



# St. Anthony of Padua CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## 25TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

September 23rd, 2018

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### Office Hours:

Monday thru Thursday  
10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
Parish Office/Rectory:  
(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.



*Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me. (Gospel)*

**TODAY'S GOSPEL TELLS US . . .**

Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

How the disciples continue to misunderstand the deepest truth about what the “Son of Man” is to undergo! While Jesus is speaking of his impending suffering, death, and rising, the disciples are quibbling over “who [is] the greatest” among them. They are brought to silence twice by Jesus because they still cannot accept the true meaning of who Jesus is and his mission. By embracing a child, Jesus reveals, again and concretely, who he is: the One least among us who has come to serve.

### *St. Anthony Parish Prayer for the Week*

Jesus, please cause us to care for your garden of peace, cleaving only to your holy teachings, 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.*

Georgia Holloman	Eartha Lee Jackson	Sabrina Polote
Greenie Lyons	Deborah Cook	Tom Goldsworthy
Kimberly Daniels	Wanda Cooper	Catherine Binns
Destiny Strider	John Guice	Cleo Vanderford
Carla Haley	Katherine Griner	Thomas Brito
Jacquelyn C. Bristow	Gregory Nash	Romaine Miller
Kenneth Brannan	Sheila Russell	Tahlia Bostic

*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.**



Mass Intentions for **September 23rd, 9 am** for...  
**The Parish of St Anthony of Padua**

**Sending Loving Prayers**  
To the family and to  
The reposed soul of  
**Ms. Ethel Samuels**  
**"Tootsie" Graham†**  
May God's perpetual  
Light shine upon him.  
May he rest in peace.  
**Amen.**





"Goodness is loving and never imposes itself. It is a choice." — *Pope Francis*

**WORD OF LIFE** "We are created to walk with and support one another; we don't need to fear reaching out in love. Help your friend experience the strength of God's message that resounds throughout time: "Do not fear: I am with you" (Isaiah 41:10).  
*USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities*  
*"What to Do When a Friend Is Considering Abortion", www.usccb.org/l-o-v-e*  
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**PATH** (Post Abortion Treatment and Healing) Retreat is scheduled for the weekend of **October 12-14, 2018**. If you would like to know more about this compassionate and confidential ministry, please visit our website at [www.healingafterabortion.org](http://www.healingafterabortion.org).

**Promise to Protect. Pledge to Heal.**

We want to help you get your life back.  
**YOU matter. YOU are family.**  
We are here to listen and take action!

**To report abuse by church personnel:**


 Archdiocese of Atlanta  
 24 Hour Reporting Hotline  
**888-437-0764**


**Thank you for sharing your gifts from God.**  
**September 16th, 2018**

Offering:	<b>\$3054.49</b>
Capital Campaign Fund:	<b>\$3575.66</b>
Flower Fund:	<b>\$11</b>
Georgia Bulletin:	<b>\$55</b>
Annual Appeal:	<b>\$1315</b>

**SECOND COLLECTION September 23rd, 2018**  
**SAINT VINCENT DEPAUL SOCIETY**

**Electronic Contributions:**  
**See in the next bulletin**

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.**

**StrongStart** is a reading program created by the Morehouse College Community Revitalization Initiative (MCCRI) in conjunction with AmeriCorps VISTA. The program is currently running in four elementary schools within the Morehouse community, one(1) day a week for 1 hour at KIPP Strive, KIPP WAYS, M. Agnes Jones, and Tuskegee Airmen Global Academy. We are looking for volunteers to help these students improve in their reading. Please contact Claudia Smalls if you are interested at [claudia.smalls@morehouse.edu](mailto:claudia.smalls@morehouse.edu).

**Classes/Meetings/Events for Today**

**Breakfast**

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



**FREE COMMUNITY LUNCH**  
**Tuesday, October 16th, 11:30am**  
**Open to Anyone in Need of Lunch.**

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



**From the Desk of the Men's Action Club (MAC):**  
 ST. Anthony's Men's Action Club will have a table out side after MASS in an effort to field any questions around the upcoming elections on November 6th. Please stop by!

\*\*\*\*ELECTION DAY IS NOVEMBER 6, 2018\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*Last Day to Register to Vote OCTOBER 9, 2018\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*OCTOBER 15th through NOVEMBER 02nd Advanced/Early Voting (Polling Places and times vary by county)\*\*\*\*

SAMPLE BALLOTS \* Request and review [www.sos.ga.gov/mvp](http://www.sos.ga.gov/mvp)  
 Absentee in person (requires ID But no reason) or Absentee by mail (No ID or reason required)

To be eligible to vote in Georgia you must be:

- A citizen of the United States
- A legal resident of Georgia and of the county in which you wish to vote
- At least 17.5 years old to register, and 18 years old to vote
- Not serving any sentence imposed by the conviction of a felony
- Not judicially determined to be mentally incompetent

Valid Forms of Identification

- A valid Georgia driver's license
- A valid ID card issued by a branch, department, agency, or any other entity of Georgia, any other state, or the U.S. authorized by law to issue personal ID
- A valid U.S. passport
- A government employee photo ID
- A valid student ID card containing your photograph from any public or private college, university, or postgraduate technical or professional school located within Georgia
- A valid U.S. military ID card with photo
- Valid Tribal ID with photo
- A certified copy of your birth certificate
- A valid Social Security card
- A certified naturalization document
- A certified copy of court records showing adoption, name, or sex change
- A current utility bill, or a legible copy thereof, showing your name and address
- A bank statement, or a legible copy thereof, show them.



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**THANKS FOR EVERYTHING!**

Thank you to everyone who supported the 2018 Habitat for Humanity Build. All parishioners are invited to the House Dedication Ceremony on **Saturday, September 29 at 11:30am** at the build site, **1916 Meador Avenue SE, Atlanta, GA 30315**

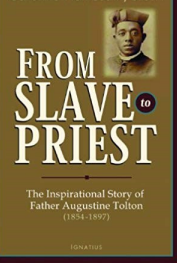


You're Invited to **ROSARY SUNDAY** — For Kids and Parents! 8 am and 11 am on **October 7th!** Come pray the rosary as a family!



**KPC 276 "Coffee House"**

Caroline Hemesath, S.S.F.



**Book Review and Panel Discussion —**  
 Led by Janise Miller and Karl Barnes  
**GET YOUR COPY TODAY AND JOIN THE DISCUSSION**  
 Sunday, November 25 from 10:00am to 11:00am (between the masses)  
**Available on Amazon.com**

NATIONAL BESTSELLER

"An astutely sensitive work about the racial barriers that still divide us in so many areas of life." —Jonathan Racci

**WHY ARE ALL THE BLACK KIDS SITTING TOGETHER IN THE CAFETERIA?**

And Other Conversations About Race  
 Revised and Updated

Beverly Daniel Tatum, PhD

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**You are Invited!**

**Coffee with the Principal!**

October 9, 8:30 a.m.  
 November 6, 8:30 a.m.  
 December 6, 8:30 a.m.

Principal's Presentation  
 Campus Tour



- PK-8<sup>th</sup> Grade
- Rigorous Academic Standards
- Certified Teachers
- Dynamic After School Program
- Legacy of Academic Achievement
- Christ-centered Environment

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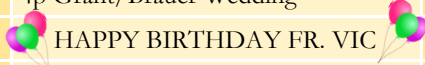



**ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2014**  
 "You shall love your neighbor as yourself"  
 Leviticus 19:18

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

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE: September 30th, 2018**

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

Sun Sep 23	8a KPC Breakfast	Adamski Hall
	9a 115th Parish Anniversary Mass	Church
	4p Grant/Brauer Wedding	Church
Mon Sep 24	 HAPPY BIRTHDAY FR. VIC 	
	8:30a Weekday Mass	Rectory
Tue Sep 25	8:30a Weekday Mass	Rectory
Wed Sep 26	6p Weekday Mass & Adoration	Church
Sat Sep 29	8a Plant Based Class	Adamski Hall
	12p KPCLA training session	RE center
Sun Sep 30	8:30a Mass	Church
	9:45a Catholicism Class	Adamski Hall
	11:30a Mass	Church
Mon Oct 1	8:30a Weekday Mass	Rectory
	6p Finance Council Meeting	Rectory
Tue Oct 2	8:30a Weekday Mass	Rectory

	<b>8:30 am</b>	<b>11:30 am</b>
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</b>	Sylvia Clark Sharon Farley Mike Harris Theresa Stanford Larry Stewart	Pauline Ewulonu Clement Okpala Juanita Smith Kim Willard-Jelks Phyllis Wright
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Quincy Ceasar John Nieves Jared Williams	Kamryn Days Kai Lucas Manuel Solomon
<b>Lector</b>	Renay Ceasar Charlie Stanford	Pamela Tennell Rose Tynes-Johnson
<b>Commentator</b>	Sabrina Polote	Nyjha Dean
<b>Ushers</b>	Lori Ashford-Stringer Victor Galier Patricia Guice John Guice Brendel Stewart	Ibironke Adeleye Rock Anderson Leon Cummings Mirian Hill Joseph Kargbo

**Parish Bulletin Deadline:** 4 p.m., Mondays.  
**Pulpit Announcement Deadline:** 12 noon, Tuesdays.  
 Please submit any requests by email to the parish office. [dpatrickbates@stanthonyatlanta.org](mailto:dpatrickbates@stanthonyatlanta.org)