



HOLY SPIRIT

CATHOLIC CHURCH

June 1, 2025

Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord
Solemnidad de la Ascensión del Señor



The Ascension of the Lord window, located behind the Altar in the Church

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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Saturdays
4:00 PM - 4:45 PM

Sundays
9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

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Bride's Room

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requested.

Welcome.

Together, we walk in faith, hope, and love. We're glad you've joined us!

Living the Gospel as the Body of Christ

About Us

We are a Catholic community united in our commitment to live out the Gospel. We're the hands, feet, and heart of Christ in the world. As the Body of Christ, we each play a role in bringing the Gospel alive, embodying Jesus' teachings, and building God's Kingdom.

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This Week's Scripture

"You are witnesses of these things." – Luke 24:48

An exercise for this week:

This week, look for one way to be a witness to your faith—through a kind word, a helping hand, or a simple prayer shared with someone in need. Let others see Christ through your actions!

Giving

Parish Support

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



PARISH SUPPORT

HSCC also accepts stock donations through the Archdiocese of Atlanta. If you would like to donate stock, please visit lifeofthechurch.com/donate for instructions. Please contact Tracy Zelczak, tzelczak@archatl.com, 404-920-7606 or John Walsh at the parish office, jwalsh@hscctl.com, with any questions.

Mass Intentions



Holy Spirit Catholic Church sanctuary

June 2 - June 8

Monday June 2	8:30 AM	Matty Perez +
	6:00 PM	Cody Laird
Tuesday June 3	8:30 AM	Maria Ines Boscheiro Marini +
	6:00 PM	Margaret and Arthur Grigorian
Wednesday June 4	8:30 AM	Jason Shafizadeh and Family
	6:00 PM	Khaki and Ray Lerer
Thursday June 5	8:30 AM	Maria Gimenez +
	6:00 PM	Will McInaney
Friday June 6	8:30 AM	Maria Gimenez +
	6:00 PM	Guillermo Alarcon +
Saturday June 7	8:30 AM	Babs Audette (100 th birthday)
	5:00 PM	Cristina Abraham +
Sunday June 8	Esp 7:00 AM	Milli Threeton +
	8:30 AM	Francisco Javier Verdecia +
	10:00 AM	The Steven Rayappa Family
	11:30 AM	For the People of Holy Spirit
	Esp 1:00 PM	Aquilina Sanchez Pasos y Luisa Sanchez Pasos +
	5:30 PM	Ann Hardin +

(+) Deceased

Request Mass Intentions at massintentions@hscatl.com

Prayers for the Sick

Carol Bolash, Theresa Brindock, Skeet Fischer, Roland Fuentes, Carolyn Hyde, Christine Jenifer, Amanda Kuhlman, Gery Laube, Judy Nieves, Ed Rascoe, 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, Ray Dugas, Janet Etheridge, Barbara Genner, Stephanie Kittrell Hall, Larry Hardin, Sandy Johnson, Robert Joyce, Debra Kammermann, Diana McDonald, Lance McNeilis, Mark Oprisch, Edward Pisani Sr., James Regan, 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@hscatl.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

Jax Luca Roza-Trull
Sloan Avery Zahery

Weddings

Amanda Costa and Jonathan Sakraida
Married: May 22, 2025

Faye Razon and Brian Green
Married: May 22, 2025

New Parishioners

Charlie Lively
Rhea Pereira
Piotrek Wilk
Sara Young

Parish News

Mark Your Calendar

The parish office will be closed on Thursday, June 19, and Friday, June 20, in honor of the Juneteenth federal holiday. Our daily Masses will take place as scheduled at 8:30 AM and 6:00 PM in St. Mary's Chapel.

Farewell Reception for Fr. Ha TODAY

Please join us after the 10:00 AM Mass today in McDonough Hall as we say goodbye and extend our gratitude to Fr. Hieu Ha for his service to Holy Spirit over the past few years. We also offer our heartfelt congratulations to Fr. Ha as he celebrates his 25th Anniversary to the priesthood on June 10. Congratulations and best wishes!



Farewell Reception for Fr. Suarez NEXT Sunday

Please join us after the 11:30 AM Mass next Sunday, June 8, in McDonough Hall as we bid a fond farewell to Fr. Roberto Suarez. We are grateful for his service to both the Anglo and Latino communities since coming to Holy Spirit. We wish Fr. Suarez all the best at his new assignment at St. Helena Catholic Church in Clayton, GA.



Welcome Summer Seminarian Mateo Zambrano

We are excited to welcome Seminarian Mateo Zambrano to Holy Spirit! A Lawrenceville native and the youngest of five in a close-knit Mexican immigrant family, Mateo was raised in the Catholic faith and has served as an acolyte, lector, and catechist. He enjoys journaling, reading about saints, nature, and time with friends. Inspired by St. Thérèse of Lisieux and Blessed Carlo Acutis, his vocation began in high school and grew through ministry and fraternity. Seminary life has brought joy and deep friendships. Mateo hopes to serve with compassion and encourages others discerning the priesthood to stay close to the sacraments, Mary, and trust in God.



Novena to the Holy Spirit

We invite you to join us in praying a novena to the Holy Spirit leading up to Pentecost, Sunday, June 8, our patronal feast day.

NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Holy Spirit, confiding in Your love for me,

I am making this novena to ask You to transform my life and our Church according to Your will.

Teach me to seek the peace of Heaven; grant me the holy fear of God; grant me true contrition and patience.

Do not let me fall into sin. Give me an increase of faith, hope and charity, and bring forth in my soul all the virtues proper to my state in life.

Make me a faithful disciple of Jesus and an obedient child of the Church. Give me grace sufficient to keep the Commandments and to receive the Sacraments worthily.



First Friday Adoration: Spend Time with the Lord

Our monthly First Friday Adoration will take place in St. Mary's Chapel on Friday, June 6, 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 or more hours each month, please visit hscatl.com/myhour to sign up.

First Saturday Rosary

Please join us in St. Mary's Chapel after the 8:30 AM Mass, on Saturday, June 7, to pray the rosary and unite in prayer with our Blessed Mother. Please direct all questions to Anne Rieger at annerieger@icloud.com.

Parish News

Let's Celebrate Holy Spirit's Future Together!



Discover how to contribute to our endowment or establish a future endowment fund on Sunday, June 8 followed by a Parish Celebration after 11:30 Mass. We're filled with gratitude for our vibrant community and its enduring mission. Your support for our endowment fund helps ensure Holy Spirit remains a beacon of faith and love for generations to come, securing its financial stability and sustainability.

The endowment fund grows over time, with only the interest used to meet our parish's current needs, preserving the principal for the future. Your generosity makes this lasting impact possible!

How can you contribute to our endowment fund?

- **Give Now:** Offer a gift of cash, appreciated stock, real estate, or unique assets like jewelry or a coin collection. You can also give online (one-time or recurring) via credit card or ACH. Honor a loved one, celebrate a birthday, or mark an anniversary with your gift.
- **Plan a Future Gift:** Include Holy Spirit Catholic Church as a full or partial beneficiary in your will, estate plans, life insurance policy, or retirement accounts like an IRA.
- **Do Both:** Express your gratitude for God's blessings by making a gift today and planning a legacy gift for the future.

Thank you for your heartfelt commitment to Holy Spirit Catholic Church. Together, we're building a legacy that will inspire for years to come! For more information, please reach out to Debbie Slinkard, our Director of Mission Advancement and Development, at dslinkard@hscatl.com.

Father's Day Novena

Father's Day is Sunday, June 15. Honor the special men in your life through our Father's Day Novena of Masses. Spiritual bouquet packets are in the Narthex—fill out the outer envelope and place it in the offertory basket or bring it to the parish office. Then send the enclosed card to your loved one.

Training for New Altar Servers TODAY

All children who have received the Sacrament of First Communion are invited to be trained as an Altar Server today at 3:00 PM in the Church. Training will last one hour.

HOLY SPIRIT PHOENIX

Holy Hangouts

FOR ALL TEENS (RISING 9TH THRU 12TH)

JUNE

Holy Hangout:
Wednesday, June 4, 6:00 – 7:30 PM

Holy Hangout Movie Night:
Wednesday, June 11, 6:00 – 8:00 PM
(*Napoleon Dynamite* - PG)

Mercy Mission Atlanta:
Saturday, June 21, 9:30 AM – 3:00 PM
at Sacred Heart Basilica

Bowling:
Wednesday, June 25, 4:30 – 6:30 PM
at Lucky Strike Atlantic Station

Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati Presentation:
Friday, June 27 - Following 6:00PM Mass
in McDonough Hall

For more information,
contact Paul Oakes
poakes@hscatl.com

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From gently used clothes to household goods, your generosity helps fill our SVdP Georgia Thrift Stores, supports families in crisis, and funds vital programs that offer real hope. Thanks to you, Holy Spirit Catholic Church contributes over 1,500 pounds each week—impacting lives in ways you may never see, but that are deeply felt. This spring, as you clear out and give back, know that you're not just making space—you're making a difference.

Our SVdP Red Barn, located behind the Church Office, is open 24x7 for your donations. You may also schedule a donation pick up from your home or business by contacting the SVdP Georgian donation line at 678-892-6162.





EMPOWERED BY THE SPIRIT:

YESTERDAY, TODAY, AND TOMORROW
A PARISH CELEBRATION AND BID FAREWELL TO FR. SUAREZ

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

11:30 AM – Bilingual Mass

12:45 PM – Celebration featuring
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Monday, June 9 | 6-8PM

Note: This is an off-site event. Light refreshments provided. Free to attend, but registration is required at hsccatl.com/women



JUNE FOOD DRIVE

June 1-30, is HSCC's commitment to support the local Community Assistance Center (CAC) food drive. Parishioners donate well over 2,000 lbs. during each CAC drive. Collection barrels are located in the Narthex, the entrance to St. Mary's Chapel and at the entrance to the preschool.

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@hscatl.com.

Scan the QR code for the shopping list or view the list on the parish website.



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 to about 500 families a month with many coming weekly.





HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH

CELEBRATE THE CANONIZATION OF

BLESSED PIER GIORGIO FRASSATI

FRIDAY, JUNE 27 AT 6:30PM IN MCDONOUGH HALL

*Holy Spirit Catholic Church and the Conference of The Society of St. Vincent de Paul at Holy Spirit invites you to a special evening honoring **Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati**, who will be canonized this summer.*



Join us for a dessert reception and presentation on Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati given by Father Paolo Ravaglia, who serves in the Vatican's Dicastery for the Causes of Saints. Father Paolo will speak about Frassati's inspiring life, his work with the poor as a Vincentian in his native Turin, and the Church's process of canonization.

Don't miss this unique opportunity to learn more about one of the Church's newest saints, and what his life means for us today. All are welcome.

RSVP AT [HSCCATL.COM/FRASSATI](https://hsccatl.com/frassati)

Known as the "Man of the Beatitudes," Blessed Pier Giorgio was a joyful and courageous young layman who combined a deep spiritual life with bold action for social justice. He died in 1925 at age 24, yet his legacy of faith, service, and love for the poor continues to inspire people around the world—especially young Catholics and Vincentians.



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domingos a las 8:30 AM

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Misa bilingüe a las 11:30 AM

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"Ustedes son testigos de estas cosas".
Lucas 24:48

Ejercicio de la semana

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palabra amable, una mano amiga o
una simple oración compartida con
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vean a Cristo a través de tus
acciones.

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- El sacramento del bautismo se
realiza el segundo domingo del
mes.
- Los invitamos a llenar el
formulario correspondiente, en
las oficinas del Ministerio
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- Tomar la clase del sacramento
del bautismo, que se imparte el
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