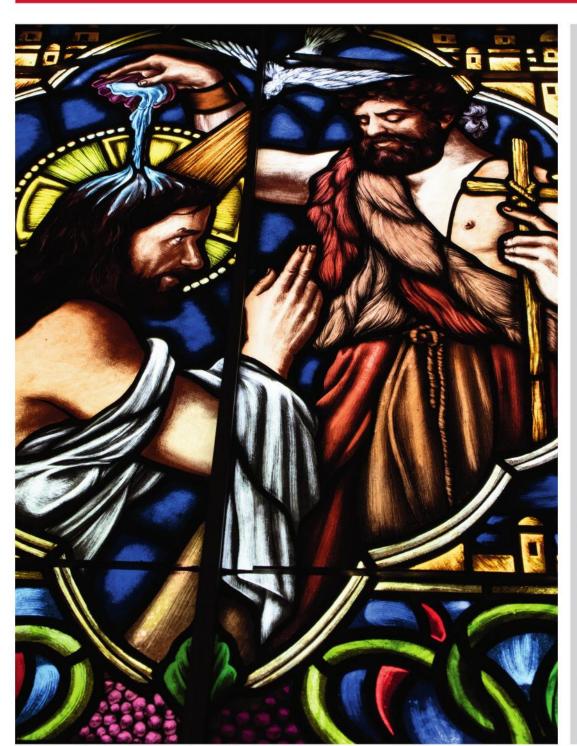


January 12, 2025 The Baptism of the Lord

El Bautismo del Señor



MASS TIMES

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM and 6:00 PM

Saturday 8:30 AM and 5:00 PM

Sunday 7:00 AM (Esp), 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 11:30 AM, 1:00 PM (Esp) and 5:30 PM

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The Baptism of the Lord - Main Church, Baptimal Chapel

Welcome.

Let's grow together in Christ's love. We're so happy to have you here!



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This Week's Scripture

"This is my beloved Son, listen to Him." - Matthew 3:17

An exercise for this week:

As we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord, let us reflect on God's words: "This is my beloved Son, listen to Him." This week, commit to listening more closely to Jesus—through Scripture, prayer, and quiet reflection. Allow His voice to guide your actions, and seek opportunities to share His love with others.

Giving

PARISH SUPPORT

Thank you for your generous support. Scan the QR Code if you would like to contribute to our growing parish community.



STOCK DONATIONS

HSCC also accepts stock donations through the Archdiocese of Atlanta. If you would like to donate stock, please visit lifeofthechurch.com/donate for instructions. If you have any questions please contact Tracy Zelczak, tzelczak@archatl.com, 404-920-7606 or Kelly Angelo at the church office, kangelo@hsccatl.com.

Our Lady of Grace, located below the stairs, main Church entrance.

Mass Intentions January 13 - January 19

Monday January 13		Cathy Trowbridge Yolande Feinberg +
Tuesday January 14		Margarita & Francesco Adrian + Ruth Walker +
Wednesday January 15		Dr. and Mrs. Steven Rayappa Julie Ravry
Thursday January 16		Tom Schaben + Paul Oakes
Friday January 17		John Ruane + The Connors Family (L / +)
Saturday January 18		Arlama Rayappa + Eurico Martinez +
Sunday January 19	8:30 AM 10:00 AM 11:30 AM Esp 1:00 PM	Cristina Zamora Jacinto + Arlen Tria Carmen Seminara + For the People of Holy Spirit Abel Alvarez + Tracey Falconer

(+) Deceased (L) Living

Request Mass Intentions at massintentions@hsccatl.com

Prayers for the Sick

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Lallie Amon, Theresa Brindock, Nizida Garcia, Carolyn Hyde, Christine Jenifer, Gery Laube, Sam Leveto, Kathryn Maras, Judy Nieves, Marjorie Oakes, 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, Nick Colley, Barbara Genner, Stephanie Kittrell Hall, Larry Hardin, Sandy Johnson, Robert Joyce, Debra Kammermann, Diana McDonald, Lance McNeilis, Mark Oprisch, Rosa Newburn Soltis, Jim Staudohar, Robert Stenzel, 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 may also submit prayer requests for friends and non-family members at the votive candle stands in St. Mary's Chapel and the Church.

Baptisms

Bellami Gay Rowan Range

Wedding

Marsha Sprague & Patrick Delaney Married: December 28, 2024



New Parishioners Karen and Dennis Ripple

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Important News

Parish Office Closed for MLK Holiday

In acknowledgement of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, the parish office will be closed on Monday, January 20. Regular business hours will resume on Tuesday, January 21.

Bring Hope to the Hurting: Become a Stephen Minister

"I was thirsty and you gave me drink." -Matthew 25:35

Are you called to serve those longing to drink from fountain of hope? Stephen Ministers walk with the suffering, listening and offering Christian Care that provides hope for recovery from their life challenges. Our trained parishioners listen and walk alongside the grief-stricken, offering comfort and hope.

Would you like to join us in this meaningful ministry? Become one of those who visit and walk with Christ's brethren in their time of need. We will train you to provide Christian Care.

Call the church office at 404-252-4513 to learn more about Stephen Ministry and how you can get involved.



Join the Knights of Columbus for Breakast Today!



The Knights of Columbus are hosting a parish breakfast today after the 7:00 AM, 8:30 AM and 10:00 AM Masses in McDonough Hall. Enjoy pancakes, eggs, bacon, sausage, potatoes and the ever-popular omelet station ... and who knows who else the Knights might put into service (way to go Christian!). The cost is \$8 per adult, \$5 per child, and \$25 for families of 5+. Come Hungry; Come often. The next one isn't until February 9th (mark your calendars), so you won't want to wait another month to experience this breakfast extravaganza!

Grateful Hearts, Holy Impact: Thank You for Supporting Holy Family Hospital in Bethlehem



The Atlanta Region of the Order of Malta wishes to express gratitude to parishioners of Holy Spirit for supporting their ornament sales again this year. Your generosity yielded a donation of \$7,000 to Holy Family Hospital in Bethlehem. We still have a few of the 2022 ornaments featuring the parish's Holy Spirit window. Contact Kim Schulman at 404-252-4513 if you would like to purchase one.

Join the Great Books Discussion Group: Explore Themes of Loss and Regret Through the Eyes of a Coffin Maker

The Great Books Discussion Group will meet on Thursday, February 13, at 7:00 PM in Malta Hall. They will explore Anton Chekhov's "Rothschild's Fiddle". Chekhov (1860-1904) is considered one of the major figures in the emergence of modernism in the theatre and a major innovator in the modern short story. Subsequent meetings will explore selections from the Great Books Series. Contact Patrick Carey at 770-241-2511 or careyph@bellsouth.net for more information.

Start the New Year with Health Tips for Older Adults - Lunch and Learn

All parishioners with "more than 70 years of wisdom" are invited to lunch on Thursday, January 30, at 11:30 AM in McDonough Hall. Enjoy a meal catered by C Parks Catering and Events, followed by a discussion of health tips for the new year, presented by Dr. Janelle Williams Holder, Assistant Professor of at Emory St. Joseph's Hospital. The cost of lunch is \$15. RSVP online at <a href="https://hscattleon.org/

























Parish News



This January, join us in supporting the Community Assistance Center (CAC) in Sandy Springs with our annual food drive. Our goal is to collect over 3,000 pounds of food between January 1 and January 31 to help feed neighbors in need. Donations can be dropped off in the red barrels in the Narthex, Preschool Entrance, and outside of McDonough Hall. Together, we can make a meaningful impact in our community!

Parish drivers are welcomed, even for one pick up in June and/or January each year.

To sign up, contact Director of Volunteers, Kate Cotterman at kallen@hsccatl.com.

Food

- Beans (dry)
- Canned Fruit
- Canned Meats (chicken, tuna, ham)
- Canned Vegetables (green beans, peas, mixed)
- Canned Tomatoes (diced, whole, sauce)
- Canned Pastas
- Cereal/Oatmeal
- Dry or Evaporated Milk
- Jelly
- Jell-O or Pudding Mix
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Meal Helpers
- Meat Entrees (canned chili, beef stew, chicken & dumplings, Hormel Completes)
- Pasta
- Peanut Butter
- Instant Potatoes
- Rice
- Soup
- · Snacks (crackers,
- cookies)
- Spaghetti Sauce

Toiletries

- Diapers (medium, large, xl)
- Deodorant
- Disposable Razors
- · Feminine Products
- Shampoo
- Soap
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Toilet Paper

Scan for Shopping List!





The Sandy Springs Community Assistance Center (CAC) helps to alleviate hunger and prevent homelessness locally by offering free food to those in need in Sandy Springs. They serve about 500 families a month with many coming weekly.

A Neighborly Approach to Serving with Compassion

Love your Neighbor Live Vincentian



At St. Vincent de Paul, our Vincentians are committed to walking alongside neighbors in need, offering not just material assistance, but also friendship, hope, and personalized support. Through compassionate home visits, we help families find stability and rebuild their lives with dignity.

Your generosity enables us to continue being a light for those in crisis, fostering a stronger, more connected community. Whether through your time, donations, or prayers, you can help make a meaningful impact, one neighbor at a time.

To learn more about how you can make a difference, reach out to us at SVDP@HSCCATL.com.





MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

Supper Clubs

Are you seeking a welcoming community to share good food and great company? Holy Spirit's Supper Clubs offer the perfect opportunity to connect with fellow parishioners in a relaxed, friendly atmosphere.

Who Can Join? Engaged or married couples, Single or married adults over 50

How It Works

When: Monthly from September to May

Where: Rotating through members' homes

What to Expect:

Each gathering is hosted by a different member who prepares the main entrée, while other guests contribute side dishes or desserts. Culinary expertise isn't necessary—just come with a joyful spirit and a love for fellowship! Once a year, all three supper clubs unite for a festive Christmas gathering, celebrating community and friendship.

Through these shared meals, parishioners build meaningful relationships that make Holy Spirit Catholic Church feel like home. Friendships formed here often inspire greater involvement in parish life, strengthening our church family.



Susan Jannetta and Khaki Lerer



Susan Cavanaugh and Mickey Hammad



Ramon Garcia, Bill Miller, and Ray Lerer



Alvaro Lievano, John Palcher, and Janice Cardenas



Members of the three supper clubs gather for a Christmas pot luck at the home of Dorothy and Forrest Leef's home.



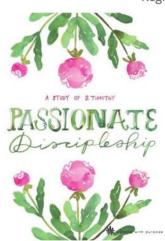
Find Hope and Healing: Grief Support Program This Spring

Wednesday, February 26 - April 2 at 7:00 PM, Parish Office

Anyone who has experienced the loss of a loved one is invited to a supportive, smallgroup grief support program this spring. Based on Dr. Alan Wolfelt's "Understanding Your Grief: The Ten Essential Touchstones for Finding Hope and Healing Your Heart", this group will be led by parishioners Ellen Cocks and Rob Adams, Ellen has a certificate in death and grief studies, concetrating on "companioning others through grief." The class includes a book and journal, provided at the first session. Space is limited. Pre-registration is required, and the group will be closed after the first session. If interested, contact Ellen by email at ellen@sweetlittlesoul.com.

Women of the Word: Passionate Discipleship - a Bible Study of 2 Timothy

Tuesdays, beginning January 21 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM in McDonough Hall Register at <u>hsccatl.com/RSVP</u>



Join Women of the Word as they study the book, Passionate Discipleship. This Bible study is focused on equipping women to know Christ and to make Him known. It delves into 2 Timothy verse by verse, immersing us in Paul's last letter to his beloved friend, Timothy.

Women of the Word (WOW), through personal study and small group discussion, provides a place for the women of Holy Spirit Catholic Church (and beyond) to gather in prayer and fellowship while helping each other learn God's truth as written in Holy Scripture. WOW meets on Tuesday mornings from 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM. Registration on the parish website is required, and all are welcome!



January Meeting: Discovering the Annunciation Through Art

Join the Women's Club on Monday, January 13, for parishioner Nancy Ewing's captivating presentation, "The Annunciation in Art." Explore how artists have depicted the momentous encounter between the Archangel Gabriel and the Virgin Mary (Luke 1:26-38), revealing profound spiritual insights and timeless beauty.



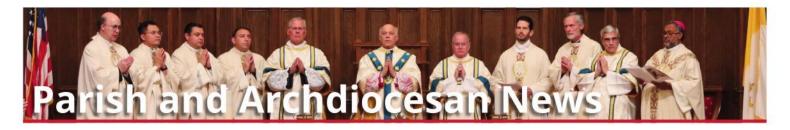


Nancy, a University of Virginia Art History graduate with 20 years of experience in sacred art, will speak at both sessions: 11:30 AM and 6:30 PM. The cost is \$20 and includes lunch or dinner. Email Susan Selman at www.women@hsccatl.com with questions.

Women of the Parish: Join Us for a Social Evening!

Come together on Thursday, January 30, from 5:00–7:00 PM at Postino (3655 Roswell Rd NE Ste 300) for great conversation and community. Donations for appetizers are appreciated!

RSVP for both events at hscattleon/rsvp



A Special Celebration for 1974 and 1964 **Wedding Anniversaries**



The Archdiocese of Atlanta would like to honor couples married in 1964 and 1974 with an invitation to a Golden / Diamond Wedding anniversary Mass on Saturday, February 8,

at noon at Saint Brigid Catholic Church. A reception will follow the Mass for the anniversary couples and their families. Space is limited. Scan the QR code to RSVP for the event or for more information.

Create a Tradition of Giving: Leave a **Legacy for Your Parish**



You can create a tradition of giving in your family to the parish which supports you. To learn more about making a legacy gift to your parish endowment fund, please

contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation at 404-497-9440 or go to cfnga.org.

Renew Your Spirit: SoulCore Retreat at Heritage GA



Heritage GA is hosting a SoulCore retreat February 21-23. Enjoy time in a beautiful cottage, 200 acres of prayerful gardens, delicious meals, and four SoulCore classes as we pray the luminous, joyful, Seven Sorrows, and glorious SOULCORE mysteries in a blend of body, mind, and soul. Retreatants at all fitness levels are welcome.

For more information or to register for the retreat, please consult www.heritagega.org or contact catherinefuss@comcast.net. More information on SoulCore can be found at www.soulcore.com.

New Time for SoulCore Classes in the New Year

Are you looking for a new exercise routine in 2025 that combines the prayers of the rosary? SoulCore is the perfect combination for body, mind and soul. All fitness levels are welcome; just bring your own mat and wear comfy clothes. Starting January 7, classes will be held every Tuesday at 11:00 AM in the McDonough Hall basement's Youth Center. For more information, email catherinefuss@comcast.net or visit www.soulcore.com.



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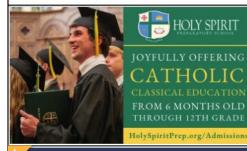




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(español / inglés) domingos a las 8:30 AM

OFERTORIO SEMANAL

15 de diciembre - \$1,155

Bautismo del Señor

El Centro Católico, este año invita a toda la comunidad a seguir tomando los servicios que el centro brinda, como son la formación en nuestra fe catolica, desde la catequesis, administración de sacramentos y ministerios de liturgia.

Pastorela 2024 - Agradecimiento a las Catequistas y Padres que Colaboraron

Después de varios años de receso, tres de nuestras catequistas con niños de Educación Religiosa y con la colaboración de sus padres trajeron de nuevo esta bonita tradición de la Pastorela. Tanto ellas como los niños y padres se lucieron con el gran trabajo que hicieron. Gracias a todos. Quedamos a la espera de la Pastorela 2025!







Officinas Cerradas

El 20 de enero de 2025 las oficinas estarán cerradas por el día de Martin Luther King Jr. y estaremos atendiendo nuevamente a partir del 21 de enero en el horario habitual.

Manténgase Conectado: Descargue Nuestra Aplicación My Parish Hoy



Requisitos para el Sacramento del Bautismo

- 1.El sacramento del bautizo se realiza el segundo domingo del
- Los invitamos a llenar el formulario correspondiente, en las oficinas del Centro Católico.
- Tomar la clase del sacramento del bautizo, que se imparte el segundo miércoles del mes a las 5:00 PM.
- Los padres y padrinos, toman la clase del sacramento del bautizo, presentando sus identificaciones con fotografía.
- 5. No traer niños, el día de la clase del sacramento de bautizo.

Mayor información con el Centro Católico en horario de oficina, 9:00 AM a 4:00 PM.

Para Reflexionar en Nuestros Hogares

Cita Biblica

"Al mismo tiempo se oyó una voz del cielo que decía: 'Este es mi Hijo, el Amado; éste es mi Elegido.'" - Mateo 3:17

Ejercicio de la semana

Mientras celebramos el Bautismo del Señor, reflexionemos en las palabras de Dios: "Este es mi Hijo amado, escúchenlo". Esta semana, comprométete a escuchar más atentamente a Jesús, a través de las Escrituras, la oración y la reflexión tranquila. Permite que Su voz guíe tus acciones y busca oportunidades para compartir Su amor con los demás.