

Mission Statement

We, the faith community of Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, devote ourselves to deepen our relationship with Jesus Christ and continue His mission to bring all to knowledge of and union with the Father through teaching, sharing and living our faith.

To this end we will strive:

- a) To know and love Christ through His Church, its sacraments, scripture, educational and social life.
- b) To recognize, encourage and utilize the unique God-given gifts of all parishioners.
- c) To recognize and demonstrate our affection and care for all others through our fellowship and outreach efforts.
- d) To labor in building up our local church with the Bishop of Raleigh and the Conventual Franciscan Friars of the Immaculate Conception Province.
- e) To deepen our bonds with one another and to grow our community through Stewardship efforts.

Worship

- Assess liturgical ministries of the parish – Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, Altar servers, Lectors, Music ministers
- To maintain and enhance our liturgical environment

Parish Life

- To meet the needs of our multicultural & diverse parish
- To provide social activities to enrich our Catholic culture – including celebrating our 80th Parish Anniversary
- To create a community of welcome for non-practicing Catholics, new parishioners, inquirers to the faith, and all others
- To promote the ideals of Justice, Peace, and the Integrity of Creation (JPIC)
- To foster outreach efforts such as a sister parish in a foreign country or our own Diocese

Faith Development

- To assess all current faith development programs including Sacramental Preparation, RCIA, JYM, TYM, Catechetical Formation (K-5th grade).
- To certify all catechists to comply with Diocesan norms
- To develop adult faith formation programs, i.e. retreats, bible study, adult catechesis

Blessed Sacrament School

- To celebrate the 75th Anniversary of the school, parish wide
- To work towards integrating school & parish at large into one community

Administration

- To rework the existing Parish Council constitution and by-laws
- To build a new Church
- To administer a parish census
- To administer a parish needs assessment
- To improve and enhance existing means of communication including the parish website
- To develop a long range parish plan that would provide vision for the future
- To form and foster a Discipleship Committee