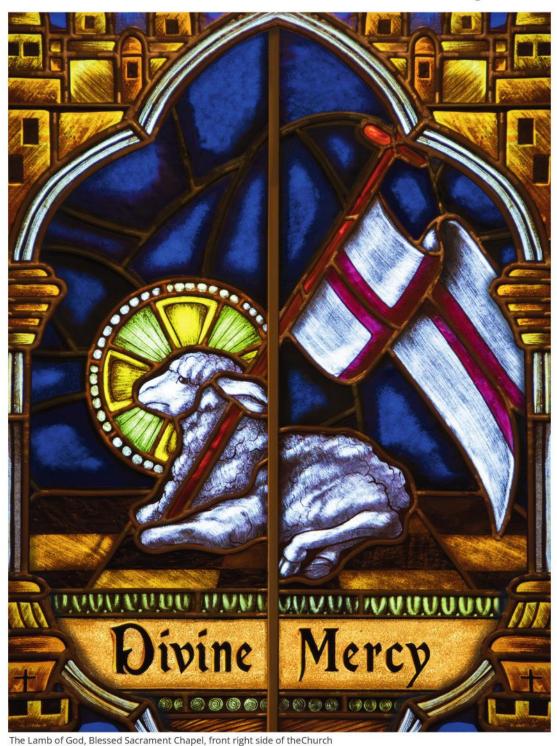


April 27, 2025

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This Week's Scripture

"Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." – John 20:29

An exercise for this week:

Focus on believing without seeing. Look for ways to trust in God's presence and promises, even when things are uncertain or unclear. Choose a particular relationship or personal challenge and ask God for the grace to take one step forward in faith, even if it is a small step.

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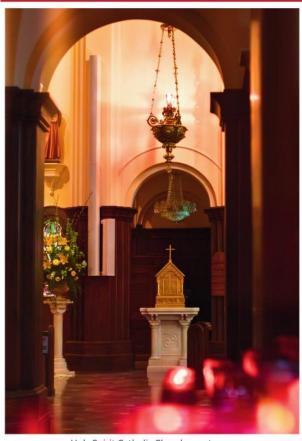
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April 28 - May 4

Monday April 28		Cooper Taylor + Carol and Lily Bolash
Tuesday April 29		The Fogarty Family + Mai Keenan +
Wednesday April 30		Margarita, Enrique, and Enrique Jr. Montero + Lisa and Michael Landry
Thursday May 1		Dimitri Sautre Gloria Matson +
Friday May 2		Tom Rawls + Ada Robayna +
Saturday May 3		Special Intention The Casano Family (L) / +
Sunday May 4	8:30 AM 10:00 AM 11:30 AM Esp 1:00 PM	Valeria Altamirano + Sautre-Umana Family Supporters (L) / + The Steven Rayappa Family For the People of Holy Spirit Almas de Purgatorio + Peter Vincent Battaglia +
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Request Mass Intentions at massintentions@hsccatl.com

Prayers for the Sick

Carol Bolash, Theresa Brindock, Skeet Fischer, Roland Fuentes, Carolyn Hyde, Christine Jenifer, Gery Laube, Judy Nieves, Edwin Roscoe, Jan Ruane, Cecilia Rusca, Sherry Sawicki, Judy Scalley, Alice Smith, Jack Soltis, Tracy Winsor

Prayers for the Sick in the Community

Jack Brodie, James Busby, Cleo Calogeropoulos, Nick Colley, Janet Etheridge, Barbara Genner, Stephanie Kittrell Hall, Larry Hardin, Sandy Johnson, Robert Joyce, Debra Kammermann, Diana McDonald, Lance McNeilis, Mark Oprisch, Edward Pisani, Sr., Rosa Newburn Soltis, Jim Staudohar, Robert Stenzel, James Torcivia, Bridget Triggs, Gabriel Triggs, Bob Wojciechowski

Prayer List Policy

For prayers for the sick for parishioners and immediate family members contact the parish office at 404-252-4513 or email kschulman@hsccatl.com. You can also submit prayer requests for friends and non-family members at the votive candle stands in St. Mary's Chapel and the Church.

Baptisms

Clark Finn Campbell Arthur Thomas Turner

New Parishioners

Sonia Frambro Will Vienyard



Pray for the Repose of the Souls of

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Parish News

Gratitude for a Blessed Holy Week

We extend our deepest gratitude to all the liturgical ministers and volunteers whose dedication, time, and heartfelt service brought beauty and reverence to our Holy Week liturgies. From the careful preparation behind the scenes to the grace and presence shown in each role, your commitment helped create a sacred space where our parish family could enter fully into the mystery of Christ's passion, death, and resurrection.

To those who cleaned sacred vessels, prepared altar linens, sewed statue coverings, stained our outdoor stations of the cross, adorned our Church, Chapel and Hall with flowers, built our altar of repose, offered liturgical support at our Masses, filled our Church with beautiful music and song, and sponsored our catechumens: thank you for offering your gifts so generously—your efforts made this Holy Week truly meaningful and prayerful for all.

Healing Prayer Service

All parishioners are invited to a healing prayer service on Tuesday, April 29, at 7:00 PM in St. Mary's Chapel. This service does not include the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

First Friday Adoration: Spend Time with the Lord

Our monthly First Friday Adoration will take place in St. Mary's Chapel on Friday, May 2, from 9:00 AM until 5:00 PM, and again from 6:30 PM. until 8:30 AM. All are invited to stop by the chapel to spend some quiet time in prayer with the Lord. For those interested in serving as a guardian by committing to one hour each month, please visit hsccatl.com/myhour to sign up.



First Saturday Rosary

Please join us in St. Mary's Chapel after the 8:30 AM Mass, on Saturday, May 3, to pray the rosary and unite in prayer with our Blessed Mother. Please direct all questions to Anne Rieger at annerieger@cloud.com.

Final Men's Club Meeting Until September: All Men Welcome

The Men's Club invites all men of the parish to join them for an evening of fellowship on Monday, May 5, at 6:30 PM at Thos. O'Reilly's Public House in Sandy Springs. Visit with friends old and new for drinks and a Dutch treat dinner. Enjoy socializing, cocktails, and dinner. This will be the last Men's Club gathering until September - you won't want to miss out! Sign up on the parish website at hsccatl.com/rsvp if you plan to attend.



NIGHTLY NEWS

Meetings

Our next Council Meeting is Monday, May 19, at 6:30 PM in McDonough Hall

If you're a Catholic male over the age of 18, we'd love to have you join us. Come meet the Knights. See for yourself what we're up to: the charities we support - the activities in which we're engaged - the communities we serve. We'll even throw in dinner!

To learn more, contact John Williams, Grand Knight, at 6517gk@gakofc.org.



Just a Friendly Reminder

Taste of Mexico is next Sunday, May 4, (about as close to Cinco de Mayo as you can get). Stop by McDonough Hall throughout the day (it ends around 3:00 PM) to pick up some of the best tasting Mexican food you'll ever eat. Just ask my tastebuds. They can't wait to savor comida tan buena!



News & Events



Flag Retirement Ceremony

The Knights of Columbus (Assembly 3313) held a formal Flag Retirement Ceremony in McDonough Hall on February 21. Over 100 flags that had seen better days were disposed of according to appropriate ritual. In attendance was a Brownie troop that learned the proper folding of a flag! Old Glory. Battered but not bowed. Just the thing for a Knights' order dedicated to patriotism.

Our next Pancake Breakfast is TODAY

So why are we showing you an omelet? Because we want to be sure that you don't miss our ever-popular omelet station! Manned by Knights who can flip some eggs to perfection. Sure, you can still get pancakes, as well as bacon, sausage, and hash browns. Or indulge in all of the above. Just stop by McDonough Hall after the 7:00 AM, 8:30 AM or 10:00 AM Masses. We hope to see you there!





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with guest speaker Elizabeth Leon

Hosted by Holy Spirit Grief Ministry and Pregnancy and Infant Loss Ministry



Parish News

Wednesday Night Dinner

Join your parish family on Wednesday, May 14, for our last Wednesday Night Dinner until September. C. Parks Catering and Events will prepare a festive BBQ menu featuring pulled pork and chicken, avocado street corn salad, coleslaw, macaroni and cheese, baked beans, collard greens, and apple cobbler. Dinner will be hosted by volunteers from our Funeral / Funeral Reception committees. The cost is \$15 for adults and \$5 for children, with a family maximum of \$35 for a family with young children. Bottles of San Pellegrino may be purchased for \$3 each; beer / wine will be available with a donation. RSVP online at hsccatl.com/rsvp by noon on Tuesday, May 13.

Mother's Day Novena of Masses



Mother's Day is Sunday, May 11. Remember the special women in your life during the Mother's Day Novena of Masses. Use the spiritual bouquet packets available in the Narthex. Complete the outer envelope and place it in the offertory basket or return it to the parish

office. Then send the enclosed card to your special loved one. The packets will be available through Mother's Day.

Women's Club Presents Summer Entertaining with Charcuterie

Back by popular demand, Marcy Braselton of Community Kitchen Co, will be revealing her secrets to building the ultimate cheese board on Monday, May 12, at 11:30 AM and 6:30 PM. Marcy will share her tips and demonstrate how to assemble a seasonal board (using her favorite foodie finds) for easy and elegant entertaining. At the conclusion of the workshop, the guests will sample the products on the finished board. Bring a friend and learn



how to create a beautifully curated charcuterie board, just in time for your The cost is \$20 to attend. Sign up online at hscatt.com/rsvp.

Renew Your Spirit and Brotherhood in Christ - Men's Retreat April 28

All men of the parish are invited to retreat on Monday, April 28. Organized by Regnum Christi lay members from Holy Spirit and led by a Legionaries of Christ priest, these monthly retreats inspire men to deepen their faith. The evening begins at 6:00 PM in the Church with a rosary, Mass, and adoration, followed by dinner, a spiritual conference, and fellowship in McDonough Hall. Donations for dinner are welcome. Confession is available. Contact Kurt Oppermann at truk0691@gmail.com for details.

Volunteers Needed for Sunday Morning Coffee

We extend our gratitude to Ruben Ortiz for his dedicated leadership in organizing our coffee fellowship over the past few years. We will miss you and your family and wish you all the best!

We are looking for friendly faces to help with our weekly Sunday Morning Coffee service. Resposibilities include brewing coffee, setting up snacks, and sharing a warm welcome with your fellow parishioners after the 8:30 AM and 10:00 AM Masses. We CAN NOT have



this ministry of hospitality without volunteers! Please contact Kate Cotterman at kcotterman@hsccatl.com if you would like to help.

Honoring Pope Francis: A Legacy of Love for the Poor

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As we mourn the passing of Pope Francis, we reflect on his profound witness to compassion and justice. His words, "You pray for the hungry, then you feed them. That is how prayer works," remind us that prayer and action are inseparable. Pope Francis taught us that true faith lives in service—especially to those on the margins. His deep love for the poor and call to mercy have inspired Vincentians around the world. May we honor his legacy by continuing to serve our neighbors in need with humility, love, and hope—turning prayer into action, and faith into care.

This is also our weekend for the Collection for the Poor. Thank you for your generous heart and ongoing support of our neighbors in need. You can donate to a volunteer holding a basket after Mass or online by clicking "Giving," then "Collection for the Poor.





What is Divine Mercy Sunday?

In 1931, Jesus appeared to Sr. Faustina in Poland and expressed his desire for a feast celebrating his mercy. The Feast of Mercy was to be on the Sunday after Easter.

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy

St. Faustina wrote that Jesus said to her, "At the hour of their death, I defend as My own glory every soul that will say this chaplet; or when others say it for a dying person " (Divine Mercy in My Soul, no. 811).

The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed in St. Mary's Chapel

Divine Mercy Chaplet 10:00 AM - English 11:00 AM - English 12:00 PM -Spanish

Confessions 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

SUNDAY, APRIL 27

Plenary Indulgence Available

The Church has made Divine Mercy Sunday an occasion for receiving a plenary indulgence, "the remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sin whose guilt has already been forgiven" (CCC, no. 1471). The plenary indulgence is granted to the faithful under the usual conditions: (Confession, Eucharist, prayer for the intentions of the Pope, and complete detachment from sin, even venial sin). The faithful may either take part in the prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy in any church or chapel or recite the Our Father and Creed in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament exposed or reserved in the tabernacle, adding a devout prayer to the merciful Lord Jesus.

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Sunday Morning Adult Speaker Series

April 27 - Mass is So Much More Than Meets the Eye - Part II

Dr. Andrew McGovern will continue a theological study of the Holy Mass, the "source and summit of Christian life" (Vatican II and Catechism of the Catholic Church). You will come to more deeply appreciate God's gift in all its splendor.

May 4 - The Golden Age of Spain: Spanish Masters of Catholic Art

Professor Andrew Kurt will shed light on two exceptional painters from Golden Age Spain, placing their work in the context of the Catholic Reformation. His talk will highlight how faith and culture can intertwine with extraordinary results filled with meaning and beauty. Come and meet the Masters! A contemporary theological and artistic emphasis on the Immaculate Conception harmonizes nicely with the special May devotion to Our Lady.

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May 4 - End of Year Party (Rising 9th graders welcome!)

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Henry Bromin
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Juan Manuel Chavez Castaño
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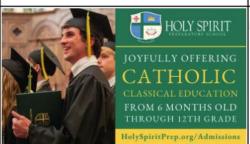


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