

St. Mary  
Magdalene  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Construction News - February 4, 2016

### A Note From Father Donald Staib

Members of the Parish,

Surveyors completed their work to mark the boundaries of the orange fence and a black fence. Then the rain came. We are waiting for the inspection by Apex Town authorities so that the fences can be put up. Next step after that: construction of the retaining pond for run-off water and of an entrance off Apex-BBQ Road.

## Ash Wednesday

Wednesday is Ash Wednesday. Masses at St Mary Magdalene are at 8:15 in the morning with the school children and at 7 pm.

## Bishop's Annual Appeal



Our parish Bishop's Annual Appeal goal is \$186,555. At the moment we have received pledges/gifts of \$59,773 from 175 members of the parish. Thank you very much for this generous and early response.

To reach 100% of our parish goal please consider a gift of \$174, which is payable over a six month period. [\$29 each month for six months]

The BAA supports, seminary education, helps to fund Catholic Charities, Campus Ministry, Marriage Preparation, the Office of Vocations - about 30 ministries in all. A good motive for us this year is the fact that the loan made to St Mary Magdalene for the construction of our church is the largest loan ever made to a parish by our Diocese. We are grateful.

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## Nationwide Souper Bowl of Caring



A quick reminder that the **Nationwide SOUPER BOWL OF CARING "tackle hunger" event** will take place at all Masses this **Super Bowl weekend, Feb. 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>**. Please be part of this movement that is sharing God's love with those in need. Volunteers will be in the lobby collecting **CANS OF SOUP and DOLLAR DONATIONS** before and after all Masses. Proceeds will benefit Catholic Parish Outreach (CPO) and Western Wake Crisis Ministry (WWCM)

## Knights of Columbus Annual Fish Fry



KofC Annual Lent Fish Fry - Friday, February 12<sup>th</sup> in the Dining Hall from 5:30-7:45pm. (Eat in or Take Out). Pre-order online at [www.lentfishfry.com](http://www.lentfishfry.com). We use top quality cod and shrimp, prepared fried or baked. Fried fish is freshly breaded just prior to cooking which delivers to you a perfect golden brown crispy filet. We serve our meals with your choice of seasoned french fries, parsley potatoes or macaroni and cheese along with cole slaw, corn bread and dessert prepared by a local youth organization. Come out and enjoy a great meal

with friends and family while supporting many worthy community causes championed by the Knights of Columbus.

## 2015 Tax Statements

Tax statements are now available online. Click on the link below which will take you to the instructions on how to obtain your statement. If you do not have access to the internet or have any problems, please contact Kathy Lynch at 919-657-4800 ext. 7281 or [lynch@stmm.net](mailto:lynch@stmm.net)

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