

The Cathedral of Saint Paul

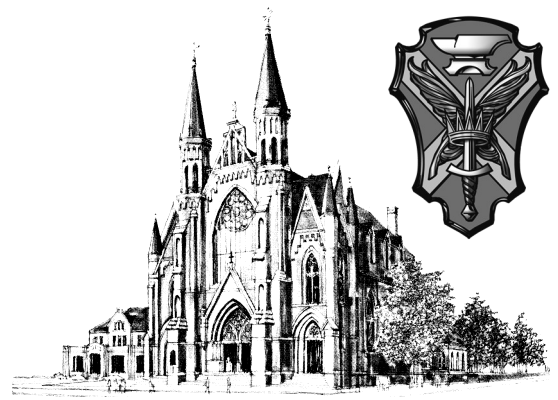
Mother Church of the Catholic Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama

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May 10, 2020 • Fifth Sunday of Easter

Holy Mass

~~Saturday Anticipated 5:00pm (Cantor)~~

~~Sunday 8:30am (Cantor) and 11:00am (Choir/Incense)~~

~~Monday-Friday 6:30am and 12:40pm • Saturday 8:30am~~

~~Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (concludes with Benediction)~~

~~Once monthly between Sunday Masses. See bulletin for date.~~

Confession/Reconciliation—ON THE RECTORY PORCH

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 & Shut-Ins: Mrs. Priscilla Davis, x117

Youth & Family Life: 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)~~

~~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



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SOON TRANSITIONING BACK TO PUBLIC WORSHIP

As of this publication, Governor Kay Ivey has just announced a revision of her “Safer at Home” policy, allowing for many other types of businesses to re-open than previously, *and also allowing churches to begin holding assemblies again. We now await the guidance of our bishop.* It is clear from the Department of Public Health guidelines that, *if* our bishop does permit us to resume worship immediately, several aspects will be different for the time being, such as using only every other pew, spacing between persons, and so forth.

There will also almost certainly be provisions in place for those who are aged or otherwise in a higher-risk category, as well as for those who simply are not ready to venture out for whatever reason. It’s too early to know all the details.

Father Jerabek will communicate developments in this regard via email, the Cathedral web site, and Cathedral social media (*stpaulsbhm* on Instagram and Facebook). Let’s be sure to pray for Bishop Baker, Archbishop Rodi, and all others who may contribute to such a decision.

This week please remember in your prayers the sick, the shut-ins and hospitalized, especially: Dolores Delisle, Charlotte Fitzgerald, Ed Konczeski, John Grant, Delia Kidd, Michael Gollehon, all suffering from COVID-19, Carol Brown, Luca & Carmen Scotti, Frank Pavesic, Linda Kay, Riley Wippert, Jack Bisson, Louise McGough, Norma & Dave Ryan, Paulette Popovitch, Michael Peeples, Kirsten & Ed Burdick, George Ford, Terri Dorman, Donna Mealer, William Greene, John Goltz, Anika Smith, Cathy Turner, Aileen Kilburn, Ralph Thompson, Jon Lindberg, Betty Hill, Micky & Phillip Naro, Brian Naro, Janet Joseph, Tyrone Slatsky, Cindy Ramsey, Hector Caucutt, David Peeples, Joyce Goltz, Margaret Kay, Cynthia Murry, Suzanne Miles, Jessica Jones, Dorothy Levesque, Leonard Jerabek, Mary Jerabek, Louis Stalnaker, Neil Stalnaker, Michael Howell, Ila Shenk, John Fay, Tony Traficante, 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 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.

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

SUNDAY COMMUNION SERVICE

As previously announced on email, web site, and social media, Holy Communion will be offered this Sunday, May 10, between 10:00am and 12:00noon, in the sunken courtyard near the CLC. Enter through the driveway gate on 22nd Street; a volunteer will help control traffic flow. Father Jerabek will lead a few prayers and then offer Holy Communion to each group that assembles.

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.*

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!)

UPDATED FORMED INFORMATION

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, go to www.FORMED.org, sign up and use our Parish code (CW4J7P). FORMED has apps for both IOS (Apple) and Android devices. You can also hook FORMED up to you TV. Contact Barbara Doran: dre@stpaulsbhm.org or 205-725-8163 (direct line at the Cathedral) for more information.

Baptismal Preparation

*The Baptismal Preparation Class schedule has been made for 2020. (April session cancelled due to COVID-19). Sessions are scheduled for June 14, August 16, October 18, and December 13, 2020 at 9:45am. Please call the office to sign up and for more information **before** your baby is born!*

Rector’s Homilies Online

Fr. Jerabek’s homilies for Sundays and Solemnities are posted online in PDF format. Go to <http://www.stpaulsbhm.org>, choose the “Parish Info” menu, and then select “Homilies” to access them.

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