

November 9, 2025

Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome Fiesta de la Dedicación de la Basílica de Letrán



St. Frances Xavier Cabrini window in St. Mary's Chapel; her memorial is November 13.

Welcome.

Share God's Love.

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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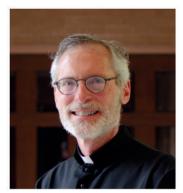
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bulletin@hsccatl.com Bulletin deadline is three weeks prior to the date requested.

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

"Zeal for your house will consume me." - John 2:17

An exercise for this week:

This week, honor God's dwelling by caring for the "temples" around you—your parish church, your home, your own body, and the people you encounter. Choose one small act of reverence, such as tidying a sacred space, making time for prayer, or encouraging someone who feels overlooked. In doing so, you become part of something greater—a community that reverences God's presence among us.

Giving

PARISH OFFERTORY

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Mass Intentions



The crucifix in St. Mary's Chapel

November 10 - November 16

Monday November 10		All Souls Novena Laura McDaniel Counter +
Tuesday November 11		Christina Llop + Geraldine Butler +
Wednesday November 12	A TOTAL CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY	Carol Tiarsmith Herbert and Laird Families (L) / +
Thursday November 13		Daire Ryan Gregory Portway +
Friday November 14		Peter McKinney + Ms. Rosita Ismael +
Saturday November 15		Eva Mae Falcone + Mary-Cristin and Michael Jockisch
Sunday November 16	8:30 AM 10:00 AM 11:30 AM Esp 1:00 PM	Almas del Purgatorio + Olga Goizueta + Tom Schaben + For the People of Holy Spirit Estela Bustos + Josh Bowen
	(L)	Living (+) Deceased

Request Mass Intentions at massintentions@hsccatl.com

Prayers for the Sick

Moira Block, Chuck Bolash, Skeet Fischer, Roland Fuentes, Carolyn Hyde, Christine Jenifer, Amanda Kuhlman, Gery Laube, Judy Nieves, Jan Ruane, Cecilia Rusca, Sherry Sawicki, Judy Scalley, Jack Soltis, Kathy Thompson, Matt Wilson, Tracy Winsor

Prayers for the Sick in the Community

Jack Brodie, James Busby, Nick Colley, Ray Dugas, Faye Ellis, Janet Etheridge, Barbara Genner, Stephanie Kittrell Hall, Larry Hardin, Sandy Johnson, Robert Joyce, Debra Kammermann, George Maley, Diana McDonald, Lance McNeilis, Mark Oprisch, James Regan, Jose Rodriguez, Rosa Newburn Soltis, Kathy Staudohar, Jim Staudohar, Robert Stenzel, Cindi White, Bob Wojciechowski

Prayer List Policy

Contact the parish office to request prayers for parishioners and immediate family members at 404-252-4513 or kschulman@hsccatl.com. Prayer requests for friends and non-parishioners may be submitted at the votive candle stands in St. Mary's Chapel / Church or to catherinefuss@comcast.net as part of our prayer line ministry.

Beware of Email Scams

We have seen an increase in email scams using Fr. Ballman's name. Please be vigilant with any emails that appear to come from him. All legitimate Holy Spirit emails will come from an "@nhoccatl.com" address, not "<a href="mailto:@gmail.com." If you are ever unsure about an email's authenticity, please contact the parish office for verification.





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Heads Up: Early Bulletin Deadlines Ahead

Please note the following early bulletin deadlines set by our printer for the upcoming holidays. Thank you in advance for your flexibility and cooperation!

Bulletin Date: Submissions Due By:

December 21 November 16
December 25 November 18
December 28 November 20
January 4 December 2

Holy Spirit Supports #iGiveCatholic

Holy Spirit is proud to support #iGiveCatholic again this year, benefiting our St. Vincent de Paul Conference. As calls for help rise with layoffs and soaring living costs, your gift keeps lights on, rent paid, cupboards full — and hope alive.

Early giving begins November 17 and continues through Giving Tuesday, December 2. Donate online via our parish website or socials and make a real difference.





Need Knows No Zip Code



Many are surprised to learn that right here in 30327 and 30342, there are neighbors struggling to make ends meet. Every day, families face impossible choices—between food, medicine, and rent.

In Georgia, 13% of individuals face food insecurity, and 1 in 5 children go hungry. Over one million households are burdened by housing costs, and 77% of those earning under \$50,000 struggle to afford medications. Georgia ranks 2nd in the nation for uninsured residents.

Sometimes, all it takes is one unexpected expense—a car repair, fewer work hours, or a medical bill—to push a family into crisis. Thank you for helping us bring hope and stability to our neighbors in need. Want to get involved? Email svdp@hsccatl.com.



Part of Something Greater: Our 2026 Offertory Campaign Is Underway

As a parish family, we are called to support one another and strengthen the mission of Holy Spirit. Your 2026 pledge is an act of faith, gratitude, and love for our community. Please make your pledge online at https://nxxx.org/nscattle-nat/404-252 Please contact Debbie Slinkard or Marcia Palcher at 404-252-4513 with questions. Thank you for your generosity, which helps us share Christ's love and remain a community where all are welcomed and supported.

Important Information about Our Parish Partnership with Hallow

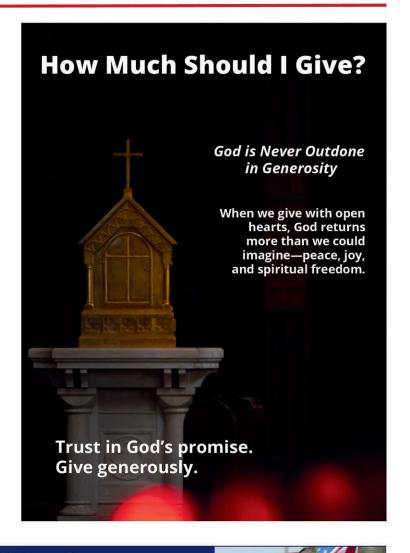
Already have Hallow Premium? Renew through our Hallow Parish Partnership for 50% off annually throughout our partnership. To redeem:

- In the app, visit Settings → Subscription → Cancel my Subscription.
- Go to <u>Hallow.com/redeem</u>, enter code **ExpansionSub50**, and finish checkout.

Join Holy Spirit on Hallow:

- Open the app → Community tab
- Tap Join a Church, search Holy Spirit Catholic Church or use ZIP 30327

Contact Aimee McDonald at amcdonald@hsccatl.com or Kim Schulman at kschulman@hsccatl.com with questions.





November 11 is Veterans Day

The Knights of Columbus salute the veterans of our country's armed forces. We celebrate the men and women who served and sacrificed. We also celebrate this singular country of ours - its founding, values, and persistent pursuit of a better life for all.



Meetings

Our next Council meeting is November 17, 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 our Grand Knight, Michael Maley, at 6517gk@gakofc.org.



News & Events



On November 19 the Knights Return to Feed the Homeless

Every year, we are pleased to participate in supporting the Homeless Ministry. Going down to the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception to feed the homeless has rewards beyond measure.

"That which you did for the least of my brothers & sisters, you did for me." Matthew 25:40

The Knights are Selling Monastery "Deliciousness"

From NOW until before Thanksgiving, the Knights are selling, Biscotti, Fudge, Fruit Cake, Honey, Coffee, Cookies and more. Use this QR code to order. Pick-up will be in December.





Faith in every meal shared.

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and be part of something greater at
Holy Spirit Catholic Church.

Serve with Love: Volunteer with Holy Spirit's Homeless Ministry this Winter

The Homeless Ministry at Holy Spirit Catholic Church provides nourishment and support to homeless men who stay overnight in the basement of the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception downtown. The shelter operates during the winter months, from November 1 through March 31. Our ministry serves dinner and provides breakfast and lunch bags on select nights during the shelter season. Members of the ministry prepare food at home, which is then transported and served by volunteers at the Shrine Shelter.

This year we will be covering <u>every Wednesday night</u> during the shelter season. **Two of those nights will be the day before Thanksgiving and Christmas Eve,** so please be careful when you sign up. The Sign Up Genius page will be shared with everyone who expresses interest in participating. Children are welcome if accompanied by a parent. If you or your family would like to volunteer, please contact Kevin Skedsvold at <u>koskedsvold@rhslaw.com</u> to be added to the distribution list.



Women's Club News

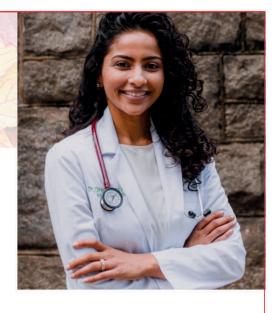
and Upcoming Events

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Wellness and Health with Dr. Christina Paul

The Women's Club will welcome parishioner Dr. Christina Paul on Monday, November 10, at 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM in McDonough Hall. Dr. Paul will focus on ways to empower us to take control of our own health, highlighting the top five healthy habits to adopt or continue. She'll address the root causes of common symptoms such as fatigue, brain fog, weight gain, and hormone imbalances, and address how to eliminate rather than just manage them. The cost is \$20 and includes lunch or dinner.





Mark Your Calendars!

- Thursday, November 20 Thursday Social at the home of Barbara Williams
- Wednesday, December 3 Advent by Candlelight
- Monday, December 15 Christmas Coffee at the home of Nancy and Doug Bryant

Learn more and RSVP for Women's Club events at hsccatl.com/women

A Joyful Celebration of Consecration and Service

Holy Spirit Catholic Church joyfully celebrates longtime parishioner Heather Triggs, who will profess her fifth vows of poverty, celibate chastity, and obedience in the Secular Institute of St. Francis de Sales this weekend in Philadelphia. With this profession, Heather will be fully incorporated into the Institute and begin her new role as Group Directress for the United States.

Our parish has been blessed by Heather's leadership in Youth Ministry, her involvement in vocation and young adult ministries, and her joyful presence in our community. This milestone, known as the Fifth Consecration renewal, marks her deepened commitment of love and service to God and His people.

All parishioners are invited to a Mass of Thanksgiving on Saturday, November 15, at 12:30 PM in the Church, followed by a reception in the lower level meeting room of the parish office. RSVP at hsccatl.com/rsvp.





Why cash? Because while Santa might know exactly what each child wants, we don't. By empowering parents to shop for their own families, we give not only joy-but also

dignity and grace—to our hermanos y hermanas.

This year, our goal is \$35,000, with a suggested gift of \$100 per person.

Thank you! Your generosity directly determines how many families we can bless with the magic of Christmas.

There are several ways you may contribute:

- · Scan the QR code
- Donate online at hsccatl.com/christmasangel
- Donate in person the weekends of November 23, November 30, and December 7 (cash/check)
- · Drop off your contribution at the parish office

All checks should be made payable to Holy Spirit Catholic Church with "Christmas Angel" in the memo line.



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Office of Child and Youth Protection Archdiocese of Atlanta 24-hour Abuse Reporting Hotline: 1-888-437-0764 We are here to listen and take action.

Religious Education Thanksgiving Schedule

Please note that, due to Thanksgiving, Religious Education classes will not meet on Sundays, November 23 and 30. Classes will resume on December 7.

Sunday Morning Adult Faith Formation

Looking to grow deeper in your faith? Our Sunday morning Adult Faith Formation program is the perfect place to learn, share, and grow together. Mark your calendar and join us at 10:00 AM in McDonough Hall on select Sunday mornings throughout the Fall.

November 16 - What Christian Freedom Really Means - Deacon McCarthy

December 7 - St. Francis of Assisi: The Most Admired & Least Imitated Saint - Deacon McCarthy

Considering the Catholic Faith? Enroll in the 2026 O.C.I.A. Program

We are now enrolling for the Easter 2026 session of our Order of Christian Initiation (OCIA) program which will begin on Sunday, January 4, and conclude on Sunday, May 17, with reception into full communion with the Roman Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil Mass on Saturday, April 4. The class meets on Sunday mornings in the parish office building from 10:00 AM - 11:15 AM, with Mass offered either before or after at 8:30 AM or 11:30 AM. The class will not meet on MLK, Easter, or Mother's Day weekends. A nominal fee of \$35 is required to register for the course; this fee helps offset the costs of books and other materials.



Because acceptance into the program requires pastoral approval, prospective OCIA participants should begin gathering sacramental documents now, including, if applicable, certificates of baptism and marriage. Remote and in-person interviews with participants are now being held; please e-mail Dr. David King at dking@hsccatl.com to arrange registration. The deadline for registration is Sunday, December 14.

Phoenix in Focus (Youth Ministry)



Phoenix is Holy Spirit's high school youth ministry program open to all 9th - 12th graders. Below are our upcoming events:

November 16 - FireLife Night with Fr. Elias Durham, Melkite priest

November 23 & 30 - No Class due to Thanksgiving Break



Scenes from last weekend's Confirmation retreat at Camp Hidden Lake in Dahlonega







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

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Cuidemos los libros de Flor y Canto

Retomamos la entrega de libros de Flor y Canto. Para obtener una mayor participación del canto en la Eucaristía, les pedimos por favor que usen los libros de Flor y Canto y los devuelvan al terminar la Misa. De esta manera podemos mantener el orden y el respeto por la liturgia.

La Copa de Elias

Todos somos conscientes de la necesidad de vocaciones al sacerdocio, diaconado, y a la vida religiosa. El Ministerio Hispano quiere iniciar la hermosa tradición de la Iglesia para pedir por esta intención, ofreciendo a las familias la oportunidad de llevarse la Copa de Elías, un cáliz consagrado, a los hogares, para colocarlo en un espacio prominente, y que sea un foco para orar diariamente por el aumento de las vocaciones. Cada domingo en la Misa de la 1:00 PM, una familia se llevará la Copa de Elías a su casa y la devolverá al vestíbulo de la Iglesia antes de comenzar la Misa de 1:00 PM el domingo siguiente. Para participar, a la salida de la Iglesia hay mas información y pueden inscribirse

Fondo de las flores de Navidad

En la última página del boletín encontrarán la forma para nuestro fondo de las flores de Navidad. Si desean honrar o recordar un ser querido, pueden llenarla y depositarla en un sobre con los \$10 dólares de donación en la canasta de la colecta. Para que los nombres puedan ser incluidos en el boletín es necesario enviarlos a más tardar el lunes primero de diciembre.

Marquen sus calendarios!

Celebración de la Virgen de Guadalupe a las 12 de diciembre a partir de las 6:30 PM.

Para Reflexionar en Nuestros Hogares

Cita Biblica

"Al que a mi viene, no le echo fuera". - Juan 6:37

Reflexión de la semana:

Esta semana acércate a alguien que conozcas que haya sufrido una pérdida en el último año. Ofrécele una palabra de aliento, una invitación o un simple acto de bondad. Al dar la bienvenida a los demás como Cristo nos da la bienvenida, te conviertes en parte de algo más grande: la familia de Dios donde todos pertenecemos.

La Hora Santa 17 de noviembre a las 7:00 PM

La Hora Santa rezada en la Iglesia es una oportunidad magnifica para quedarse en silencio ante el Santísimo Sacramento y permitir que nuestro Señor nos hable de una manera especial.

Prerequisitos Para El Sacramento del Bautismo

- El sacramento del bautizo se realiza el segundo domingo del mes.
- 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 en el salón #15 del Ministerio Hispano. Pedimos que los padres y padrinos presenten sus identificaciones con fotografía.
- No traer niños el dia de la clase del sacramento de bautizo.

Mayor información con el Ministerio Hispano en horario de oficina 9:00 AM a 4:00 PM.



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