

# Saint Jude the Apostle Catholic Church

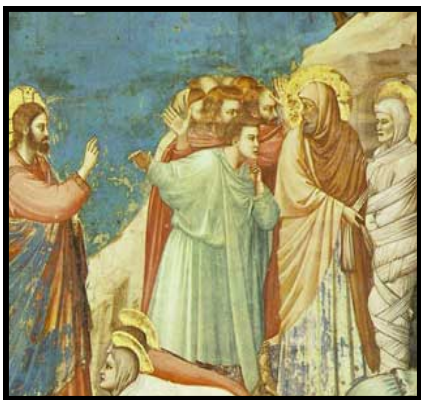
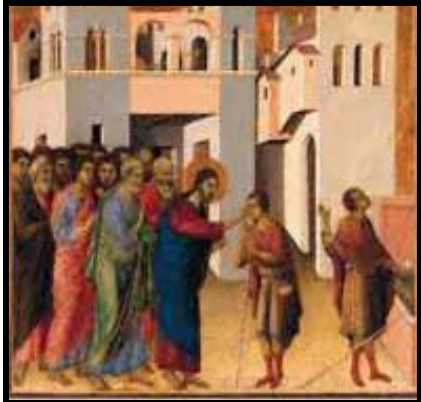
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## The Scrutinies



On February 22, our catechumens in the RCIA class completed the Rite of Election, signifying their desire to be fully initiated into the Catholic Church. One of the next steps in their faith journey is to participate in the ritual of the Scrutinies. These ritual celebrations on the third, fourth and fifth Sundays of Lent are communal prayers celebrated around the Elect to strengthen them to overcome the power of sin in their lives and to grow in virtue. To scrutinize something means to examine it closely. The community does not scrutinize the catechumens; the catechumens scrutinize their own lives and allow God to scrutinize them and to heal them. St. Jude celebrates the first scrutiny this Sunday at the 11:30AM Mass and will celebrate the remaining ones the next two Sundays. The readings at these Masses will be from Year A. The first week the reading is about the Woman at the Well, the second week focuses on the Man Born Blind and the final week's readings are about Lazarus Being Raised from the Dead. Their spirit is then filled with Christ, who is the living water (first scrutiny), the light of the world (second scrutiny), and the resurrection and the life (third scrutiny). The first presentation to the Elect is made after the first scrutiny and they are presented with "The Creed". The second presentation to the Elect is made after the third scrutiny and they are presented with "The Lord's Prayer". From the first to the final scrutiny, the Elect should progress in their growth in and desire for salvation. Please join us at these rites and join in the intercessions for our Elect. Please also keep them in your prayers as they complete their initiation into the Church.

## PARISH INFORMATION

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: Vigil Mass 5:30PM

Sunday: 7:00AM, 8:30AM, 10:00AM, 11:30AM

1:00PM en Español, 5:00PM (Life Teen)

7:00PM em Português

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 7:30AM & 6:00PM

Saturday: 8:30AM

**Special Mass Schedules during Christmas, Lent,  
Easter, and Holy Days of Obligation.**

### RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

Wednesday Morning: 8:00AM

Wednesday Evening: 6:30PM

Saturday Morning: 9:00AM

Saturday Evening: 4:00PM

or anytime by appointment

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### PARISH SERVICES

#### ANOIDTING OF THE SICK

First Monday of the month immediately after the 6:00PM daily Mass.

#### AVE MARIA SHOP

Open after all Sunday Masses and by calling the parish office on weekdays.

#### BAPTISM

For children under the age of 7 a parent preparation class is held on the 3rd Sunday of the month from 3:00PM to 4:00PM in the Library.

#### CRISIS PREGNANCY CENTER HOTLINE

Any woman who is pregnant and in need can find the help she needs.

Advice and Aid Problem Pregnancy Center: 404-763-HELP (4357)

#### DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

Thursdays after the 6:00PM Mass.

#### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

From 8:00AM - 6:00PM Tuesdays during the school year.

#### LOST & FOUND

Located in the Ushers Room. On the last Thursday of the month, we will donate ALL items not claimed to the Community Assistance Center.

#### MARRIAGE

Contact a parish priest or deacon at least 6 months in advance of your planned wedding date for required marriage preparation.

#### MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Priests or lay ministers bring communion to parishioners on weekdays.

Lay ministers visit the home-bound on Sundays.

#### NURSERY

Open during the 8:30AM & 10:00AM Masses on Sundays in Rooms B & C during the school year. Children age 3 months to 4 years are welcome.

#### NOCTURNAL ADORATION

On the first Friday of the month, from 9:00PM to Saturday at 7:00AM in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

#### ROSARY

After the 6:00PM Mass on Wednesdays.

#### SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

Our Spiritual Director is available by appointment to help guide you on your spiritual journey. Please contact Martha Smith at 678-252-6119 or

[msmith@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:msmith@stjudeatlanta.net)

#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Any parishioner in need of financial assistance can contact St. Vincent de Paul at 678-990-2969 for help. Hours are Tuesday and Thursday from 10:00AM - 3:00PM and Saturday from 10:00AM - 1:00PM.

### Are You an Active Catholic?

For parish verification, required for baptisms, marriages, religious education class participation and Catholic school admittance, a person must be registered in the Parish, attend Mass regularly, and be involved in discipleship (time, talent, and treasure). Participation in our Parish offertory is the primary means we have for this verification (please use offertory envelopes or online services to ensure that your financial contributions are recognized). If you are unable to contribute financially, please make a notation of your prayerful support on your envelope and place it in the weekly offertory. We will then be aware of your continued participation.

**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**

“I, the Lord, am your God . . .  
 You shall not have other gods besides me”.  
*Exodus 20:2a - 3*

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Third Sunday of Lent; First Scrutiny  
 Monday: St. Frances of Rome  
 Friday: Abstinence

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Mass Cards are available through the Church Office.  
 Please come in person or send your request in writing.  
 We suggest a stipend of \$10 or more per Mass.  
 We also have a book of prayer intentions located by the  
 Tabernacle and you are invited to list people to be  
 remembered at Mass. All names and intentions listed will  
 be remembered during the celebration of holy Mass.

**TAKE HOME THE ELIJAH CUP**

Pray for vocations! Take home the Elijah Cup for a week and  
 pray that men and women hear and respond generously to the  
 Lord’s call to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life. Each  
 week at Sunday Mass the celebrant will use the Elijah Cup. At  
 the end of Mass, the family, couple or individual volunteering  
 is called up to receive the cup. To sign up for the Elijah Cup,  
 please visit [www.stjudeatlanta.net/elijah](http://www.stjudeatlanta.net/elijah) The password to  
 access the sign-up page is Elijah.

**NEW PARISHIONERS**

*We welcome the following families to our parish*

- Ms. Maureen Beamer and Family
- Mr. and Mrs. Laith Haddadin and Family
- Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Joffre and Family
- Fr. John Kieran
- Mr. Hal Leiner and Family
- Ms. Andrea Merriman
- Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Saheb and Family



**OUR PARISH PRAYS**

**For those who are sick:** Ron Allen, Winnie Athaide, Gloria Bernard, Cathy Bickerstaff, Ruth Bott, Joe Bradford, Cathy Cahill, Joan Callahan, Marilyn Castana, Doris Cleveland, Michelle Cohen, Ann DeYonker, Angela Dieffenbach, Bill Doll, Beth Foley, Martha Gaby, Thomas Grassi, Lorraine Hanlon, Maryann Iacobucci, Jack Jennings, Angela Krogh, Lisa Krysiak, Nick LaRocca, The Lohman Family, Doty Luepetow, Mark Maphet, Chuck Martel, Gail Mastromoro, Ramiro Montenegro, Sr. Eileen Murray, Billy Parker, Oliveiros Petracca, Kyle Pokallus, Barbara Price, Peter Radosta, Sr., Marion Schladt, Taylor Thompson and Bill Tweed.

**For those who have died:** Especially John Payne (*father of Nancy Rieger Barnes*).

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**MONDAY, March 9**

7:30AM Jan Voss †  
 6:00PM Anna Perkins †

**TUESDAY, March 10**

7:30AM In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Trinity  
 6:00PM Kelly Weston

**WEDNESDAY, March 11**

7:30AM Ismael Becerra †  
 6:00PM Fred Valz, Jr. †

**THURSDAY, March 12**

7:30AM Geraldine Ann Murphy †  
 6:00PM Ann & Jack DeCicco †

**FRIDAY, March 13**

7:30AM Msgr. James J. Fennessy  
 6:00PM Tony McCarver †

**SATURDAY, March 14**

8:30AM Jan Chaput  
 5:30PM Beulah Appleby †

**SUNDAY, March 15**

7:00AM Richard Coyne †  
 8:30AM Diann Kannapel  
 10:00AM Carol Tiarsmith  
 11:30AM People of the Parish  
 1:00PM En Español  
 5:00PM Harry Chaffin  
 7:00PM Em Português

**PRIEST VISITS TO**

**HOSPITALS AND ASSISTED LIVING HOMES**

If you would like a visit from a Catholic priest, or would like communion on Sunday or other sacraments for your family member, please contact our office at 770-394-3896 with your name (or family member name) and the hospital or assisted living information. We can also add you to our prayer list.



Coffee and Donuts  
 Hosted today by the Sacristans

**WEEK AT A GLANCE  
 MARCH 8-14**

**Sunday**

- 8:45AM - Faith and Life Classes - School
- 9:40AM or 11:20AM - CGS - D'Youville Ctr.
- 10:00AM - Littlest Angels & SPRED Classes - School
- 11:00AM - Hispanic PSR - Various Rooms
- 5:30PM - Portuguese PSR - Various Rooms
- 6:00PM - EDGE - MH
- 6:00PM - Life Teen - YC

**Monday**

- 7:30AM - Pastoral Council - Library
- 11:30AM - Sisters of St. Monica - SLC
- 7:00PM - Men's CRHP - YC
- 7:00PM - Portuguese Prayer Group - Church
- 7:00PM - RCIA - SC

**Tuesday**

- 9:30AM - *Killing Jesus* Book Study - Rm. 233
- 7:00PM - *Exodus* Bible Study - Rm. 233
- 7:00PM - Women's CRHP - YR

**Wednesday**

- 6:30PM - Lenten Penance Service - Church
- 7:00PM - Matthew Bible Study - Rm. 233
- 7:30PM - Portuguese Bible Study - Rm. 229

**Thursday**

- 9:30AM - Mary Bible Study - Rm. 233
- 7:00PM - Hispanic Charismatic Group - MH
- 7:00PM - Priest, Prophet & King - 7:00PM - Rm. 233
- 7:00PM - Walking with Purpose - SC

**Friday**

- 6:30AM - Men's Bible Study - SC
- 6:30PM - English Stations of the Cross - Church
- 7:00PM - Hispanic Charismatic Group - Rm. A
- 7:30PM - Spanish Stations of the Cross - Church
- 8:30PM - Portuguese Stations of the Cross - Church

**Saturday**

- 9:00AM - Master Server Retreat - Library
- 9:00AM - Hispanic Prayer & Life Workshop - Rm.229
- 9:45AM - Legion of Mary - Chapel
- 7:30PM - St. Patrick's Day Party - MH

See our website and calendar for more details  
 AC - Adoration Chapel, MH - Ministry Hall,  
 SC - Stapleton Center,  
 SLC - Spiritual Life Center, YC - Youth Center

**OUR PARISH OFFERTORY FOR THE FISCAL  
 YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2014  
 For the week ending March 1, 2015**

	Total Weekly Collections	Total Weekly Budget	Over/Under Budget
<b>This Week</b>	\$42,413	\$50,323	(\$7,910)
<b>Year to Date</b>	\$1,782,034	\$1,712,320	\$69,714

**Electronic Giving**

If you would like a convenient way to make recurring contributions we encourage you to check out our electronic giving options. To set up a recurring giving schedule or make a one-time contribution, visit us online at [www.stjudeatlanta.net/giving](http://www.stjudeatlanta.net/giving) or scan the QR code. Electronic giving cards are now available in the pews. These cards can be placed in the offertory basket in lieu of an envelope if you currently give online. Thank you for your support of our parish. Any questions can be directed to Kathleen Woods at [kwoods@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:kwoods@stjudeatlanta.net) or 770-394-3896.



**Archbishop's Annual Appeal 2015**

Earlier this month, we heard Archbishop Gregory's message asking us all to pledge to the *2015 Archbishop's Annual Appeal*. If you have not yet filled out a pledge card, you can pick up a pledge envelope in the church vestibule and drop it in the cabinet in the vestibule or you can drop it by the parish office. Your gifts to the Appeal not only fund the operations of the Archdiocese, it also funds services that are of great help to the ministries here in our parish. After we reach our Annual Appeal goal of \$190,800, the archdiocese returns 100% of any overage back to our parish. This year, the theme of the Appeal is, "*All this I Do For The Sake Of The Gospel.*" As Catholics, we are called to give of ourselves to help spread the good news of the Gospel. A monetary donation is a concrete way to act in gratitude and to help bring heaven down to earth for those right here in our diocese and in our own parish. Thank you for your support of the Archbishop's Annual Appeal.



# Lent



## Lenten Regulations

### Fasting and Abstinence

**Catholics over 18 and up to the beginning of their 60th year are bound to the obligation of fasting. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are the days of fasting. On these days, only one full meal is allowed. Two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids, including milk and fruit juices are allowed. Catholics over 14 years of age are bound to the obligation of abstinence. Abstinence is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and on all Fridays of Lent. On days of abstinence, meat may not be used at all. Regarding other weekdays of Lent, participation in daily Mass and the voluntary observance of fasting is recommended.**

### Penance During Lent

**The season of Lent is a penitential time and should be marked by some form of self-denial. Catholics should not lightly excuse themselves from these prescribed minimal penitential practices.**

## Stations of the Cross

Join us each Friday night at 6:30PM (English) 7:30PM (Spanish) or 8:30PM (Portuguese) in the Church for this devotional that unites us with Jesus' sufferings and the final hours of His life. We alternate between a traditional and contemporary approach to this devotional.

## Receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation

### Wednesday, March 11

In addition to our normally scheduled hours for confession, we will have a Penance Service on Wednesday, March 11 beginning at 6:30PM in the Church. Additional priests will be available to hear your confession that evening.

## Easter Lilies

### Honor a Loved One This Easter

Would you like to honor a beloved family member or special friend this Easter season? Making a donation toward the purchase of the Easter lilies that adorn the altar is a perfect way to honor or memorialize that special someone. For your convenience, special envelopes were included in your March envelope mailing, are available in the vestibule of the church or you can donate online on our website. Envelopes may be placed in the Sunday collection baskets or dropped off at the parish office. Donations may be any amount and will be applied toward the purchase of all lilies placed in the church this Easter. On Easter Sunday, the names of all those remembered and honored with donations will be printed in our parish bulletin. To have your loved one's name included, donations must be received no later than Sunday, March 29. Please consider this gift of remembrance this Easter! If you have any questions, please contact Pat Barnard at 404-538-3151 or [pabarnard05@aol.com](mailto:pabarnard05@aol.com) Thank you for your donations.



## Parish Seder Supper

### Thursday, March 26

You are cordially invited to join us for our annual Seder Supper on Thursday, March 26 at 6:30PM in the Ministry Hall. Come experience the meal in which our Mass has its roots! We are blessed to have Sam Hagan as our cantor for the event again this year.



Register and pay at [www.sjudealanta.net/seder](http://www.sjudealanta.net/seder) The cost per person is \$15 and the supper lasts approximately 2.5 hours. Volunteers are needed to help with preparing seder plates (instructions provided), set-up, check-in, making table centerpieces, clean-up and other activities. Please sign up at: [www.stjudeatlanta.net/sedervolunteers](http://www.stjudeatlanta.net/sedervolunteers) We hope to see you, your family and your friends at our seder. The supper is not recommended for children under the age of 7.

## Rice Bowls Still Available

We have a limited number of rice bowls available in the church vestibule. Please consider donating to the official Lenten program of Catholic Relief Services (CRS) to help people in poverty. Thank you for your support.

## St. Patrick's Party

**Saturday, March 14**

Please join us for Monsignor Joe's first St. Patrick's Party at St. Jude on Saturday, March 14 at 7:30PM in the Ministry Hall. Entertainment will include live Irish music, Irish dancers, featuring some of our own St. Jude students, and more!

Reservations can be made at [www.stjudeatlanta.net/stpatrick](http://www.stjudeatlanta.net/stpatrick), and at the parish office. Cost is \$25 per person and includes food, beer and wine. If you have any questions please contact Louise Hamrick at [lhamrick353@gmail.com](mailto:lhamrick353@gmail.com) or Patricia Marmion at [pmarmion@email.com](mailto:pmarmion@email.com)



## Italy Pilgrimage with Fr. Jaime

**Tuesday, June 16– Thursday, June 25**

Fr. Jaime invites you to join the pilgrimage to Italy to see the original Shroud of Turin and the Passion Play performed in the town of Sordevolo. The 9 day/8 night tour of northwest Italy features sacred sites and exploration of the cuisine and wine of the region. Special pricing still available for St Jude parishioners. See details at [www.StJudeItaly.com](http://www.StJudeItaly.com) or call Carol Rowland at 404-625-3801.

Women of Saint Jude invites you to  
a Spring Art & Gift Show

**the artsymarket**  
at St. Jude

COME SHOP  
in the Ministry Hall  
St. Jude Church, Glenridge Dr.

Thursday, March 19  
6:00 - 9:00 PM  
*wine & appetizers served for a suggested \$5 donation*

Friday, March 20  
8:30 AM - 1:30 PM  
*coffee & nibbles served for a suggested \$5 donation*

FABULOUS VENDORS  
with something for everyone  
on your Spring list!

- monogrammed gifts
- personalized stationery
- trendy jewelry
- beautiful fine art
- religious jewelry
- gourmet gifts
- hand-poured candles
- casseroles-to-go!

GIFTS FOR CONFIRMATION, EASTER, FIRST COMMUNION,  
MOTHERS DAY, GRADUATION, TEACHERS, ETC.

## St. Jude School Fun Run

**Saturday, March 21**

Lace up those running shoes!! The 2015 St. Jude Fun Run is coming soon! Complete your registration for this year's race at [www.saintjude.net](http://www.saintjude.net) The race will be held on Saturday, March 21 at 8:00AM and is open to runners of all ages. This year's Fun Run includes a 5K, a 1-mile run, and a very short tot-trot. Winners will receive prizes after the race. And for those who don't win ... food and a game truck will be a fun reward for finishing! Please contact Ashley Goodrich at [ashleysgoodrich@gmail.com](mailto:ashleysgoodrich@gmail.com) or Melissa Cochran at [mvcochran@yahoo.com](mailto:mvcochran@yahoo.com) for questions.



## Christ Renews His Parish (CRHP)



Registration for our 9th renewal weekends is taking place now. The men's weekend is scheduled for March 21-22 and the women's weekend is April 25-26. This renewal weekend provides an atmosphere for spiritual growth through prayer and personal reflection, and creates an opportunity for you to get to know your fellow parishioners better. A \$50 donation to cover program costs is requested.

To register online visit [www.stjudeatlanta.net/crhp](http://www.stjudeatlanta.net/crhp) If you have any questions, please contact Steve Cochran (men) at [crhpmen@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:crhpmen@stjudeatlanta.net) or Michelle Lane (women) at [crhpwomen@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:crhpwomen@stjudeatlanta.net)

## Easter Egg Hunt and Brunch

**Saturday, March 28**

St. Teresa's Circle invites you to join us for the annual Saint Jude Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 28 promptly at 10:00AM. We will meet at the playground (or in the Stapleton Center if it is raining).

Immediately following the egg hunt, please join us for a potluck brunch in the Stapleton Center. Parishioners with last names starting with A-L are asked to bring fruits and breads, and those with last names starting with M-Z are asked to bring casseroles or drinks.

If you are interested in volunteering for this fun event or have any questions, please contact Ashley Crunk at [aecrunk216@gmail.com](mailto:aecrunk216@gmail.com)





## Parish Easter Egg Hunt and Baskets of Blessings

### Donations Needed

The annual parish Easter Egg Hunt/Brunch and Baskets of Blessings outreach program are approaching and donations of items are greatly appreciated. Donation boxes are now in the church vestibule and parish office. The Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday, March 28 at 10:00AM on the playground. Donation items requested include plastic eggs and egg stuffers such as: Hershey kisses, starbursts, smarties, small candies, and small toys such as stickers, erasers, bubbles, bouncy balls, silly bands, etc. Please no nut candies. Baskets of Blessings is a program that helps provide over 100 Easter baskets to children in Atlanta that would not otherwise receive a basket. Items requested include: stuffed animals, books, coloring supplies, toys, toothbrushes, blankets, candy, snacks, etc. Please consider these donations on your next trip to Target, Walgreens, or the Dollar Store. Your generosity is very much appreciated! Both events are sponsored by St. Teresa's Circle. For questions please contact event chairs: Egg Hunt- Ashley Crunk at [aecrunk216@gmail.com](mailto:aecrunk216@gmail.com) and for Baskets of Blessing, contact-Siobhan Finnegan at [rieger7@gmail.com](mailto:rieger7@gmail.com). Thank you for your support of these parish traditions!

## Tuesday Eucharistic Adoration

### Now in Adoration Chapel

Eucharistic Adoration held every Tuesday from 8:00AM until 6:00PM during the school year will now be in the Adoration Chapel. All are welcome! Guardians are needed for 30 minute shifts. You may bring your own prayer books, read Scripture, pray the rosary, or just sit quietly and enjoy the sweet peace that comes from simply being in the presence of God. Please contact Bridgett Calia at 770-820-7863 or [eucharisticadoration@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:eucharisticadoration@stjudeatlanta.net) for more information or if you would like to sign up. Please remember to park in the spots in front off the chapel to not interfere with school carpool dismissal.

## Let's Play Bridge!

Want to learn to play bridge or just want to improve your game? No prior experience needed! Join other parishioners on Tuesdays at 7:00PM in Room B for 2 hours of fun! Call Carol Wood at 404-229-2226 for more information or to say you are coming!

## Help STC Stuff Easter Eggs!

### Monthly Meeting - Wednesday, March 11

All mothers of the parish are invited to join us for the Easter Egg Hunt stuffing party at the home of Ashley Crunk on Wednesday, March 11 at 9:30AM. Come grab a cup of coffee and help us stuff plastic eggs with candy, erasers, small toys, stickers, etc. If possible, please bring a bag of eggs and stuffing materials to the meeting. The eggs will be used during our parish wide Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 28. This is always a fun meeting and wonderful way to help the parish as well as socialize with other Moms! Details and directions will be emailed to our members. Childcare will be provided at the meeting, so please RSVP today with the number of children needing childcare. Please contact us to RSVP, join our email list, or ask any questions at [STC@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:STC@stjudeatlanta.net) or Jen Fowler at 404-219-6379 or Lauren Gomes at 404-663-1116. We look forward to seeing you and are so thankful for your time and help!



## Help STC Prepare Baskets of Blessings

### Evening Social - Wednesday, March 18



All mothers are invited to join us for our next evening social and outreach project at the home of Libby Gillins (directions will be emailed to our members). We will be stuffing Easter baskets for Baskets of Blessings, which provides over 100 Easter baskets to local children who live in homeless shelters. These children would otherwise not receive one without this wonderful outreach program. Come help us put together baskets while visiting with other moms! If you would like to bring supplies, items requested include: baskets, cellophane wrapping, stuffed animals, books, coloring supplies, toys, toothbrushes, blankets, candy, snacks, etc. Please consider these donations on your next trip to Target, Walgreens, or the Dollar Store. Your time and generosity is very much appreciated! Please contact us to RSVP, join our email list, or ask any questions at [STC@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:STC@stjudeatlanta.net) or Jen Fowler at 404-219-6379 or Lauren Gomes at 404-663-1116. We look forward to seeing you and are so thankful for your time and help!

## Children's Liturgy of the Word

### Sundays - 10:00AM Mass

Children's Liturgy of the Word (also known as CLOW) is a special way for children to experience the Word of God in their own sacred space. During Lent and Easter, children in grades K-3rd will be invited to join the CLOW team for the Liturgy of the Word for Children at the 10:00AM Mass.

Dismissal will take place just before the first reading. Children will be led to the Stapleton Center to hear readings of the day from the Children's Lectionary, followed by a reflection on them. Children will rejoin their parents at the offertory. Please encourage your child to participate.

For more information, contact Martha Robert, Director of Religious Education, at 678-252-5676 or [mrobert@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:mrobert@stjudeatlanta.net)



### Join the Youth Choir

Do you enjoy singing? Are you in grades 4-8? Then join our Youth Choir. The choir rehearses on Wednesdays from 6:00PM - 7:00PM in the Choir Room during the school year and perform at various Masses throughout the year. For more information or to register, please contact Vanessa Edwards at [vedwards@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:vedwards@stjudeatlanta.net). The choir's next performance will be on Sunday, March 22 at 8:30AM.

### Life Teen Band Needs Members

Our Life Teen band that plays at the 5:00PM Mass each Sunday is in need of a violin player (or similar accompaniment instrument) and a sound technician. The violin player must be able to read music and improvise. The sound tech does not need experience but just a fervor for excellent sound! Please contact Christopher Vigil via text or phone at 678-777-4195.

### First Eucharist Retreat

#### Saturday, March 28

The required retreat for all First Eucharist candidates and a parent is Saturday, March 28 from 2:45PM - 5:15PM. If you are unable to attend, please contact Martha Robert at [mrobert@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:mrobert@stjudeatlanta.net) or 678-252-5676. An e-mail will be sent home to all families with children preparing for First Eucharist detailing the retreat activities.



## Vacation Bible School (VBS) 2015

### Save the Date and Get Ready for Athletics!

St. Jude VBS, "Athletics... Training to be Champions for Christ!" is scheduled for the week of June 1-5. Please join us for this fun, Sports/Olympic themed program, where kids will be inspired to set goals and aim for a commitment to excellence in their Catholic faith. The children will celebrate with faith-based lessons, music, games, crafts, fun activities, and more! Registration will be open to rising pre-K through rising second grade. If you have general enrollment questions or would like to volunteer, please contact your VBS team at [vbs@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:vbs@stjudeatlanta.net)



## Parenting the Internet Generation

### Matt Fradd to Speak - Friday, March 27

All parents are invited to come and hear internationally recognized Catholic apologist and speaker, Matt Fradd, give a presentation entitled "Parenting the Internet Generation" on Friday, March 27 at 7:00PM in the Ministry Hall. This acclaimed speaker recently spent an afternoon with our 7th and 8th grade students presenting his program focusing on chastity entitled "*The Love that Satisfies*".

With Matt's charisma and deep knowledge of the Catholic Faith, this evening promises to be engaging, eye-opening, and educational. In the words of one of his many endorsers, "put Matt in front of the microphone, sit back, learn, and enjoy." You can view Matt's website at [www.mattfradd.com](http://www.mattfradd.com) to learn more about him and view several of his talks.

Please RSVP to [pchilds@saintjude.net](mailto:pchilds@saintjude.net) by Friday, March 20 to ensure that you receive a free gift including a DVD, booklet, and 1 month subscription to Covenant Eyes, an internet accountability filter. This is an adult only event.

## Do You Have an iPad to Donate?

Our Youth Ministry is in need of an iPad that will be used with their audio-visual equipment for presentations to our teens. If you have an iPad that runs iOS7 or later that you no longer use, please consider donating it to our Youth Ministry. Please contact Caitlin Mullen at 678-252-6117 or [cmullen@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:cmullen@stjudeatlanta.net) if you can help. Thank you for supporting our teens!



## Kids Club St. Patrick's Day Party

**Saturday, March 14**



All 4th and 5th graders are invited to celebrate

St. Patrick's Day with Kids Club! Join us in the Youth Center on March 14 from 4:30PM-6:00PM for delicious treats, games and activities, and a wee bit o' fun. Don't forget to wear your green!

An email invitation has been sent to all 4th and 5th grade students. If you did not receive one, please contact Danielle Spitznagel at [dspitznagel@sjudeatlanta.net](mailto:dspitznagel@sjudeatlanta.net) Please RSVP no later than Wednesday, March 11. We hope to see you there and bring a friend!

## Help Feed Our Teens!

Volunteers are needed to help provide dinner for our hungry teens on Sunday nights. Each volunteer is responsible for cooking for 20 teens and each weekend we need 4 volunteers each weekend. Food needs to be delivered and set up by 6:00PM and volunteers are responsible for serving and cleaning up. A sign-up genius can be found at [www.saintjudeyouth.com](http://www.saintjudeyouth.com) which includes the suggested menu for the evening. We thank you for helping keep our teens fed before EDGE and Life Teen.

## EDGE Volunteers

Our EDGE middle school program is looking for 4-6 adult volunteers to help with the program beginning in April while our coordinator is on maternity leave. Please visit [www.saintjudeyouth.com](http://www.saintjudeyouth.com) for details.



## Steubenville Conference

**Friday, July 10 – Sunday, July 12**

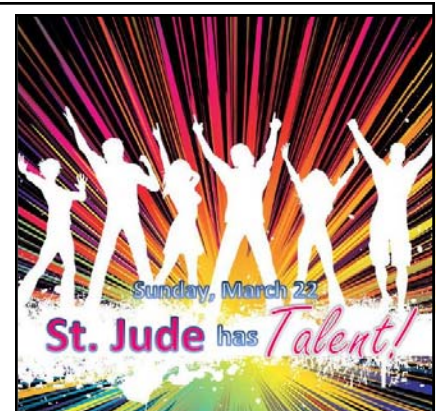
The Steubenville Conference is sponsored by Life Teen and Franciscan University. It is a weekend designed to ignite and deepen the faith of our high school teens through music, talks, and activities. It will be held this year at the Gwinnett Center in Duluth from Friday, July 10 - Sunday, July 12. Early bird registration is \$160. A parent information meeting will be held on Thursday, March 19 at 7:00PM in the Youth Center for you to find out more about this program. You can also visit the conference website at [www.steubenvilleconferences.com](http://www.steubenvilleconferences.com)

**Visit our website for Youth Ministry**  
[www.saintjudeyouth.com](http://www.saintjudeyouth.com)  
**Learn more about our events and activities!**

Can you play an instrument? Do you have a knack for juggling or unicycle riding?  
 Can you tie 30 knots in 30 seconds? Do you have an amazing singing voice or dancing ability? We want to see what you can do!

Showcase your unique gifts and wacky abilities in this year's *St. Jude Has Talent!* All middle and high school students are invited to participate in the youth ministry talent show individually or as a group.

Show time will be Sunday, March 22 from 6:00PM to 8:00PM. More information and sign up forms can be found at [www.saintjudeyouth.com](http://www.saintjudeyouth.com)



You must have your form turned in by March 15 in order to perform in the show!

If you have any questions, please email Caitlin Mullen at [cmullen@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:cmullen@stjudeatlanta.net) or Danielle Spitznagel at [dspitznagel@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:dspitznagel@stjudeatlanta.net) See you at the talent show!

## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

## Come and See....

Saint Joseph's Seminary College

**Vocations Weekend Retreat**

Thought about the priesthood lately?

Been on your mind a lot?

Come and see what God has to say about it.

This weekend is about how to discern God's call for your life.

No cost to you. Meals provided, beds provided

(bring bed linens, pillow, towels and personal items), prayer provided.

For all men 16 years and above

When:

**March 27 - 29, 2015**Visit [calledbychrist.com/come-see](http://calledbychrist.com/come-see) to registerIf you have any more questions after visiting the website please contact  
Office of Vocations, 404-920-7460**Get Your Taxes Done Free at CAC**

Tax preparation services are available to any household in the Atlanta area earning less than \$53,000 in 2014 through the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program

Appointments are required and available through April 11, Mondays and Wednesday, 4:00PM-8:00 PM and Saturdays, 10:00AM- 2:00PM. Call 770-552-4889 ext. 260 for an appointment or email [vita@ourcac.org](mailto:vita@ourcac.org)**St. Patrick's Day Mass****Tuesday, March 17**

The Hibernian Benevolent Society of Atlanta is sponsoring the annual St. Patrick Day Mass, in honor of the patron saint of Ireland, at the Cathedral of Christ the King on Tuesday, March 17 at 10:30AM. The Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Wilton D. Gregory and concelebrated by Bishop Luis Zarama. All are invited.

**Fabulous Fathers Priest Talent Show****Saturday, April 18**Join us for the 9th Annual Fabulous Fathers Priest Talent Show benefiting Regina Caeli Academy on Saturday, April 18. Doors open at 5:00PM. Enjoy the talents of local priests while supporting Catholic homeschooling families. Evening includes dinner, talent show, silent auction and raffle with Master of Ceremonies, Fr. Joshua Allen. Tickets are \$55 each and are available at [www.RCAHybrid.org](http://www.RCAHybrid.org) The show will be at our new home at 1565 Holcomb Bridge Road in Roswell.**Toni's Camp Registration Now Open**Toni's Camp  
Retreat

Toni's Camp will be held May 1-3. The camp is for any person age 14 or older who is mentally or physically impaired, who possesses basic self-care skills, enjoys group activities, and does not have severe behavioral problems. The camp is very fun and at times very loud.

Registration for Toni's Camp Retreat is now available on-line at [www.archatl.com/ministries/disabilities/toniscamp.html](http://www.archatl.com/ministries/disabilities/toniscamp.html) Registration is a first come, first serve basis. For additional information, please contact Maggie Rousseau at 404-920-7682 or [mrousseau@archatl.com](mailto:mrousseau@archatl.com)**World Meeting of Families****Papal Visit in September**The World Meeting of Families will take place in Philadelphia from Tuesday, September 22 - Sunday, September 27. As part of this event, there will be a papal visit with His Holiness Pope Francis. A crowd of over 1 million people is anticipated. The Archdiocese has blocked off a small number of rooms in the city and a larger block 30-45 minutes outside the city. These rooms will be reserved on a first-come/first-served basis. If you are interested, please contact Patrick Metts at 404-920-7643 or [pmetts@archatl.com](mailto:pmetts@archatl.com)**Holy Spirit College Grant - Fall 2015**

Holy Spirit College announces that beginning Fall 2015, qualified new degree candidates in the M.T.S. graduate program are eligible to apply for a 50% tuition grant from Holy Spirit Catholic Church.

Applications may be found at [www.holyspiritcollege.org](http://www.holyspiritcollege.org). For more information, please contact: Matthew McWhorter at [mmcwhorter@holyspiritcollege.org](mailto:mmcwhorter@holyspiritcollege.org) or Kim Schulman at [kschulman@holyspiritcollege.org](mailto:kschulman@holyspiritcollege.org)

## INFORMACIÓN EN ESPAÑOL

### Ministerio Hispano

#### Misa Dominical: 1:00PM

Fr. Jaime Rivera: 678-252-5669 o [jrivera@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:jrivera@stjudeatlanta.net)

María E. Allen: 678-252-5984 o [mallen@stjudeatlanta.net](mailto:mallen@stjudeatlanta.net)

Lunes a viernes 8:30AM a 4:00PM

770-394-3896 - Teléfono de la Oficina Principal

### Actividades

**Rosario:** Domingos después de misa en la Gruta de Ntra. Sra. de Guadalupe.

**Adoración Nocturna Parroquial:** Primer viernes del mes, a las 10:00PM en La Capilla de Adoración

**Misa de Quinceañeras:** Hablar con el sacerdote seis meses antes de la fecha. Martha Martinez 678-448-7077

#### Movimiento de Schoenstatt:

Grupo Señoras Viernes: Aida 404-213-8684

Grupo Juvenil Femenino 13 a 20 años: Julia 404-492-1166

Grupo Señoras Sábados: Magdalena 404-643-0464

#### Renovación Carismática: Jueves 7:00PM

Claudia Alicia Ramirez 678-499-2430.

**Presentaciones:** Para la bendición durante la misa, hablar con el sacerdote una semana antes de la fecha.

**Talleres de Oración y Vida:** Beatriz Martinez 404-553-3097

### Sacramentos

**Bautizos:** Llamar a la oficina para reservar la fecha.

Preparación: Primer sábado del mes 4:00PM - Salón C-sótano de la Iglesia.

**Confesiones:** Domingos antes de la misa de 1:00PM o con cita.

**Matrimonios:** Hablar con el sacerdote seis meses antes de la fecha planeada. Martha Martinez 678-448-7077

### Ministerios

**Catequesis-RICA:** Cielo Pava 786-454-7321

**Coro:** Lucy Malave 757-871-7530

**Concejo Pastoral:** Gustavo Adolfo Romero Quevado 404-514-4383

**Bautizos:** Carlos Marroquin 571-379-1348

**Lectores:** Ivette Faccio - 787-646-7171

**Ministros de la Sagrada Comunión:** Martha Martinez 678-448-7077

**Monaguillos:** Elizabeth Morales 678-663-3448

**Sacristía:** Magdalena Navarrete 404-643-0464

**Ujieres:** Perla Nuñez 404-483-3410

Orbelin Montufar 770-899-8561



### Via Crucis



**En inglés a las 6:30PM**

**En español a las 7:30PM**

**En portugués a las 8:30PM**

### Recibe el Sacramento de la Reconciliación

#### Miércoles 11 de Marzo

Además de nuestro horario regular de Confesiones, tendremos un Servicio Penitencial el miércoles 11 a las 6:30 PM en la Iglesia. Varios sacerdotes estarán disponibles para escuchar Confesiones esa noche.

### Lleve la Copa de Elías a su Hogar

Necesitamos voluntarios cada domingo que nos ayuden a orar por vocaciones para nuestra parroquia. Lleve a su casa la Copa de Elías por una semana y ore por nuestros sacerdotes y para que más hombres y mujeres escuchen y respondan generosamente a la llamada del Señor al sacerdocio, diaconado y a la vida religiosa consagrada.

Cada domingo el celebrante usará la Copa de Elías como el cáliz de la preciosa sangre. Al final de la Misa la familia o individuos que quieran ser voluntarios serán llamados a recibir la copa.





## INFORMAÇÕES EM PORTUGUÊS

### Ministério Brasileiro

**Missas:** Domingo às 07:00PM e as 1as Sexta-feiras do mês às 8:00PM.

**Confissões:** Quarta-feira das 06:00PM as 07:00PM e Domingo das 5:30PM as 6:30PM ou por agendamento.

### Ministérios e Responsáveis

**Catequese:** Glauciane - 678 -349-8403

**Escola da Fé:** Rosana Szvarca 404-795-1445

**Liturgia:** Leidiane Coelho 404-219-3964

**Minist. Eucaristia:** Galdino 404 - 579-1346

**Preparação para o Batismo:** João e Carla Doná 678-640-9362

**Preparação para Adultos (RICA):** Gilberto Szvarca 404-795-1445

### Via Sacra Toda Sexta-Feira Durante a Quaresma

“Desejo que conheças mais a fundo o Meu amor de que está inflamado o Meu Coração pelas almas, e compreenderás isso quando refletires sobre a Minha Paixão. ( Diário de Santa Faustina #186) Iniciamos no dia 20 de fevereiro, às 8:15PM - na igreja. Em inglês às 6:30PM em espanhol às 7:30PM.



### A Família Trinitária Faz Sua Morada em Nós.

**Batismo:** não é um rito, é uma “invasão”, a descida da Três Pessoas Divinas da Santíssima Trindade em nossa vida de uma forma única, que acontece por meio da fé em Jesus Cristo.

É a nossa “porta de entrada” na Igreja, no Corpo Místico de Cristo. Por isso sem ele não podemos receber nenhum outro sacramento. Uma vez batizados, a Família Trinitária faz Sua Morada em nós. Uma Comunidade de Amor e Adoração que habita dentro de nós. O Filho tem, incessantemente, adorado o Pai dentro de nós e o Seu Espírito tem clamado: “Abba, Pai!”

Por isso a importância de escutar a Deus através da oração e deixar-se ser dirigido livremente por esta Corrente de Oração que acontece dentro de nós.

Para fazer com que esta experiência de Habitação Trinitária passe de noção para a vida, a Igreja desenvolveu algumas práticas de oração, como por exemplo: o Rosário, a Oração de Jesus, Lectio Divina, etc.

### «Onde está o teu irmão?» (Gn 4, 9): As Paróquias e as Comunidades

Para receber e fazer frutificar plenamente aquilo que Deus nos dá, deve-se ultrapassar as fronteiras da Igreja visível em duas direcções.

Em primeiro lugar, unindo-nos à Igreja do Céu na oração. Quando a Igreja terrena reza, instaure-se reciprocamente uma comunhão de serviços e bens que chega até à presença de Deus. A Igreja do Céu não é triunfante, porque deixou para trás as tribulações do mundo e usufruiu sozinha do gozo eterno; antes pelo contrário, pois aos Santos é concedido já contemplar e rejubilar com o facto de terem vencido definitivamente a indiferença, a dureza de coração e o ódio, graças à morte e ressurreição de Jesus. E, enquanto esta vitória do amor não impregnar todo o mundo, os Santos caminham connosco, que ainda somos peregrinos. Convicta de que a alegria no Céu pela vitória do amor crucificado não é plena enquanto houver, na terra, um só homem que sofra e gema, escrevia Santa Teresa de Lisieux, doutora da Igreja: «Muito espero não ficar inactiva no Céu; o meu desejo é continuar a trabalhar pela Igreja e pelas almas» (*Carta 254*, de 14 de Julho de 1897).

Também nós participamos dos méritos e da alegria dos Santos e eles tomam parte na nossa luta e no nosso desejo de paz e reconciliação. Para nós, a sua alegria pela vitória de Cristo ressuscitado é origem de força para superar tantas formas de indiferença e dureza de coração.

Em segundo lugar, cada comunidade cristã é chamada a atravessar o limiar que a põe em relação com a sociedade circundante, com os pobres e com os incrédulos. A Igreja é, por sua natureza, missionária, não fechada em si mesma, mas enviada a todos os homens.

Esta missão é o paciente testemunho d'Aquele que quer conduzir ao Pai toda a realidade e todo o homem. Tudo aquilo que recebemos, recebemo-lo também para eles. E, vice-versa, tudo o que estes irmãos possuem é um dom para a Igreja e para a humanidade inteira.

Amados irmãos e irmãs, como desejo que os lugares onde a Igreja se manifesta, particularmente as nossas paróquias e as nossas comunidades, se tornem ilhas de misericórdia no meio do mar da indiferença!

**Mensagem do Papa Francisco para a Quaresma de 2015**