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Saints Peter & Paul
CATHOLIC CHURCH

PENTECOST SUNDAY MAY 24, 2015

Eucharistic Congress 2015

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available in several languages at the 2015 Eucharistic Congress on Friday, June 5th, 7:30-9:30PM and Saturday, June 6th, 12:00-4:00PM. However, the lines and wait-times may be long. Please take advantage of your parish reconciliation times (at Sts. Peter and Paul, Saturdays at 4:30PM) to avoid the long lines and use the extra time to enjoy the Eucharistic Congress.

The Eucharistic Congress takes place at the Georgia International Convention Center, 2000 Convention Center Concourse, College Park, GA 30337. Admission is free.

Baccalaureate Mass

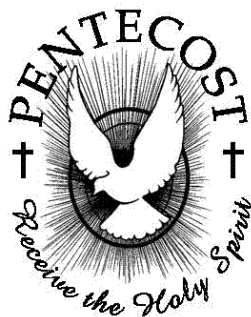
The parish will be honoring our high school and college graduates at the Baccalaureate Mass on Sunday, June 7th at 11:30AM. Wear your cap and gown to Mass, if you have it.



2015 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

This year the theme of the Appeal is: **"All This I Do For The Sake of The Gospel."** Your financial support for the work of our parish, our Archdiocese and our Church throughout the world is, in fact, one way to give Him glory and express our gratitude. Thank you in advance for your support. If you would like to make a pledge, there are additional pledge cards in the Welcome Ministers' closet, in the brochure rack in the narthex, or in the Parish Office

Parish Goal: \$46,500.00 Amount Pledged: \$46,551.00
Amount Paid: \$24,051.98 # of pledges (donors): 137
(as of 5/18/15)



Dates to Remember

June 5/6-Eucharistic Congress
June 7-Baccalaureate Mass
June 14-Man of the Year Announcement
June 14-Haitian Father's Day Celebration
June 28-Parish Picnic
July 11-Baptism Class
Aug. 15-KPC Oldie Goldie Party
Aug. 29-Women's Council General Meeting
Sept. 13-Sunday School Begins
Sept. 19/20-Shower for Gregg's Pantry
Sept. 26/27-Women's Retreat
Oct. 10-Steak & Chicken Dinner
Oct. 31-Welcome Ministers' Workshop

Haitian Mother's Day Celebration

Saturday, May 30th, 7:00-11:00PM in Price Hall. A night of fun performances, games, food, and special tributes to all our Haitian mothers. Admission is free, but donations toward the purchase of robes for the Haitian Choir will be gladly accepted.

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<http://www.facebook.com/stspandp>

Parish calendar on website. Click on Events, then Calendar.

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May 24, 2015

This Coming Week

Monday, 25th Memorial Day

Parish Office Closed
 Novena 6:30PM-Chapel

Tuesday, 26th

KPC KISS Project 11:30AM-School
 Social Committee 7:00PM-Parish Office

Wednesday, 27th

Bible Study 10:30AM-Parish Office (C)
 Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM-Church
 Scripture Study 7:30PM-Parish Office (C)

Thursday, 28th

St. Jude Circle 7:00PM-Parish Office (C)
 Haitian Rehearsal 7:00PM-Church

Friday, 29th

Adoration 9:00AM-Chapel

Saturday, 30th

Outreach 9:00AM-12:00
 Chaplet of Divine Mercy 9:00AM-Chapel
 Dance Ministry 12:00PM-Church
 Wedding Shower 3:30PM-Parish Office (C)
 Haitian Mother's Day Celebration 7:00PM-Price Hall

Sunday, 31st

Men's Club Breakfast 10:00AM-Price Hall
 KPC Brunch 1:00PM-Price Hall

Pentecost Sunday



Sacramental Schedule

Friday, 29th

8:30AM Mother's Day Novena

Saturday, 30th

4:30PM Confessions
 5:00PM Elvera Booker Blackwell, d'csd.

Sunday, 31st

8:30AM Marguerite Moore, d'csd.
 11:30AM Alda Miller (rescheduled from a previous date)
 4:00PM

Chaplet of Divine Mercy

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed on the last Saturday of the month at 9:00AM in the Chapel. Please join us on May 30th. All are welcome to pray.

Retreats at the Monastery

"Anger, Resentment and Forgiveness," June 5th-7th (weekend); "Monastic Wisdom Beyond the Cloister," June 15th-18th (midweek); "Self-Confrontation," June 19th-21st (weekend); and "Writing and Journal Keeping," June 26th-28th (weekend). For information on these and other upcoming retreats, visit www.trappist.net. Contact the retreat house at (770) 760-0959 or retreat@trappist.net for a reservation. The Trappist Monastery of the Holy Spirit is located at 2625 Highway 212, SW, Conyers 30208.

How to Avoid Falling For a Jerk (or Jerkette)

Have you ever looked back on a relationship and said: "I should have known better", "I thought they would change", or "I saw it when we were dating—but I was in love..." Or, do you know someone you want to help avoid an unhealthy relationship? **How to Avoid Falling For a Jerk (or Jerkette)** is a workshop for single and single-again adults who want to make smart relationship choices, using their heart and their head together. Come discover the five key areas to explore as you get to know a potential partner and the five bonding forces that create attachments in relationships. Learn how to recognize the warning signs of an unhealthy relationship - *before* you become too attached. Holy Spirit's Marriage and Family Ministry is offering **How to Avoid Falling For a Jerk (or Jerkette)** at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 4465 Northside Drive on Sunday, June 7th (Session 1 of 2) and Sunday, June 14th, 1:00-5:00PM. The cost is \$75 for both sessions and your workbook. Registration is required by June 3rd. Register online at www.hsccatl.com/MarriageandFamily or contact Tracey Pucci at (404) 252-4513 or tpucci@hsccatl.com for more information.

Taste of Life Benefit

Saturday, June 6th, 8:00-10:00PM at Holy Cross Church, 3773 Chamblee Tucker Road, Atlanta. The annual benefit funds the Living Room, a program that assists people with HIV/AIDS to find affordable housing. Enjoy an assortment of food and beverages, a silent auction and raffle with live music. Sample wines from 15 international vineyards and dishes from Atlanta restaurants and caterers. Tickets available at www.tasteoflifeatl.eventbrite.com. A limited number of tickets are available for \$40 each. Tickets at the door will be \$55. This event is for adults 21 and over. Contact: Pam Dorsett at (404) 317-5224 or pgdorsett@aol.com

Notes from The Catholic Foundation of North Georgia



Charitable Gift Annuities provide you cash during your life and go to the parish at your death. If you have CDs that you were planning to leave to a charity, when the CD comes due consider investing in a Charitable Gift Annuity. You will receive quarterly payments that are partially tax free and you receive a nice charitable deduction when you establish the CGA. It can also be carried over for the next 5 years. The rates are based on your age when you establish the annuity. You have to be 65 years of age and have a minimum of \$10,000 to invest. The rate at 65 is 4.9% and if you are 90 or older the rate is 9%. Please contact Diane Duquette, the Director of Gift Planning at the Catholic Foundation to receive a personal illustration: (404) 497-9440 or dduquette@cfnga.org. This is a wonderful way to help you and at your death help the parish.

Jazz Concert: The Experience

Wade Ford Summer Concert Series & SPC Enterprises presents: The Experience, featuring Mali Music, Jeff Bradshaw & Friends, Robert Glasper, Tweet, and special guest, Avery Sunshine. Saturday, June 13th at Mable House Barnes Amphitheatre, 5539 Floyd Rd., Mableton 30126. Doors Open: 5:00PM. Showtime: 6:00PM. Tickets available at Ticket Master and Mable House Barnes Amphitheatre. Partial proceeds will benefit St. Paul of the Cross.

Mass of Healing for Anyone Impacted by Addiction

Every second Saturday, 10:00AM, for all those struggling with any addiction, as well as anyone who is impacted by the addiction of someone else. Mass is celebrated in Our Lady of the Assumption's Daily Chapel. Coffee social after Mass. All are welcome! Upcoming Masses: June 13th, July 11th, August 8th. Info: mdannenfelser@olachurch.org.

Marriage Encounter

Will this summer season add beauty and growth to your marriage? A weekend alone in the warmth of your relationship will awaken that nurturing love which produces the growth and fruit God intends. Your smiles will evangelize! Join us June 12th-14th at the Atlanta Marriott Peachtree Corners. You'll LOVE what it does for each of you and everyone you encounter! Applications for June and other weekends are available at GATN-wwme.org. If you still have questions, call us at (678) 242-WWME. For Spanish speaking weekends, call (770) 425-1328. World Wide Marriage Encounter - Making Good Marriage Great!

Thoughts on Stewardship

You may recall in Daniel where God writes on the wall an unreadable message to King Belshazzar. He calls for Daniel to interpret God's message. Daniel translates, "You praised the gods of silver and gold, of bronze, iron, wood and stone...[temporal assets]. But you did not honor the God who holds in his hand your life and all your ways... You have been weighed on the scales and found wanting [eternal assets] (Daniel 5:23b,27). We must be ever mindful that on God's eternal scales, our accumulated, temporal assets, no matter how great they might be, weigh nothing. —E.G. "Jay" Link, *Who's In Charge Here?*

Stewardship-A Disciple's Response
 May 17th \$7,043.21 Children's Offertory \$35.35
 Catholic Communications \$863.25
 St. Paul reminds us today that all of our gifts have their source in the Holy Spirit and that those gifts are given "for the common good." What gifts are mine to share?



Readings for the Week

Monday, 25th St. Bede the Venerable
 Sir 17:20-24 Ps 32:1-2,5-7 Mk 10:17-21
Tuesday, 26th St. Philip Neri
 Sir 35:1-12 Ps 50:5-8,14,23 Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday, 27th St. Augustine of Canterbury
 Sir 36:1,4-5a,10-17 Ps 79:8-9,11,13 Mk 10:32-45
Thursday, 28th
 Sir 42:15-25 Ps 33:2-9 Mk 10:46-52
Friday, 29th
 Sir 44:1,9-13 Ps 149:1b-6a,9b Mk 11:11-26
Saturday, 30th
 Sir 51:12cd-20 Ps 19:8-11 Mk 11:27-33
Sunday, 31st The Most Holy Trinity
 Dt 4:32-34,39-40 Ps 33:4-6,9,18-20,22 Rom 8:14-17
 Mt 28:16-20

Altar Servers' Schedule

For 5/30-31/15
5:00PM Mass
 Nnamdi Baker
8:30AM Mass
 John Ekpoudom
 Valentine Ekpoudom
 Chandler Griffin
11:30AM Mass
 Christopher Abbey
 Kazin Glenn
4:00PM Mass
 Javaria James
 Shelsie Jeudy
 Nicholas Joseph

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our parish and those who have asked for our prayers, especially:
 Lawrence & Jean Alce, Jean-Claude Augustin, Shawn Broussard, Porscha Bryant, Jerome & Lula Bullard, Ephraim Burrell, Stephanie Cooper, Ida Cruse, Phyllis Daniel, Patricia Davis, Patricia Ecklund, Christine Edwards, Nneka Eto, Nerlange Fador, Mary Flournoy, Terresa & Joseph Ford, Elaine Galbreath, Michelle Giles, Sharon Giles, Bromley Gittens, Laura Hassell, Pierce Hawkins, Constance Holloway, Mayreais Honore, Willie Hugley, Brittany Ivory-Brown, Joseph Mario Jean-Louis, Andrea Lys, Elsa McBean, Barbara McElrath, Dianna Menefield, Josue Pierre, Grace Powers, Lynette Reid, Charles & Emma Reynolds, Linda Robinson, Leila Rogers, Herve Romain, Lamerchie Sanon, Audrey Shirley, John Sylvester, Luvina Sylvester, Sylvia Vialva, Justin Wiley, Shelly Williams, Marian Willingham
 Please help us to keep our prayer list updated by adding or removing names.