

# THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PAUL

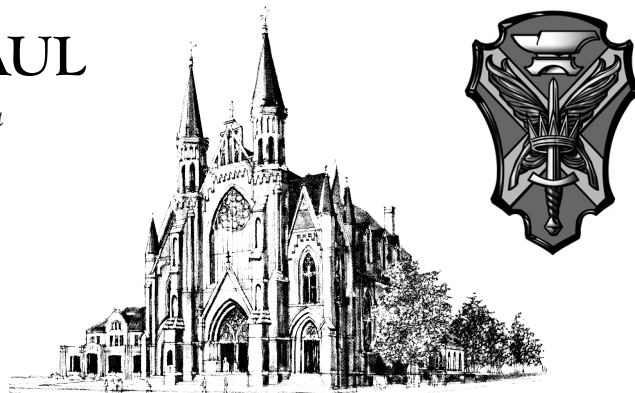
Mother Church of the Catholic Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama

MOST REVEREND STEVEN J. RAICA, J.C.D., BISHOP  
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## February 25, 2024 • Second Sunday of Lent

### Holy Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipated 5:00pm (cantor)

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

Monday–Friday 12:10pm

**Confession/Reconciliation** (happily by appointment at unscheduled times)

Monday–Friday 11:30am to 12:00pm • Sat. 3:00 to 4:30pm

Most Sundays: *during* the 8:30 and 11:00am Masses

**Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament** (in the Cathedral Chapel)

Second Friday of the Month 7:00am to 4:00pm (Benediction)

### 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 and select the emergency option.

### 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. Godparents must meet Church requirements.

### Holy Matrimony

Contact the Wedding Coordinator at least six months in advance. Subject to the Cathedral's wedding guidelines (on web site) and Diocesan policies.

### Funerals and Columbarium

Contact the office prior to making arrangements with the funeral home. To learn more about the columbarium including costs, call the office.

**Livestreaming of Liturgies** See <http://stpaulsbhm.org/livestream>



## Saint Stephen the Martyr Chapel

1515 12th Ave S • Birmingham, AL 35205  
(205) 933-2500 • <http://www.stsbhm.org>

Very Rev. Bryan Jerabek, Chaplain • [fatherjerabek@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:fatherjerabek@stpaulsbhm.org)

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

**Sunday** 3:30pm Confession/Adoration  
4:00pm Student Mass followed by Meal in Social Hall  
**Tuesday** 7:00pm Confession/Praise Holy Hour & Benediction  
**Thursday** 5:00pm Confession/Holy Hour • 6:00pm Daily Mass

The Student Lounge & Chapel are open daily from 9:00am to 9:00pm

### 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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Young Adults: Miss Katelyn Yaeger – [youngadults@stpaulsbhm.org](mailto:youngadults@stpaulsbhm.org)

### The Cathedral is on social media!

**Facebook:** <http://facebook.com/stpaulsbhm>

**Instagram:** <http://instagram.com/stpaulsbhm>

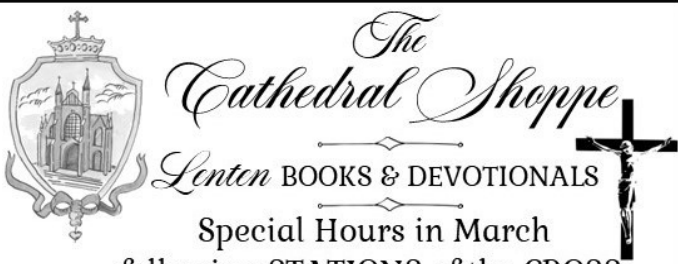
**Telegram:** <http://t.me/stpaulsbhm>

**YouTube:** <http://youtube.com/@stpaulsbhm>

**LinkedIn:** <http://linkedin.com/company/stpaulsbhm>



Please remember the Cathedral of Saint Paul in your will or estate!  
Kindly notify the Pastor & Rector of your planned gift. Thank you!



*The Cathedral Shoppe*  
Lenten BOOKS & DEVOTIONALS  
Special Hours in March  
following STATIONS of the CROSS  
Enjoy Dinner at the Fish Fry & COME SHOP WITH US!  
OPEN Friday evenings—MARCH 1st, 8th & 15th

LOCATION	HOURS
CATHEDRAL LIFE CENTER	<b>Each</b> SUNDAY • 9:30am-1pm
LOWER LEVEL	<b>First</b> WEDNESDAY • 5-7pm



**Married Couples and Priests:**  
**“Live your best life in Love!”**

Enrich and renew your sacramental relationship by attending a Marriage Encounter Experience, a retreat where you will learn tools to restore communication, renew your commitment, and rekindle the joy of your sacrament!

Join us **March 8-10, 2024** or **November 1-3, 2024**  
at **St. Bernard Abbey in Cullman, AL**

For more info: [wwme.org](http://wwme.org) or call Frank & Kathryn 205-530-3607

### ACCESS YOUR MEMBER RECORD & GIVING STATEMENT!

Good news! We now have a way that registered Cathedral members can access their membership record (including making address changes or other corrections) and also download not only this year’s giving statements but those from prior years as well. Setup requires a few easy steps:

Go to <http://birmingham.parishsoftfamilysuite.com>

1. Click “New User?”
2. Choose the Cathedral from the drop-down box and otherwise fill in the blanks and submit
3. Once we approve your registration by matching it up with your record, you’ll receive an email with a temporary password. Log in with that temporary password and select your permanent password; keep this info in a safe place. Once you have your account set up, if you ever need your password reset, just contact us and we can do so. Otherwise, any changes you make (e.g. address changes) will be sent to us for review and approval! Also, while giving statements will be mailed soon, some of you are doing your taxes already and may want them sooner. The one that you can download and print is the same as the one we will mail!

### Cathedral Adult Education

Our Adult Education Series continues Sun, March 3rd with the first class in a series on Natural Family Planning at 9:45am in the Multi-purpose Room. All are welcome to attend and bring a friend!

## Campus Ministry News

Welcome 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. We would love to have you join us for Mass, Adoration, and 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)

Sunday: Women's Brunch at the Mishes House, 8am

Mass and Meal, 4pm, STS

Monday: BSC Mass and Meal, 7pm

Tuesday: Catechesis, 5:45pm, STS

Encounter, 7pm, STS

Wednesday: - - - - -

Thursday: Samford Cadre, 10am

Mass and Mini Meal, 6pm, STS

Friday: - - - - -

Saturday: - - - - -

Sunday: Women's Brunch at the Mishes House, 8am

Mass and Meal, 4pm, STS

Men's Night, 6:30pm, STS

Please mark your calendar for our first ever BHM Catholic Semi-Formal on Sat, April 13th at the Cathedral of St. Paul! Students get in free. Tickets are \$10 for all others! If you are a college student in Birmingham and looking for ways to get connected, please attend our chapel events or contact Mary Beth to get into a bible study!

**Her Choice Birmingham Women's Center**  
**20th Annual GOLF FORE LIFE**  
**We Need Golfers and Hole Sponsors**  
**Friday, May 17, 2024 - Highland Park Golf Course**  
**Registration 7:45AM · SHOTGUN START 9:00AM**

Have fun, save lives and raise funds for Her Choice, the only pro-life pregnancy resource center located in the heart of Birmingham. The cost is **\$250** (\$125 tax deductible) per individual golfer and prizes will be awarded immediately following the tournament. **We need 18 people to organize foursomes** to make this year's fundraiser the most successful ever. **Individual golfers are welcome** and will be paired up. We are also asking individuals, families and companies to be a **Hole Sponsor, \$500.00**, or a half Hole Sponsor, **\$250.00**. Our signage is beautifully done and let's others know of your commitment to the Sanctity of Life. This Ministry exists to help women facing a crisis pregnancy choose life, and to support them in that decision. Post-Abortion healing support is also offered. This life-giving ministry of Her Choice exists because of the gracious giving of people like you. Please, support this event and contact Her Choice Women's Center: **205.447.8796** · [golf4life@herchoicebirmingham.org](mailto:golf4life@herchoicebirmingham.org).

### Stations of the Cross — All Fridays of Lent 5:30pm in the Cathedral

### Birmingham Catholic Homeschool Graduation

Registration for Graduation is now open to all Catholic Homeschoolers in the Diocese of Birmingham to be held on Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. Paul. For more information or to register please contact: [bham-cathgrad@gmail.com](mailto:bham-cathgrad@gmail.com). Deadline to register is March 31st.

**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 John Paul Brueggen at 205-434-7090. We are a group of dedicated men who are joined together by faith and community support.*

**Our Knights of Columbus will be cooking up THREE fish fries this Lent 2024 — on Fridays, March 1, 8, and 15! Be sure to come to Stations of the Cross at 5:30pm and stay for the food & fellowship after! All are welcome. PRICING: \$10 per person for those aged 15 and up (family max: \$40). Children under 15: free. College students with ID and FOCUS Missionaries with ID: free.**

**Baptismal Preparation**

*The Baptismal Preparation Class is at 9:45am in the Parish Office. Classes for 2024 are: April 14, June 9, Aug. 11, Oct. 13, and Dec. 8. Please call the office to sign up and for more information **before** your baby is born!*

Lent is the time for fasting; but it's also time to send in candy for our annual Easter Egg Hunt! The Hunt works best when we hide LOTS of eggs everywhere! So, we need LOTS of candy! Please bring donations to the office or give to Blake Jaubert at PSR/Adult Ed on Sunday. Thank you very much!!!!

**Young Catholic Professionals – Birmingham**

YCP is hosting a St. Joseph Retreat on Sat., March 9 in the Cathedral Life Center from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The day includes breakfast, a talk and meditation led by Fr. Bazzel, small group discussion, confession, and Mass. This event is free for all young adults and is a great way to grow closer to the Lord this Lent! To register, please visit [ycpbirmingham.org](http://ycpbirmingham.org). We hope to see you there!

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

**2nd Friday of each month, March 8th**  
**7:00am Exposition until**  
**4:00pm Benediction**

**Habitat for Humanity Pope Francis Build**

The 2024 Habitat for Humanity Pope Francis build has begun! What a great way to participate in an act of charity this Lent by helping the Rembert Family. Sign up and join your fellow Cathedral parishioners at the construction location 3836 Barton Lane, Bessemer, AL 35022 on March 9th at any or both of the two shifts available. All skill levels are needed.

Sign up link is <https://hfhgb.volunteermatrix.com> and use **Access Code stpaul24**. Please feel free to contact Rosa Parrino for any questions at [rmparrino@gmail.com](mailto:rmparrino@gmail.com) or 205-566-5884.

**OCIA**

**Order of Christian Initiation of Adults**

OCIA meets each Wednesday at 6:00pm.

More information for anyone interested in learning about the Catholic faith can be found here:

<https://stpaulsbhm.org/education/ocia/>

If you would like to help provide meals for OCIA this year, please follow this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080E4DAFA62CA0FA7-ocia#/>

**THE EUCHARIST**  
**IN SCRIPTURE**



Join Us for an Inspiring Scripture Study



**Mondays starting**  
**February 19 (six weeks)**  
**6:00-7:30pm**

**In the Cathedral Life Center (CLC) Library (take elevator to 3rd floor)**

**Supper served • Free to all**

DISCOVER GOD'S PLAN AS IT IS EXPRESSED THROUGH THE BIBLE AND THE MASS

**Contact Elizabeth at 205-966-2123 or [elizabethm.kuhn@gmail.com](mailto:elizabethm.kuhn@gmail.com)**

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[StPaulCenter.com](http://StPaulCenter.com)

**This week please remember in your prayers the sick, the shut-ins and hospitalized, especially:** Mariel Trosa, Mary Ann Hurst, Isabella Priola, Michael Sperando, Justin Tribble, Brian Hill, Steve Hill, Joseph Coleman, Fran & Don D'Antuano, Cassidy Joy Marie Carter, Jace Bace, Miriam Bailey, Ron McBeath, Joe Cochran, Alicia Fisher, Henry Hardin, Mary Jerabek, Leonard Jerabek, Cathy Burford, Taylor Joiner, Jonathan Barber, Ann Chappell, Brian Sullivan, Charles Gardner, Kirsten & Ed Burdick, Melissa Breland, Nancy Golson Smith, Cain Somerville, Steve Calvert, Barbara and Gregg Fessler, James Nantais, Deacon Walter Henderson, Frances Naro, Chandler Barclay, Julie McLean, Terri Burch, Penelope Hauenstein, Mason Harder, Lisa Bender, Sandra Houston, Mayumi Tsuda, Dan Luehrs, Amy Kerper, Emily Gunter, Will Gayton, Theresa Pavesic, Risa Maier, Anthony Leipert, Bill Hulsey, Michelle Kemp Ramsay, Joseph Johnson, Joey Giangrosso, Jerome Cravey, Baker Mauer, Jennifer Manley, Linda Boggan, Nicholas Landry, Pamela Dewberry, Sherri Miles, Dorothy Smith, Lisa Tucker, Shirley Sutton, Eve Moore, John Birk, Kimberly Buck, Adeline & Don Williams, Adele Eades, Michael Gollehon, Jack Bisson, Anika Smith, Ralph Thompson, Janet Joseph, Cynthia Murry, Suzanne Miles, Jessica Jones, Michael Howell, Tony Traficante, Carrie Towle, Sam Moore, An Nguyen, James Harry Douglas, Maureen Angelini, Thomas Perna, Jr., Suzanne Dillon, Kayla Garraway, Doris Robertson, Jon Serio, Bonnie Godhigh, Larry Dye, Susannah Blackstone, Dee Bissett, Dolly Carroll, Nina Youngblood, Robbie Roy, Leah Jane Rovey, Candice Boyland, Brandon Fisher, Mary Ann Johnson, Hans Lang, Anna DeLeon, Christi Ingram, Patrick Coyle, Kayla Perry, 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 Week at a Glance, February 25-March 3

Sunday, February 25	Monday, February 26	Tuesday, February 27	Wednesday, February 28	Thursday, February 29	Friday, March 1	Saturday, March 2	Sunday, March 3
7:15am Mass - Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	9:00am Moms & Smalls-CLC	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	3-4:30pm Confessions-Cathedral	7:15am Mass - Cathedral
8:30am Mass - Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	11:30am Confessions-Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	5:00pm Mass-Cathedral	8:30am Mass/First Scrutiny- Cathedral
9:45am Ad Ed/PSR-CLC	6:00 pm Bible Study -CLC Library	12:10pm Mass-- Cathedral	4:00pm Children's Choir -Office		5:30pm Stations -Cathedral		9:45am Ad Ed/PSR-CLC
11:00am Mass -Cathedral			6:00pm Choir-Office		6:00pm KoC Fish Fry		11:00am Mass -Cathedral
12noon- YA Lunch Bible Study-CLC			OCIA-CLC		-CLC		12noon- YA Lunch Bible Study-CLC
6:15pm Youth Group -CLC			6:30pm Fraternus-CLC Choir-Office				6:15pm Youth Group -CLC

## Mass Intentions

Mon, Feb. 26	12:10pm	Paula & Jack DelaBretonne
Tue, Feb 27	12:10pm	Rick Blackstone
Wed, Feb. 28	12:10pm	Louise & Glenn Bryson
Thur, Feb. 29	12:10pm	Peggy Cole
Fri, Mar. 1	12:10pm	Lenora DeMarco +
Sat, Mar. 2	5:00pm	Rodriguez Family
Sun, Mar. 3	7:15am	Clergy Intention
	8:30am	Fr. John Paul, MFVA
	11:00am	For the people

	Sacristans	Lectors	Servers	Sanctuary Cleaning
Sat, Mar. 2 5:00pm	C Bailey	W Pryor	J Yaeger	<u>Week of Mar. 3</u> TBD
Sun, Mar. 3 7:15am	E Fay	N Keller	Ruiz Family	<u>Linens</u>
Sun, Mar. 3 8:30am	M Beasley	T Leipert	I Masny D Adams L Dye Hertz Family H Joiner	<u>Week of Mar. 3</u> M Masny
Sun, Mar. 3 11:00am	J Martin	P DiPiazza	M Rumore Ayers Family W Hungerpillar J Bandura JP Cockerham	

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## 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!

## WeShare Online Giving:

<https://stpaulsbhm.churchgiving.com>



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Scan the QR code and get started!

## 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 "O.C.I.A."

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *New Parishioner*

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *O.C.I.A.*

\_\_\_\_\_ *Leaving Parish*

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *Address Change*

Home# \_\_\_\_\_ Work# \_\_\_\_\_