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Dates to Remember

Dec. 31-KPC New Year's Eve Dance
Jan. 5-Baptism Class
Jan. 5/6-Layette Collection
Feb. 10-Valentine's Breakfast
Feb. 12-Fat Tuesday Celebration
Feb 13-Ash Wednesday
Feb. 14-Parish Revival
Feb. 23-First Reconciliation
March 2-Evangelization Committee's
Day of Reflection
March 16-Women's Council
General Meeting



Saints Peter & Paul
CATHOLIC CHURCH

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH DECEMBER 30, 2012

Happy New Year!

No Mass New Year's Eve

Jan. 1-Mass for the Solemnity of Mary,
Mother of God 11:30AM

Parish Office closed Dec. 31st and Jan. 1st.



Epiphany Layette Collection

The annual Epiphany Sunday Layette Collection will be January 5/6, 2013 at all the Masses. Please bring baby items for newborn to six months. No food, formula or lotions please. Each year, we have been able to help several pregnant women get a good start in caring for their newborn babies. If you are writing a check, please make it out to Sts. Peter and Paul, and write in BIB on the memo line. Thank you.

Baptism Class

The next infant Baptism Class will be Saturday, January 5th at 9:30AM in the Parish Office. Parents and godparents must attend instruction before scheduling a baptism in the parish. Contact Deacon Jerry Lett at dcnjlett@gmail.com with any questions about baptism.

2012 Annual Appeal Update

Parish Goal: \$52,200

Amount Pledged: \$49,712

Amount Paid: \$40,255

(As of 12/14/2012.)



The Photographer Returns!

If you still haven't had your picture made for the new parish directory, Life Touch will be returning on January 24th-26th. The sign-up sheets will be available in January, after the holidays.

Like us on facebook

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

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December 30, 2012

This Coming Week

Monday, 31st

Parish Office Closed
Novena 7:00PM-Chapel

Tuesday, 1st

Parish Office Closed

Wednesday, 2nd

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

Thursday, 3rd

Haitian Rehearsal 7:00PM-Church

Friday, 4th

Adoration 9:00-10:00AM-Chapel
Adoration 6:00-9:00PM-Chapel

Saturday 5th

Bible Study 9:00AM-Parish Office
Baptism Class 9:30AM-Parish Office (C)
Outreach 9:45-11:00AM
Youth Core Team 10:00AM-Parish Office (M)
St. Elizabeth Circle 7:30PM-Parish Office (C)

Sunday, 6th

Layette Collection at all Masses
No Sunday School
RCIA Class 10:00AM-Parish Office (C)
St. Jude Circle Coffee & Donuts 10:00AM-Price Hall
Adult Enrichment 10:15AM-Classroom
Jr. Daughters 1:00PM-Parish Office (C)
Jr. Knights 1:00PM-Parish Office (M)

The Holy Family



Sacramental Schedule

Monday, 30th

8:30AM Communion Service

Tuesday, 1st

11:30AM Glenn McTier, d'csd.

Wednesday, 2nd

6:30PM Communion Service

Friday, 4th

8:30AM Communion Service

Saturday, 5th

8:30AM

4:30PM Confessions

5:00PM Lenagray Milner, d'csd.

Sunday, 6th

8:30AM

11:30AM For the people of Sts. Peter and Paul

1:30PM Patrick Vincent

Women of Faith & Movement Bible Study
will resume on Monday, January 7th at 7:00PM.

Cursillo Group Reunion

The Saints Peter and Paul Group Reunion that meets every Friday at 10:15AM in the chapel will resume on January 11th. Call Teresa Ford at (404) 979-0270 for more information.

Annual New Year's Eve Celebration

KPC & KPCLA Council and Court 313 invite you to their Annual New Year's Eve Celebration on December 31st, 8:00PM-1:00AM at the James A. Elam Auditorium at Omega World Center, 3951 Snapfinger Pkwy. Share in the fun and festivities. Buffet, open bar, DJ. Semi-formal, adults only. Tickets are \$50 at the door.

Catholic Day at the Capitol

The Archdiocese of Atlanta and Diocese of Savannah invite Georgia Catholics to the Seventh Annual Catholic Day at the Capitol in Atlanta on Tuesday, January 29th, 8:30AM-2:30PM. The day will start with a legislative briefing at 8:30AM at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, 48 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, SW, Atlanta 30303. We will walk together to the Capitol to view the opening session and meet your legislators. Lunch will be on your own. The event is free, but registration is required so that we can communicate last minute changes. For more information and to register, please log onto: <http://www.archatl.com/offices/communications/catholicday.php> or call Joy Place at (404) 920-7346.

Journey of Hope Workshop

January 26th, 8:00AM-4:30PM at St. Patrick Church, 2140 Beaver Ruin Road, Norcross. DivorcedCatholic.org is hosting a variety of one-day workshops to help divorced and separated Catholics. This workshop gives many very practical strategies and also provides a road map for living a vibrant Catholic faith life that helps the divorced Catholic discover and live God's abundant plan despite the divorce. Cost is \$49 per workshop and includes lunch. Scholarships are available and no one is turned away. Contact: www.divorcedcatholic.org/workshops.

Check out the Year of Faith website
for a daily prayer & thought of the day:
www.archatl.com/yof



**Notes from The Catholic Foundation
of North Georgia**



An endowment fund can honor your loved one and help the parish. You can create an endowment fund in honor of or in memory of a loved one or someone very special in your life and name the parish as the beneficiary. It only takes \$5,000 to start a fund. When the fund reaches \$25,000, distributions will be made to the parish annually. This is a wonderful way to remember your loved ones, receive a tax deduction, and benefit the parish now and forever. For details, contact: Diane Duquette, Director of Gift Planning for The Catholic Foundation of North Georgia, dduquette@cfnga.org or (404) 497-9440. More estate planning ideas are available at www.cfnga.org.

OLM Car Raffle

Our Lady of Mercy will kick off its annual Car Raffle on January 1st. Only 2,000 tickets will be sold for a brand new fully loaded Ford Focus. Tickets are \$25 each or 5 for \$100. For more information, please contact Our Lady of Mercy at (770) 461-2202 ext. 453. Please support OLM in our biggest fundraiser of the spring!



Kindred Spirits

Kindred Spirits is a singles group based at the Cathedral of Christ the King but serving ALL SINGLES, 45 plus, single, divorced, or widowed, in the Archdiocese of Atlanta. Our mission is to foster a Christ-centered community through social activities, spiritual enrichment, and outreach service programs. Our next monthly gathering is on Sunday, January 13th at 6:30PM in Conference Room 1. The Kindred Spirits group is 10 years old, so come join us January 13th for a very special Meet & Greet. We will be celebrating this exciting milestone with a champagne reception. Come enjoy some bubbly, share your stories, and raise a toast and reflect on our first 10 years, as well as look ahead to the next 10 years of friendship, faith, and service. If you like, please bring your favorite food to share and also bring a friend or two to help us celebrate. Visit [www/kindredspiritsatlanta.org](http://www.kindredspiritsatlanta.org), email us at info@kindredspiritsatlanta.org or call Colin Campbell at (678) 468-7582 for more information.

Sophia Academy

Sophia Academy, a Marist sponsored school, will host an Open House January 23rd, 6:00-7:00PM, with author Sara Duke to speak 7:00-8:00PM on her book, *What Works With Children*. Sophia Academy is located at 2880 Dresden Drive, Atlanta 30341. Pre-K-High School, personalized learning plans with award-winning teachers and students. Superior opportunities and assistive technology, seeking Catholic status. Check us out at www.sophiaacademy.org.

Marriage Day Ball

A romantic and long-lasting Christmas gift for your marriage could be a formal evening of dining & dancing with Atlanta's finest couples. The Atlanta Marriage Encounter community recommends and supports the Marriage Day Ball because of its focus on celebrating marriages. Tickets to the 28th Annual Ball are now available. The 2013 Marriage Day Ball will be held at the Crowne Plaza Ravinia on Saturday, February 16th to make your Valentine's celebration special. For details and reservations, visit <http://www.meatlanta.com/marriage-day-ball> or call (770) 623-4333.

Stewardship-A Disciple's Response

God bless you all for your generous offering!

Dec. 16th \$10,906.91 Children's Offertory \$36.28
Building Fund \$39,813.66 Pennies from Heaven \$24.37
"True joy, happiness and inner peace come from giving of ourselves to others. A happy life is a life for others."

—Henry Nouwen

Readings for the Week



Monday, 31st

1 Jn 2:18-21 Ps 96:1-2,11-13 Jn 1:1-18

Tuesday, 1st Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Nm 6:22-27 Ps 67:2-3,5-6,8 Gal 4:4-7 Lk 2:16-21

Wednesday, 2nd Sts. Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen

1 Jn 2:22-28 Ps 98:1-4 Jn 1:19-28

Thursday, 3rd The Most Holy Name of Jesus

1 Jn 2:29-3:6 Ps 98:1-3,6 Jn 1:29-34

Friday, 4th St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

1 Jn 3:7-10 Ps 98:1,7-9 Jn 1:35-42

Saturday, 5th St. John Neumann

1 Jn 3:11-21 Ps 100:1-5 Jn 1:43-51

Sunday, 6th The Epiphany of the Lord

Is 60:1-6 Ps 72:2,7-8,10-13 Eph 3:2-3a,5-6 Mt 2:1-12

School Open House

St. Peter Claver Regional Catholic School will be holding their Open House Sunday, January 13th, 1:00-3:00PM in the gym. Prospective students and their parents are invited to come and meet the faculty and staff. The school has enrollment for Pre-K through 7th grade. For more information, call the school office at (404) 241-3063.



PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our parish and those who have asked for our prayers, especially:

Bill Allen, Ulysses Bailey Jr., Gazela Ann Bell, Jerome & Lula Bullard, Ephraim Burrell, Bob Carter, Marie Charles, Stephanie Cooper, Ida Cruse, Phyllis Daniel, Patricia Davis, Webert Devilmé, Christine Edwards, Elaine Galbreath, Sharon Giles, Yohannes Hamido, Laura Hassell, Grace Hodge, Willie Hugley, Brittany Ivory-Brown, Joseph Mario Jean-Louis, Rosemary Jean-Louis, Benjamin Jean-Mardy, Carmela Jules, Yvonne Kage, Dot Lewis, Andrea Lys, Rita Maag, Elsa McBean, Barbara McElrath, Myeshia Moore,

William O'Neal, Ronald Pierre, Dulcie Philip, Lynette Reid, Charles & Emma Reynolds, Lamerice Sanon, Audrey Shirley, John Sylvester, Roland Woods, Donald & Robbie Wright, Sharon Wyatt
Please help us to keep our prayer list updated by adding and removing names. Thank you.