

St. Anthony of Padua CATHOLIC CHURCH

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October 17, 2021

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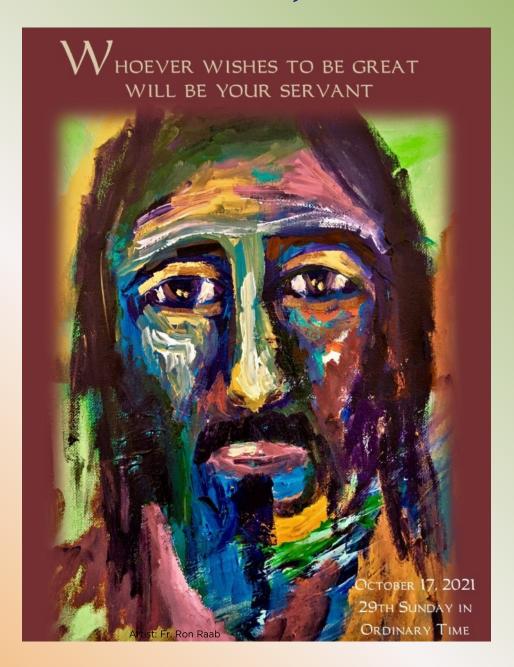
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Monday—Thursday
10 am to 4PM



Live Stream 8:30AM Sunday bit.ly/sapatlantayoutube

Outdoor Mass 8:30AM Sunday 951 Ralph D. Abernathy Blvd— Bring a mask & chair.

Remember in Prayer

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick & housebound members of our community and for all who are in need. May the fullness of your will be done in their lives. We ask this through Our Lord Jesus Christ, AMEN

Christine Belcher Edith C. Bentley Ingrid Berry Catherine Binns Tahlia Bostic Msgr. Ed Branch Marzine Bristow Sr. **Emarie Browning Agnes Carter** Charles D. Carter Diane Dalton Gloria Edwards Linnie Francis John & Patricia Guice Merrine McDonald Journee A. Guice

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Mass Intentions

Oct 17 8:30AM: The People of the Parish Oct 24 8:30AM: The People of the Parish

The Pope's October Prayer Intention

Let us pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.

Archdiocesan Announcements

Black Catholic Ministry Communications BCM Connected Newsletter.

Useful links:

PACOA—Tolton Ambassadors—Atlanta.

LYKE House: The Catholic Center @ Atl Univ Center.

Nat. Black Catholic Congress (NBCC)

Nat. Association of African Catholics in the U. S. (NAACUS)

KPC / KPCLA

25th Eucharistic Congress Save the Date June 17-18 2022. Come to Me Eucharistic Renewal.

Faith in Formation. Oct 12 Newsletter HOLA: Hispanas y Latinas. Boletín de set 2021 Justice & Peace Ministries. Oct 12 Newsletter Marriage Today. Sept 2021 Newsletter Respect Life. Oct 2021 Newsletter Youth Ministry. Oct 13 Newsletter

Aguinas Center Fall 2021 webinars. Oct 26: "After Dostoevsky: What is Catholic & Orthodox literature in the Age of the Nones?"

Fortunate & Faithful Families is a resource & community for Catholic families, educators, & clergy in Atlanta affirming LGBTQ members.

The Year of St. Joseph celebration continues with plenty of resources & prayer guides.

Safe Environment. Local & national resources to help keep our parishes, schools, homes, & communities safe. Archdiocesan 24-hr hotline: 888-437-076.

Stewardship of Treasure

Thank you for sharing your gifts from God. October 10

> Offertory Capital Campaign

\$5,299.25 \$5,881.00

Annual Appeal 2021—COMPLETED

Thanks to you we have completed our Parish goal & rebate goal for this year's annual appeal!!! We have maxed out the rebate benefits of this year's program. For the remainder of 2021, consider directing donations to the Capital Campaign, Offertory, or other 2nd collections. Remember to update your online giving & automatic debits.

Upcoming 2nd Collections

10/17—Capital Campaign. Construction is in the final stages for Church renovations. Your donation of any amount will support the beautification & preservation of St. Anthony of Padua Parish as a worship & gathering space for generations to come. For pledge inquiries, email or call the Office.

10/24—Church in Latin America; in Central & Eastern Europe; and, World Mission Sunday This collection is for the work of the Catholic Church in these areas of the world and in over 1,100 mission dioceses that serve the world's most vulnerable communities. The combined collection will be split equally three ways.

Other Information

Online Giving. While Parish activity is limited due to construction, the church has the same operational expenses. Contribute securely online at bit.lv/ stanthonyonlinegiving.



Workplace Giving. If your employer offers charitable giving opportunities, consider a gift to St. Anthony of Padua! Some companies offer payroll giving, giving & matching, peer matching, grants, & more. We are a certified non-profit with Benevity. Charity Name: Saint Anthony of Padua Cause ID: 840-BSV 2K2DJ41EV9

Catholic Foundation of North GA. Consider naming the parish endowment fund as a beneficiary of your 401K or retirement account. Request a form from your plan provider. Juliet Greco (jgreco@cfnga.org) is always available to explain the process,; or, learn more at the Catholic Foundation, 404-497-9440

Contact Information Changes. Notify the office if vou have name, address, phone, or email changes.

Giving Envelopes in the mail. Notify the office to pause, start, or stop receiving packages of giving envelopes in the mail.











Parish Announcements

#iGiveCatholic Save the Date

We will participate in #iGiveCatholic again this #givingtuesday Nov 30th. Advanced giving opens Nov 15th. The parish kitchen plays an important role in fellowship, ministry, & outreach. This #givingtuesday will stock the renovated kitchen with essentials to make it functional—to refresh & revitalize it with updated cookware, utensils, safety items, & basic supplies. Stay tuned for more info.

Restock the Lunch Program Pantry

Thank you for your continued support & overwhelming generosity. Help restock for next month by dropping off <u>individually packaged</u> items after Mass or arrange drop-off with Dr. Roof: chips, crackers, fruit cups, pull-top canned meat/fish, pudding, single serve cereal,

Ziploc sandwich bags, Ziploc gallon bags, water, jelly packs, peanut butter, apple sauce, granola bars, shelf milk.

Share Special Days

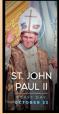
If you have an upcoming Birthday, Anniversary, milestone, or cause for celebration please use this form so that it can be announced at Mass bit.ly/2YHDMbT.

Wear PINK Next Sunday

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. The Health Ministry invites everyone to dress in pink next Sunday, October 24th. Wearing pink honors survivors, remembers those lost to the disease, holds hope for medical research & life-saving care.









Charitable Giving Panel

October 19th, 10-11 AM. Efficient giving strategies for 2021 & for estate plans based on new tax laws. Expected market & economic trends. Three panelists offer insight & answer your questions. Register for free.

Live the Liturgy

It's the positions of power and great authority that people often admire. We equate success with six figure incomes, high positions, management, and influence. We even go above and beyond to find favor with our bosses so that we can get a little extra recognition and maybe the next promotion when it comes up. This is the way of the world. Those who have their values set on earthly things are going to work by earthly rules. We forget that it doesn't work that way in the Kingdom of God. Success is measured not from the place of status, influence, or prestige but from the place of humility, service, and sacrifice. The authority that one hopes to achieve is not an authority over others but an authority that comes from wisdom and developing one's relationship with God. Jesus flips the tables on our priorities. Even the first disciples had a tough time understanding this. They really thought that they would somehow receive a privilege or bonus from being faithful. We often operate under that same illusion.

Priesthood & IN I AY

This is a day set aside to honor priesthood, to reflect upon & affirm the role of priesthood in the life of the Church as a central one, and to appreciate the many blessings Fr. Vic bestows upon St. Anthony of Padua & in our lives.

Next Sunday, October 24th give Fr. Vic creative notes of encouragement, thanksgiving, prayer, & love offerings of appreciation.

Help our Brothers and Sisters

Hurricane Ida: Donate via St. Anthony of Padua's secure Online Giving system by selecting "Hurricane Ida—Catholic Charities" fund.

Haiti Earthquake & Humanitarian Crisis: Donate via St. Anthony of Padua's secure Online Giving system by selecting "Haiti Relief-CRS" fund.

Student Scholarship

maryknollsociety.org/essay 500-750 words. Division I: 6-8th grade Division II: 9-12th grade

1st: \$1,000 2nd: \$300 3rd: \$150 Deadline: November 15, 2020

Today the world seems full of "bad news" stories that tell of people expressing hatred, violence, discrimination and other evils demonstrating the worst of humanity. But there are many people who are making the world a better place.

Write an essay sharing a "good news" story from your own life and explain how it reflects the "good news" message of Jesus.

Operation Feed Fulton Ticket Diversion Program

Fulton County Solicitor-General Keith Gammage and the Atlanta Community Food Bank are partnering to resolve your low level traffic citation for a

5 CONTRIBUT

to reduce hunger during this pandemic.



SCAN CODE TO **GET STARTED!!**



https://bit.ly/2XQvqR3

YOU HAVE QUALIFIED FOR THIS SPECIAL TIME LIMITED OPPORTUNITY. WWW.FULTONRESTORATIVEJUSTICE.ORG

Resolve a misdemeanor traffic citation (<\$1,000) & reduce hunger! One-time dismissal for a \$75 donation to the ATL food bank.

Advertisements Needed to Print Sunday Bulletin

When the church opens back, we will need to send our bulletin out to be printed professionally. If we can get sponsors to buy year-long ads on the back page — it can be printed at no cost to the parish.

Please support St. Anthony with your ad!

Small business owners

Professionals Healthcare providers CPAs, Lawyers Service providers **Contractors** Artists

Content Creators

Ministries/

Organizations

Sororities/Fraternities

BENEFITS OF ADVERTISING

- Local, targeted community advertising for one full year, at one low price.
- A FREE ad listing on parishesonline.com.
- FREE, professional ad design.

To place an ad contact: Melissa Jones with LPi 205-382-4555 mjones@4LPi.com ID: 16-0051

Pope's vaccination campaign



Our Lady of Mercy Expands

Our new Pre-K to 12 school, St. Mary's Academy will offer a host of new academic programs & campus activities.



ETHEDATE

St. Mary's Academy. Learn about our future campus and new programs.

Please call 770-461-2202 (ext 410) for additional information. 861 Highway 279, Fayetteville, GA 30214 **OPEN HOUSE** SUNDAY,

OCTOBER 24, 2021 12 NOON - 3:00 PM

St. Pius X High School Holiday Marketplace

Join us to complete your holiday shopping with more than 170 vendors—including students! Also back for your enjoyment are the popular bake/casserole sales & full café! Save the date: Sat. Nov. 20th 9am—4pm

www.spx.org/marketplace

Interested vendors & sponsors still needed. SPXMarketDay@spxstudent.org

***** Your Vote Counts

The General Election is Monday, November 2nd.

Absentee Ballot. Last day to request a ballot is Oct 22nd. Request yours here. Track your ballot here.

Early Voting, Early voting is open. Find an in-person location. Ends Oct 29th.

Drop Boxes. Location varies by county.

Fulton: bit.ly/34yfHWy

Dekalb: bit.ly/3aGdWd8 & bit.ly/3FOAgjb

Cobb County: bit.ly/2GLbDKo