January 20, 2019 • The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Mass
Saturday Anticipated 5:00pm (Cantor)
Sunday 8:30am (Cantor) and 11:00am (Choir/Incense)
Monday–Friday 6:30am and 12:10pm • Saturday 8:30am

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. First-time parents ordinarily must attend a pre-baptismal class. Contact the office, preferably during the pregnancy, to make the arrangements.

Holy Matrimony
Contact the Wedding Coordinator at least six (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
Director Religious Ed.: Mrs. Barbara Doran, x108
Director of Music: Mr. Bruce Ludwick, x107
Assistant Organist: Mr. Mark Hayes
Seniors and Shut-ins: Mrs. Priscilla Davis, x117
Family Life Coordinator: Mrs. Catie Yu Tiamco, x 133
Family Life Assistant: Miss Sophie Duvall, x 133
Bookkeeper: Mrs. Katie Baker, x102
Wedding Coordinator: Mrs. Megan Wyatt, x116
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. Carissa Pluta, Center Coordinator

Mass Schedule:
Sunday 10:00am and 8:00pm (Adoration 7:00pm)
Tuesdays 5:30pm
Third Saturday of the Month 8:30am Pro-Life Mass

Confession:
During Adoration and 30 minutes before each Mass

Student Lounge/Chapel:
Everyday 8:00am–10:00pm

Office Hours:
Monday-Thursday 9:00am-12noon

Follow us on Facebook!
Cathedral: http://www.facebook.com/stpaulsbhm
St. Stephen: http://www.facebook.com/receivemyspirit
Helping Our Neighbors in Need

We are so grateful to all who helped our parish live out Christ’s call to serve the poor and want to especially thank the Catholic Study Group, CYPF, Altar Sodality, St. Thomas Aquinas Academy, St. Rose Academy, St. Francis Xavier School and many Cathedral families for making it possible to share over 1600 snack bags this Fall. Your generosity and willingness to help those in need is deeply appreciated!

If your parish group, school or family would like to help with the Cathedral snack bag project, please call the Office to coordinate with us. We are also always happy to accept donations of the specific snack items we use: 16 ounce water bottles, snack size apple sauce or fruit cups, snack size cans of Vienna Sausages or Beanie Weenies, granola or protein bars and snack packages of peanut butter or cheese crackers. These can be brought to the Office anytime. Thank you!

BLESSING FOR MISCARRIAGE

If you have suffered the loss of a baby through miscarriage, know that the Church has a beautiful blessing that can help bring healing and peace. Fr. Jerabek will say the prayers in a private chapel ceremony for you and those you wish to have present (it takes about 10 minutes). Please contact Father to schedule.

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!).

Embodying Faith
Birmingham Museum of Art Docent Led Tour
Saturday, March 23, 10:00

In the Christian faith, the birth of Jesus Christ signals the moment when God came to earth in a recognizable human form - a baby. But what did that human form look like once it grew up? Did you know there is no physical description of Jesus in the Bible? Since the early stages of Christianity, artists who were tasked with depicting Jesus had to tackle how to represent a figure that is believed to be both fully human and also fully divine. This tour explores the ways that artists from various times, regions, and cultures merged creativity and faith to construct a recognizable image of a figure that has no physical description. Come see artworks from Europe, Africa, Asia, and more to discover the evolution of images of Jesus from child to icon! Space is limited to 15, so please reserve your space early. If interested contact Pat Ryan, pryan0609@charter.net or call 951-0571.

Join us for a fabulous Night on the Town
Supporting St Francis Xavier School!

2019 Annual Gala
Friday, March 1, 2019
7:00-11:00pm.
The Harbert Center
2019 4th Avenue North
Birmingham
Food / Drinks / Music / Casino Gaming / Silent Auction
Tickets: $35.00 at:
sfxgala19.givesmart.com

DIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM PRIESTLY DISCERNMENT WEEKEND OPEN TO DISCERNING A VOCATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD? GIVE GOD A WEEKEND.

WHO: MEN 18—40 years of age

WHAT: A weekend retreat given by Fr. Brett Brannen, author of TO SAVE A THOUSAND SOULS. Spend time with Bishop Baker, Fr. Rick Chenault-Vicar for Vocations, Fr. Josh Altonji-Ass. Vocations Director, and diocesan seminarians to learn more about the Priesthood and seminary life.

WHERE: CAMP TEKAKWITHA—East of Birmingham

WHEN: Friday evening, Feb. 22 through Sunday afternoon, Feb. 24, 2019
There is no cost to attend but REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED.

Please contact the Office of Vocations with questions or to register:
(205)838-8318 or vocations@bhmdiocese.org

PEWS FOR SALE

In addition to the nine shorter pews that were sold at the 2017 Grand Gala, we are making the other pews available for sale as part of the replacement that will take place in March.

Short (side aisle) pews are $250
Long (central aisle) pews are $500
“Odd size” pews are negotiable

If you are interested, please call the office at (205) 251-1279 or email stpaulsbhm@gmail.com with your reservation. Payment must be received by Friday, February 22 to hold your reservation. Please make checks payable to Cathedral of Saint Paul and write “pew purchase” in the memo. Pew pickup will be on Friday, March 8 and Saturday, March 9, 2019. Arrangements to hold your pew till a later date may be possible. We have the names of those who purchased pews at the Grand Gala and will contact them soon to make arrangements!

You are invited!!

Have you ever considered sending your child to Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic School? Please join us for our OPEN HOUSE on Sunday, January 27, between 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Applications are available online at olsschool.com. If you were placed on a waiting list from last year, you must re-apply for 2019. For more information, please call the school office at (205) 879-3237.

The Feast of Candlemas (The Presentation of the Lord), February 2, falls on a Saturday this year. We will have the blessing of candles at the 8:30am Mass that day. Whether we keep candles around the home for emergencies, decoration, or regular use, all of them can be blessed! Plan to come to the 8:30am Mass on Saturday, February 2 and bring your candles with you (in a bag or box) for a special blessing that day.

Join Dan Burke and our Birmingham community for “One Thing Adoration” at St. Stephen’s on Saturday, January 26th. This will be a beautiful time of adoration and reflection. Go to Avila-institute.org/events for more information!
The Knightly News...
Fr. James E. Coyle Council #9862

The Knights are collecting new and gently used coats to share with the needy in our community. Please place your donations in the chest near the statue of St. Anthony the weekends of Jan. 19/20 and 26/27. Thank you!

Baptismal Preparation
The Baptismal Preparation Class schedule has been made for 2019. Sessions are scheduled for February 10, April 7, June 9, August 11, October 6, and December 8, 2019 at 9:45am. Please call the office to sign up before your baby is born!

The Padre Pio Prayer Group of Birmingham will meet on Saturday, January 26th at 10am at Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church in Homewood. We will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary, Prayers and Mass. Won’t you join us in prayer as we begin a New Year? Padre Pio- our Patron Saint - would LOVE to have you join us! For more information, contact Angela Kolar at 205-870-1349/ npeck@bellsouth.net.

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

Magnificat Luncheon
The Magnificat Prayer Luncheon will be held at Our Lady of Sorrows Parish Hall from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 26th. Our speaker will be Father Justin Nelson Alphonse, C.P. 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.

CYPF
The Cathedral Young Professionals and Families CYPF is a social and service group for singles and married people ages 21-40. Please "like" our facebook page, www.facebook.com/cathedralYPF to stay updated on what's going on & email laurenwbates@gmail.com for more info. CYPF Upcoming Events:


Join Justin Fatica and the Hard As Nails Missionaries in Alabama later this month!

First there will be a Discipleship Day for Teens and their Parents held at the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament on January 27, 2019 from 10:00 am - 5:30pm. Mass starts at 10:00a.m.. Discover new ways to be a disciple by knowing that You're Amazing and the God will do Whatever It Takes to prove His love for you. Register at https://discipleship-day.eventbrite.com

Can't make it to the Shrine? Meet Justin and the team at St.Theresa's in Leeds on January 29, 2019 from 6:30 - 8:30 pm for an interactive night that will change your life forever! Bring your family, and let God the Father do WHATEVER IT TAKES to show you how much He loves you! Families will be restored and grow closer in complete faith and trust’s in God’s powerful love. Register at https://hn-st-theresa-family-event.eventbrite.com

First Light Shelter for Women and Children
THANK YOU SO VERY MUCH to all our Cathedral volunteers who so faithfully served dinner or stayed overnight at First Light throughout 2018! Our upcoming weeks to serve are February 10-16, April 14-20 and June 9-15. We are looking for additional overnight and dinner volunteers to help with this ministry. If you are interested or would like to know more about what we do, please call or email Nancy Heck at 205-870-1349/ npeck@bellsouth.net.

An Icon Workshop in the Byzantine style will be held at St. Francis Xavier Parish, January 28-February 1. Renowned Iconographer Veronica Royal returns to SFX to instruct this fascinating, Spirit-filled class. Participants will paint an Icon of Christ the Pantocrator. Space is limited. For more info, contact Melinda McNamee at 862-3020 or melindamcnamee2@gmail.com.

RCIA
We are still in need of complete meals (or part of meals) for our RCIA inquirers. We have some fascinating people – as we usually do – considering becoming Catholic this year! Please help us make them feel welcome! Thank you! Please contact Barbara Doran: dre@stpaulsbhm.org or (205) 725-8163.

Please help everyone prayerfully prepare to worship by remaining quiet in the Sacristy before and after each Mass. Thank you!

Spiritual Reflection Retreat
Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Tuscaloosa is hosting its inaugural Spiritual Reflection Retreat on February 2, 2019, with our special guest speaker Dr. Ray Guarendi of EWTN’s “Living Right with Dr. Ray”. The retreat theme is “Spiritual Battle.” Events for the day will include a welcome reception starting at 8:00 A.M., lecture from Dr. Ray with Q&A, lunch, breakout small group sessions, adoration and reconciliation, and Holy Mass closing the retreat at 5:30 P.M. The registration fee is $20. To register, visit: www.bit.ly/hs2019retreat or for questions you can call (205) 210-9210.

This week please remember in your prayers the sick, the shut-ins and hospitalized, especially: Mary Alice Williams, Rosemary Oddo, Ed Baggett, Marc Stalker, Amalia Meadows, Bill Sullivan, Edna Townes, Christina Kemp, Norma Ryan, Frank Pavesic, Jessica Jones, Dorothy Levesque, Leonard Jerabek, Mary Jerabek, Louis Stalnaker, Neil Stalnaker, Michael Peesples, Edward Rosato, Michael Howell, Nancy Moore, Gail Fitzgerald, William Greene, Hortense Goodson, Ilia Shenk, John Fay, Tony Traficante, Brian Naro, Kirsten & Ed Burdick, Henry Hardin, Carrie Towlie, Ian McLaughlin, Sam Moore, Barbara Hail, An Nguyen, James Harry Douglas, Bob Flowers, Maureen Angelini, Donna Speegle, Thomas Perna, Jr., Suzanne Dillon, Kayla Garaway, 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, 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 Fr. Edward Markley, O.S.B. and Deacon Al Germann.

Let us pray for all of our Parish family members who have been deployed.
# Cathedral at a Glance, January 20-27

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### Lectors
- N Lett
- J Boggan
- A Maiola
- J Pinto
- J Rich
- R Smith

### EMHC
- A Maiola
- J Pinto
- R Smith

### Sanctuary Cleaning
- Week of January 20
  - P Piazza
  - C Rumph
- Linens
  - Week of January 20
  - S Miles
  - K Eckert

### Mass Intentions
- **Mon, January 21**
  - 6:30 am: Edna Alosi +
  - 12:10 pm: Mary Ann Culotta
- **Tue, January 22**
  - 6:30 am: Deacon Terry Rumore, Sr.
  - 12:10 pm: Tony Traficante
- **Wed, January 23**
  - 6:30 am: Claudette & Skip Gentle
  - 12:10 pm: The Dent Family
- **Thur, January 24**
  - 6:30 am: Theresa & Isabella Davidson
  - 12:10 pm: Sr. Deborah Kennedy
- **Fri, January 25**
  - 6:30 am: B-R Family Intentions
  - 12:10 pm: The Rataj Family
- **Sat, January 26**
  - 8:30 am: Holy Families
  - 5:00 pm: Thomas Smith +
  - 8:30 am: Thomas Smith +
  - 11:00 am: for the people

### Parishioner Update

**Please check:** __Cathedral Parish__  __St. Stephen University Chapel__

If you are 18 yrs 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.

- **New Parishioner**
- **R.C.I.A.**
- **Leaving Parish**
- **Address Change**