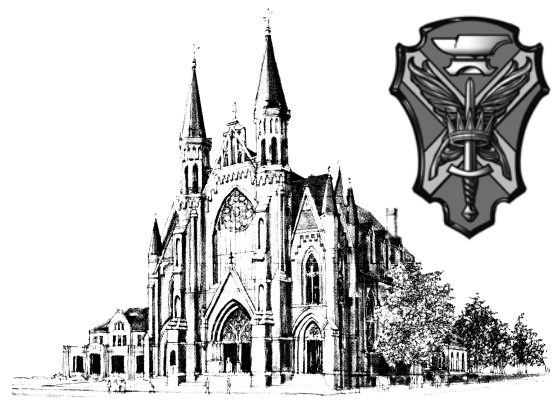


# The Cathedral of Saint Paul

Mother Church of the Catholic Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama

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## August 18, 2019 • The Twentieth 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 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  
Rev. Mr. Gerald Zukauckas  
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: *NOW HIRING*  
Family Life Assistant: Miss Sophie Duvall, x133  
Bookkeeper: Mrs. Katie Baker, x102  
Wedding Coordinator: Mrs. Megan Wyatt, x116  
Maintenance: Mr. Philipp Szabo  
Housekeeper: Ms. Rose Rouss

*To update your membership record, please contact the Parish Secretary.*

## Saint Stephen the Martyr Catholic University Chapel

1515 Twelfth Avenue South • Birmingham, Alabama 35205  
(205) 933-2500 • <http://www.stsbhm.org>

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

**Mass Schedule:** Sunday 10:00am and 8:00pm (Adoration 7:00pm)  
**Confession:** During Adoration and 30 minutes before each Mass  
**Student Lounge/Chapel:** Available to students daily  
**Catholic Family Services:** Office Hours: 8am-5pm Monday-Thursday  
**Chaplain Email:** [fraltonji@stephenthemartyr.com](mailto:fraltonji@stephenthemartyr.com)



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

### Planning a trip to Rome?

If you are thinking of a trip to Rome during this year, you may wish to consider staying in a lovely and comfortable apartment with all modern conveniences near the Vatican. During your time there you can also avail yourselves of private tours of Ancient Rome, Christian Rome, the Vatican Museum, Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Basilica. For more information, please call the Cathedral office at 251-1279.

### The Cathedral's PSR classes resume on Sunday, September 8 (between the 8:30 and 11 a.m. Masses) from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m.

We have a beautiful Atrium of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd for ages 4 and 5 – a wonderful experience for these children; and then classes for grades one through high school. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Graders will receive their first confessions and first Communions (on Saturday, May 2), as they do every year. Also, this year is a Confirmation year (we confirm every other year) so the combined 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade class will be confirmed. We are aiming for January or February for this event. Please join us for PSR this year! Please contact Barbara Doran (direct line: 725-8163/email: [dre@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:dre@stpaulsbhm.org)) for a registration form and calendar.

### MARRIED COUPLES

#### How About Some Time Just For The Two Of You?

How about a weekend that will focus on love, caring, and relationship? It will be the best gift you'll give each other this year. Plan to go on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and come back with a marriage that is refreshed and full of passion. The next weekend in the diocese is scheduled in Cullman, Oct. 18-20 at St. Bernard Abbey. You can get more information or register online at [www.ALFL-wwme.org](http://www.ALFL-wwme.org) or by calling Barney & Kathy Bellard at 205-530-3607.

### Guadalupe Catholic Radio Network

All are invited to the 2nd Annual Fishers of Men Fundraiser! Bishop Robert Baker will be honored at the Dinner on September 26<sup>th</sup> at Rosewood Hall in Homewood. It's a wonderful farewell party for Bishop; and the keynote speaker is Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, co-host of EWTN's *Morning Glory*. Please come support Catholic Radio!

For more information or for tickets,  
please contact John Tidwell at 205.209.2110  
or go to <http://grnonline.com/alabamadinner/>

### 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/cathedralYFP](http://www.facebook.com/cathedralYFP) to stay updated on what's going. For more info, please email Mark Bolinger at [cypfbham@gmail.com](mailto:cypfbham@gmail.com)

**\*SAVE THE DATE! Monthly Adoration & Fellowship**  
Adoration (6-6:30pm)  
Aug. 22, Sept. 19, Oct. 17, Nov. 21, and Dec. 19.



### Baptismal Preparation

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

### "CHANGE RINGERS" NEEDED!

Would you like to learn an ancient skill possessed by only about 500 people in the US? It enables you easily and precisely to control a 1,495 lbs. piece of bronze flying through the air, while also providing a much-needed service to the Cathedral. Did you know that the Cathedral of St. Paul has the only *change ringing bells* in Alabama? Using basically 17th century technology with a few modern additions, a bell in motion on a full circle wheel has richer acoustical properties than stationary bells. You can learn to ring and be a part of the band making this glorious sound! Change ringing is a challenging and rewarding endeavor that also is great fun.

If you would like to learn more about change ringing or start practicing, please contact Ted Clark, [bhamcathedralringers@yahoo.com](mailto:bhamcathedralringers@yahoo.com). Find more info also at [www.nagcr.org](http://www.nagcr.org). We are currently recruiting new ringers and would love to hear from you!

### NAZARETH HOUSE PROGRAM CATHOLIC 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 17th. The training workshop will be held from 10:00 A.M. until 12:00 Noon at St. Francis Xavier School, 2 Xavier Circle, Birmingham, AL 35213. The training workshop will take place in the School Annex Building. Please note that those who participate in the Nazareth House Program are eligible for service hours that meet the requirements for high school graduation and college scholarship applications. For further information or directions, please email Sister Mary Vernon Gentle at [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.

### 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 5th at 10:00 AM. Reception to follow with special guest, Thierry Roch, Pontifical Swiss Guard! 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)

### The Cathedral Is Now Hiring! HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH LEADER (Part-Time Position)

The Leader will work primarily with our high school youth program and also assist in the promotion of other Family Life initiatives in the parish, together with the Middle School Youth Leader. Complete job description available. Email cover letter and résumé to Fr. Bryan Jerabek, Pastor & Rector, at [stpaulsbhm@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulsbhm@gmail.com). No calls, please.

## The Knightly News...

Fr. James E. Coyle

Council #9862



Everyone is invited to the Silver Rose Prayer Service at the Cathedral of St. Paul on Saturday, August 31, 2019 at 4:30 p.m. The service will begin with the procession of the Silver Rose, which is traveling across the south. This rose is one of six journeying across North America to exemplify devotion to Our Lady and the commitment to the Culture of Life of the Knights of Columbus. Very Reverend Bryan Jerabek, pastor and rector, will lead the praying of the rosary, followed by recitation of the prayer by Pope Saint John Paul II, "Entrusting the Cause of Life to Our Lady." The regularly scheduled anticipated Holy Mass will follow at 5:00 p.m.

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Enjoy a day of rest this Labor Day – let the Knights of Columbus cook for you! To raise funds for our many charitable activities, we are once again selling smoked meats for Labor Day.

We're offering: Boston Butt - \$35 each (avg 8 lbs uncooked); Ribs - \$25 each (avg 4 lbs uncooked); Chicken - \$8 each (two halves)

Orders can be e-mailed to Andrew Maenza ([amaenza7645@charter.net](mailto:amaenza7645@charter.net)) or John-Paul Brueggen ([jp\\_brueggen@yahoo.com](mailto:jp_brueggen@yahoo.com)); by telephone to Andrew at 205-527-0192, or you can speak to one of the Knights after weekend Masses in August. The last day to order will be Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup> – as always, we appreciate your generous support!

### A special thanks to **Michael Sperando**

for folding the Bulletins and Orders of Worship!

#### **MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP CORE TEAM OPPORTUNITY!**

The Middle School youth group is looking for new Core Team members! Joining Core Team gives you the opportunity to connect with the youth while serving in a very important area of ministry. We are looking for adults over the age of 21 to serve our youth. Relational ministry is a huge part of youth ministry and that is why the Core Team is so important! Core Team will meet every time there is a youth group event to help run the event and build friendships with the youth. Please contact Sophie Duvall at [flassistant@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:flassistant@stpaulsbhm.org) to get more information or with any questions. Thank you for your willingness to serve the youth of our parish!

#### **Pastoral and Clinical Approach to the Addiction Crisis**

Seminar for the Clergy, Religious and Laity  
of the Diocese of Birmingham

St. Francis Xavier Parish Hall

Tuesday, August 20th, 2019

10:00am to 2:30pm

2:30pm: Holy Mass, with music by Comunità Cenacolo

Sponsored by The Most Rev. Robert J. Baker

and Comunità Cenacolo America

Please respond by August 12th if you plan to attend:

(205) 871-1153

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

**DID YOU KNOW...** More than 60 parishioners volunteer every two months at the First Light Shelter either helping with overnight supervision or serving dinner to the women and children? **Please consider joining** a meal team or our group of trained overnight volunteers! If you are interested or would like more information about what we do, call or email Nancy Heck at 205-870.1349/ [nphack@bellsouth.net](mailto:nphack@bellsouth.net). Our next weeks to serve are Aug. 11-17, Oct. 13-19, and Dec. 8-14.

#### **Do you know about the "poor pipe"?**

There is a pipe that is sticking up out of the floor on the Blessed Mother side near the confessional, with a slot on top that says "Offerings". This is our St. Paul's version of a poor box! Your donations go down through the pipe into a safe box under the Cathedral, and the money is periodically retrieved and used to help provide snack bags and other necessities for the many poor people in our community or who come to our office door each week. Please be generous! Thank you!

#### **Our Neighbors in Need**

Father Jerabek, Cathedral staff, and Parishioners recently met with some local churches and organizations committed to helping the needy in downtown Birmingham. We were affirmed that our efforts with snack bags and bus passes are very helpful. With your generosity, we can continue and even increase our efforts!!!! Thank you! Please drop any donations in the Poor Pipe for us to continue to serve our neighbors in need!

#### **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!)

#### **Laney Gagnon to Speak at Magnificat Breakfast**

The Magnificat Prayer Breakfast will be held at St. Elias in the Parish Hall from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 24, 2019. Our speaker will be Laney Gagnon. 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.

**This week please remember in your prayers the sick, the shut-ins and hospitalized, especially:** Stephen Vinsavich, Cathy Turner, Stephen Bissot, Ralph Thompson, Sarah Anderson, Michael Peebles, Jon Lindberg, Betty Hill, Joe Roberts, Micky and Phillip Naro, Brian Naro, Jim Fox, Janet Joseph, Tyrone Slatsky, Thraith Curry, Cindy Ramsey, Hector Caucutt, David Peebles, Joyce Goltz, Fr. Jim Handerhan, Jim Mitchell, Margaret Kay, Cynthia Murry, Suzanne Miles, Marc Stalker, Norma Ryan, Frank Pavesic, Jessica Jones, Dorothy Levesque, Leonard Jerabek, Mary Jerabek, Louis Stalnaker, Neil Stalnaker, Michael Howell, William Greene, Ila Shenk, John Fay, Tony Traficante, Kirsten & Ed Burdick, Henry Hardin, Carrie Towle, Ian McLaughlin, Sam Moore, An Nguyen, James Harry Douglas, Bob Flowers, Maureen Angelini, Donna Speegle, Thomas Perna, Jr., Suzanne Dillon, Kayla Garraway, 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, Jeanne Wright, Peter Scheetz, Addison Cox, as well as all those who have died, especially Patricia Trott, Guy Blackburn and Martha Slatsky.

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

# Cathedral at a Glance, August 18-25

Sunday, August 11	Monday, August 12	Tuesday, August 13	Wednesday, August 14	Thursday, August 15	Friday, August 16	Saturday, August 17	Sunday, August 18
8:30am Mass - Cathedral	6:30am Mass-Cathedral	6:30am Mass-Cathedral	6:30am Mass-Cathedral	6:30am Mass-Cathedral	6:30am Mass-Cathedral	8:30am Mass -Cathedral	8:30am Mass - Cathedral
11:00am Mass -Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	3:00pm Confessions- Cathedral	11:00am Mass -Cathedral
6:00pm Youth Group -CLC	12:10pm Mass-Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-Cathedral	5:00pm Mass- Cathedral	6:00pm Youth Group -CLC
	6:00pm Confraternity -Cathedral			6:00pm CYPF -Cathedral			

	Sacristan	Lectors	EMHC	Servers	Sanctuary Cleaning
Saturday, August 24 5:00pm	C Bailey	N Lett J Reilly	A Maiola J Roberts	L Davis	<u>Week of August 18</u> P McDuffie M DiPiazza
Sunday, August 25 8:30am	J Oddo	D Thirkill K Simon	J Rich R Smith	A Couture M McKinstry B Moore	<u>Linens</u> <u>Week of August 19</u> J Averhart J Martignoni
Sunday, August 25 11:00am	S Hodo	J Fox M McCoy	P Fiorella T Slaughter	M Rumore B Dyer Johnson Family	



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.....For other staff members, please call us at 205-251-1279!

## Mass Intentions

<b>Mon, August 19</b>	6:30 am	Priests' Souls in Purgatory +
	12:10pm	Robert Soeherman +
<b>Tue, August 20</b>	6:30 am	Amy Odine +
	12:10pm	Virginia Milazzo +
<b>Wed, August 21</b>	6:30 am	Anthony D'Amico
	12:10pm	Priests' Souls in Purgatory +
<b>Thur, August 22</b>	6:30 am	Priests' Souls in Purgatory +
	12:10pm	Anthony Marino
<b>Fri, August 23</b>	6:30 am	Priests' Souls in Purgatory +
	12:10pm	James Dominic Luke
<b>Sat, August 24</b>	8:30am	Holy Families
	5:00pm	Salvatore Aliano +
<b>Sun, August 25</b>	8:30am	Roman Swiatkowski +
	11:00am	for the people

## 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# \_\_\_\_\_