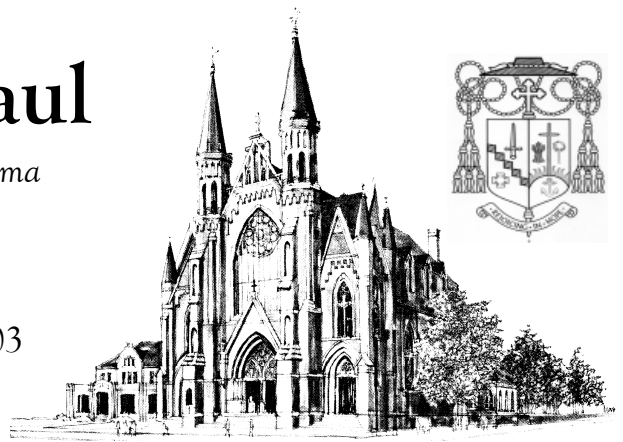


The Cathedral of Saint Paul

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 19, 2018 • The Twentieth 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



Follow us on Facebook!

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!

Combine your faith and career at EWTN! We have the following positions available in Irondale: Groundskeeper, Volunteer Support Assistant, Security Officer (night-shift), IT Support Technician (Tier I), Web Developer, Producer/Editor, Viewer Services Representative, Customer Service Representative (Religious Catalogue), Non-Linear Editor. For information on job requirements, go to www.ewtn.com Please email cover letter, salary requirements & resume to humanresources@ewtn.com EOE

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

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 father-gerabek@stpaulsbhm.org if you are interested! Thank you!

FORMED

Often referred to as the "Netflix for Catholics", the Cathedral Parish offers this great resource (free of charge!) to our parishioners. Many of you have already taken advantage of this wonderful way to grow in the Catholic Faith. For those who haven't availed themselves of this opportunity, our Parish Code is CW4J7P. Sign up today! Go to www.FORMED.org.

And now the FORMED iOS App by the Augustine Institute provides convenient mobile access to any FORMED subscriber. Download it from Apple's App Store (works for iPhones and iPads only!). Then login with your existing FORMED credentials and access thousands of video-based study programs, movies, documentaries, audio talks, audiobooks and even eBooks on Demand.

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, 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

Firelight Young Adult Silent Retreat

September 15th

The Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament

8:00am – 5:00pm Lunch provided

Cost is \$10-Register online at spiritualdirecion.com/events

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, 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*"

Get instant updates! fb.com/groups/totbirmingham/

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 August 18/19.
Please contact John Martin TJM8061@AOL.com
or call 205.999.1484.

NEW! SATURDAY MORNING MASS

Starting Saturday, September 1, we will be adding an 8:30am Mass on Saturdays at the Cathedral. This will be a regular daily Mass (recited, no music except on major feast days – average 30 minutes or less). Whenever the liturgical calendar and rubrics permit, it will be celebrated as a Mass of Our Lady, following the ancient and venerable tradition. Please join us!

INTENTION FOR SATURDAY MORNING MASS

In response to the recent scandals, the new Saturday morning Mass will be offered for the following intentions: On First Saturday, in reparation for crimes and sins of the clergy; on Second Saturday, for holy vocations to the priesthood; on Third Saturday, for healing of victims of sexual predation; on Fourth/Fifth Saturdays, for holy vocations to the priesthood. Father Jerabek has encouraged prayer and fasting as a response to the terrible scandals in the Church. While the sorts of crimes and sins committed may be found at all levels of society (in churches, in public institutions, in families, in things like human trafficking, etc.), they take on a particular gravity when committed by those who have been configured to Christ in the sacrament of Holy Orders and thus consecrated for the service of God. Such crimes and sins are an abomination and cry to God for vengeance. They leave unspeakable wounds of pain and suffering in their victims. These crimes and sins also offend us on the deepest level and often fill us with rage. But God does not need our rage: he desires our hearts, and we give them to him through prayer and fasting/sacrifice. Offering Mass for the above intentions, then, is one of the best things that we can do, for the Mass is the greatest prayer that we have, being Christ's very sacrifice offered to the Father for the sins of the world. For other concrete suggestions, see <http://stpaulsbhm.org/purify-your-church-o-lord/>. Thank you for your faithfulness and your participation in these crucial efforts!

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

R.C.I.A.- The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) for people interested in learning more about the Catholic faith begins on Wednesday, September 5. If you or someone you know is interested, please have them email (dre@stpaulsbhm.org) or call (251-1279, ext. 108) Barbara Doran. Thank you!

We will also be needing help to provide meals for our fledgling Catholics. Please contact Barbara at the contacts listed above. Thank you so very much!

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

Carolyn Wright To Speak at Magnificat Breakfast

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 Supply. No tickets are sold at the door.

2019 CATHOLIC CHARITIES GOAL ANNOUNCED

Soon parishioners will be receiving their 2019 Diocesan Catholic Charities pledge cards in the mail. Our parish goal this year remains unchanged from last -- \$135,106. Please consider how much you may pledge and send in your card right away. Thank you! No amount is too large or too small. With many gifts and good parish participation, we will meet this goal. Pledge payments will not begin until January and you will receive a monthly statement. If you wish to write a check now for the full amount you may do so and send it in right away instead. Thank you for your ongoing support of Diocesan Catholic Charities!

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 22nd St S., Birmingham, AL 35205 on September 9th, 2018 at 2PM.



Baptismal Preparation

*The Baptismal Preparation Class schedule has been made for 2018. Sessions are scheduled for 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: Tom Woolley, Hortense Goodson, Ila Shenk, Louis Stalnaker, Ruth Mays, Lena Brozowski, John Fay, Tony Traficante, Brian Naro, Lourdes Lagan, 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, Addison Cox, as well as all those who have died, especially Mary Sullivan.

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

Cathedral at a Glance, August 19-26

Sunday, August 19	Monday, August 20	Tuesday, August 21	Wednesday, August 22	Thursday, August 23	Friday, August 24	Saturday, August 25	Sunday, August 26
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 Adult Ed- <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 Adult Ed- <i>CLC</i>
11:00am 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>	12:10pm Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>	6:30pm Altar Server Appreciation - <i>Regions Field</i>	11:00am Mass- <i>Cathedral</i>
	5:15pm Parish Council - <i>Office</i>	6:30pm EMHC - <i>Cathedral</i>	6:30pm		5:00pm Benediction - <i>Chapel</i>		

Cathedral Liturgical Ministers

	Sacristan	Lectors	EOMHC	Altar Servers	Sanctuary Cleaning
Saturday, August 25 5:00pm	Alessio	J Pinto M Beard	C Bailey J Roberts	T Alessio A Brueggen B Dyer	<u>Week of August 19</u> B Maier R Parrino
Sunday, August 26 8:30am	R Coffield	J Marino T Leipert	L Anderson N Heck	A Marino Collins Family McMillan Family	<u>Linens</u> <u>Week of August 19</u> P Fiorella
Sunday, August 26 11:00am	P Fiorella	J Stalnakar P Jett	L Nicolini A Lyas	M Rumore W Nichols Mathews Family	

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with PayPal (scan code with phone camera)*



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.....For other staff members, please call!

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 20	6:30 am	Beth Mathews
	12:10pm	Virginia Milazzo +
Tuesday, August 21	6:30 am	James Lambert
	12:10pm	Patty, Allen & Sally Baker
Wed, August 22	6:30 am	Louise Holden & baby Edee
	12:10pm	Roy Maier, Jr. +
Thur, August 23	6:30 am	Eugene McNeill +
	12:10pm	Fr. Robert Crossmyer, CP
Friday, August 24	6:30 am	Celebrant's Intention
	12:10pm	Rudy Komater +
Saturday, August 25	5:00 pm	Angelina & Carmelo Aliano +
Sunday, August 26	8:30am	<i>for the people</i>
	11:00am	Tom Wachob +

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*