



St. Anthony of Padua CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MARY LOU WILLIAMS



DR LENA F. EDWARDS

Beginning Nov 7th
NEW MASS TIME
9:00AM Sundays

951 Ralph D. Abernathy Blvd—
Mass is outdoors. Bundle up!
Masks required.

Live Stream
bit.ly/sapatlantayoutube

Parish Mission. Guided & inspired by the Holy Spirit, we seek to be a beacon of hope in the wider community by sharing our unique cultural & spiritual experiences & spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ to all. As a Church Family, we strive to collectively & individually share the responsibility of continuing the mission of Jesus Christ to heal, reconcile, & serve.

Remember in Prayer

Father of goodness & love, hear our prayers for the sick & housebound members of our community & 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	Carla Neal-Haley	Belinda Pederoso
Edith C. Bentley	Emanuel Harris* & Family	Sabrina Polote
Ingrid Berry	Maurice & Domonica Hilt	Natalie Miles Reed
Catherine Binns	Eartha L. Jackson	Kathryn Rivers
Tahlia Bostic	Alvin Johnson	Louise Robinson
Mmgr. Ed Branch	Everett Johnson	Dorothy Romney & Family
Marzine Bristow Sr.	Shirley R. Kelley	Taralyn Ruff
Emarie Browning	Simeon Kelley	Sheila Russel
Agnes Carter	Len & Julie Lacour	Jacqueline Simpson
Charles D. Carter	Eunice Lecounte	Larry Stewart
Diane Dalton	Michael Malcolm	Destiny Strider
Gloria Edwards	Merrine McDonald	Pauline Washington
Linnie Francis	Romaine Miller	Teresa Williams
John & Patricia Guice	Mildred Morrison	
Journee A. Guice		
Easton Hairston		

Mass Intentions

Nov 7 9:00 AM: The People of the Parish

Nov 14 9:00 AM: The People of the Parish

The Pope's November Prayer Intention

Let us pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

Archdiocesan Announcements

25th Eucharistic Congress **Oct 15 E-Blast**
Black Catholic Ministry. **Connected Newsletter**
Faith in Formation. **Oct 12 Newsletter**
Fortunate & Faithful Families. LGBTQ+ **Info here**
HOLA: Hispanas y Latinas. **Boletín de set 2021**
Justice & Peace Ministries. **Oct 26 Newsletter**
Marriage Today. **Sept Newsletter**
Respect Life. **Nov Newsletter**
Youth Ministry. **Oct 13 Newsletter**

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

CRS Zoom Info Session. Learn more about CRS & how you can get involved. Mon. Nov 15th 7 PM.

World AIDS Day Prayer Service. Wed. Dec 1st. 7 PM @ Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church. Fr. Desmond Drummer presiding. Reception to follow.

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

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

Stewardship of Treasure

Thank you for sharing your gifts from God.

October 31

Offertory	\$4,746.43
Capital Campaign	\$3,300.78

Annual Appeal 2021—COMPLETED

Thanks to you we have completed our Parish goal & rebate goal for this year's annual appeal! 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

11/07—Archdiocesan Seminarians. Supports the training & formation of our 46 seminarians as they study, discern, & prepare to become future priests of our Archdiocese.

11/14—Capital Campaign. Construction is in the final stages of 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.

Other Information

Online Giving. While Parish activity is limited due to construction, the church has the same operational expenses. Contribute securely to Offertory, Capital Campaign, & 2nd Collections online at bit.ly/stanthonyonlinegiving.



Workplace Giving. If your employer offers charitable giving opportunities, consider a gift to St. Anthony of Padua! Some companies offer payroll giving, matched giving, peer matching, grants, & more. Let the office know if the church needs to register on your work's non-profit giving platform.

Amazon Smile. Instead of shopping at Amazon.com; make the switch to **smile**.

Amazon.com. Select St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, Atlanta Inc as your charity of choice. The parish will get 0.5% of eligible purchase price as a donation at no extra cost to you!

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. Contact Juliet Greco (jgreco@cfnga.org) at the **Catholic Foundation**. 404-497-9440

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

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



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E-newsletter sign up

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.

Submit Your Ideas to Re-Name Parish Hall

The Parish Hall needs a name. Please submit your ideas to Fr. Vic. Consider the history of the Parish, our Parish Mission, or the general purpose of the gathering space.

JAG CCW Nominations Now Open

All women of the Parish are members of the CCW and are encouraged to run for several open offices or send in nominations. Through your efforts, we will continue our strong, active, & successful CCW at St. Anthony of Padua.

- President-Elect; Secretary; & Treasurer
- Officers serve 2 year terms.
- Submit by November 22nd.
- During the Nov. 9th meeting, nominations will also be taken.

To learn more about CCW or send nominations, speak with Darlene Cooper darcoop96@gmail.com

Black Catholic History T-Shirt Sale

The Jr. Daughters of KPCLA T-Shirt Sale Fundraiser

During the month of November, celebrate Black Catholic History with the Jr. Daughters of KPCLA by purchasing a t-shirt featuring several Black Catholic heroes. If you don't want a shirt, you can simply make a donation of support.

stanthonyatlanta.org/black-catholic-history-month/



Live the Liturgy

It all really boils down to a matter of the heart, and actions do speak louder than words. We cannot hide from the truth. A problem with religion is that it is possible for someone to make everything appear to be right when actually it is not. We can say all of the right prayers, perform all of the proscribed rituals, claim that we adhere to orthodox doctrines and still lead a distorted, empty and sometimes pitiful life. Only actions springing from true and deep sacrifice demonstrate true integrity. Without sacrifice, even the noblest looking actions can amount to nothing. It is no wonder, then, that the widow who contributed from her poverty received great admiration from Jesus. While it may not always appear to be the case, God has a special care and regard for those who depend upon him in times of trouble and want. Only the person who is truly poor is the only one who can see this. Because of a lack of trust, the one who has much is afraid to take a risk and sees only what they possess as their only security.

Nov 7th: Catechesis for Students & Parents

Kids & parents have class Sunday, November 7th.

Nov 7th: Rosary Prayer Session Today

KPC will lead the Rosary today Nov. 7th at 12 pm. Zoom call in # is 530-881-1212 PW: 317 501 009. All welcome!

Centering Prayer Groups

Do you seek a more intimate relationship with God? Wed 6:30 PM & Sat 9:30 AM. We find healing, light & love together praying in the ancient tradition. Contact [Leslie Geer here](#), for the Zoom link info. Learn more about [Centering Prayer](#), All are welcome

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.

Family Fall Halloween Festival Highlights



Weekly Readings

Sunday:	1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44
Monday:	Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10 [24b]/Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday:	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [5]/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22
Wednesday:	Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7 [8a]/Lk 17:11-19
Thursday:	Wis 7:22b—8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175 [89a]/Lk 17:20-25
Friday:	Wis 13:1-9/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab [2a]/Lk 17:26-37
Saturday:	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43 [5a]/Lk 18:1-8

Youth Art Contest—Grades 7 to 12

“Builders of Peace in Our Communities.”
Judged on art creativity & essay answer. Local & National Prizes in each grade up to \$500.00 with a matching grant to the Catholic Campaign for Human Development.
Deadline: Tues, Feb 1st.
Rules & participation info available at bit.ly/3vEdOob.

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 15th

Today the world seems full of “bad news” stories that tell of people expressing hatred, violence, discrimination & 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 & explain how it reflects the “good news” message of Jesus.

Advertisements for Sunday Bulletin

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

Support St. Anthony with your ad!

Small business owners

Professionals

Healthcare providers

CPAs, Lawyers

Service providers

Contractors

Artists

Content Creators

Ministries/

Organizations

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



November is a month of remembrance and community as we recall our beloved dead.

It has been a parish custom to display photos of our fathers and mothers, sons and daughters, all those we have loved and who have loved us.

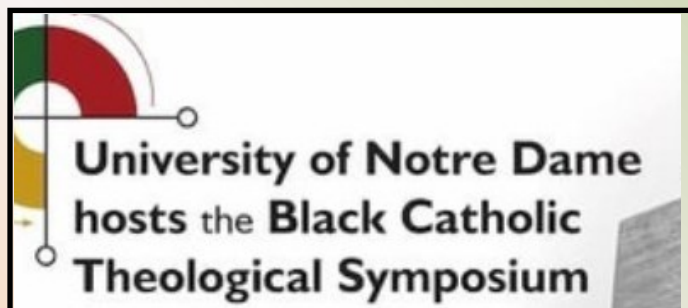
We'd like to honor them still with a digital wall of remembrance.

If you have a photo of your loved one that you'd like to see on an online display, please:

- 1) Email a photo of your loved one
- 2) Include the name of your loved one
- 3) A short description of your loved one, how they shaped your life, a brief memorial, what you'd like people to know.

Email submission to:

stanthonycommunications@gmail.com



Watch Pre-Recorded Public Lectures from the Symposium

#BlackLivesMatter as Public Theology
M. Shawn Copeland, Professor Emerita of Theology, Boston College

The Catholic Church & the Racial Divide in the United States

Edward K. Braxton, Ph.D., S.T.D.,
Bishop Emeritus of Belleville, Illinois