The Cathedral of Saint Paul
Mother Church of the Catholic Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama

Most Reverend Robert J. Baker, S.T.D., Bishop
Very Reverend Bryan W. Jerabek, J.C.L., Rector

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September 15, 2019 • The Twenty-fourth 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)
NEW SCHEDULE SOON

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.

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
Seniors and Shut-Ins: Mrs. Priscilla Davis, x117

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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.

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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)
Thursday 5:30pm
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
**Confraternity of Christian Mothers**
The Birmingham Chapter of Confraternity of Christian Mothers will meet on Monday, September 16th at the Cathedral of St Paul. Adoration and Confession are at 6pm, Mass at 7pm, followed by our monthly meeting. All are welcome. You do not have to be a member of Confraternity of Christian Mothers to attend.

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**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 26th 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://grmonline.com/alabamadinner](http://grmonline.com/alabamadinner)
Thanks so much!!! Space is limited; so get your table today!

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**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!

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**MONTHLY GIVING: AUGUST**
*A reflection of God’s generosity! Thank you!*

- Offertory (at Mass): $38,476.82
- WeShare (online): $26,582.26
- **Total Offertory:** $65,059.08
- Budgeted August Need: $70,000
- Capital Campaign: $4,531.71

“Offertory” pays our ordinary bills, including salaries, utilities, programs, diocesan assessments, etc. “Capital Campaign” is saved toward the replacement of the pipe organ and the remediation of rectory structural damage.

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**Catholic Women Nurses Retreat**
The 2nd Annual Catholic Women Nurses Retreat (CWN) will be held October 25-27, 2019 at the Bethany Retreat House in Dickson, Tennessee. This retreat is a time for reflection and a time to meet Our Lord in the quiet hills of western Tennessee. All-inclusive registration $225. Contact BethanyRetreat@op-tn.org

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**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. No calls, please.

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The Catholic Student Association of Samford University invites you to an historic celebration of their 10th Anniversary. Come hear Dr. Scott Hahn speak at Samford’s Wright Center on Thursday, September 26th, beginning at 7:00 PM. Admission is FREE! Everyone seems to agree that Western Civilization is in trouble. The problem is that no one agrees on what has gone wrong or what to do about it. Government, capitalism, sexual freedom. Too much? Not enough? But what if the problem is much more fundamental? What if the problem goes to the very foundations of who we are as human beings in relationship with God? Come and hear the startling claim that Dr. Hahn makes as to what our society’s ills are rooted in and how they can be cured. Join with the Catholic Student Association of Samford University and make this a celebration to remember!
The Knightly News...
Fr. James E. Coyle
Council #9862

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

NEW THIS FALL: WOMEN’S ADULT ED

Join your fellow Cathedral sisters of all ages for faith and fellowship each Sunday morning from 9:45-10:45 in the Great Hall of the Cathedral Life Center. We will have speakers, studies, and small group discussions throughout the fall. Nursery will be available; but infants are welcome at the meetings! We will follow the PSR calendar. We look forward to seeing you there! Please contact Charlotte Rumore if you would like more information TBONE27@ATT.NET or 205-222-7205.

RCIA Meals

Once again, we are in need of your kind and generous help to feed our RCIA candidates and their sponsors on Wednesday evenings. Since both candidates and sponsors are often coming from work or school, we like to offer them a fairly substantial meal. It is also a time to promote fellowship and a chance to get to know our future Catholics.

Please go to https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080e4dafa62ca0fa7-rcia (or call Barbara Doran at 725-8163) to sign up.
Thanks so very much!

ADORATION BETWEEN MASSEES

Due to popular demand, we will have Adoration between the Sunday Masses once a month again. Please join us Sunday, October 6th. The 8:30am Mass will conclude with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (please exit quietly), and Benediction will be given before the 11am Mass. Please maintain reverence before the Most Blessed Sacrament! Thank you!

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 or by calling Barney & Kathy Bellard at 205-530-3607.

First Light Shelter
For Homeless Women and Children

DID YOU KNOW the Cathedral of St. Paul is one of the founding churches of First Light and has been providing dinner and overnight volunteers since it first opened in 1983? We currently have over 60 folks who serve for one week every two months throughout the year, but are always in need of more! Please consider joining an evening meal team or our group of trained overnight volunteers! Our remaining dates to serve this year are Oct. 13-19 & Dec. 8-14. If you are interested or would like more information about what we do, please email Nancy Heck at npheck@bellsouth.net or call her at 205-870-1349.

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!

Please keep Fr. Bazzel in your prayers, especially on his Birthday, September 17th!

Reverend Kevin M. Bazzel
Villa Stritch
Via della Nocetta 63
00164 Rome
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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. For more info, please email Mark Bollinger at cypfbham@gmail.com

*SAVE THE DATE! Monthly Adoration & Fellowship
Adoration (6-6:30pm)

This week please remember in your prayers the sick, the shut-ins and hospitalized, especially: William Greene, Paulette Popivitch, John Grant, John Goltz, Anika Smith, Cathy Turner, Clarence Kilburn, Jr., Aileen Kilburn, Ralph Thompson, Michael Peebles, Jon Lindberg, Betty Hill, Micky and Phillip Naro, Brian Naro, Jim Fox, Janet Joseph, Tyrone Slatsky, Thraith Curry, Cindy Ramsey, Hector Caucutt, David Peebles, Joyce Goltz, 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, Ila Shenk, John Fay, Tony Traffante, Kirsten & Ed Burdick, Henry Hardin, Carrie Towle, Ian McLaughlin, Sam Moore, An Nguyen, James Harry Douglas, Maureen Angelini, Donna Speegle, Thomas Perna, Jr., Suzanne Dillon, Kayla Garraway, Walter Jackon, Doris Robertson, Jon Serio, Bonnie Godhigh, Larry Dye, Susanah Blackstone, Dei Bissett, Doily 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.

Let us pray for all of our Parish family members who have been deployed.
# Cathedral at a Glance, September 15-22

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## Sacristan, Lectors, EMHC, Servers, Sanctuary Cleaning

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

## Mass Intentions

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## 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______________________________
Address_____________________________
E-Mail______________________________
Home#________________________Work#________________

___New Parishioner___
___R.C.I.A.___
___Leaving Parish___
___Address Change___

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