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#### Dates to Remember

Aug. 18/19-Neat & Clean Shower

Aug. 25-Baptism Class

Aug. 25-KPCLA All White Affair

Sept. 9-Sunday School Begins

Sept. 27-Family Night Revival

Sept. 28-30-Women's Retreat

**Sept. 30**-RCIA Class Begins **Oct. 13**-Steak & Chicken Dinner

Oct. 20-Welcome Ministers' Workshop

Oct. 27-Harvest Fest

Nov. 3-KPCLA Prayer Breakfast

Nov. 9-11-Men's Retreat



# EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 5, 2018

# **KPCLA Book Scholarship**

The Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary Court #313 present their 2018 Scholarship arship for a graduating submit completed applications and all applicable documents before the **deadline of Friday, August 10, 2018**. Please contact Mrs. Jeannine Purvis at (678) 491-1734 or any member of KPCLA or contact the Parish Office.

# Eucharistic Minister Training/Recertification

The next training session for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will take place on Saturday, August 11th at 9:00AM in the Adult Enrichment room and on Sunday, August 12th in the Parish Office following the 8:30 Mass. You may confirm the status of your certification by checking with Fr. Bryan, the deacons, or Morris and Linda Giles. Those wishing to become a Eucharistic Minister should attend the Saturday session. Those needing recertification may attend either session.

## 2018 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

Thank you for your generous participation in the 2018 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: \$46,600.00

Amount Pledged: \$64,364.03

Amount Paid: \$43,386.19 # of pledges: 127

(as of 7/30/18)

Please visit our website at appeal.archatl.com for more information or to donate online. Or there are pledge cards/envelopes in the rack in the narthex.

Like us on facebook http://www.facebook.com/stspandp Parish calendar on website. Click on Events, then Calendar.

#### Parish Office

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#### Clergy

Rev. Bryan D. Small, Pastor, ext. 3857 frbryan@stspandp.com

Rev. Mr. Alfred Mitchell, Deacon dcnalfred875@bellsouth.net

Rev. Mr. Jerry M. Lett, Deacon dcnjlett@gmail.com

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Rev. Mr. J. Tony King, Deacon kingt03@bellsouth.net

Rev. Carl Jean, Haitian Chaplain (404) 271-0504 Haitianchaplaincy@gmail.com

#### **Parish Staff**

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### August 5, 2018

### Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

# This Coming Week

#### Monday, 6th

Novena 6:30PM-Chapel

#### Tuesday, 7th

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

#### Wednesday, 8th

Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM-Church

#### Thursday, 9th

Haitian Rehearsal 7:00PM-Church

#### Friday, 10th

Adoration 9:00-10:00AM-Chapel

#### Saturday, 11th

Outreach 9:00AM-12:00-Maxwell Hall Eucharistic Minister Training 9:00AM-Adult Enr. Room Catechist Certification 9:00AM-2:00PM-PO (C)

#### Sunday, 12th

Eucharistic Minister Recertification 10:00AM-PO (C) SVDP Circle Coffee & Donuts 10:00AM Summer Movie Series 10:15AM-Classroom Lunch & Learn Picnic 12:00PM-Maxwell Hall Knights of Peter Claver 1:00PM-PO (C)

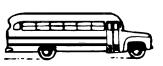
### Stewardship-A Disciple's Response

July 29th \$6,723.00

Children's Offertory \$29.79

Mission Cooperative \$1,006.62

Society says: Acquire as many expensive possessions as possible because they are evidence you are a successful, important person. Scripture says: The excessive accumulation of possessions will distract you from fulfilling God's purpose for your life.





# Readings for the Week



Monday, 6th The Transfiguration of the Lord
Dn 7:9-10,13-4 Ps 97:1-2,5-6,9 2 Pt 1:16-19 Mk 9:2-10
Tuesday, 7th St. Sixtus II and Companions
Jer 30:1-2,12-15,18-22 Ps 102:16-23,29 Mt 14:22-36
Wednesday, 8th St. Dominic
Jer 31:1-7 (Ps) Jer 31:10-13 Mt 15:21-28
Thursday, 9th St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross
Jer 31:31-34 Ps 51:12-15,18-19 Mt 16:13-23
Friday, 10th St. Lawrence
2 Cor 9:6-10 Ps 112:1-2,5-9 Jn 12:24-26
Saturday, 11th St. Clare
Hb 1:12-2:4 Ps 9:8-13 Mt 17:14-20
Sunday, 12th Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
1Kgs 19:4-8 Ps 34:2-9 Eph 4:30-5:2 Jn 6:41-51

#### PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our parish and those who have asked for our prayers, especially: Jean-Claude Augustin, Novar Bates, Shawn Broussard, Faith Brown, Toni Brown, Porscha Bryant, Jerome & Lula Bullard, Ephraim Burrell, Jean Charles, Zayia Cherilus, Stephanie Cooper, Buddy Cospelich, Carl Crawford, Ida Cruse, Phyllis Daniel, Cameron Davis, Patricia Davis, Marlon Dotson, Christine Edwards, Nneka Eto, Mary Flournoy, Elaine Galbreath, Michelle Giles, Sharon Giles, Bromley Gittens, Laura Hassell, Pierce Hawkins, Mayreais Honore, Brittany Ivory-Brown, Rosemary & Sylfane Jean-Louis, Salyon Johnson, Andrea Lys, Elsa McBean, Dianna Menefield, Gregory Montgomery, Mimi Moore, Claudia Pierre, Grace Powers, Audrey Shirley, Effie Sims, Johnathan Sulton, John Sylvester, Luvina Sylvester, Sylvia Vialva, Reynold Voltaire Jr., Merlyn Walker, Justin Wiley, Marian Willingham

### Sacramental Schedule

Wednesday, 8th

9:00AM Melvina & Benjamin Thompson, d'csd.

Friday, 10th

8:30AM Stephanie Hamilton, b'day.

Saturday, 11th

4:30PM Confessions

5:00PM Joseph J. Moore, b'day.

Sunday, 12th

8:30AM Christine Chapman, b'day.

11:30AM Jonah A. Marty, b'day.

1:30PM Robert Roc, b'day.

#### Thank You AKA!

The Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary (KPCLA) Court #313 thanks the Lambda Epsilon Omega (LEO) Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. for their recent participation in the KPCLA Court #313 backpack initiative. The AKA's generously donated over 100 backpacks and school supplies to St. Peter Claver Regional Catholic School and Gregg's Pantry.

### Baptism Class

The next infant Baptism Class is scheduled for Saturday, August 25th at 9:30AM in the Parish Office. Parishioners wishing to have a child baptized should be registered in the parish and should contact a member of the clergy as early as three months before the birth of their child. If you have any questions about baptism, please contact Deacon Jerry Lett at denjlett@gmail.com.

#### 28th Men's Club Steak & Chicken Dinner

Tickets are now being sold for our 28th Annual Men's Club Steak & Chicken Dinner on Saturday, October 13th, beginning at 6:30PM. This annual event is a scholarship fundraiser. The money raised from this event enable the Men's Club to give scholarships to our schoolkids. We are asking everyone to help by purchasing a couple of tickets, or even selling tickets to others. Tickets are \$18 for steak and \$15 for chicken. You can pick up your dinner and take it home to enjoy or come join us in Maxwell Hall for a wonderful sit down meal. See Fred Maxwell or any member of the Men's Club for tickets, or purchase your tickets at the Religious Shop. Tickets will also be sold after Saturday Mass and between the 8:30 and 11:30 Masses. Let's all support this event.

# Annual OLPH Fundraiser Begins August 11th

We ask for your continued support in this fundraising effort to assist those affected by terminal cancer at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cancer Home. Please see members of Women's Council for tickets in the narthex after each Mass. Tickets are \$5 per book of 6. Your donation will help fund many services and medical supplies for those in need, as well as provide adequate nursing care. The annual luncheon will be held at St. Peter Chanel in Roswell on Saturday, October 20th. Tickets for the luncheon are \$45 each. Thank you for your support. For more information, please see Dorothy Rutledge.

#### Notes From The Catholic Foundation

Deo Gratias! (Thanks be to God!) We are grateful to our parishioners who have remembered our parish in their will or estate plans. Anyone who has made a planned gift to our parish receives membership in the Deo Gratias Society of the Catholic Foundation of North Georgia. This includes an invitation to the annual Mass and luncheon with Archbishop Gregory in August. If you have included our parish, a Catholic school or other Catholic ministry in your will or estate plans, please contact Juliet Greco at (404) 497-9440 or jgreco@cfnga.org so that we can honor you at this special event. Learn more about our giving societies at www.cfnga.org.

### Marriage Encounter

Married Couples: Do you hunger for a deeper love in your marriage? Let Jesus fill your hunger. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on August 10th -12th and September 28th-30th. Attend, and your love for each other will be multiplied to abundance! You can get more information or apply online at GATN-wwme.org or by calling (678) 242-WWME.

#### Love Once More

Holy Spirit Catholic Church will again host **Love Once More** as a one-day remarriage workshop on August 18th. **Love Once More** is designed for couples in which at least one partner has lost a previous spouse through death or divorce. <u>It can be used as marriage preparation or as enrichment for recently remarried couples.</u> Licensed Clinical Social Worker, Linda Sweeney, will be the workshop presenter, bringing more than ten years of experience presenting remarriage workshops in a Catholic setting. The cost of this workshop is \$150 per couple and includes lunch and study material. Registration may be done online at www.hsccatl.com/marriageandfamily. Holy Spirit Catholic Church is located at 4465 Northside Drive NW, Atlanta 30327.

#### Fortunate and Faithful Families

Fortunate and Faithful Families, an archdiocesan approved ministry for Catholic families with LGBT children, will host a time of sharing, discussion and prayer on Sunday, August 26th in the parish hall following the 11:00 Mass at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception on MLK Blvd. As the World Meeting of Families in Dublin celebrates its final day, we, too, will meet to celebrate our families and address the issue of insensitive language and bullying that can erode the foundation of love in homes, schools and churches. Conal Charles, PFLAG Gulf Coast Regional Director, as well as a Catholic high school counselor will facilitate. All supportive parents, family, and LGBT persons are welcome! For information, go to ffatl.org, the FFF Facebook page, or call (770) 924-3920.

#### Have You Started Your Cursillo?

The Cursillo method takes a Christian beyond a passive belief in God to a daily interaction with God and His people, helping one to become more committed in Christ. The Cursillo Journey begins with a three-day weekend experience which invites Catholics to dive deeper into the well of our faith and personally connect with God's unlimited love. The Atlanta Archdiocese Cursillo weekend will be held at the Monastery of the Holy Spirit in Conyers. Weekends begin Thursday evening and conclude Sunday afternoon. (Men, October 4th-7th; Women, October 11th-14th) If you are interested in attending a Cursillo Weekend, please contact Anthony and Kimi Nettuno (406-579-9535, nettuno44@gmail.com) or Larry Ruder (678-293-6315, lruder@msn.com).