



Saint Patrick Catholic Church

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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Saturday, 4:00 pm ❖ Sunday, 10:00 am

Wednesday and Thursday, 9:00 am

First Friday, 10:00am

Holy Days of Obligation, 12:00 Noon and 6:30 pm

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm or by appointment

Third Sunday on Ordinary Time

FIRST READING: (Isaiah 8:23 – 9:3) **2nd Reading** (1 Corinthians 1:10-13,17) **Gospel** (Mathew 4:12-23)

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE HOSPITAL OR ON HOSPICE: Please keep all the sick and their caregivers in your prayers.

OUT OF RESPECT for the privacy of our parishioners, names of those who are in the hospital are not listed in the bulletin without prior approval by the individual or an immediate family member if the individual is unable to speak for themselves.



PRAYER BOOK: The prayer book in the narthex is available for all prayer requests. Please pray daily for these requests.

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS: Especially our families, friends and loved ones who are currently in active military service: Carlos Aguirre (Stateside) Darren Armentrout (Stateside), Darryl Balcom (Stateside), Jeremy Barton (Stateside), Joseph Byrd (Stateside), Matthew Cavender (Stateside), Melissa Dooley (England) Andy Easter (Afghanistan) Jaren Garton (Deployed) Brian Gibson (Iraq), Heath Gober (Iraq), Michael Anthony Grinston (Stateside), Andrew Hays (At Sea) Samantha Higgins (Stateside), Scott Jones (Stateside), Daniel Jordan (Stateside), Brett King (Stateside), Jenny Malone (Stateside), David Miller (Stateside), Richard Parvin (Qatar), Joey Serio (Iraq), Ben Perry (Qatar), and John Toombs (Afghanistan) . Please keep all of our brave men and women in your prayers. **If you know of any parishioner who should be added to or removed from this list, please contact the office.**

PLEASE JOIN OUR PARISH! We would love to have you as a registered member of St. Patrick. If you would like to join our parish, please pick up a Census Card in the narthex, fill it out and put it in the collection basket.

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE UNABLE TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES Mickey Davidson. Please keep these, all the homebound, and their caregivers in your prayers. If you know of any parishioner who should be added to or removed from this list, please contact the office.

WEEKLY FINANCE REPORT

<u>Account</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expense</u>	<u>Diff.</u>
Operations	5,164.27	10,031.38	(4,867.11)
Capital Imp.	1,225.00	1920.80	(695.80)
Approved BF	0.00	0.00	0.00

EVERYONE NEEDS A NEW CENSUS CARD!

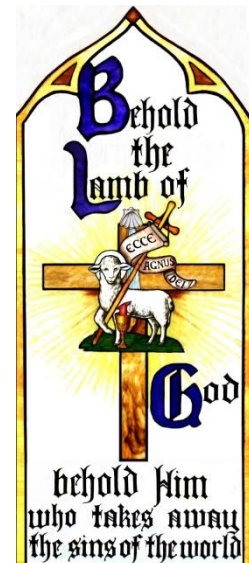
Every family must have a family card and each member a member card. **NOTE:** by Gift Bearer please indicate Saturday or Sunday. Write in Angel Tree Ministry and Pray Shawl Ministry. By Emergency Phone please indicate name and relationship.

COLD AND FLU SEASON IS HERE!

Please remember that it is not a sin to miss Mass when you are sick. It is also not a sin to miss Mass if you need to stay home with a sick child. Even if it is “just a cold” In fact it is more in keeping, with Jesus’s commandment to love, for you to protect others from getting the flu or a cold. Remember an illness, that is “just a cold” to you, could be detrimental to the health of someone else. Especially the very young, the elderly, and those with compromised respiratory or immune systems. Please stay at home when you are ill and keep your children at home when they are ill.

THIS IS A CHURCH but it is also a public building.

ALL Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult on the Church premises. This includes bathroom visits and outdoor fun! Please help us keep our children safe at all times.



2nd Sunday of the Year: Through your baptism you are God's servant and light to others. With whom will you share your light? Consider a vocation to the consecrated life or priesthood. (Isaiah 49:3,5-6). Let us pray for those who desire to share their light of faith and serve the Church. (**Vocation View is sponsored by Serra Club**)

Growing in Faith

FAITH FORMATION Wednesday evening classes are held in the Family Life Center classrooms below the gym. 6:30pm to 7:45 pm

CONFIRMATION CLASS: 16 youth from St. Patrick will be Confirmed on Thursday, February 20th, 2020 at 6:30 pm. Students in the confirmation class cannot miss any classes from now through the date of confirmation without prior consent for a valid reason from the Director of Religious Education, Janet Rubino.

PARENTS OF CONFIRMANDI will meet with Janet Rubino, DRE, on Wednesday, January 22nd at 6:30 pm in the Church. This meeting is mandatory. At least one parent must be present to receive the details for the upcoming rite and expectations. Questions / concerns should be directed to Janet Rubino.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD Sunday's during the 10:00 am Mass unless otherwise noted. This is for children ages 3 through 2nd grade. No registration is necessary for CL attendance.

RCIA: Considering joining the Catholic Church? Catholic but never confirmed? Need to make your First Communion? Want to be baptized? Let us help you! Check out our RCIA classes for adults considering joining the Catholic Church. Come and Learn. For more information, please call the church office. Classes are Tuesdays, at 6:00 pm. Unless otherwise noted. **NOTE:** No RCIA on Tuesday, January 28



SHAWL MINISTRY: The Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet this Monday, January 20th at 6:30 pm. If you know of someone who is sick or in the hospital in need of comfort and prayers please let us know. Interested in joining? Call Mary Evans.

THE PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP: We would like to ask you to keep all the people who have received items from the ministry in your prayers. We have been active since 2011 and are still going strong. Lately we have been hit hard with "young" people in need of prayers as well as many parishioners. Please see the bulletin board for more information.



MUSIC MATTERS: The next Choir Rehearsals will February 16th at 9:00 am.. Choir will lead music for the 10:00 am Mass following the rehearsal.



PARISH BINGO! January 25th after Mass. Bingo will begin at 5:45. Come out and have fun with your parish family. Hot Dogs will be available for purchase.



GROWING THRU ACTION

YOU ARE INVITED to Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic School's OPEN HOUSE on Sunday, January 26, 2020 at 1720 Oxmoor Road in Homewood between 2:00 – 4:00 pm.

Don't miss this opportunity to find out how you can empower your child's future with an affordable Catholic education! New students and their families have the opportunity to personally meet our outstanding teachers and staff, tour our accredited school, and discover our faith-enriched community of learning and service. Applications are available now online at olsschool.com. Also, please check us out on Instagram and Facebook. If your child was placed on a waiting list from last year, you must re-apply for 2020. Please call our school office if you need additional information.

CONFRATERNITY OF CHRISTIAN MOTHERS: Moms, do you need a spiritual boost every now and then? Or maybe just a couple hours of quiet prayer and a chance to step away from life's busyness for a little bit. If so, then join us at Our Lady of Sorrows on Monday, January 20, for Adoration and Confession from 6:00 to 7:00 PM, followed by Mass and a speaker. Adoration and mass will be in the church. The speaker will be Carol Berry so please come and hear her story in the Family Life Center! It is a great opportunity to pray, go to Confession, receive the Eucharist, make new friends or renew old friendships, and hear a good speaker. If you have any questions please contact Janel Martignoni at christianmothersbhm@gmail.com! All are welcome!

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER invites all married couples to Renew the Romance, Revitalize your Marriage, Communicate more Openly, Find Deeper Intimacy, Focus on Your Spouse and Share the Joy with the One You Love by attending the Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend The next weekend in the diocese is scheduled in Cullman, **March 27-29, at St. Bernard Abbey**. You can get more information or register online at www.ALFL-wwme.org or by calling Barney & Kathy Bellard.

SAINT ROSE ACADEMY announces a **Festival of Fine Arts** on Sunday, January 26 from 2 to 5 p.m. Enjoy performances by local artists. Admission is free of charge. Adults only, please. 1401 22nd Street S, Birmingham, AL 35205 www.strosebhm.org

RETREAT: The Benedictine Sisters Retreat Center in Cullman is sponsoring a retreat to be held in Cullman January 24-26, 2020. This retreat is designed for those new to Centering Prayer, a form of Christian prayer rooted in the ancient Christian contemplative tradition. Its purpose is to foster a deeper intimacy with Christ through the silence and stillness of contemplative prayer. Private rooms and the ability to maintain silence are required. The cost is \$255/person for a private room. For more information, please contact the Benedictine Sisters Retreat Center at e-mail retreats@shmon.org.

MORE AD SPACE: We now have more advertising space in the bulletin. Let your fellow parishioners know all about your business. For more information and rates call Ann Tulloss or Anthony Brooklere.



SVDP MEETING: The next meeting will be held Thursday, January 23, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome to join us.

SHOP AT AMAZONSMILE: Amazon will donate a portion of any online purchase to SVdP. Simply click the icon on the SVdP page on St. Patrick website to place your order. Donations will be computed by AMAZON and automatically transferred to our account.



PLEASE HELP THE SVdP PANTRY
See Brown Bag List For needed items



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time: In the Gospel after Jesus was baptized, John testified saying, "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove...and remain upon him." **As you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box, know that you are a sign of God's Spirit of love to those who are suffering.**

2nd Collection

Weekly Mass Schedule

Initial Offering	 Saturday	01/18	4:00 pm	Eddie Perkins -†
	Sunday	01/19	10:00 am	Mass for the People
	Monday	01/20	No Mass	
	Tuesday	01/21	9:00 am @ St. Stanislaus	
	Wednesday	01/22	9:00 am	Margie Lee -†
	Thursday	01/23	9:00 am	Frances Lovoy Puccio -†
The Church in Latin America	Friday	01/24	9:00 am @ St. Stanislaus-†	
	 Saturday	01/25	4:00 pm	Lennie Lee Stano -†
	Sunday	01/26	10:00 am	Mass for the People

Weekly Events and Meetings

Sunday	Jan. 19	10:00 am	Mass – 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Children's Liturgy Choir 9:00 am
Monday	Jan. 20	6:30 pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry
Tuesday	Jan. 21	6:00 pm	RCIA
Wednesday	Jan. 22	10:00 am	Mass 6:30 pm Faith Formation 6:30 pm Parents of Confirmandi meeting
Thursday	Jan. 23	9:00 am	Mass
Friday	Jan. 24		
Saturday	Jan. 25	4:00 pm	Vigil Mass – 3rd Sunday on Ordinary Time Parish Bingo after Mass
Sunday	Jan. 26	10:00 am	Mass – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Children's Liturgy

DAILY MASS MINISTRY: Volunteers are needed to be Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers during Daily Mass. If you would like to serve please check in at the office 15 minutes before Mass begins.

LOST AND FOUND: There are several articles in lost and found. Please call the Church Office for assistance.

NEW CENSUS CARD PLEASE: If any of your information has changed, please take the time to fill out a new census card completely. Not sure? Fill one out anyway and don't forget to mark your choices on the privacy line. That is, let us know if we may share your address and phone information with your fellow parishioners. This line is located on the Family Information portion under City / State / Zip

VISITS TO THE SICK If you are ill and in need of the Sacraments and would like a visit from Fr. Vernon, he has asked that you (or an immediate family member if you are too ill) contact him through the church office. The surest way of getting the message to Father is by speaking to him personally during office hours or calling the church office and leaving a message either on the answering machine or with a member of the office staff.

THE IMPORTANCE OF CANS! Thank you for your contribution of aluminum cans to benefit our youth programs at the church. Please remember to rinse your cans after use and do not crush them in any way so that they will fit into our can crusher properly. Finally, please deposit cans in the receptacle in the corner of the upper parking lot ensuring that they are placed in bags that are tied so that the cans do not fall out when retrieved by our volunteers. We appreciate everyone's cooperation and continue to **SAVE THOSE CANS!**