780
	Michele Wessel	(704) 619-2208

### Music Ministry

**Contact: Kathy Bartlett [kathy.bartlett@holyspiritnc.org](mailto:kathy.bartlett@holyspiritnc.org)**  
Leads the choir and the children's choir & coordinates the Christmas Pageant.

### Eucharistic Adoration

**Contact: Celeste Richards (704) 483-6448**  
[richards.ppc@holyspiritnc.org](mailto:richards.ppc@holyspiritnc.org)  
Wednesday evenings at 6:00 pm, First Saturday after morning Mass

### Homebound Communion Distribution

**Judy Gais (704) 483-6351**  
Assist with the distribution of Holy Communion to homebound parishioners.

### Prayer List

**Contact: Danielle Pasqua (704) 483-6448 X305**  
Makes available prayers for those in our parish who are ill and infirmed as well as family members and friends.

## **EDUCATION & FAITH FORMATION**

PPC Liaison: Phyllis Cupaiuoli

### Faith Formation

**Contact: Faye Nye (704) 483-6448 x308**  
[faye.nye@holyspiritnc.org](mailto:faye.nye@holyspiritnc.org)

Instruction for children 4 years of age thru Adult, including sacramental preparation, in the Catholic Faith.

### Adult Spiritual Education

**Contact: Faye Nye (704) 483-6448 x308**

### Friends of Jesus

**Contact: Stephanie Mullen**  
Faith Formation and Sacramental Preparation for children and teens with special needs.

### Middle and High School Youth Ministry

**Contact: Laura Rowe (704) 483-6448 X308**  
[laura.rowe@holyspiritnc.org](mailto:laura.rowe@holyspiritnc.org)

### RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

**Contact: Ron Payne**  
[ron.payne@holyspiritnc.org](mailto:ron.payne@holyspiritnc.org)  
Instructs those interested in becoming Catholic or Catholics desiring to continue the formation of their faith.

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### Children's Liturgy of the Word

**Contact: Faye Nye (704) 483-6448 x308**

[faye.nye@holyspiritnc.org](mailto:faye.nye@holyspiritnc.org)

Reflects upon the Word of God with children during the 11:00am Mass.

### Special Sacramental Preparation

**Contact: Faye Nye (704) 483-6448 x308**

RCIA for older children and young adults.

## **PARISH LIFE**

PPC Liaison: Dr. Amy Roush

### Blanket & Shawl Ministry

**Contact: Margaret Carpenter (704) 345-5133**

Crochet Group meets Tuesday mornings and Thursday evenings working to provide shawls and blankets to those who are abused, ill, or grieving.

### Quilts of Valor

**Contact: TBD**

Creates handcrafted quilts and blankets for Service Members and Veterans

### Ladies Sodality

**Contact: OPEN**

Anne Buick (980) 254-3550

Provides spiritual growth, as well as sponsoring fund-raising projects to support many charitable causes within our church and community.

### Knights of Columbus Council 10389

**Contact: Jim Barbara - Grand Knight (704) 966-4072**

A group of Catholic men who are committed to the exemplification of charity, unity, fraternity, patriotism, and service to the church.

### Spirited Seniors

**Contact: Maureen Malmstrom (704) 966-4117**

Violet Flynn (704) 257-6407

Gathers adults 55+ for activities and social events.

### Bereavement Support Group

**Contact: Celeste Richards (704) 483-6448**

[richards.ppc@holyspiritnc.org](mailto:richards.ppc@holyspiritnc.org)

Michael Costigan (704) 483-2124

Meets monthly to offer support to parishioners who have experienced the loss of a loved one.

### Respect Life Ministry

**Contact: Cindee Brewer (703) 217-7561**

Provides information and leadership for our Parish to support Life affirming activities in our community.

## **COMMUNITY MINISTRIES**

PPC Liaison: Marie Privuznak

### East Lincoln Christian Ministry (ELCM)

**Contact: Marie Privuznak**

[privuznak.ppc@holyspiritnc.org](mailto:privuznak.ppc@holyspiritnc.org)

Volunteer agency that aids the needy in the East Lincoln Community through their Pantry, Closet, Home Meals & Crisis Ministries

### Home Meals - coordinated by ELCM

**Contact: Joanne Caruso at ELCM (704) 483-9238**

Prepared meals are delivered to those in need in the community (comparable to the Meals-on-Wheels program). New drivers are always welcome!

### Heartbeats - A Pregnancy Care Center

**Contact: Christie Sherwood [qbert08@aol.com](mailto:qbert08@aol.com)**

Provides emotional support and practical assistance to women facing an unplanned pregnancy.

### Helping Hands Community Service Organization

**Contact: Gary Becker - [beckergary@bellsouth.net](mailto:beckergary@bellsouth.net)**

Local outreach group whose focus is to serve the needs of people in and around the Denver/Lincoln County area.

### Moving On After Moving In (MOAMI)

**Contact: Candy Perry (704) 489-1696**

10-week class that provides spiritual & emotional and practical support to women going through transition while connecting with others in the community. Classes are offered each Fall & Spring at 10am on Thursdays.

### Boy Scouts of America

**Contact: Paul Jacobs (704) 604-6405**

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### **ECUMENISM**

PPC Liaison: Dr. David Walrath and Gary Hilton

Act as authentic disciples and ambassadors for Christ  
in the community

### **EVANGELIZATION**

PPC Liaison: Rebecca Glavan

#### Welcome Home for Returning Catholics

Contact: Cyndi Root (757) 408-8033

Share the Good News of the Gospels and Church  
teachings with Catholics who no longer participate in  
Church Life.

### **STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE**

PPC Liaison: Antoinette Soden

**Contact: Judy Gais (704) 483-6351**

Coordinates gifts of time, talent and treasure. DSA,  
Special Collections, volunteer coordination, welcome  
ministry

### **PARISH COMMUNICATIONS**

PPC Liaison: Maria Keville

**Contact: Deacon Webster James (919) 922-7414**

Supports the Parish and Commissions in their need to  
communicate information and spread God's word to our  
parishioners, the Diocese and local community.

### **BUILDING AND FACILITIES**

PPC Liaison and Contact: Chris vonDohlen  
**(704) 489-6628**

Building and facility maintenance and repair, grounds  
keeping, and safety/security

#### New Building Committee

Establishes a plan for the growth of our parish.

**Contact: Tommy Touchstone (704) 483-4846**

### **PASTORAL CARE & ADMINISTRATION**

#### Pastoral Council Officers

Acts as an advisory board to the pastor

**Chairperson: Ron Cortopassi (704) 756-9517**

**Vice Chair:** Michele Pallander

**Secretary:** Grace Wood

#### Finance Committee

Advises the Pastor concerning parish finances.

**Contact: Joe Miller (704) 483-3197**

### **PARISH STAFF**

**Pastor:** Rev. Carmen Malacari (704) 483-6448 x307

**Deacons:** Rev. Mr. Webster James (919) 922-7414

Rev. Mr. Matthew Reilly (704) 483-6448

**Office Manager:** Rosemary Woods (704) 483-6448 x307

**Office Associate:** Danielle Pasqua (704) 483-6448 x305

**Dir of Faith Formation:** Faye Nye (704) 483-6448 x308

**Youth Minister:** Laura Rowe (704) 483-6448 X308

**Music Director:** Kathy Bartlett (704) 483-6448