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Dates to Remember

Feb. 27-Jr. Daughters' Evening of Jazz
March 8-Lenten Penance Service
March 13-Daylight Saving Time Begins
March 19-Altar Servers' Recognition
March 19-Women's Council General Mtg.
March 27-Easter Sunday
April 2-Baptism Class
April 2-W.C./AACCW SE District Mtg.
April 16/17-Sale of Olive Wood Carvings
May 8-Mother's Day Breakfast
May 14-Chastain on Tilson
May 15-First Eucharist
May 21-Women's Council General Meeting



Saints Peter & Paul
CATHOLIC CHURCH

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT FEBRUARY 21, 2016

An Evening of Jazz

Join the KPC Junior Daughters on Saturday, February 27th for An Evening of Jazz and dinner in Price Hall 6:30-8:30PM. Tickets: \$10.00. For more information, contact Frieda Ricks-Mahone at (678) 851-6248.

Fish Fry

Parish organizations are sponsoring Fish Dinners every Friday (except for Good Friday) beginning at 5:00PM in Price Hall. Dinners will be available for 30 minutes after Stations of the Cross. The price for dinners will be \$7.00 for fish, French fries, vegetable, and a drink. Takeout dinners also available.

Social Committee

The Social Committee is seeking new members. You will be responsible for planning and implementing the Advent Dance, Fat Tuesday, Chastain on Tilson, the Parish Picnic, Father's birthday & anniversary. It also includes deacons' anniversaries and any other celebration of the parish. This is a hard-working committee and needs members who are eager to jump in and help. We meet the last Tuesday of the month in the Parish Center, 7:00-8:00PM. Please contact Regina James at rjames981@hotmail.com.

2016 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

"Love Never Fails"

Thank you for your generous participation in the 2016 Archbishop's Annual Appeal. It is very important that your pledges are completed so that together, our parish will reach and, hopefully, exceed our goal. Once the pledge payments have surpassed our goal, all of the additional funds are returned to our parish for use in our ministries.

Parish Goal: \$43,000	Amount Pledged: \$17,008.50
Amount Paid: \$4,015.00	# of pledges: 32
(as of 2/6/16)	

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

February 21, 2016

Second Sunday of Lent

This Coming Week

Monday, 22nd

Novena 6:30PM-Chapel

Tuesday, 23rd

Social Committee 7:00PM-Parish Office (C)

Wednesday, 24th

Bible Study 10:30AM-Parish Office (C)

Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM-Church

Women of Faith 7:00PM-Parish Office (C)

Thursday, 25th

Scripture Study 4:45PM-Parish Office (C)

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

Haitian Rehearsal 7:00PM-Church

Friday, 26th

Adoration 9:00AM-Chapel

Fish Fry 5:00PM-Price Hall

Stations of the Cross 7:00PM-Church

Saturday, 27th

Chaplet of Divine Mercy 9:00AM-Chapel

Outreach 9:00AM-12:00-Price Hall

Jr. Daughters' Evening of Jazz & Dinner 6:30PM-Price Hall

Sunday, 28th

Sunday School 10:00AM-Classrooms

RCIA Class 10:00AM-Parish Office (C)

SVDP Circle Coffee & Donuts 10:00AM-Price Hall

Adult Enrichment 10:15AM-Classroom

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Sacramental Schedule

Wednesday, 24th

9:00AM

6:30PM

Friday, 26th

8:30AM Desiree Hamilton, d'csd.

Saturday, 27th

4:30PM Confessions

5:00PM For the people of Sts. Peter and Paul

Sunday, 28th

8:30AM Helene Fujioka, d'csd.

11:30AM Sylfane Jean-Louis, b'day.

4:00PM

Friends at Sts. Peter & Paul,

I wanted to express our family's appreciation for sponsoring & hosting the luncheon following our mother's funeral Feb. 6th. As family members arrived, we were remembering the wonderful celebration following my father's funeral 17 months ago...and are just so thankful that you are throwing another party. You are truly doing God's work! Thank you!

Peace, Joe Ecklund

Thank You

I want to thank Fr. Bryan, the parishioners of Sts. Peter & Paul, Carol Craft of St. Vincent de Paul Circle, & SVDP Women's Circle who sponsored the 2015 Christmas Bag Program for Clayton Transitional Center and Mercy Outreach. It is so important for the men & women we work with to know someone cares. Your heart is surely in the right place to do the work of a servant. We were able to serve 500 at Clayton Transitional Center & Helms Medical Center. The Christmas Bag Program happens because of people like you & your church. Thank you all so much. We look forward to a continued relationship with Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church. Superintendent Lester McCard and Assistant Michael Cannon would also like you to know that without volunteers we would not have the opportunity to give the people the services that you provide. Thanks for taking the time to be a part of this facility.

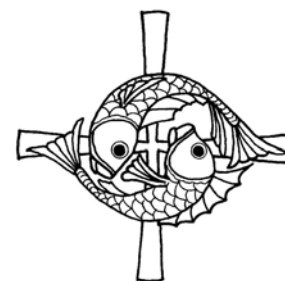
Sincerely, Chaplain Sue DeBord

Adult Enrichment

Next week, Charles Finch, MD, will return to discuss "Ethiopia and the Bible." Dr. Finch is a Family Practice Physician, a long-time parishioner, and an Egyptian scholar. Adult Enrichment meets Sundays at 10:15AM in the first classroom on the right as you enter the school.

Sankofa Youth Joint Lock-in

The Sankofa Catholic Youth Cluster of Atlanta invites high schoolers of Our Lady of Lourdes, St. Anthony of Padua, & Sts. Peter and Paul to participate in the Sankofa Youth Joint Lock-in March 19/20 at Our Lady of Lourdes, 25 Boulevard NE, Atlanta. Lock-in starts after 5:00PM Saturday Mass in Katharine Drexel Hall. There will be an off-site excursion with coach transportation provided. Parents may pick up their child by 9:00AM on Sunday. Please RSVP to Pierre Monette, Jr., Sankofa Catholic Youth Cluster Coordinator, at pmonettejr@sankofacatholicoic.org or (617) 763-0567.



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, Christine Edwards, Nneka Eto, Mary Flournoy, Terresa & Joseph Ford, Elaine Galbreath, Michelle Giles, Sharon Giles, Bromley Gittens, Laura Hassell, Pierce Hawkins, Mayreais Honore, Brittany Ivory-Brown, Joseph Mario Jean-Louis, Dale Lomax III, Andrea Lys, Elsa McBean, Barbara McElrath, Dianna Menefield, Claudia Pierre, Josue Pierre, Grace Powers, Charles & Emma Reynolds, Linda Robinson, Leila Rogers, Herve Romain, Lamerce Sanon, Audrey Shirley, Johnathan Sulton, John Sylvester, Sylvia Valva, Merlyn Walker, Justin Wiley, Marian Willingham

Altar Servers' Schedule

For 2/27-28/16

5:00PM Mass

William Cornwell

8:30AM Mass

Valentine Ekpoudom

Payton Griffin

Alyssa Nelson

Julian Ogbonna

11:0AM Mass

Destiny Abbey

Eric Swain, Jr.

4:00PM Mass

Daniellange Auguste

Khalen Therlonge

Stewardship-A Disciple's Response

Feb. 14th \$7,341.50 Children's Offertory \$40.16

Ash Wed. \$1,512.46 Black & Indian Missions \$1,084.16

Online Offertory Jan. \$6,077.75

God does not hold back so why should I?

Readings for the Week



Monday, 22nd The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle

1 Pt 5:1-4 Ps 23:1-3a,4-6 Mt 16:13-19

Tuesday, 23rd St. Polycarp

Is 1:10,16-20 Ps 50:8-9,16b-17,21,23 Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday, 24th

Jer 18:18-20 Ps 31:5-6,14-16 Mt 20:17-28

Thursday, 25th

Jer 17:5-10 Ps 1:1-4,6 Lk 16:19-31

Friday, 26th

Gn 37:3-4,12-13a,17b-28a Ps 105:16-21 Mt 21:33-43,45-46

Saturday, 27th

Mi 7:14-15,18-20 Ps 103:1-4,9-12 Lk 15:1-3,11-32

Sunday, 28th Third Sunday of Lent

Ex 3:1-8a,13-15 Ps 103:1-4,6-8,11 1 Cor 10:1-6,10-12

Lk 13:1-9

Catholic Schools' Job Fair

The Office of Catholic Schools is hosting a Job Fair on Saturday, February 27th at the Chancery in Smyrna, 9:00AM-12:00 noon. Teaching positions in grades PK (age 4) - 12 may be available for the upcoming school year. Principals from our 18 Archdiocesan Catholic Schools, Holy Spirit Preparatory School, Pinecrest Academy and Cristo Rey Atlanta Jesuit High School will be present. Qualified candidates should bring multiple copies of resumes to share with schools to which they are interested in applying. For directions to the Chancery, please visit www.archatl.com/education/ocs/contact.html.

Sharing the Gift of Blackness

Saturday, February 27th, 9:30AM-1:30PM at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church. Guest Facilitator: Sr. Eva Marie Lumas, SSS, D.Min., Associate Director, Institute for Black Catholic Studies, Xavier University of Louisiana. Pope Paul VI invited people of African descent to share their gift of Blackness with the whole Church. This seminar will explore the potential and the challenges of this invitation. Our reflection and sharing will focus on the following questions: What is the gift of Blackness? Do we have to choose to be Roman Catholics or Black Catholics? How do we already share our gift of Blackness? Is there more we can do? Can we fully share our Blackness without excluding other people and cultures? Lunch will be provided. RSVP to: Carolyn Bell at cbell@lourdesatlanta.org or call (404) 522-6776.

Launch Your Teen for Success

Is your teen ready to leave home and go to college? Catholic Charities Atlanta in conjunction with The Insight Program is hosting a workshop for parents of 10th-12th grade students. The workshop, titled "Launch Your Teen for Success for College and Beyond," will focus on helping parents identify ways to prepare their teen emotionally for life away at college. Highlights of the workshop include: Insights on why so many teens fail to launch; information about what is really going on in the brains of teenagers; tips & traps in parenting an adolescent; skills teens need to have before they go to college; the consequences of what can happen when teens don't know how to recover from failure or disappointments; signs to look for to tell if your teen is in trouble; a testimonial from parents who thought all was good with their teens when it wasn't, and what they did to turn things around. Date: February 25th. Time: 6:30-8:30PM. Location: St. Peter Chanel Catholic Church (Classrooms 6 & 7). Cost: \$99 per person. For more information and to register, please visit <http://bit.ly/launchteen>. All proceeds from this workshop will help fund Catholic Charities Atlanta's mental health counseling program for the underserved.

Love Once More

Have you recently married or are you preparing to enter a remarriage? Remarried family life is more complex & often more challenging than for first-married families, even if only one of you was married before. Couples who learn about what makes remarriage unique, and develop the skills to meet these challenges together, are much better equipped to build strong marriages. Join us for Love Once More presented by Licensed Clinical Social Worker, Linda Sweeney. This one-day workshop for couples preparing for remarriage or in the first four years of remarriage will be held on Saturday, February 27th, 10:00AM-5:00PM at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 4465 Northside Drive NW, Atlanta. Cost is \$150 per couple and includes lunch & books. Registration is required and may be done online at www.hsccatl.com/marriageandfamily. For more information, contact Tracey Pucci at tpucci@hsccatl.com or (404) 252-4513.