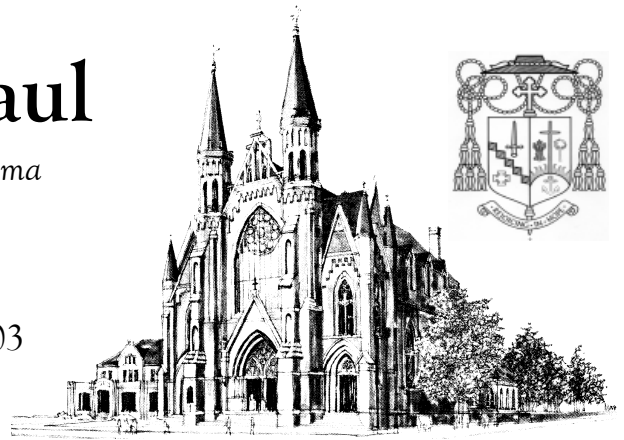


# The Cathedral of Saint Paul

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>



**August 12, 2018 • The Nineteenth 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

Parochial Vicar: Rev. Joshua M. Altonji

Priest-in-Residence: Rev. Patrick P. Cullen

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, x102

Membership Coord.: Mrs. Linda Kay

## Saint Stephen the Martyr Catholic University Chapel

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

Rev. Joshua M. Altonji, Chaplain • Rev. Mr. Danny Rodgers, Deacon

Mrs. Carrisa Pluta, Center Coordinator

### Mass Schedule:

Sunday 10:00am and 5:00pm

Wednesday 5:30pm, Adoration 6:15-7:15pm

Third Saturday of the Month 8:30am Pro-Life Mass

Wednesday 6:15-7:15pm; Sun: 30 minutes before Mass

Closed for the summer

Wednesday 9:00am–7:15pm



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

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

**Confession:**

**Student Lounge:**

**Chapel Hours:**

### Helping Those in Need

**A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU to all who have contributed in some way to the Cathedral snack bag project!** Your spirit of charity allows us to give up to 60 snack bags a week. **Without your generosity** we could not offer this gesture of Christ's love to our neighbors in need. If you, your parish group, school or family would like to help with this project, please call the Parish Office. Monetary contributions are also appreciated, allowing us to purchase bus passes and offer other assistance when appropriate to those who need help. Please use the Poor Pipe in the back of the Church or bring your donation to the Office. Thank you!

### ITALIAN-AMERICAN HERITAGE SOCIETY MEETING

The Italian-American Heritage Society will have its next meeting on Sunday, August 12, at 2:00pm at Our Lady of Sorrows Parrish Hall. All of Italian heritage are encouraged to join. Meetings are normally on the second Sunday of each month at Our Lady of Sorrows. The goal of the IAHS is to increase awareness of the sacrifice our ancestors made in immigrating to this country. We also strive to preserve their memory, as well as honor them and their contribution to this area and our nation. For questions or more information, please call Mary Jo Fritts 205 222 3443.

### Vocation Retreat - Cloistered Dominican Nuns

**October 19-21, 2018**

**Dominican Monastery of St. Jude, Marbury, Alabama**

For single Catholic young women, high school juniors through age 27, who are interested in the Dominican contemplative life. Is Jesus drawing you to give yourself to Him through a common life of liturgical and personal prayer, study and daily work, pondering the Word in your heart in union with Mary so that it may bear fruit for God and souls? Learn more at [MarburyDominicanNuns.org](http://MarburyDominicanNuns.org)

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

### NAZARETH HOUSE PROGRAM YOUTH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Catholic high-school students interested in working with children and youth having intellectual and developmental disabilities, in a Saturday morning Greater Birmingham Area city-wide program of religious education, are invited to a training workshop on Saturday, August 18th. The training workshop will be held 10:00 A.M. until 12:00 Noon at the St. Francis Xavier School, 2 Xavier Circle, Birmingham, AL 35213. The training workshop will take place in the School Annex Building. For further information or directions, please email Sister Mary Vernon Gentle [Mvgentle@aol.com](mailto:Mvgentle@aol.com) or Father Patrick Cullen [Fr.cullen@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:Fr.cullen@stpaulsbhm.org) or telephone (205) 907-0287.

### WeShare

<https://stpaulsbhm.churchgiving.com>

If you are interested in making your contributions stress free through automatic deductions, consider trying our on-line giving program – WeShare. If you need assistance to set up, activate, or update your account, please contact our bookkeeper, Katie Baker at [bookkeeper@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:bookkeeper@stpaulsbhm.org), and she will be happy to assist!

### First Light Shelter for Homeless Women and Children

For those who may not know, the First Light Shelter, less than 2 blocks from the Cathedral, houses 70 women and children who for various reasons have no place to live. The Shelter has a full administrative and social work staff, but relies on volunteers to prepare and serve the evening meals and assist with overnight supervision. For the past 27 years, volunteers from the Cathedral have been providing dinner and assisting with overnight duties during one week of every other month. More than 60 parishioners make up our meal teams and overnight volunteers. Through this ministry, we are able to live out Christ's call to care for the homeless as a parish community. Our next dates to serve are Aug. 12-18, Oct. 14-20 & Dec. 9-15. If you would like to know more about this wonderful ministry or are interested in joining our volunteers, **please** call or email Nancy Heck at 205-870-1349 [npheck@bellsouth.net](mailto:npheck@bellsouth.net)

### Saturday Retreat at the Cathedral September 22nd

**8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

Retreat with Fr. Giuseppe Cardamone  
of the Missionary Servants of the Poor from Peru

Titles of the three talks: "Protestantism vs. Sacramentality"  
"The Sacramental Identity of the Early Church:  
Letter to Diognetus,"  
"A Church for the Poor: A Path to Rediscover Our Identity."

**Cost: \$10 to cover breakfast and lunch**  
**Free will offerings accepted**

For more information,  
please call Barbara Doran at 251-1279, ext. 108

**Catholic Center of Concern Volunteers** will host a Bingo Luncheon on Wednesday, August 22nd at the CEDARS CLUB OF BIRMINGHAM, 301 Green Springs Avenue. The TRASH & TREASURES SALE will begin at 10:00 a.m., with BINGO at 11:00 a.m. TICKETS ARE \$10.00 DOLLARS which includes LUNCH and one bingo card good for ten games. Additional cards may be purchased. The Bingo and Sale Event will benefit the Catholic Center of Concern Mission to offer emergency relief assistance to qualifying needy families and individuals in their moment of crisis. Any questions, please call: 205-786-4388. **All are invited!**

### Theology on Tap BHM

Love pizza? Digesting theology? WE do! Join fellow young adults in Birmingham on the 2nd Mondays of each month at 6:30pm at Bird's Bar & Pizza. We'd love to see you!

#### Upcoming Speakers/Topics

**Mon, August 13**

Fr. Justin Rose, Pastor of St. George Melkite Greek Catholic Church  
*"The Differences Between Greek Melkite and the Latin Rite"*

**Mon, September 10**

Diana Urbina, Director of Young Adult and Pro-Life Ministry for the Diocese of Birmingham

**Mon, October 8**

Amy Welborn, Author, *"Teresa, Flannery, and Friends: Stories of Awesome Catholic Women"*

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# The Knightly News...



Fr. James E. Coyle Council #9862

**Knight of Columbus Council #9862  
is proud to present the 5th Annual Knights  
Night Out with the Barons  
Saturday, August 25th  
at 6:30PM**

**Birmingham Barons vs Jackson Generals**

Baseline tickets are \$8.00 and are available  
for pick up or to purchase after Masses  
Aug. 11/12 and 18/19.

Please contact John Martin [TJM8061@AOL.com](mailto:TJM8061@AOL.com)  
or call 205.999.1484.

## Save the date!!

All Catholic Homeschoolers from the Diocese of Birmingham are invited to a Beginning of the Year Mass at the Cathedral of St. Paul in Birmingham. Mark your calendars for the Mass to be celebrated on Thursday, September 6th at 10:00 AM. Reception to follow; please bring a dish to share. Come join other Catholic homeschoolers to begin the school year in prayer and fellowship! For more information, please contact Susan Fay at [staabhm@gmail.com](mailto:staabhm@gmail.com)

## **Carolyn Wright To Speak at Magnificat Breakfast, August 25**

The Magnificat Prayer Breakfast will be held at St. Elias Parish Hall from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 25, 2018. Our speaker will be Carolyn Wright. Tickets are \$15 and are available by contacting Donna Chmielarski at (205)408-0308 and from Alpha Church Sup-  
ply. No tickets are sold at the door.

## **PARISH REGISTRATION**

Please remember, children are considered members with their parents until they turn 18 years old. Once they are 18, it is their responsibility to attend church and to register as a member independent of their parents. What a great way to honor their 18th birthday! This is very important when they want to schedule a wedding where registration is required for the bride or groom (and not the parents!)

## **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHCs)**

We will soon be re-certifying all of our existing EMHCs and training new ones. Anyone who is interested may contact Father Jerabek to discuss serving in this role. The basic requirements are that one be striving to live an upstanding moral life (i.e., in accord with Church teaching and regularly receiving the sacraments) and also have the physical capabilities needed. EMHCs must be delegated by the Bishop and publicly commissioned for a term of service; hence, the time has come to re-certify those who already serve and to add to their number. Please email Father Jerabek at [fatherjerabek@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:fatherjerabek@stpaulsbhm.org) if you are interested! Thank you!

## **NEW HOLY DAY SCHEDULE**



Masses for the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated with a Vigil Mass on Tuesday, August 14 at 5:30pm (Cantor), and the following on Wednesday, August 15: 6:30am (Recited), 12:10pm (Cantor), and 6:30pm (Choir/Solemn). The Assumption is a Holy Day of Obligation: if you are not able to attend at St. Paul's that day, be sure to find Mass in another local parish or wherever you may be!

## **Reflection Day on Twelve-Step Spirituality**

The Benedictine Sisters Retreat Center in Cullman is pleased to present a one-day retreat entitled *Letting Go and Letting God: The Wisdom of Twelve-Step Spirituality*. The reflection day, to be held on Tuesday, August 28, will focus on the core principles of Twelve-Step spirituality and the gift of spiritual freedom that is experienced when these principles are put into practice. The retreat day will begin at 9:00 AM and conclude at 3:00 PM. The fee for the day is \$30 and includes lunch. For more information or to register, please contact the Benedictine Sisters Retreat Center at (256) 734-8302 or [retreats@shmon.org](mailto:retreats@shmon.org). Pre-registration is required.

Are you being called to a deeper understanding of Faith and Truth? Answer the call as a Lay Dominican. The Birmingham Lay Dominican Blessed Giorgio Frassati Chapter is sponsoring a "Come and See" informational meeting. The life of a Dominican layperson is all about having a passion for the Word of God. It is about committing one self to a community of like minded brothers and sisters that immerse themselves in the Word of God. We are men and women, singles and couples living a Catholic life with a Dominican spirituality in the secular world. The meeting will be at St Rose Academy, 1401 22<sup>nd</sup> St S., Birmingham, AL 35205 on September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 2PM.

## **ENROLLMENT IN THE BROWN SCAPULAR**

Father Jerabek will offer enrollment in the Brown Scapular of Our Lady of Mount Carmel to anyone who has never been enrolled following the 5:30pm Vigil Mass on August 14 and after the 12:10pm and 6:30pm Masses on August 15, the Solemnity of the Assumption. Brown scapulars will be available free of charge – while supplies last! We are grateful to a parishioner who has generously sewn the scapulars!

## ***Baptismal Preparation***

*The Baptismal Preparation Class schedule has been made for 2018. Sessions are scheduled for August 12, October 14, and December 9, 2018 at 9:45am. Please call the office to sign up **before** your baby is born!*

**This week please remember in your prayers the sick, the shut-ins and hospitalized, especially:** Hortense Goodson, Ila Shenk, Louis Stalnaker, Ruth Mays, Lena Brozowski, John Fay, Tony Traficante, Brian Naro, Lourdes Lagans, Kirsten & Ed Burdick, Henry Hardin, Carrie Towle, Ian McLaughlin, Sam Moore, Barbara Hail, Terri Dorman, Brenda Brasher, Sam Pilato, An Nguyen, James Harry Douglas, Maria Aliano, Bob Flowers, Maureen Angelini, Donna Speegle, Neil Stalnaker, Thomas Perna, Jr., Suzanne Dillon, Kayla Garraway, Gabriel Humphries, Walter Jackson, Doris Robertson, Jon Serio, Bonnie Godhigh, Larry Dye, Susannah Blackstone, Dee Bissett, Dolly Carroll, Barbara Delhomme, June Little, Nina Youngblood, Robbie Roy, Leah Jane Rovey, Candice Boyland, Brandon Fisher, Michael Vanderslice, Mary Ann Johnson, Hans Lang, Grace Detling, Anna DeLeon, Christi Ingram, Nancy Hudson, Fr. Henry Thorsen, Patrick Coyle, Rose Antonio, Laura Cornell, 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 Bobbie Bryant.

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

# Cathedral at a Glance, August 12-19

Sunday, August 12	Monday, August 13	Tuesday, August 14	Wednesday, August 15	Thursday, August 16	Friday, August 17	Saturday, August 18	Sunday, August 19
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>
11:00am Mass- <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>	11:30am Confessions- <i>Cathedral</i>	5:00pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	11:00am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>
12:00noon Welcome Reception for Fr. Altonji -CLC	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>		
		5:300pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	6:30pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i> <i>HOLY DAY-</i> <i>Office Closed</i>		5:00pm Benediction - <i>Chapel</i>		

## Cathedral Liturgical Ministers

	Sacristan	Lectors	EOMHC	Altar Servers	Sanctuary Cleaning
Saturday, August 18 5:00pm	F Giangrosso	J Pinto V Nolen	A Maiola J Pinto	A Brueggen L Davis	<u>Week of August 12</u> G Albert
Sunday, August 19 8:30am	M Beasley	A Marino D Thirkill	N Keller R Smith	A Marino Collins Family McMillan Family	<u>Linens</u> <u>Week of August 12</u> J Martignoni M Masny
Sunday, August 19 11:00am	S Hodo	T Price D Gregson	D DiPiazza T Slaughter	M Rumore W Nichols Mathews Family	

*Donate to the Cathedral securely  
with PayPal (scan code with phone camera)*



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

### Mass Intentions

<b>Monday, August 13</b>	6:30 am	Rudy Komater +
	12:10pm	Br. Paschal Pautler, OSB
<b>Tuesday, August 14</b>	6:30 am	Roy Maier, Jr. +
	12:10pm	Celebrant's Intention
	5:30pm	<i>for the people</i>
<b>Wed, August 15</b>	6:30 am	Fr. Lambert Greenan
	12:10pm	Celebrant's Intention
	6:30pm	Celebrant's Intention
<b>Thur, August 16</b>	6:30 am	Linda Boggan
	12:10pm	Claire Gomperts +
<b>Friday, August 17</b>	6:30 am	Celebrant's Intention
	12:10pm	Roxanne Given
<b>Saturday, August 18</b>	5:00 pm	Josephine & Joe Diliberto +
<b>Sunday, August 19</b>	8:30am	John David Oddo +
	11:00am	<i>for the people</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*



## *Cathedral of St Paul Knights of Columbus'*

*Labor Day, September 3, 2018*

### *Smoked Boston Butts, Ribs and Chicken Sales!*

In an effort to make your Labor Day weekend less work, the football more enjoyable and also to provide funds for our charitable activities, the Cathedral of St. Paul, Knights of Columbus Council #9862 is offering its Labor Day annual smoked boston butts, spare ribs and chicken.



You may place your order now by emailing the info to Andrew Maenza ([amaenza7645@charter.net](mailto:amaenza7645@charter.net)) or call @205- 527- 0192 & Jack Boggan 205 706-1209, Michael Geerts 205-266-3065, John Martin 205-999-1484, Tell Alessio 205-566-0172. The Knights will be present after the weekend Masses of August to take your orders.

- Orders must be received by 12 noon on August 27, 2018. (Prepaid is preferred, COD is acceptable)
- Make checks payable to Knights of Columbus, Council #9862 (K of C #9862)

Pick up times at the Cathedral Life Center as follows:

- Friday, August 31, 2018 11am until 3:45 pm.
- Saturday, September 1, 2018 8:30 am to 10:00 am & after 5 PM Mass until 6:30 pm.
- Sunday, September 2, 2018 at 9:00 am to 12:30 pm

*The Knights of Columbus, Council No 9862 thank you and your family for supporting this fundraising activity!*

## CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PAUL ADULT ED CALENDAR 2018-2019

	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
August 19	The Mass - The Ultimate Prayer	Fr. Patrick, MFVA
26	Introduction to Apologetics - The Church Militant	John Martignoni
Sept 2	<b>No Adult Ed – Labor Day Weekend</b>	
9	“What is Truth?” Pontius Pilate, A.D. 33	John Martignoni
16	What is Beauty?	Kathryn Eckert
23	Mission	Missionary Servants of the Poor
30	<b>No Adult Ed – K of C Pancake Breakfast</b>	
Oct 7	<b>No Adult Ed – Columbus Day Weekend</b>	
14	The Case for God	John Martignoni
21	(Fall Festival on one of these Sundays) -- No Adult Ed	
28	Science vs. Faith	John Martignoni
Nov 4	Church History - Early Church to Reformation	David Anders
11	<b>No Adult Ed – Veteran’s Day Weekend</b>	
18	The Case for Christ	John Martignoni
25	<b>No Adult Ed – Thanksgiving Weekend</b>	
Dec 2	Prayer	Dan Burke
9	Prayer & Virtue	Dan Burke
16	<b>No Adult Ed – Bambinelli Sunday</b>	
23	<b>No Adult Ed – Christmas Break</b>	
30	<b>No Adult Ed – Christmas Break</b>	
Jan 6	Pillars of Protestantism - Sola Scriptura	John Martignoni
13	Pillars of Protestantism - Sola Fide	John Martignoni
20	<b>No Adult Ed – MLK, Jr. Weekend</b>	
27	Church History - the Reformation	David Anders
Feb 3	The Crusades	Marc Ayers
10	The Inquisition	Marc Ayers
17	<b>No Adult Ed – Presidents’ Day Weekend</b>	
24	Moral Relativism - Was Hitler Right?	John Martignoni
Mar 3	Transgenderism - A Surgeon’s Point of View	Deacon Patrick Lappert
10	Sacraments - Baptism & Confession	John Martignoni
17	Sacraments - Eucharist	John Martignoni
24	<b>No Adult Ed – Spring Break</b>	
31	<b>No Adult Ed – Spring Break – K of C Pancake Breakfast</b>	
Apr 7	Sacraments - Marriage & Holy Orders	Fr. John Paul, MFVA
14	<b>No Adult Ed – Palm Sunday Procession</b>	
21	<b>No Adult Ed – Easter Sunday</b>	
28	Apologetics topics - Mary; the Pope; Purgatory, etc.	John Martignoni
May 5	Apologetics topics - Mary; the Pope; Purgatory, etc.	John Martignoni
12	<b>No Adult Ed – Mother’s Day</b>	
19	<b>No Adult Ed – Doctrine Bee for PSR</b>	