

Ambo Announcements

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 15, 2024

- Our charitable tithe this weekend will go to the [Women's Enrichment Center](#), which is a local outreach to unwed mothers or mothers in poverty. We're very happy to support this important outreach!
- The flowers in the sanctuary this weekend are in memory of Francis Mervak. May he rest in peace!
- I'm happy to announce that at 10:00 AM on Monday, September 23, we will have the Solemn Transfer of Remains from our current columbarium to our new Holy Angels Columbarium. All parishioners are invited to come and participate in the procession and participate in Mass. Please meet us at our current columbarium (near the rectory) at 10:00 AM. Mass will be offered after the procession at our new Holy Angels Columbarium. A fellowship will follow the Mass.
- Saturday, September 28, the Diocese of Charlotte is hosting a Family Life Conference at Saint Matthew's Parish. All are welcome, but there is a charge for the event. [Please view the flyer here](#). I've been asked to be a speaker at the event and address speaking moral truth with love.
- The formal blessing of the new Holy Angels Columbarium will happen after the 11:00 AM Mass on Sunday, September 29. All are invited to come for the blessing and share in fellowship afterwards.
- During the fellowship after the blessing of our columbarium, there will be three important booths: Sandy Petrizzo from our Business Office will be available for anyone who wishes to purchase a niche; Monty Bennett, our parish Funeral Coordinator, will be available with funeral pre-planning packets; and a representative from [Heritage Funeral Homes](#) (which is our preferred funeral home as a parish) will be available to initiate pre-planning with them. I'm happy to announce that Heritage will give a 10% discount to anyone who initiates a pre-planning process with them during our fellowship event.