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THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME JANUARY 26, 2020

CONGRATULATIONS

2020 Woman of the Year: Phyllis Daniel
2020 Youth of the Year: Gabrielle Hall

Wednesday Bible Study

Wednesday morning Bible Study meets at 10:30AM in the Parish Office. We initially meet in the chapel for morning prayer and then in the conference room. All are invited. For further information, please contact Deacon Jim Anderson at wyethjim@yahoo.com or (678) 759-2345.

2020 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

This year the theme of the Archbishop's Annual Appeal is "You are the Light of the World." One way we can show our love to our brothers and sisters in faith is to generously respond to the Bishop's request for a pledge to the 2020 Appeal. While much of the Church's ministry takes place in our parishes, we also come together as an archdiocesan Church to carry out critical services and ministries that have an impact beyond any one parish. Your support for the Archbishop's Annual Appeal helps bring the spiritual and corporal works of mercy to life in your parish as a part of our overall effort to spread and deepen faith in the Merciful Lord throughout the archdiocese. Through your generous gifts, we can continue the work we were called to do as Christians: educate our seminarians, support our retired priests, provide catechesis to our children and protect the rights of the unborn. Please be generous in your response. For more information, or to donate online, go to archatl.com/appeal The parish goal for 2020 is \$46,400.



Dates to Remember

- Feb. 8/9-Sweets for Sweetie Bake Sale
- Feb. 15-Lector's Workshop
- Feb. 15-Haitian Valentine Party
- Feb. 16-Youth Mass
- Feb. 23-Blood Drive
- Feb. 26-Ash Wednesday
- Feb. 29-Black History Program
- March 12-14-Haitian Lenten Retreat
- March 14-Baptism Class
- March 21-Lenten Penance Service
- April 12-Easter
- April 25-Confirmation

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January 26, 2020

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

This Coming Week

Wednesday, 29th

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

Thursday, 30th

Scripture Study 4:30PM-PO(C)
Liturgy Committee 7:00PM-PO(C)
Haitian Rehearsal 7:00PM-Church

Saturday, 1st

Outreach 9:00AM
St. Elizabeth Circle 2:00PM-PO(C)
Novena 4:00PM
Book Sale after Mass-Narthex

Sunday, 2nd

Book Sale after Masses-Narthex
Rosary 8:00AM-Church
Sunday School 10:00AM-Classrooms
Adult Enrichment 10:15AM-Classroom
First Reconciliation Parents' Meeting 10:15AM
Jr. Daughters/Jr. Knights 1:00PM



Stewardship-A Disciple's Response

Jan. 19th \$6,131.23 Children's Offertory \$22.50
"We must give alms. Charity wins souls and
draws them to virtue." —St. Angela Merici



Readings for the Week



Monday, 27th St. Angela Merici
2 Sm 5:1-7,10 Ps 89:20-22,25-26 Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday, 28th St. Thomas Aquinas
2 Sm 6:12b-15,17-19 Ps 24:7-10 Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday, 29th
2 Sm 7:4-17 Ps 89:4-5,27-30 Mk 4:1-20
Thursday, 30th
2 Sm 7:18-19,24-29 Ps 132:1-5,11-14 Mk 4:21-25
Friday, 31st St. John Bosco
2 Sm 11:1-4a,5-10a,13-17 Ps 51:3-7,10-11 Mk 4:26-34
Saturday, 1st
2 Sm 12:1-7a,10-17 Ps 51:12-17 Mk 4:35-41
Sunday, 2nd The Presentation of the Lord
Mal 3:1-4 Ps 24:7-10 Heb 2:14-18 Lk 2:22-40

Prayer for the Sick

Please pray for the sick of our parish and those who have asked for our prayers, especially:
Seeketa Anderson, 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, Val Dorsey, Marlon Dotson, Christine Edwards, Nneka Eto, Mary Flournoy, Michelle Giles, Laura Hassell, Pierce Hawkins, Mayreais Honore, Brittany Ivory-Brown, Rosemary & Sylfane Jean-Louis, Salyon Johnson, Andrea Lys, Elsa McBean, Dianna Menefield, Gregory Montgomery, Myeshia Moore, Claudia Pierre, Grace Powers, Charles & Emma Reynolds, Manuel Rivas, Audrey Shirley, Effie Sims, Johnathan Sulton, Luvina Sylvester, Sylvia Vialva, Reynold Voltaire Jr., Merlyn Walker, Justin Wiley

Sacramental Schedule

Wednesday, 29th

7:00PM Haitian Mass

Friday, 31st

9:00AM

7:00PM Haitian Mass

Saturday, 1st

4:30PM Confessions

5:00PM

Sunday, 2nd

8:30AM For the people of Sts. Peter and Paul

11:30AM Lionel Gittens, d'csd.

1:30PM Haitian Mass

Youth Mass

Calling all youth of the parish! We will be having a Youth Mass at 11:30AM on Sunday, February 16th. Join us as a lector, Welcome Minister, or a singer in the choir. Sign up by contacting Elias Benn, (404) 241-5862 x3855, elias@stspandp.com or Tina Guyden, tina@stspandp.com.

Repast Hospitality Ministry

Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church is looking for those members who would like to be a part of the Repast Hospitality Ministry. If hospitality is your forte, come join this deserving ministry which serves families and their guests at their funeral repasts. Repasts may be 4 to 5 hours, usually on a Saturday. No one is required to stay the whole time. You can choose to do any of the following: Set up, serve, and clean up. If interested, please feel free to contact Debbie Gittens-Hans at dnature3@hotmail.com or (404) 295-8542. You can find hospitality throughout the Bible: Heb 3:2, Is 58:7, 1 Tm 5:10, Ti 1:8, 1 Pt 4:8-9, Acts 16:33-34, Lev 19:3-34, Lk 14:12-14, Lk 14:7-11, Mt 25:42-46.

Peace, Debbie Gittens-Hans

Thursday Scripture Study

Thursday afternoon Scripture Study began January 9th at 4:30PM in the Parish Center. We are completing the Study of Matthew (Year A) just in time for the beginning of Lent. Beginning with the Transfiguration of Jesus in chapter 17:1, the Gospel of Matthew continues to reveal through Jesus' teachings what it means to be a disciple. This part of the study of Matthew reveals a growing tension as Jesus ministers around Jerusalem, is arrested, is crucified, and rises to new life. Revealed as Emmanuel (God with us) at the start of the Gospel, Jesus will promise his continuing presence as the disciples are commissioned at the close of the Gospel. Commentary, study and reflection questions, prayer, and access to recorded lectures are included.

Caregiver Support Group

Presented by Alzheimer's Association Georgia Chapter. The 4th Thursday of the month, 7:00-8:00PM at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall, 502 Edgewood Ave. NE, Atlanta 30312, 1-800-272-3900. Visit alz.org/Georgia to learn more about caregiver programs and resources. To further extend your network of support, visit ALZConnected, our online community, at alzconnected.org

Better Infant Births

I want to thank everyone for their donations of baby layette items and monetary contributions of \$686.00 for Better Infant Births (BIB). At present, 27 layettes have been made. These layettes are appreciated by the new mothers who go to the DeKalb County Health Clinics for their prenatal care and childhood education. BIB is a project of the Atlanta Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (AACCW) with which our parish's Women's Council is affiliated. Thank you, Jean Driskell

Notes From The Catholic Foundation

Online Giving for Catholic Schools Week: Make a gift in thanksgiving for your favorite Catholic school this week in celebration of its contribution to your family and community. Give online at www.cfnga.org and click "Give Now." Your gift will support the school for future generations. For more information, please contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation: jgreco@cfnga.org or (404) 497-9440.

SPC Open House

St. Peter Claver believes that a Catholic education is one of the greatest gifts you can give your children. Please join us for our Open House from 1:00 to 3:00PM on Sunday, January 26th, to see for yourself what an outstanding educational opportunity exists right here. Learn more about the ways SPC works to make Catholic education affordable. Visit the school website, www.spc-school.org to reserve your spot today or call Anna Abbott at (404) 241-3063.

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. A Cursillo weekend is not simply a retreat, but rather the beginning of a person's life-long growth as a Christian. If you are interested in deepening your faith and growing in Christian community, Cursillo may be just what you're looking for. 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 weekends will be held at the Monastery of the Holy Spirit in Conyers. Weekends begin Thursday evening and conclude Sunday afternoon. (Men, February 27th-March 1st; Women, March 5th-8th) If you are interested in attending a Cursillo Weekend, please contact Anthony and Kimi Nettuno (406-579-9535, nettuno44@gmail.com) or Mark Bopp (404-423-6290, welby89@hotmail.com) or visit www.atlatholiccursillo.com.

Life Every Voice

The Catholic Lay Interparish Partnership (CLIP) invites each of you to lift your voice to tell the next Archbishop of Atlanta what you care about as the Church moves forward. United in our love of God, our faith, and each other, we urge you to take this 7-15 minute survey: <http://bit.ly/AquinasClipSurvey>. CLIP is an interparish group of concerned Catholics who care about their faith and the future of the Church. Formed in response to the abuse and leadership crisis of 2018, the group seeks increased accountability, transparency, and co-responsibility (i.e., cooperation between clergy and laity) in the administration of church affairs. The deadline to complete the survey has been extended to February 15th.

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