



St. Anthony of Padua CATHOLIC CHURCH

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2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

February 25th, 2018

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(404) 758-8861

Schedule of Masses:
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

Nigerian Igbo Community Mass:
2 p.m. every Second Sunday

Weekday Masses:
Monday and Tuesday at 8:30a in the Rectory; Wednesday at 6p in church. Adoration at 6:30 p.m.
Reconciliation: By appointment.

Lodovico Carracci, The Transfiguration, 1594



And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white. (Gospel)

TODAY'S GOSPEL TELLS US . . .
Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

Peter, James and John witness Jesus' transfiguration. But they themselves also undergo a transfiguration. Some change occurs within them so they are able to hear God's voice announcing Jesus' identity; "beloved Son" and the clear terms of their own discipleship; "listen to him." Lent is meant to be our time of transfiguration. What change needs to occur in us so that we grasp the clear terms of our own discipleship? What change needs to occur in us so that we truly listen?

St. Anthony Parish Prayer for the Week

O Christ, take us to your mountain. Transform all our acts; our very being, into your love, **Amen.**

— Anne Osdieck

For those on our Prayer List: Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. May these special people find lasting health and deliverance. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believed. *Amen.*

Wyeuca Byrd Johnson	Sonya Strider	Eartha Lee Jackson
Catherine Binns	Georgia Holloman	Deborah Cook
Patricia Guice	Greenie Lyons	Wanda Cooper
Sheilah Black	Ruth Smith	John Guice
Magdalene Poitier	Destiny Strider	Brandon Ingram
Thomas Brito	Sharon Hubbard-Belcher	Lettie Hill
Brandon Young	Sharon Campbell	Katherine Griner
Romaine Miller	Jacquelyn C. Bristow	Tom Goldsworthy

If you or a loved-one is ill, please call the parish office 404 758-8861 to be added to our prayer list. You may also arrange to have communion brought to home-bound parishioners.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you wish to have a Mass offered for a deceased or living family member, or for a special intention, you may contact the parish office, **404-758-8861**, to request a date and time of Mass.

A minimum offering of **\$10.00** for the Mass is appropriate. Please make check out to St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church. In the memo section write... **Mass Intention.**

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Mass Intentions for February 25th, **8:30 am** for...
the reposed soul of †Thomas O. Wright This would have been his 59th Birthday with Loving Memories Phyllis, Janelle and Raina

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Mass Intentions for February 25th, **11:30 am** for...
The Parish of St. Anthony of Padua

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"All across America people chose to get involved, get engaged and stand up. Each of us can make a difference, and all of us ought to try. So go keep changing the world in 2018." — President Barack Obama

On June 18, 2015 Pope Francis challenged us to reflect on the ways we use our resources and care for God's creation. It is not too early to plan 2018 Earth Day celebrations for your parish community. Observed annually on April 22nd, Earth Day is an opportunity for us to reflect on how we use our resources to care for God's creation. The theme for Earth Day is...
"Beyond a Throwaway Culture: Reduce Waste – Grow Community."
 visit <https://archatl.com/catholic-life/refreshatl/> to learn more about the Archdiocese of Atlanta Laudato Si' Action Plan and find additional tips and ideas to help create a more sustainable world in harmony with God.

WORD OF LIFE Sometimes our actions speak for themselves; other times words are needed. Whatever the situation, Jesus knows how to speak to each person's heart; we simply need to follow where he leads."
 USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
 "How to Build a Culture of Life"

Do you love writing and want to get better at it? Starting a novel for the first time and need support? **Join the GNG** and come to our **Georgia Nutts Writer's Guild Meeting.**
March 3rd from 3:30 pm to 5:30 pm: Health Min. Room.
 \$5 per meeting or \$50 per year. Email to verify event dates.
georgianutts@yahoo.com www.ReadGeorgiaNutts.com



Thank you for sharing your gifts from God.

February 18th 2018

Offering:	\$3817.77
Capital Campaign Fund:	\$4224.83
Flower Fund:	\$26
The Black and Indian Missions:	\$479
Annual Appeal:	\$1490
Ash Wed.:	\$884
Rice Bowl:	\$147

SECOND COLLECTION February 25th, 2018 The Capital Campaign

Electronic Contributions: See in the next issue

Offertory	\$
The Capital Campaign	\$




Donate to St. Anthony of Padua electronically.
 This service is being facilitated through My Own Giving and the link is on the home page of the parish website. Use **Electronic Funds Transfer or VISA/MasterCard or American Express.**

Set up to donate one time, weekly or monthly. Once you select the link, you create your own user name and password to set up your electronic donations.

Or you can...

Use your phone to scan the QR code above to contribute now, or use the following web address to contribute:
<http://bit.ly/stanthonyonlinegiving>
 If you have any questions, please contact the parish business manager, **Ronald Whalen.**

The Tolton Ambassadors-Atlanta invite you to join us for "Cocktails for a Cause" on **Sat., March 10, 2018, from 6:30 – 9:30 pm** at the Atlanta Archdiocesan Lake Park Chancery, located at **2401 Lake Park Drive, Smyrna, GA 30080.**



Proceeds from the fundraiser will benefit the Tolton Ambassadors -Atlanta's ministry of advocating and supporting the Cause for Canonization of Father Augustus Tolton, the first recognized African American priest ordained for the United States. Tickets are \$65 per person, and can be purchased from Tolton Ambassadors; Janise Miller, Kimberly Daniels and Bernadette Porch.

SAVE US A STAMP!
 Let us email your contribution statement! Still want it mailed? Contact us so we can mail it to you at dpatrikbates@stanthonyatlantia.org or call us Mon – Wed. 10a.m. to 1p.m. (404) 758-8861



Classes/Meetings/Events for Today



Welcome
Fr. Adamski

Breakfast
sponsored by

NONE

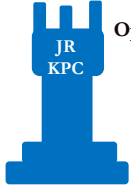


Did you miss the bulletin on paper? Visit past issues online at www.stanthonyatlanta.org Click on 'WELCOME' and then scroll down to the words, 'SUNDAY BULLETIN'

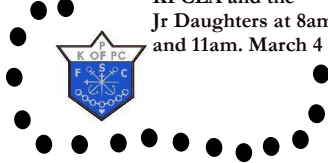
4TH SUNDAY CHESS

TODAY

Open Chess 10a to 11a
Chess Tips
11a to 12:30a
Open Chess
11:30 to 12:30a
Chess Tips
12:30p to 1p



Stations of the Cross
will be led by the
KPCLA and the
Jr Daughters at 8am
and 11am. March 4



FREE COMMUNITY LUNCH

Tuesday, March 20th, 11:30am

Open to Anyone in Need of Lunch.

NOTE: Remember to bring non-perishable foods to distribute to the homeless. The collection baskets are located in the back of church.



WOMEN'S DAY UPDATE
2018

Women of SAoP Mission statement: Women of God chosen for this moment and beyond to love one another and do God's will. **Our Vision statement:** To grow stronger together spiritually, stretching ourselves beyond comfort each day, to joyfully share the light of Christ.

SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday March 3rd

St. Anthony of Padua Women Retreat

9a to 3p Adamski Hall.

Saturday, May 5,

St. Anthony of Padua Women Day Retreat

9 am to 2 p.m. Catholic Center Smyrna – Hall C

Sunday, May 6, 2018

10a mass St. Anthony of Padua 2018 Women's Day

We prayerfully selected Sr. Patty Chappell as our Women's Day speaker.

Saturday, March 17,

AACCW Recognition Day Mass for Woman and Youth of the Year

10a St. Pius X, Conyers

You're invited to
A FISH FRY FUNDRAISER

sponsored by the Knights of Peter Claver & Ladies
Auxiliary of Unit #276 Atlanta.

Proceeds benefit all KPCLA Community
Service Projects

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Friday, March 2, 2018 at St. Anthony Catholic
Church, 928 Ralph D Abernathy Blvd. Atlanta, GA
30310. 11 a.m. till 8 p.m.

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Menu

Adult Fish Plates - \$8.00 (two sides, bread)

Child Fish Plates - \$4.50 (one side, bread)

Fried Fish (only)

Sides

Catfish Potato salad Green beans Tilapia Cole slaw Baked
beans Whiting Fish sandwiches: \$5.00

Various Desserts: \$2 to \$3 Drinks: \$.50 (soda/water)

Call in your order @ (404) 573-1539 or (678) 704-1084



Monsignor Henry Gracz invites you to join with him on a pilgrimage to Majestic Italy in the fall of this year. The tour will featuring Rome, Assisi Florence and Pompeii

The Catholic Shrine
of the Immaculate Conception

Led by Msgr. Henry Gracz, Pastor, and Donal Noonan, Director of Music

October 10 – 18, 2018

Florence Assisi Rome Vatican City



For more information visit
www.catholicshrinestlanta.org



You're Invited to The Atlanta Area Alumni
Chapter of Xavier University of Louisiana

9th Annual

jazz
brunch

Celebrating the Feast
Day of St. Katherine
Drexel

Sunday, March 11, 2018 at 1 PM.

Doors open at 12 noon at the Westin Atlanta Perimeter North, 7 Concourse Parkway NE, Atlanta, GA 30328. Tickets are \$60. Proceeds from the event benefit the XULA Annual Fund, as well, as the scholarship program of the Atlanta Chapter. There will be a silent auction. For further information, please contact Dr. James Paschal (229-886-2349).

PARISH CALENDAR: View the extended calendar at <http://stanthonyatlanta.org/news-calendar/calendar/>

Sun Feb 25	8:30a Mass Intent for T. O. Wright	Church
	10a JrKPC 4th Sunday Chess	Adamski Hall
	11:30a Mass	Church
Wed Feb 28	6p Weekday Mass and Adoration	Church
Fri Mar 1	8:30a Fish Fry	Adamski Hall
Sat Mar 3	8a SAoP Women's Retreat	Adamski Hall
	9a Stanford Meeting	RE Center
	10a Xavier Meeting	RE Front Rm
	3p Clean up Women's Retreat	Adamski Hall
	3:30a RGN Writer's Guild	Health Min Rm
Sun Mar 4	8a KPCLA lead the Rosary	Church
	8:30a Mass	Church
	9:30a MAC Breakfast	Adamski Hall
	9:45a Catholicism Class	Adamski Hall
	10:15a Sunday School	RE Center

MINISTRY SCHEDULE: March 4th, 2018

Trained Ministers are expected to show up for service 15 minutes before Mass.

	8:30 am	11:30 am
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	John Howell Anika Palm James Reed Larry Stewart Vicki Wesley	Corwin DuBose Kevin Ewulonu Pauline Ewulonu Jeanette Lewis Corine Lynch
Altar Servers	Joseph Barker II John Nieves Perrin Owens	Dameion Gill Juanita Smith Manuel Solomon
Lector	Tory Stringer Eric D. Palm	Candis Hunter Michael Malcom
Commentator	Theresa Stanford	Poppy Mitchell
Ushers	Beverly Bearden Patricia Guice John Guice Wanda Major Brendel Stewart	Rock Anderson Mirian Hill Beverly Jordan Roseline Omosola Rose Tynes-Johnson

Parish Bulletin Deadline: 4 p.m., Mondays.
Pulpit Announcement Deadline: 12 noon, Tuesdays.
 Please submit any requests by email to the parish office.
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