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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Saturday, 4:00 pm ❖ Sunday, 10:00 am

Wednesday and Thursday, 9:00 am

First Friday, 10:00am

Holy Days of Obligation, 6:00 pm

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

One hour before each Mass until Fifteen minutes before Mass or by appointment

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: (Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10) 2nd Reading (1 Corinthians 12:12-30) Gospel (Luke 1:4-4; 4:14-21)

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE HOSPITAL OR ON HOSPICE: Please keep all the sick and their caregivers in your prayers.



PRAYER BOOK: The prayer book in the narthex is available for all prayer requests. Please pray daily for these requests.

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS: Especially our families, friends and loved ones who are currently in active military service: Joseph Byrd (Poland) Brett King (Guam) Delia King (Stateside), Jason King (Stateside) Please keep all of our brave men and women in your prayers. **Please call the office to add to or remove names from this list,**

PLEASE JOIN OUR PARISH! We would love to have you as a registered member of St. Patrick. If you would like to join our parish, please pick up a Census Card in the narthex, fill it out and put it in the collection basket.

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE UNABLE TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES Betty Carroll, Mickey Davidson, Linda Karch, and Pat Rogato. Please keep these, all the homebound, and their caregivers in your prayers. If you know of any parishioner who should be added to or removed from this list, please contact the office.

Weekly Finance Report

<u>Account</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expense</u>	<u>Diff.</u>	<u>Balance</u>
Operations	5,073.00	6,036.26	(-963.26)	7,171.12
Capital Imp	1,295.00	0.00	1,295.00	12,363.32

2nd Sunday of the Year God's Spirit is given to each person for the common good. What are your gifts? Are you willing to share them for the good of others? (1 Corinthians 12:4-11) Let us pray for each of us, that we may recognize the Spirit at work in us and encourage one another. (Vocation View is sponsored by Serra Club)

SUNSHINE CLUB will meet this Wednesday the 19th after the 10:00 am Mass.

THE SECOND COLLECTION next weekend will be to help defray the expense for Holy Week Palms and Vigil Candles.

COLD AND FLU SEASON IS HERE! Please remember that it is not a sin to miss Mass when you are sick. It is also not a sin to miss Mass if you need to stay home with a sick child even if it is "just a cold". In fact it is more in keeping with Jesus's commandment to love for you to protect others from getting the flu or a cold. Remember an illness that is "just a cold" to you, could be detrimental to the health of someone else. Especially the very young, the elderly, and those with compromised respiratory or immune systems. Please stay at home when you are ill and keep your children at home when they are ill

THANK YOU to all who've helped provide meals for RCIA for 2021, and to those who have already volunteered for 2022. Your generosity is appreciated. If you would like to provide a meal for 2022, please see Lisa Dougherty and she will put you on the schedule for next year. God Bless!!

SAVE THE DATE: We will celebrate our parish patronal feast day on Thursday, March 17th. Mass will begin at 6:00 pm followed by a pot luck dinner.





RCIA Considering joining the Catholic Church or know someone who may be interested? Catholic but never confirmed? Need to make your First Communion? Want to be baptized?

Let us help you! Check out our RCIA classes for adults considering joining the Catholic Church. Come and Learn. For more information, please call the church office. Weekly classes are each Tuesday, at 6:00 pm September – April.

FAITH FORMATION: Class this Wednesday, January 19th at 6:30 pm.

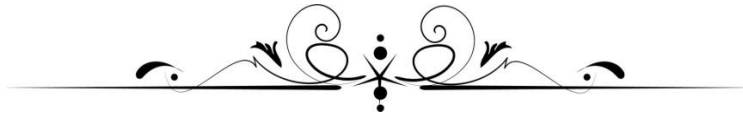
ADULTS FOR CHRIST will meet this Wednesday, January 19, 2022. At 6:30 pm. They will begin a new video series called: The Creed by Bishop Barron- The Creed is the key that unlocks the beliefs of the Christian Faith. The words roll off our tongues so easily at Mass, but they often aren't fully understood. Each class will include a video followed by discussion.



SHAWL MINISTRY: We will meet the third Monday of every month. For more information contact Mary Evans.



SWAMP JOHN'S FUNDRAISER: The Knights will host a Lenten Fish Fry Fundraiser. Tickets are thirteen dollars a plate and will include your choice of catfish or shrimp, along with hushpuppies, coleslaw, tea, and dessert. Plates will be available for pick up or dine-in March 18 from 4:00pm to 7:00pm. Beginning January 16th you may purchase tickets after Mass on Sunday in the St. Joseph Hall or during the week at Brooklere Pharmacy's Adamsville location. This event is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.



SUPPORT AFTER ABORTION MILITARY AND VETERANS PROGRAM is offering a Rachel's Vineyard abortion healing retreat February 11 - 13, 2022 in the Atlanta area. The retreat is open to all military, active, guard, reserves, veterans, and family members of military or veterans. The retreat is led by veterans and free of charge. You served. We want to serve you. To register go to: <https://qrco.de/bcPCLI>.

BEWARE OF SCAMS: Many churches and schools in the Diocese of Birmingham are being used by scammers to prey on local Catholics. Be vigilant. Scammers are continuing to pose as pastors, parish staff, and even the bishop. Typically, emails are being sent asking for assistance, but text messaging is also being utilized. Before responding directly, please contact the parish or the Bishop's Office by phone to ensure authenticity.

ARISE: Please join us for this month's ARISE Night of Healing at 6:30 pm on Thursday night, January 20th at Our Lady of Sorrows Church in the Family Life Center. Each month there is Eucharistic adoration, worship music and a short teaching/personal testimony. Confessions and individual prayer time also available. They meet the 3rd Thursday of the month. Come draw closer to the Lord in 2022! All are welcome.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter invites all married couples to Renew the Romance, Revitalize your Marriage, Communicate more Openly, Find Deeper Intimacy, Focus on Your Spouse and Share the Joy with the One You Love by attending the Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a 44 hours getaway for married couples where they can focus on each other. If you would like to recall the shared hopes and dreams you had during your initial romance phase in your relationship, you'll appreciate your time together on the Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. **The next weekend in the diocese of Birmingham is scheduled on March 25-27, 2022, at St. Bernard Abbey in Cullman.** You can get more information or register online at www.wwme.org.

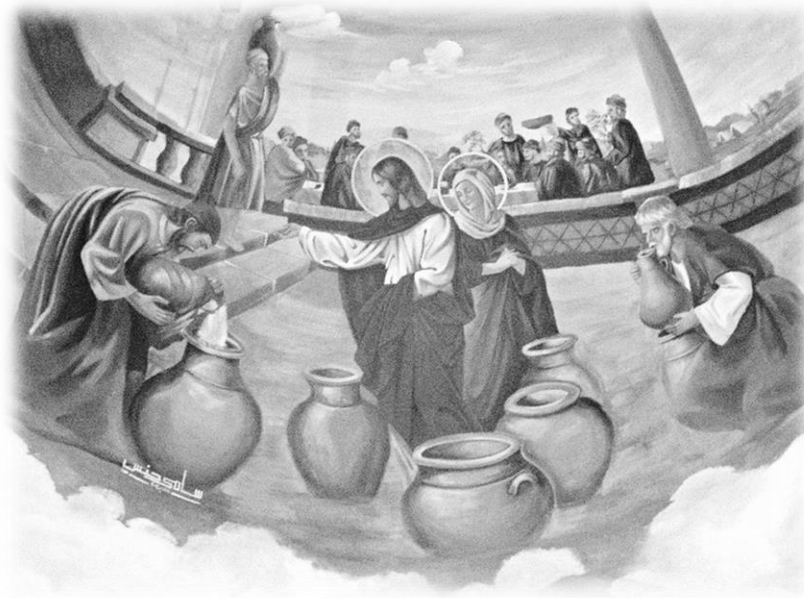
2nd Collection

Weekly Mass Schedule

Initial Offering

↶ Saturday	01/15	4:00 pm	For the People
↷ Sunday	01/16	10:00 am	Ann & John Brooklere - †
Monday	01/17	No Mass	
Tuesday	01/18	9:00 am @ St. Stanislaus	
Wednesday	01/19	10:00 am	Michael Latham - †
Thursday	01/20	9:00 am	Stephanie Miller - †
Friday	01/21	9:00 am St. Stanislaus	
↶ Saturday	01/22	4:00 PM	Margie Lee - †
↷ Sunday	01/23	10:00 am	For the People

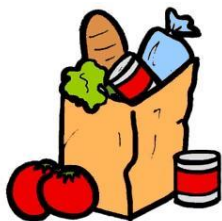
Holy Week Palms and
Vigil Candles



SVDP MEETING: SVdP will meet after the 10:00 Mass on Sunday, February 6th.

PANTRY NEEDS

Cereal
Cooking oil
Mayo
Dry soup
Jelly



SHOP AT AMAZONSMILE: Amazon will donate a portion of any online purchase to SVdP. Simply click the icon on the SVdP page on St. Patrick website to place your order. Donations will be computed by AMAZON and automatically transferred to our account.

Second Sunday in Ordinary time: In the Gospel today, at the wedding feast in Cana, Jesus reveals himself to his disciples and they began to believe in him. Every day, God also gives us signs of his love and so we also can respond in faith and trust. Your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul becomes a sign of God's love to those who are suffering, and you give them reason to believe and to trust.