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Saints Peter & Paul
CATHOLIC CHURCH

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 11, 2016

Middle School Meet & Greet

All 6th-8th grade students and parents are invited to a Meet and Greet on Tuesday, September 27th, 6:30-7:30PM in the Parish Office. Please RSVP by Friday, September 23rd, to tina@stspandp.com. Come with ideas and an appetite!

A Family Night Revival

Date: Thursday, September 22nd

Time: 7:00PM

Revivalists: Fr. Charles Smith, S.V.D.
and Fr. Chester Smith, S.V.D.

Theme: "You Are Powerful"

Jr. Daughters' Bake Sale

The Jr. Daughters will be holding their Fall Bake Sale the weekend of September 24th/25th.



2016 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

Thanks to all those who paid their pledge to the Annual Appeal. Because of you, we have passed our goal for this year. If you are still paying on your pledge, please continue to do so. All pledge payments made now will be refunded to the parish assessment-free.

Parish Goal: \$43,000.00 Amount Pledged: \$67,453.22

Amount Paid: \$49,845.67 # of pledges: 172
(as of 9/2/16)

Dates to Remember

- Sept. 22-Family Night Revival
- Sept. 23-25-Women's Retreat
- Sept. 24-Haitian Game Night
- Sept. 24/25-Jr. Daughters' Fall Bake Sale
- Sept 25-RCIA Class Begins
- Oct. 1-Interfaith Summit on Violence
- Oct. 8-Baptism Class
- Oct. 8-Steak & Chicken Dinner
- Oct. 15-Women's Council Luncheon
- Oct. 15-Confirmation
- Oct. 22-Welcome Ministers' Workshop
- Oct. 22/23-Neat & Clean Shower
- Oct. 29-Harvest Fest

Thinking About Becoming a Catholic?

Have you been attending Mass here for a while, and would like to learn more about Catholicism? Are you yearning to receive Communion with everyone else? If you feel called to join the Catholic Church, the process for that is called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). RCIA class begins Sunday, September 25th at 10:00AM in the Parish Office. There are no sign-ups, just come as you are.

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

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Sept. 11, 2016 **Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

This Coming Week

Monday, 12th

Novena 6:30PM-Chapel

Wednesday, 14th

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

Thursday, 15th

Liturgy Committee 7:00PM-Parish Office (C)
 Haitian Rehearsal 7:00PM-Church

Friday, 16th

Adoration 9:00-10:00AM-Chapel

Saturday, 17th

Outreach 9:00-12:00-Price Hall
 Altar Servers 9:30-11:30AM-Church

Sunday, 18th

KPC Breakfast 10:00AM-Price Hall
 Sunday School 10:00AM-Classrooms
 Adult Enrichment 10:15AM-Classroom
 CRHP 3:30PM-Music Room



Stewardship-A Disciple's Response

Sept. 4th \$10,225.94 Children's Offertory \$29.25
 Parish Outreach \$1,960.98 Online Offertory Aug. \$6,614.74
 "I alone cannot change the world, but I can cast a stone across the waters to create many ripples." —Mother Teresa of Calcutta



Altar Servers' Schedule

For 9/17-18/16

5:00PM Mass

Lynette Reid
 Robin Reid

8:30AM Mass

Damian Ekpoudom
 Utibeno Ekpoudom

11:30AM Mass

McKenzie Fair
 Janiece James

4:00PM Mass

Christian Sharp
 Eric Swain, Jr.
 Perpetue Auguste
 Nayela Vilton

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, Faith Brown, Jerome & Lula Bullard, Ephraim Burrell, Stephanie Cooper, Ida Cruse, Phyllis Daniel, Patricia Davis, Marlon Dotson, Christine Edwards, Caroline Egbula, Nneka Eto, Elaine Galbreath, Michelle Giles, Sharon Giles, Bromley Gittens, Laura Hassell, Pierce Hawkins, Mayreais Honore, Brittany Ivory-Brown, Joseph Mario Jean-Louis, Darnell Kelly, Dale Lomax III, Andrea Lys, Stanley & Roy Mayfield, Elsa McBean, Michelle McDonald, William O'Neal, Claudia Pierre, Josue Pierre, Lynette Reid, Charles & Emma Reynolds, Herve Romain, Lamerchie Sanon, Audrey Shirley, Johnathan Sulton, John Sylvester, Sylvia Vialva, Justin Wiley, Marian Willingham, Roland Woods

Sacramental Schedule

Wednesday, 14th

9:00AM

Friday, 16th

8:30AM

Saturday, 17th

4:30PM Confessions

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

Sunday, 18th

8:30AM Betty Pothier, d'csd.

11:30AM Taylor Moore, b'day.

4:00PM Johanne Clena, b'day.

Expression of Gratitude

To Our Saints Peter and Paul Family:

Words cannot express how grateful we are for the kindness you have shown to our family. Your presence, support, and many acts of kindness have been a source of strength during this time of grief. Please keep us in your prayers, as you are in ours, while we adapt to life without Jason.

Love,

The O'Neal Family

RCIA Team Members Needed

Catechumens learn to be Catholic by hanging out with other Catholics. Our parish community is the most important team member in their faith formation. For more information on becoming a RCIA Team Member, please contact Pat Davis at (770) 316-8817 or cdprd74@gmail.com.

Annual Steak & Chicken Dinner

Tickets are on sale now for the annual Men's Club Steak and Chicken Dinner Saturday, October 8th, beginning at 6:30PM in Price Hall. We are asking everyone to participate in this event to support our scholarship fundraising. Dine in, dancing, singing, take-outs also available. Steak dinner tickets are \$18, chicken dinner \$16. See Fred Maxwell or any member of the Men's Club for tickets, or purchase tickets at the Religious Shop. Tickets are also sold between Masses.

A Brunch with the Bishop

Save the Date: Sunday, October 2nd at 11:00AM. A Brunch with the Bishop, a fundraising event to benefit the Fr. Augustus Tolton cause for canonization. Special Guest Speaker: Most Reverend Joseph N. Perry, Diocesan Postulator, Fr. Augustus Tolton Cause for Canonization, Auxiliary Bishop, Archdiocese of Chicago. Location: the Chancery of the Archdiocese of Atlanta, 2401 Lake Park Drive, Smyrna 30080. Sponsorship opportunities available for a limited time. For more information, please contact the Tolton Ambassadors Atlanta at: toltonambassadorsatlanta@gmail.com.

Monthly Discernment Mass

Men and women seeking to discern their vocation are invited to join Fr. Tim Hepburn for a Discernment Mass at 10:00AM on one of the following dates: September 17th, October 1st, November 5th, December 3rd, and January 7th. The Mass will be followed by a light brunch and discussion, and held at the St. Charles Borromeo House, 813 Dalrymple Road in Atlanta. For more information, contact the Office of Vocations at (404) 920-7460.

Women's Council Luncheon

Sts. Peter and Paul Women's Council wants you to Save the Date Saturday, October 15th for the Women's Council Luncheon. Theme: "Women Living Our Faith." Women of Sts. Peter and Paul are an active, faith-filled bunch. Join us at 12:30PM in Price Hall on October 15th for an inspiring afternoon.

Notes from The Catholic Foundation

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 and name the parish as the beneficiary. It only takes \$5,000 to start a fund, and then you can add to it each year. When the fund reaches \$25,000, distributions will be made to the parish annually. This is a wonderful way to remember those dear to you, receive a tax deduction, and benefit the parish now and forever. For details, contact Juliet Greco at The Catholic Foundation: jgreco@cfnga.org or (404) 497-9440.



Vocations Discernment Weekend

The Dominican Sisters of Hawthorne were founded in 1900 by Rose Hawthorne, daughter of famed novelist Nathaniel Hawthorne. Our apostolate is to care for incurable cancer patients who cannot afford the care they need. One of our locations is Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cancer Home, which was founded in Atlanta 76 years ago. We are hosting a Vocation Discernment Weekend, September 23rd-25th for women who are interested in learning more about religious life and the apostolate as Hawthorne Dominican Sisters. The weekend will consist of Masses, communal prayer, talks, visits with patients, opportunities to speak with the sisters, and opportunities for questions and discussion. The Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cancer Home is located at 760 Pollard Blvd. SW, Atlanta 30315. Phone # (404) 688-9515. To RSVP or for more information, please contact Sr. Alma Marie, O.P. at (845) 745-1319 or vocationdirector@hawthorne-dominicans.org.

Does Your Life Have Meaning?

Proclaim My Word presents: **Ecclesiastes**. Written & Presented by Keri Z. Allen. Thursday mornings, September 29th-November 17th, 9:30AM-11:30AM at Holy Spirit Church, St. Mary's Chapel, 4465 Northside Drive NW, Atlanta. The author of Ecclesiastes tells us that "All things are vanity." Ecclesiastes will also tell us that it is possible to have a meaningful life—and why it's critical that we live life with meaning! So...what gives your lives meaning? This short but amazing book will provide answers on how to live a meaningful life, answers that aren't always found elsewhere in the Bible. You will be encouraged to enjoy and be grateful for the gift of life God has given you. When you rely on God's wisdom, you will increase your faith and trust in Him, especially when life seems unfair. Homework is optional. No cost, free will offering. Nursery available upon request. To register go to: www.proclaimmyword.org or email info@proclaimmyword.org. For questions call: (404) 281-5741.

Heart of South DeKalb Festival 2016

Presented by "Discover DeKalb" September 24th at The Gallery at South DeKalb (mall). This year's theme: "Celebrating and Honoring Our First Responders" All day family fun! Parade, food trucks, health & job fair, children's area, car show, S.T.E.M./STEP competition, entertainment, vendors, and more. Don't miss this day!

Readings for the Week



Monday, 12th The Most Holy Name of Mary

1 Cor 11:17-26,33 Ps 40:7-10,17 Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday, 13th St. John Chrysostom

1 Cor 12:12-14,27-31a Ps 100:1b-5 Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday, 14th The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Nm 21:4b-9 Ps 78:1b-2,34-38 Phil 2:6-11 Jn 3:13-17

Thursday, 15th Our Lady of Sorrows

1 Cor 15:1-11 Ps 118:1b-2,16ab-17,28 Jn 19:25-27

Friday, 16th Sts. Cornelius and Cyprian

1 Cor 15:12-20 Ps 17:1bcd,6-7,8b,15 Lk 8:1-3

Saturday, 17th St. Robert Bellarmine

1 Cor 15:35-37,42-49 Ps 56:10c-14 Lk 8:4-15

Sunday, 18th Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Am 8:4-7 Ps 113:1-2,4-8 1 Tm 2:1-8 Lk 16:1-13