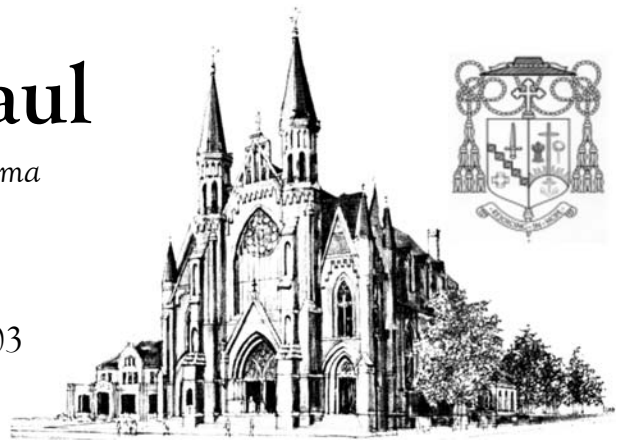


# The Cathedral of Saint Paul

Mother Church of the Catholic Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama

Most Reverend Robert J. Baker, S.T.D., Bishop

2120 Third Avenue North • Birmingham, Alabama 35203  
(205) 251-1279 • <http://www.stpaulsbhm.org>



**October 29, 2017 • The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Holy Mass

Saturday 5:00pm (Anticipated)

Sunday 8:30am and 11:00am (Solemn Mass)

Weekdays 6:30am and 12:10pm

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (concludes with Benediction)

Friday 7:00am to 12:00pm & 12:45pm to 5:00pm, in chapel

## Confession/Reconciliation

Monday–Friday 11:30am to 12:00pm

Saturday 3:00 to 4:00pm • *Other times by appointment*

## Anointing of the Sick

For those who have reached the use of reason and are in danger of death from sickness or old age. Anointing is ordinarily preceded by Confession. Contact a priest. In emergencies, call anytime.

## Baptism

The Church instructs parents to seek baptism for their child within the first few weeks after birth. Contact the office, preferably during the pregnancy, to make the arrangements.

## Holy Matrimony

Contact the Wedding Coordinator at least 6 months in advance. Subject to the Cathedral's wedding guidelines.

## Funerals and Columbarium

Contact the office prior to making arrangements with the funeral home. To learn about the columbarium, call the office.

## Parish Mailing Address

P.O. Box 10044 • Birmingham, Alabama 35202

## Parish Office Hours

Monday–Friday 8:00am to 3:00pm • (205) 251-1279

## Staff List with Phone Extensions (when applicable)

Pastor & Rector: Very Rev. Bryan W. Jerabek, J.C.L., x103

Priests in Residence: Rev. Patrick P. Cullen  
Rev. Douglas M. Vu

Permanent Deacons: Rev. Dr. G. Neal Kay  
Rev. Mr. Wally Zieverink

Parish Secretary: Mrs. Krista Rataj, x100

Pastoral Care: Mrs. Priscilla Davis, x117

Director of Music: Mr. Bruce Ludwick, x107

Assistant Organist: Mr. Mark Hayes

Wedding Coordinator: Mrs. Megan Wyatt, x116

Director Religious Ed.: Mrs. Barbara Doran, x108

Bookkeeper: Mrs. Katie Baker

Membership Coord.: Mrs. Linda Kay

## Saint Stephen the Martyr Chapel & College Ministries

1515 Twelfth Avenue South • Birmingham, Alabama 35205  
(205) 933-2500 • <http://www.stsbhm.org> • Office Hours 9:00am to 2:00pm

Rev. Douglas M. Vu, Administrator • Rev. Mr. Danny Rodgers, Deacon  
Mrs. Jane Lombardo, Administrative Assistant • Mrs. Carrisa Pluta, Campus Minister

**Mass Schedule:** Sunday 10:00am and 5:00pm  
Tuesday–Thursday 5:30pm, Adoration 6:00-7:00pm  
Friday 12:30pm  
Third Saturday of the Month 8:30am Pro-Life Mass  
Tue–Thur 6-7:00pm; Sun: 30 minutes before Mass  
Mon 9:00am-2:00pm; Tue-Thur 9:00am–9:00pm

*Follow us on Facebook!*

**Cathedral:** <http://www.facebook.com/stpaulsbhm>

**St. Stephen:** <http://www.facebook.com/receivemyspirit>

**Confession:**  
**Student Lounge:**



**First Light Shelter  
for Homeless Women and Children**

THANK YOU to all who volunteered at First Light in October. For one week every other month Cathedral parishioners provide the evening meal or stay overnight with the women and children at the Shelter. We are currently in need of additional help for our Tuesday evening meal team and always welcome new volunteers for both overnight and dinner duties. Our next date to serve is December 10-16. If you would like to learn more about this parish ministry, please call or email Nancy Heck for more information (205-870-1349/[nheck@bellsouth.net](mailto:nheck@bellsouth.net)).

**ORGAN PROJECT INFORMATION SESSION**

We are happy to announce another informational session on the status of the Cathedral's pipe organ project this Sunday, October 29, after the 11AM Mass. This session is identical to those presented the first week of October and will be presented in the CLC multipurpose room. Through a powerpoint and spoken presentation, it will cover the entire research scope of the project from the initial pipe replacement proposals from before 2012, through rebuilding proposals obtained in 2015-2016, through proposals for a new instrument obtained in 2016-2017 at the request of the Finance Committee. It will also outline some recent trouble with the instrument resulting from various major ongoing issues. Our Director of Music, Bruce Ludwick, will present the findings of two-plus years of work on the project, as well as answer relevant questions. All parishioners interested in this important part of our music apostolate should plan to attend. If you would like more information and are unable to attend this session (or you simply have questions or would like to make a donation), please contact the Director of Music at [ludwick@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:ludwick@stpaulsbhm.org) or 205.251.1279x107. Thank you!

**HELPING THOSE IN NEED**

**A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU** to our Cathedral Young Professionals and Families, the Tuesday evening Catholic Study Group, the St. Thomas Aquinas Academy home school co-op and St. Francis Xavier Catholic School 6-8 graders for making and donating snack bags! Because of your spirit of charity and generosity, we have been able to give up to 50 snack bags a week. The people who receive these are MOST grateful for the extra food to help them through their day! If you, your parish group, school or family would like to help provide snack bags, please call the Parish Office. Monetary contributions are also appreciated. Please use the Poor Pipe in the back of the Church or bring your donation to the Office.

**A special thanks to Michael Sperando  
for folding the Bulletins and Orders of Worship!**

**All Saints Day,  
Wednesday, November 1st**

**A Holy Day of Obligation**

Masses at 6:30am, 12:10pm  
(followed by the blessing) and 6:30pm  
*Cathedral office closed.*

**BLESSING OF ALTAR OF ST JOSEPH**

*As you know, the burial ground for our former bishops is located in the courtyard between the church and the rectory. Bishop Vath is buried there, and there is a memorial marker for Bishop Boland, who is buried in his native Ireland. On Wednesday, November 1, Bishop Baker, together with Bishop Boland's brother (also a Bishop!), at least one other Bishop, as well as priests and deacons, will bless the outdoor Altar of St. Joseph following the 12:10pm Mass. That is a Holy Day of Obligation and we hope you will be able to attend and stay to witness the blessing afterwards.*

**Combine your faith and career at EWTN!**

We are searching for qualified candidates for the following positions in Irondale: HR Manager, Maintenance Technician, Security Officer, Security Officer/Driver, Jr Network & Systems Administrator, and Radio Operator (Vandiver, AL) For information on job requirements, go to [www.ewtn.com](http://www.ewtn.com) Please email cover letter, salary requirements & resume to [humanresources@ewtn.com](mailto:humanresources@ewtn.com) EOE

**Parish Thanksgiving Meal**

**Sunday, November 12th following 11am Mass  
Turkey and Dressing provided!  
Please bring a side and dessert to share!**

**UPDATED Prayers for the Dead**

You are all most welcome to join Fr. Vu at Elmwood Cemetery in west Birmingham on Saturday, November 4th at 10:00am to pray the Rosary, as well as other prayers for the dead. Please meet in the Catholic section (BLOCK 29) of the cemetery at the grave of Fr. James Coyle. If you would like to caravan to the cemetery, please arrive at the St. Stephen parking lot (1515 12th Ave S, Birmingham, AL 35205) no later than 9:30am. A pot luck lunch is being coordinated for those who wish to return to St. Stephen after the trip to the cemetery. Please bring a dish to share. You may contact Christy Campbell at [risher@gmail.com](mailto:risher@gmail.com) for more information.

**MAGNIFICAT**

The Mary, Woman of Faith Chapter of Magnificat invites the ladies of the Diocese of Birmingham to a Magnificat Breakfast on Saturday, November 4, at St. Elias Church from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Our speaker is Janice Nelson, who is a member of the Cathedral of St. Paul. Tickets are \$15 and are available at Alpha Church and Gifts. You may also purchase a ticket from Carolina Maenza (205 979-7645) after all Masses this weekend. No tickets are sold at the door.

**Catholic Philosopher to Speak  
Cathedral of St. Paul  
November 10th at 6:30pm**

Renowned Catholic philosopher Eleonore Stump will present a public lecture in the Great Hall: "Mary of Bethany and the Problem of Suffering."

This is a rare opportunity. Dr. Stump is one of the most highly regarded Catholic philosophers in the English-speaking world. In 2003, she presented the Gifford Lectures in Aberdeen, one of the most prestigious honors in the philosophy of religion. Her book 2010 book *Wandering in Darkness* is a highly acclaimed look at the problem of suffering from a Thomistic point of view.

Eleonore Stump is the Robert J. Henle Professor of Philosophy at Saint Louis University, where she has taught since 1992. She has published extensively in philosophy of religion, contemporary metaphysics, and medieval philosophy. Her books include her major study *Aquinas* (Routledge, 2003) and her extensive treatment of the problem of evil, *Wandering in Darkness: Narrative and the Problem of Suffering* (Oxford, 2010). She has given the Gifford Lectures (Aberdeen, 2003), the Wilde lectures (Oxford, 2006), and the Stewart lectures (Princeton, 2009). She is past president of the Society of Christian Philosophers, the American Catholic Philosophical Association, and the American Philosophical Association, Central Division; and she is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. She is currently serving as the President for the Philosophers of Jesuit Education.

# The Knightly News...

Council #9862



Interested in learning more about the benefits of joining the Knights of Columbus?

Please visit [www.KOC9862.org](http://www.KOC9862.org) or contact Jack Boggan at 706-1209.

We are a group of dedicated men who are joined together by faith and community support.

## CYPF: Cathedral Young Professionals and Families

The Cathedral Young Professionals and Families is a social and service group for singles and married people ages 21-40. Please "like" our facebook page, [www.facebook.com/cathedralYPF](http://www.facebook.com/cathedralYPF) to stay updated on what's going on or e-mail [mandylburmester@gmail.com](mailto:mandylburmester@gmail.com) or [laurenwbates@gmail.com](mailto:laurenwbates@gmail.com) for more info.

### Upcoming events:

**Socials:** Family friendly at Delta Blues on Cobb Lane - 5:30pm on 11/29.

### Confraternity of Christian Mothers

The Confraternity of Christian Mothers will hold its next meeting on Thursday, November 9, 2017, at the Cathedral of St. Paul. Adoration and Confession begin at 6pm, followed by Holy Mass at 7pm. Following Mass, our Father Director, Fr. Lucas, will speak on indulgences and especially those connected with the CCM. Open to all Catholic women who are striving to grow in holiness and lead their families to Heaven! For more information, contact Lori Donellan at [ccmbham07@gmail.com](mailto:ccmbham07@gmail.com).

**Daylight Savings Time ends NEXT weekend!**

**Please remember to "fall back" one hour!**

### Baptismal Preparation

The Baptismal Preparation Class schedule has been made for 2017. The remaining session is scheduled for December 17, 2017 at 9:45am. Please call the office to sign up before your baby is born!

**All Souls envelopes are in the pews this weekend.  
Please take and return promptly to have your requests included in the novena of Masses  
November 12-20 celebrated by Fr. Jerabek.**

**You are Cordially Invited!  
Her Choice Birmingham Women's Center  
Fundraising Banquet  
Tuesday, November 7, 2017  
7:00 PM at The Club  
Keynote, Dr. Haywood Robinson,  
Former Abortionist now Pro-life Physician**

Please, make your reservation now, consider hosting a table of eight, or make a life-saving donation. There is no cover charge to attend but an appeal will be made to help support this work of mercy and hope. Her Choice Birmingham Women's Center exists to help women facing a crisis pregnancy to choose life, and to help support them with that decision. Her Choice also offers post-abortion recovery services. To confirm your participation, please call 205.447.8796 or email [hcbanquet@herchoicebirmingham.org](mailto:hcbanquet@herchoicebirmingham.org).

# The Cathedral Fall Festival



on Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

was a wonderful success!

We are extremely grateful to Margaret Masny  
for coordinating the day!

We are also grateful to the Knights of Columbus!

The burgers and dogs were delicious!

A special thanks to all of our wonderful Parishioners  
who helped and who came out to enjoy the day!

We couldn't have done it without you!

### New Year's Eve Celebration!

Make your plans now to attend the **New Year's Eve Dance** sponsored by the **Italian American Heritage Society** at Prince of Peace Catholic Church, Deasy Hall. Live music by Ross Gagliano and Spellbound. Snacks and food provided. Doors open at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are \$35 per person and may be obtained now by calling Paul Lorino at (205) 960-6150.

### A Special Gift to Honor or to Remember: A Cathedral Courtyard Brick!

4"x8" Bricks are \$175.00 with  
inscriptions of up to three lines, 13 characters per line.

8"x8" Bricks are \$300.00 with  
inscriptions of up to five lines, 13 characters per line.  
Please call the Cathedral office at 251-1279 for more details.

### Holy Souls Purgatory Retreat

Plan to attend a retreat given by Susan Tassone, best-selling author and expert on Purgatory, and the Franciscan Missionaries of the Eternal Word. The retreat is scheduled for November 2<sup>nd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> at the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, AL. Please register online at [olamshrine.com](http://olamshrine.com). For more information, please call the Pilgrimage office at 256-787-4123.

**This week please remember in your prayers the sick, the shut-ins and hospitalized, especially:** Joe Diliberto, Catherine Sperando, Judy Silhan, John Jaggard, Katey Benton, Neil Stalnaker, Thomas Perna, Jr., Jane Schwartz, Suzanne Dillon, Leila Driver, Mickey Naro, Kayla Garraway, Gabriel Humphries, Jay Bammerlin, Walter Jackson, Doris Robertson, John Fay, Curlene Henderson, Jon Serio, Bonnie Godhigh, Beth Anne Maier, Larry Dye, Susannah Blackstone, Brian Naro, Donna Dogil, Dee Bissett, Dolly Carroll, Leah Robe, Kwang Kyu Pak, Barbara Delhomme, Ed Burdick, Margaret Gracianette, Verlanda Tate, June Little, Nina Youngblood, Robbie Roy, Henry Hardin, III, Leah Jane Rovey, Candice Boyland, Cheryl Plaisance, Harris M. Caraballo, Sr., Brandon Fisher, Michael Vanderslice, Mary Ann Johnson, John Paul Anderson, Leslie Cox, Hans Lang, Grace Detling, Anna DeLeon, Christi Ingram, Vera Broussard, Mary Aliano, Nancy Hudson, Fr. Henry Thorsen, Patrick Coyle, Rose Antonio, Laura Cornell, Marilou Rucker, Kayla Perry, Lenora DeMarco, Jeanne Wright, Martha Slatsky, Peter Scheetz, Pat and Joe Puccio, Addison Cox, as well as all those who have died, especially Judy Martorana and Patrick Gadilhe.

**Let us pray for all of our Parish family members  
who have been departed.**

# Cathedral at a Glance, October 29-November 5

Sunday, October 29	Monday, October 30	Tuesday, October 31	Wednesday, November 1	Thursday, November 2	Friday, November 3	Saturday, November 4	Sunday, November 5
*8:30am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	6:30am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	6:30am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	6:30am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	6:30am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	6:30am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i> Adoration- <i>Chapel</i>	3:00pm Confessions- <i>Cathedral</i>	8:30am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>
9:45am—PSR- <i>CLC</i>	11:30am Confessions- <i>Cathedral</i>	11:30am Confessions- <i>Cathedral</i>	11:30am Confessions- <i>Cathedral</i>	11:30am Confessions- <i>Cathedral</i>	11:30am Confessions- <i>Cathedral</i>	5:00pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	9:45am—Ad. Ed & PSR- <i>CLC</i>
*11:00am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	12:10pm Mass Altar Blessing- <i>Cathedral</i>	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	11:00am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	
*5th Sunday Pancakes- <i>CLC</i>			3:45pm Children's Schola- <i>Office</i> 5:15pm Adult Schola- <i>Office</i> 6:00pm RCIA & Fraternus - <i>CLC</i> 6:30pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>  <i>OFFICE CLOSED</i>	7:00pm KofC Assembly- <i>CLC</i>	5:00pm Benediction - <i>Chapel</i>		

## Cathedral Liturgical Ministers

	Sacristan	Lectors	EOMHC	Altar Servers	Sanctuary Cleaning	Linens
<b>Saturday, November 4 5:00pm</b>	Alessio	J Pinto C Lagrone	C Bailey A Maiola	T Alessio L Davis N Fehr	<b>For the Week of October 29</b>	<b>For the Week of October 29</b>
<b>Sunday, November 5 8:30am</b>	J Oddo	M McCoy M Beasley	N Heck N Keller C Kemp A Klein	Lee Family M Caraballo E McMillan J Perkins	R Mays G Albert	C Rumore M Blackwood
<b>Sunday, November 5 11:00am</b>	S Hodo	J Bernard T Rumore	D DiPiazza T Slaughter A Wellborn	N Slatsky W Nichols		

### Mass Intentions

<b>Monday, October 30</b>	6:30 am 12:10pm	Concetta Roomano + Kinsey Leigh Foglman +
<b>Tuesday, October 31</b>	6:30 am 12:10pm	Catherine Sperando Special Intention
<b>Wed, November 1</b>	6:30 am 12:10pm 6:30pm	Priests' Souls in Purgatory+ * for the people
<b>Thur, November 2</b>	6:30 am 12:10pm	Priests' Souls in Purgatory+ John Jaggard
<b>Friday, November 3</b>	6:30 am 12:10pm	Priests' Souls in Purgatory+ Callahan Family
<b>Saturday, November 4</b>	5:00 pm	Barbara & Jack Boggan
<b>Sunday, November 5</b>	8:30 am 11:00am	Annie & Anthony Marino for the people

### Cathedral Staff Email Addresses

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<i>.....For other staff members, please call!</i>	

### Parishioner Update

*Please check:   \_\_Cathedral Parish   \_\_St. Stephen University Chapel*

If you are 18yrs or older, attend the Cathedral on a regular basis, and have not registered or if you have had an address or telephone number change, we ask you to complete the following and drop it in the offertory basket. If you are a new parishioner, a census form will be mailed to you. If you are not Catholic, but are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, please check R.C.I.A.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *New Parishioner*

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **R.C.I.A.**

\_\_\_\_\_ *Leaving Parish*

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *Address Change*

Home# \_\_\_\_\_ Work# \_\_\_\_\_