



St. Anthony of Padua CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mon—Thurs

10AM to 4PM



2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER

Jesus said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." - Jn 20:27

In-person Mass

9:00AM Sundays

Live Stream Link:

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, & departed 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. AMEN.

Christine Belcher	Maurice & Domonica Hilt	Taralyn Ruff
Edith C. Bentley	Eartha L. Jackson	Sheila Russel
Ingrid Berry	Alvin Johnson	Jacqueline Simpson
Catherine Binns	Everett Johnson	Destiny Strider
Tahlia Bostic	Shirley R. Kelley	Pauline Washington
Msgr. Ed Branch	Simeon Kelley	Margaret Wilkerson
Marzine Bristow Sr.	Len & Julie Lacour	Teresa Williams
Emarie Browning	Eunice Lecount	Sidney Barnett*,
Agnes Carter	Michael Malcolm	husband of Jeanette
Charles D. Carter	Merrine McDonald	Barnett.
Diane Dalton	Romaine Miller	
Gloria Edwards	Mildred Morrison	
Linnie Francis	Belinda Pederoso	
John & Patricia Guice	Sabrina Polote	
Journee A. Guice	Natalie Miles Reed	
Easton Hairston	Kathryn Rivers	
Carla Neal-Haley	Louise Robinson	
Melba Hill-Paschal		

Mass Intentions

Apr 24: 9 AM: The People of the Parish
May 1: 9 AM: The People of the Parish

The Pope's April Prayer Intention

We pray for health care workers who serve the sick and the elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments and local communities

Archdiocesan Announcements

Black Catholic Ministry. [Connected Newsletter](#)
Eucharistic Congress.. [Apr Newsletter](#)
Evangelization & Discipleship. [Apr Newsletter](#)
Faith in Formation. [Jan Newsletter](#)
Fortunate & Faithful Families. LGBTQ+ [Info here](#)
Justice & Peace Ministries. [Apr Newsletter](#)
Marriage Today. [Jan Newsletter](#)
Respect Life. [Apr Newsletter](#)
Youth Ministry. [Dec Newsletter](#)
Aquinas Center. 5/5 Catholic-Orthodox Initiative
Neighbor Community Event w IHM & the Greek
Orthodox Cathedral of the Annunciation
Building Your Marriage Before It Starts Workshop. Two
dates to choose from: 8/27; 10/29. Contact Kelly
Angelo at 404-252-4513 ext 221.
High schoolers & Young Adults wanted for quarterly
features & e-newsletters to The Georgia Bulletin.
Contact Sam Smith ssmith@georgiabulletin.org.
St. Thomas Aquinas [free video series](#) explaining the
deeper meaning of Mass & its components. A great
refresher for Catholics & teaching aid for RCIA.
Synod 2021 2023 Survey. The Archdiocese has created a
survey to get information from everyone about what
'journeying together' means. It asks questions about
your experience as a Catholic & your hopes for how
the Church can improve.
Safe Environment. Local & national resources to help
keep our parishes, schools, homes, & communities
safe. 24-hr hotline: 888-437-076.

Stewardship of Treasure

Thank you for sharing your gifts from God.

	April 10	April 17
Offertory	\$4837	\$8840
Capital Campaign	\$4370	\$1615
Annual Appeal 2022	\$1719	\$1685

Upcoming 2nd Collections.

4/24: Catholic Home Mission—Helps dioceses in the U. S., its territories, & former territories without outside help to provide basic pastoral services (Mass, sacraments, religious training, ministry training). 40% of dioceses in the U. S. & territories are "Home Mission Dioceses."

5/1 —Capital Campaign. Church renovations are wrapping up. Your donation will support the beautification & preservation of St. Anthony of Padua Parish as a worship & gathering space for generations to come.

Other Information

Online Giving. Contribute securely to Offertory, Capital Campaign, & 2nd Collections online at bit.ly/stanthonyonlinegiving. The online giving system was upgraded.



recently Please be aware that you may need to create a new account. Try resetting your password first. The upgraded system now allows for gifts to multiple funds in a single transaction & the ability to use Google pay. More benefits of the new system will be communicated in the coming months.

Workplace Giving. If your employer offers charitable giving opportunities, consider a gift to the parish. Some companies offer payroll giving, matched giving, peer matching, grants, & more. Let the office know if the church needs to register for you to participate.

Amazon Smile. Instead of shopping at Amazon.com; make the switch to Smile! Select St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, Atlanta Inc as your charity of choice. The parish gets 0.5% of eligible purchase price as a donation from [Amazon Smile](#).

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.



Parish Announcements

Catechesis

In person Religious Education classes will next meet Sunday 5/1, 10:15am at the Lyke Center. First Communion will be held Sun 5/22.

CCW

Women's Day will be celebrated 5/8. Please join us at 9:00am Mass. Wear white with a hint of yellow. Special guest speaker, Sister Patsy Guyton, will share a talk titled, "We've Come this Far by Faith." Advance donations appreciated, please give to D. Jean Brannan. Women's Day choir rehearsal is Wed 4/27 & Wed 5/4 at 7:30pm.

Centering Prayer

Wed 6:15 PM Zoom gathering led by Tonju Francois & Sat 9:30 AM Zoom gathering led by Leslie Geer. Find healing, light & love together praying in the ancient tradition. Learn more about Centering Prayer,

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

The parish members of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. are accepting applications for this year's college-bound, high-school senior scholarship. Applications are on the parish website or from Ms. McCord-Estes at armcestes@bellsouth.net. Deadline 5/1.

Health Ministry

Order 5 free testing kits to be shipped to your household at covidtests.gov. As of 1/15 insurance companies are required to reimburse

you for up to 8 at-home tests per month.

Homeless Ministry

Help make plastic sleeping mats out of grocery bags. Collect bags to make "plarn" (plastic yarn balls). Google "how to make plarn" to find youtube tutorials. If you crochet or knit your skills are also welcome. Contact [Angela Linton](#).

KPC/KPCLA

Support the National Scholarship Program by entering the [online raffles](#) for cash prizes. Include "Court 276" on your raffle form. kofpc.org/raffle Drawings held 7/18.

Rosary Prayer

Join in praying the Rosary Sunday 5/1 at noon. Call-in phone#: 530-881-1212. Passcode: 317 501 009. Led by KPC/KPCLA. All are welcome!

Share Special Days

If you have an upcoming Birthday, Anniversary, milestone, or cause for celebration please share with the Parish during announcements. You can also email the Office with your special news.

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst. (Jn 20:19)

Restorative Justice in the Legal System Webinar 5/12

The Justice & Peace Ministries & Georgia Catholics Against the Death Penalty invite you to join us on Thursday, 5/12, at 12:30 p.m. for Restorative Justice in the Criminal Legal System. This lunch hour webinar will look at Catholic social doctrine & restorative justice, as well as the impact restorative approaches can have in our criminal legal system. We are pleased to welcome our speakers, Caitlin Morneau, director of Restorative Justice for Catholic Mobilizing Network, & Dr. Elizabeth Beck, professor in the School of Social Work at Georgia State University's Andrew Young School of Policy Studies. Registration: <http://tiny.cc/rjaoa>. Questions or info: Jayna Hoffacker, jhoffacker@archatl.com.

St. Bernadette Relic Tour 5/1—5/4

Holy Spirit Catholic Church (Atlanta). 5/1 8pm Candlelight procession. 5/3 6pm Mass with anointing of the sick with Bishop Konzen. For veneration times & other info: www.hsccatl.com/lourdes

Laudato Si' Green Mass 5/17

The Archdiocese continues the synodal process by celebrating the work to care for creation & come together to understand the ways in which we can answer the cry of the earth & the cry of the poor. Come together for Mass 5/17 6pm at St. John Neumann Catholic Church (Lilburn). Bishop Konzen will celebrate. Reception following.

50/60 Marriage Anniversary Mass

The Archdiocese of Atlanta would like to honor couples married in 1972 & 1962 with an invitation to a Golden/Diamond Wedding Anniversary Mass on Saturday, August 13, at noon at Saint Brigid Catholic Church. A light reception will follow the Mass for the anniversary couples & their families. Space is limited. RSVP at <http://tiny.cc/anniversarymass> & for additional info.



Calendar

Sun 24	9:00am	Mass	Church
Wed 27	9:30am	Centering Prayer	Zoom
	7:30pm	Women's Day Choir Rehearsal	Church
Sat 30	9:30am	Centering Prayer	Zoom



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Bulletin deadline Tues noon.
Mass Announcement deadline Thurs noon.

Ministry Schedule:

April 24, 9 AM

May 1, 9 AM

Lectors	Carla Wiley Assumpta Odiegwu	Michael Malcolm Cozette Lewis-Robison
Commentator	Christine Belcher	Valencya Tucker
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		
Altar Servers		
Hospitality	George Gilbert Patricia Rivers-Gilbert Rose Tynes Johnson Barbara Naylor-Hill	Sylvia Clark Roseline Omosola Theresa Stanford Irma Griffith-Steele
Parish Security		

View the extended schedule & manage your ministry preferences online at www.rotundasoftware.com/ministry/stanthonyatlanta or download "Ministry Scheduler Pro" App (Organization ID: stanthonyatlanta)
Ministers arrive for Mass 15+ minutes early.



*It is time to turn in
your rice bowls*

Please turn in your family's rice bowl as soon as possible. Remember to write your name or envelope number on all boxes, envelopes, & checks. Or, for your convenience, you may also donate using the Parish Online Giving system.

St. Anthony's has a long history of great participation in the CRS Rice Bowl Program! As of Easter, this year's almsgiving totals \$1,100.00.

Here are some additional resources from CRS to continue reflection, prayer, & involvement with global issues beyond the season of Lent.

www.crs.org/get-involved/resource-center

10 minute online prayer retreat for hunger.

10 minute online prayer retreat for the migration crisis

Catholic Social Teaching 7-Video Series

Get involved in public policy, advocacy, and more

