

# THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PAUL

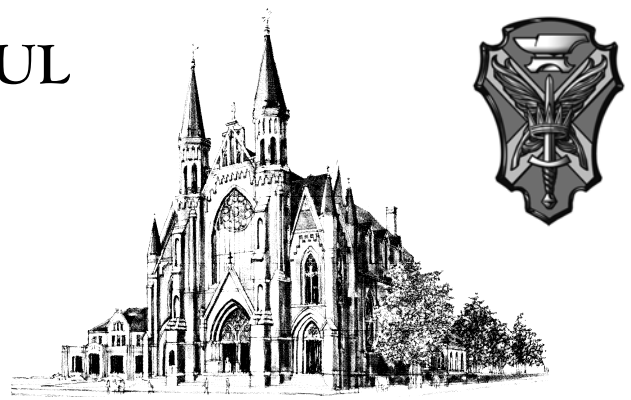
Mother Church of the Catholic Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama

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## October 31, 2021 • The Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Holy Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipated 5:00pm (hymns)

Sunday 7:15am (quiet), 8:30am (choir/incense), 11:00am (solemn)

Monday–Friday 12:10pm

### Confession/Reconciliation

Monday–Friday 11:30am to 12:00pm

Saturday 3:00 to 4:30pm • *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.

### Livestreaming of Liturgies

The Sunday 8:30am Mass is livestreamed on Facebook and YouTube. For more info, see <http://stpaulsbhm.org/livestream>.



## Saint Stephen the Martyr Chapel

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Miss Mary Beth Yaeger, Campus Minister • [marybethcm@stephenthemartyr.com](mailto:marybethcm@stephenthemartyr.com)

Confession (with Adoration) Tuesday 6:30pm, Thursday 4:30pm

Holy Mass Thursday 5:30pm

Student Lounge/Chapel Available to Students Daily

*Students & community members are invited to attend the 11am Sunday Mass at the Cathedral!*

### Parish Office Hours

Monday–Friday 8:00am to 3:00pm • (205) 251-1279

### The Cathedral Shoppe (gift shop)

Sunday 9:30am to 1:00pm • First Wednesday 5:00pm to 7:00pm

Inquiries/appointments – [TheCathedralShoppe@gmail.com](mailto:TheCathedralShoppe@gmail.com)

The Cathedral Shoppe is located on the lower level of the Cathedral Life Center (CLC).

### Cathedral Contacts (with extensions and/or email when applicable)

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

*Follow us on Facebook!*

**Cathedral of St. Paul:** <http://www.facebook.com/stpaulsbhm>

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



## The Cathedral Shoppe

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### Prepare the Way of the LORD!

Advent begins 11/28. Come see us for all your needs from candles to wreaths to calendars & be ready to mark the beautiful days of this holy season.



*Taking preorders for fresh, local greenery Advent wreaths!*

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#### LOCATION : HOURS

CATHEDRAL LIFE CENTER : **Each** SUNDAY • 9:30am-1pm  
LOWER LEVEL : **First** WEDNESDAY • 5-7pm

Many have wondered about the Holy Day schedule on All Saints – but this year it is not a day of obligation! On Monday, November 1, we will have the regular 12:10pm Mass.

For All Souls Day, there is the 12:10pm Mass at the Cathedral, and a special 6:30pm Mass at St. Stephen's. Please join us at one or the other to pray for your deceased loved ones!

**ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO ELMWOOD  
TO GAIN THE INDULGENCE FOR THE HOLY SOULS  
Saturday, November 6 at 9:30am  
(Please see separate flyer with a map of the cemetery)**

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

**John Carroll Preview Day Open House  
Sunday, November 7th, 1pm-3pm  
Who Should Attend?**

- \* 8th grade students (class of 2026) and their families
- \* 2022-2023 interested Transfer Students
- \* Anyone considering future educational option (current 5th grade families and older)

**John Carroll is Flourishing - Come See Why!**  
[www.jcchs.org](http://www.jcchs.org)

**RCIA  
The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

RCIA continues each Wednesday at 6pm until April 27, 2022. If you or someone you know is interested in joining us, please contact us! Thank you so much to all who have volunteered to bring meals for our RCIA candidates! They have enjoyed some of your really tasty dishes. There are four dates that are coming up fairly soon that still need to be filled. Please, if you can help, we need meals on October 27, November 3, November 10 and on November 17. That will take us into January before we need more meals. Thank you so much for your help! Please contact Barbara Doran at [dre@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:dre@stpaulsbhm.org) or at her direct office line: (205) 725-8163 with any questions.

Please see this link to sign up now:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080e4dafa62ca0fa7-rcia>

## Campus Ministry News

Welcome back students! We are so excited to serve and walk with each of you! Our ministry is focused on college-aged individuals who are searching for a deeper relationship with Christ, and there are so many students striving for that. We would love to have you join us for Mass, Adoration, or fellowship! If you are a college student from UAB, Samford, Birmingham-Southern, or Jeff State and want to get connected, please email Mary Beth Yaeger, Campus Minister at [marybethcm@stephenthemartyr.com](mailto:marybethcm@stephenthemartyr.com)

or Madeleine Huber, FOCUS Team Director at

[madeleine.huber@focus.org](mailto:madeleine.huber@focus.org)

Please see our schedule for upcoming events:

Monday, 11/1: 6:00pm Hill Student Ballroom C (UAB Campus)  
Thomistic Institute "Human Soul & Neuroscience"  
6:00pm Book Group at Birmingham Southern

Tuesday, 11/2: 6:30pm All Souls Day Mass

Thursday, 11/4: 4:30pm Adoration & Holy Hour-St. Stephen's  
5:30pm Mass & Meal

7:30-8:45pm-Samford Bible Study

Chuck and Betsy Stokes' House

Friday, 11/5: 9:00am Pray at Planned Parenthood

6-7pm Dance Lessons

7-10pm Young Adults Ballroom Dance-Cathedral

Saturday, 11/6: 9:30am Pilgrimage to Elmwood Cemetery

Sunday, 11/7: 12:15pm Undercroft-Cathedral (Host Bake Sale after Masses)

Students are invited to join the various GroupMe chats for campus ministry, in order to know the latest on campus ministry events. Please contact Mary Beth Yaeger to be added to the proper lists at [marybethcm@stephenthemartyr.com](mailto:marybethcm@stephenthemartyr.com)

### Vocations Fair

Join us for a Vocations Fair at the Cathedral of St. Paul on Sunday, November 14th from 12:30-2:30pm. There will be lots of opportunity to hear from various religious orders about their rules and lifestyles. The goal is to promote good and healthy discernment among the youth within the Diocese of Birmingham. All are welcome to attend. Snacks and refreshments will be provided.

### Young Adult Ballroom Dance

Join us on Friday, November 5th for *Color Me Autumn*, a Young Adult Ballroom Dance from 7-10pm. Dinner will be provided. A dance class will be held from 6-7pm to help all with their skills before the event begins! Attire is formal/semi-formal and the dance is open to all young adults ages 18-35! BRING YOUR OWN ALCOHOL!

### First Light Shelter For Homeless Women and Children

**THANK YOU** to all who have volunteered at First Light during these last few months. Your care and concern for the homeless is a great gift and much appreciated! Our upcoming dates for this year are October 10-16 and December 12-18. If you would like more information about this parish ministry, please contact Nancy Heck at [nheck@bellsouth.net](mailto:nheck@bellsouth.net).

### Neighbors in Need

**THANK YOU** to the many families, individuals and small groups who have faithfully been donating snack bags to help our Neighbors in Need over the last year. Your generosity and care for the poor is a such a great blessing! We welcome anyone in the parish who feels called to helping with this ministry to contact Krista in the office for more information.

**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](http://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.*

**MONTHLY GIVING: September**

***A reflection of God's generosity! Thank you!***

Offertory (at Mass): \$ 32,097.30

WeShare (online): \$ 38,491.00

**Total Offertory: \$ 70,588.30**

Capital Campaign: \$ 4,718.00

Pipe Organ Fund: \$ 300.00

*"Offertory" pays our ordinary bills, including salaries, utilities, programs, diocesan assessments, etc. "Capital Campaign" is saved toward the remediation of rectory structural damage.*

***Baptismal Preparation***

*Our remaining class for 2021 is December 12th at 9:45am in the Cathedral Life Center. Please call the office to sign up and for more information **before** your baby is born!*

**YOUTH GROUP**


A reminder that youth group schedule and contact information are available online at:  
<https://stpaulsbhm.org/education/youth-groups/>  
We hope to see your high school- or middle school-aged youth at our meeting next Sunday – 6:15pm! Please contact us with any questions or concerns!

**2022 CATHOLIC CHARITIES DRIVE**

We're at \$91,747 of our \$150,000 parish goal! Thank you! 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 again for your ongoing support of Diocesan Catholic Charities!

**Retreat Day in Leeds**

St. Theresa's of the Child Jesus in Leeds, AL will be hosting a mini-retreat, "Setting the Captives Free: Spiritual Warfare and the Voice of God" with Dan Burke, Author, President and Founder of the Avila Institute. This retreat will be held in the Parish Life Center Hall on Saturday, November 6th, 8:00AM-2:00PM. The event is \$29 and will begin with First Saturday Mass. Snacks and a light lunch will be provided. Please register at [www.SpiritualDirection.com/events](http://www.SpiritualDirection.com/events) or tickets will be available at the door.



DIocese of BIRMINGHAM - JOURNEY TO THE SYNOD

# "THAT THEY MAY BE ONE"



EVENINGS OF PRAYER FOR DEEPENING COMMUNION  
AS A LOCAL CHURCH, LED BY BISHOP STEVEN RAICA

*Bishop Steven Raica will host special, regional times for prayer before our Lord in the Eucharist as we begin our journey to the synod. Together we will ask God's blessing on this journey and seek deeper understanding and realization of our communion in Christ as a local Church.*

OCT. 20 - ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, MADISON  
NOV. 2 - ST. FRANCIS, TUSCALOOSA  
NOV. 4 - CATHEDRAL OF ST. PAUL, BHM  
NOV. 8 - OUR LADY OF THE LAKE, PELL CITY

All events will be celebrated from 7-8 PM

Find out more about our diocesan Journey to the Synod at:  
<http://bhmdiocese.org/synod>



**This week please remember in your prayers the sick, the shut-ins and hospitalized, especially:** all suffering from COVID-19, as well as Jennifer Manley, Joey Giangrosso, Cheryl Spitzer, Jackson Limburg, John Schmitt, Linda Boggan, Deacon Gerald Zukauckas, Nicholas Landry, Teresa Ragusa, Pamela Dewberry, Morgan Enloe, Anthony Leipert, Sherri Miles, Louis Stalnaker, Ariana Stalnaker, Lisa Bender, Geoffrey Adam Maier, Dorothy Smith, Stella Glover, Lisa Tucker, Nancy Mitchell, Shirley Sutton, Eve Moore, Charles Gardner, Bobbie Sherk, Lorraine & Tim Bollinger, John Birk, Kimberly Buck, Vera Mendoza, Adeline & Don Williams, Adele Eades, Charlotte Fitzgerald, Delia Kidd, Michael Gollehon, Linda Kay, Jack Bisson, Dave Ryan, Michael Peeples, Kirsten & Ed Burdick, George Ford, John Goltz, Anika Smith, Ralph Thompson, Jon Lindberg, Janet Joseph, Tyrone Slatsky, Hector Caucutt, David Peeples, Joyce Goltz, Margaret Kay, Cynthia Murry, Suzanne Miles, Jessica Jones, Dorothy Levesque, Leonard Jerabek, Mary Jerabek, Kathleen, Jerabek, Michael Howell, Ila Sherk, Tony Traficante, Henry Hardin, Carrie Towle, Ian McLaughlin, Sam Moore, An Nguyen, James Harry Douglas, Maureen Angelini, 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, Patrick Coyle, Rose Antonio, Kayla Perry, Peter Scheetz, Addison Cox, John Cooney as well as all those who have died.

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

# Cathedral Week at a Glance, October 31-November 7

Sunday, October 31	Monday, Nov. 1	Tuesday, Nov. 2	Wednesday, Nov. 3	Thursday, Nov. 4	Friday, Nov. 5	Saturday, Nov. 6	Sunday, Nov. 7
7:15am Mass - Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	8:00am STAA-CLC	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	9:30am Holy Souls Pilgrimage-Elmwood	7:15am Mass - Cathedral
8:30am Mass - Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	3:00pm Confessions-Cathedral	8:30am Mass - Cathedral
9:45am PSR-CLC Adult Ed-CLC		6:00pm Dance Class -CLC	3:45pm Children's Schola-Office	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	7:00pm Young Adult Ballroom Dance-CLC	5:00pm Mass-Cathedral	9:45am PSR-CLC Adult Ed-CLC
11:00am Mass -Cathedral			5:15p St. Cecilia's Choir Rehearsal-Office	5:00pm Wedding Guild Meeting-Office			11:00am Mass -Cathedral
1:00pm Young Adult Bible Study-CLC			6:00pm RCIA-CLC 6:30pm Choir-Office	7:00pm Synod Prayer with Bishop Raica -Cathedral			1:00pm Young Adult Bible Study-CLC
NO YOUTH GROUP			Fraternus-CLC				6:00pm Youth Group- -CLC

## Mass Intentions

<b>Mon, Nov. 1</b>	12:10pm	Miriam & Sebastian
<b>Tue, Nov. 2</b>	12:10pm	All Souls Novena
<b>Wed, Nov. 3</b>	12:10pm	All Souls Novena
<b>Thur, Nov. 4</b>	12:10pm	All Souls Novena+
<b>Fri, Nov. 5</b>	12:10pm	All Souls Novena
<b>Sat, Nov. 6</b>	5:00pm	All Souls Novena
<b>Sun, Nov. 7</b>	7:15am	All Souls Novena
	8:30am	Clergy Intention
	11:00am	For the people

	Sacristans	Lectors	Servers	Sanctuary Cleaning
<b>Sat, Nov. 6 5:00pm</b>	N Lett	J Pinto	Ludwick Family	<b>Week of Nov. 7</b> C Fehr
<b>Sun, Nov. 7 7:15am</b>	E Kuhn	N Keller		<b>Linens</b>
<b>Sun, Nov. 7 8:30am</b>	R Coffield	M Gubenski	Masny Family L Burckel	<b>Week of Nov. 7</b> M DiPiazza
<b>Sun, Nov. 7 11:00am</b>	L Kidd	P Jett	B Dyer Wright Family A Lehmann M Thomas	

## 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!). Use the form below or contact the office for more information on registering with the Cathedral!

Cathedral of St. Paul  
<https://stpaulsbhm.churchgiving.com>



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## PARISHIONER UPDATE

If you are 18 years of age 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 or bring it by the office. If you are a new parishioner, a census form will be mailed or emailed 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# \_\_\_\_\_