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#### Dates to Remember

**April 21/22**-Eucharistic Minister Training **April 23**-Adult Confirmation Class Begins

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April 29/30-Women's CRHP Weekend

May 7-Last Day of Sunday School

May 11-Calendar Meeting

May 13-Chastain on Tilson

May 14-Mother's Day Breakfast

May 20-Women's Council General Meeting

May 21-First Eucharist

May 28-Haitian Mother's Day Celebration

June 3/4-Holy Land Olive Wood

June 16/17-Eucharistic Congress

June 25-Parish Picnic



# FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT APRIL 2, 2017

### Holy Week Schedule

April 9th Palm Sunday

Masses 5:00PM (Sat.), 8:30AM, 11:30AM, 4:00PM (Haitian)

April 11th Rehearsal for Holy Thursday/Good Friday 7:00PM

April 13th Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper/Washing of Feet 7:00PM

April 14th Good Friday

Stations of the Cross thru Neighborhood 12:00 noon

Stations of the Cross 3:00PM, Church

Solemn Service/Veneration of the Cross 7:00PM

April 15th Holy Saturday

Rehearsal for Vigil Mass 12:00 noon

Easter Vigil Mass 8:30PM

April 16th Easter Sunday: The Resurrection of the Lord

Masses 8:30AM, 11:30AM, 4:00PM (Haitian) Parish Office closed April 13th, 14th, and 17th

### London/Paris Trip Presentation

A representative from Collette will be here this afternoon at 1:15PM in the Adult Enrichment room to make a presentation on the trip to London & Paris scheduled for November 8th-15th. Please note that the time on the back of the trip brochure is incorrect.

### 2017 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

Thank you to all who have responded to the letter from Archbishop Gregory. There is still time to respond. If you received the mailing and have not responded, please take advantage of this time to do so. In addition to providing for ministries and services throughout the archdiocese, the Annual Appeal also funds services that are of great help to other ministries here in our parish. 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.

Amount Pledged: \$37,410.00 Parish Goal: \$42,700.00 Amount Paid: \$13,579.56 # of pledges: 44

(as of 3/27/17)

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### April 2, 2017

### Fifth Sunday of Lent

### This Coming Week

#### Monday, 3rd

Novena 6:30PM-Chapel

### Tuesday, 4th

St. Vincent de Paul Circle 7:00PM-Parish Office (C) Charismatic Prayer Group 7:00PM-Chapel

#### Wednesday, 5th

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

#### Thursday, 6th

Scripture Study 4:45PM-Parish Office (C) Haitian Rehearsal 7:00PM-Church

#### Friday, 7th

Adoration 9:00-10:00AM-Chapel Fish Fry beginning at 5:30PM-Price Hall Stations of the Cross 7:00PM-Church

### Saturday, 8th

Outreach 9:00AM-12:00-Price Hall KPCLA Court Meeting 3:00PM-Parish Office (C)

#### Sunday, 9th Palm Sunday

RCIA Class 9:30AM-Parish Office (C) Sunday School 10:00AM-Classrooms St. Jude Circle Coffee & Donuts 10:00AM-Price Hall KPC 1:00PM-Parish Office (C) KPCLA 1:00PM-Classroom

### Stewardship-A Disciple's Response

March 26th \$7.805.44 Children's Offertory \$18.00

Easter Flowers \$1,119.66

When Jesus heard about the illness of his friend, Lazarus, he responded, 'This illness is not to end in death; rather it is for God's glory, that through it the Son of God may be glorified." Every aspect of our lives our gifts as well as our sufferings - can, if surrendered to Christ, lead to blessing for others and ourselves.

## Readings for the Week



### Monday, 3rd

Dn 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62 Ps 23:1-6 Jn 8:1-11 Tuesday, 4th St. Isidore

Nm 21:4-9 Ps 102:2-3,16-21 Jn 8:21-30 Wednesday, 5th St. Vincent Ferrer

Dn 3:14-20,91-92,95 (Ps) Dn 3:52-56 Jn 8:31-42

Thursday, 6th

Gn 17:3-9 Ps 105:4-9 Jn 8:51-59

Friday, 7th St. John Baptist de la Salle Jer 20:10-13 Ps 18:2-7 Jn 10:31-42

Saturday, 8th

Ez 37:21-28 (Ps) Jer 31:10-13 Jn 11:45-56

Sunday 9th Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Mt 21:1-11 (procession) Is 50:4-7

Ps 22:8-9,17-18,19-20,23-24 Phil 2:6-11 Mt 26:14-27:66

### PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our parish and those who have asked for our prayers, especially: Jean-Claude Augustin, Shawn Broussard, Jerome & Lula Bullard, Ephraim Burrell, Zayia Cherilus, Stephanie Cooper, Ida Cruse, Phyllis Daniel, Marlon Dotson, Christine Edwards, Caroline Egbula, 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, Ronald Jean-Louis, Darnell Kelly, Dale Lomax III, Andrea Lys, Roy & Stanley Mayfield, Elsa McBean, Dianna Menefield, Gregory Montgomery, Grace Powers, Charles & Emma Reynolds, Audrey Shirley, Johnathan Sulton, John Sylvester, Reynold Voltaire Jr., Sylvia Vialva, Justin Wiley, Marian Willingham

### Sacramental Schedule

Wednesday, 5th 6:30PM Eugenia Beard Friday, 7th 8:30AM Agnes Richards Saturday, 8th 4:30PM Confessions 5:00PM For the people of Sts. Peter and Paul Sunday 9th 8:30AM Rita Huggins, d'csd. 11:30AM Louis J. LaBeaud, d'csd. 4:00PM Alberta M. Therlonge, b'day.

### Second Collection: Holy Land

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Holy Land Collection. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Collection also helps preserve the sacred shrines. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians, In these times of crisis, the Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees. When you contribute to the Pontifical Holy Land Collection on Palm Sunday, you become an instrument of peace and join Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land.

#### **Adult Confirmation Class**

If you are an adult who was baptized and received First Communion, but did not receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, you are invited to attend the six-week Adult Confirmation Class. Class will begin Sunday, April 23rd at 1:00PM in the Adult Enrichment room, and conclude with Confirmation on Pentecost Sunday, June 4th. If you have any questions about the class, contact Deacon Jim Anderson at wyethjim@yahoo.com.

### Sts. Peter and Paul Women's Retreat 2017

Date: Friday, September 22nd through Sunday, 24th Registration is now available online at our parish website. For more information, call Gloria George Patrick at (404) 374-6603.

### Parishioners in Hospital

Please let the Parish Office know when there is a parishioner in the hospital. The hospitals do not contact the parish. The only way Fr. Bryan is going to know is if a parishioner's family or friends contact us.

### Easter Musical Show at the Shrine

Following in a tradition of out-of-the box thinking and action, the Catholic Shrine of the Immaculate Conception (home of the nationally acclaimed Atlanta Homeward Choir) is proud to present the North American premiere of A Gospel Line, a musical by celebrated Irish composer Gavin Byrne. With sweeping melodies, Celtic undertones, and toe-tapping numbers, A Gospel Line brings to life the journey of Christian faith from creation to resurrection. There will be two performances only - April 7th and 8th at 8:00PM - at the historic Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, 48 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr. SW, Atlanta 30303. Parking is available at the Underground Atlanta lot. For more information and tickets, please visit catholicshrineatlanta.org or call (404) 521-1866.

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Loved the wedding; invite me to the marriage. Love, God A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend can help you do that! The Weekend is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores and phones...and focus on each other. Take this message as a sign and decide to experience a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, where you will experience greater depth, growth and enrichment in your relationship. Enjoy this opportunity to talk and listen to that special person who loves you! Decide now to enrich your relationship by attending the next Weekend, which is scheduled for April 21st-23rd at the Atlanta Marriott Peachtree Corners. You can get more information or apply online at GATN-wwme.org or by calling (678) 242-WWME.

### 2017 Good Friday Pilgrimage

The 37th Annual Ecumenical Good Friday Pilgrimage (Urban Way of the Cross) sponsored by the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Office of Justice & Peace Ministries is scheduled for Friday, April 14th, 9:00AM-12:00 noon. The pilgrimage will begin at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, 48 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, SW, Atlanta 30303. We will gather at 8:45AM and begin our journey at 9:00AM. We will conclude at approximately noon at the King Center with a reflection and closing prayer. Buses will be available to return participants to our start point. A break is scheduled at the halfway point. Please bring your own water bottle as water will be provided at the break. The two mile walk is wheel chair/stroller accessible, with some uneven sidewalks along the way. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Kat Doyle, Director of Justice & Peace Ministries at kdoyle@archatl.com. ALL are welcome.

### 10th Annual CCA Soiree

Catholic Charities Atlanta (CCA) invites you to join us as we celebrate a Decade of Help & Hope at our 10th Annual CCA Soiree at the Georgia Aquarium! This year's glamorous event will take place Saturday, April 22nd. Over 500 individuals will come together to raise awareness about the life-changing services that Catholic Charities provides throughout our community. Highlights of this event will include an exciting silent auction, award-winning seated dinner by Wolfgang Puck, dancing to Rupert's Orchestra, and more! Get your tickets now. You don't want to miss out on this fabulous evening: bit.ly/SOIREE2017.

#### Haitian Corner

#### Frères et Soeurs Bonsoir!

Aujourd'hui est 5è Dimanche de Careme et nous sommes deja à huit jours de la Semaine sainte. Une fois de plus le regard va se porter davantage sur le mystère pascal. Le Christ va passer de sa souffrance terristique à sa vie de gloire. La résurrection de Lazare en est un signe prémonitoire. Et Paul nous dira que, par le baptême, un passage similaire qui se réalise en nous. Nous passons d'une vie sous l'emprise de la chair à une vie sous l'emprise de l'Esprit.

Dans l'évangile de Jean, c'est Jésus qui déclare à Marthe: "... Celui qui croit en moi, même s'il meurt, vivra; et tout homme qui vit et qui croit en moi ne mourra jamais..." Il n'empêche que Lazare est mort. Jésus dira plus précisément qu'il dort. Quel acte de foi de la part de Marthe! Pour nous, aujourd'hui, Jésus est la « Résurrection » et la « Vie ». C'est par Lui que nous avons la vie de l'Esprit Saint reçue au baptême. Sans lui, nous sommes incapable de dépasser certains seuils dans nos vie. C'est Lui, Jésus, qui peut intervenir, qui peut aller au-delà de nos épreuves, de nos croix, que nous sommes incapable de changer et auxquelles nous ne pourrons donner sens, c'est-à-dire valeur de vie éternelle. Marthe a fait confiance même si son frère était mort. Cette scène de la Parole de Dieu nous est donnée pour que nos yeux aillent au-delà des apparences. Jésus peut faire éclater les frontières étroites qui nous tiennent dans la mort.

**Bon Dimanche et Bonne Semaine!**