



St. Anthony of Padua CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mon—Thurs

10AM to 4PM



7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

WITNESS

Jesus prayed saying: "Holy Father, I pray not only for them, but also for those who will believe in me through their word." - Jn 17:20

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.

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

Mass Intentions

May 29: 9 AM: The People of the Parish

June: 5 9 AM: The People of the Parish

The Pope's May Prayer Intention

We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.

Archdiocesan Announcements

Black Catholic Ministry. [Connected Newsletter](#)
Eucharistic Congress Jun 17-18. [Apr Newsletter](#)
Evangelization & Discipleship. [Apr Newsletter](#)
Faith in Formation. [Jan Newsletter](#)
Fortunate & Faithful Families. LGBTQ+ [Info here](#)
Justice & Peace Ministries. [May Newsletter](#)
Marriage Today. [Jan Newsletter](#)
Respect Life. [Apr Newsletter](#)
Youth Ministry. [Dec Newsletter](#)

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.

Rising 10th – graduated seniors. Quo Vadis 2-day retreat for young men to learn about vocational opportunities. calledbychrist.com/events/quo-vadis-retreat-for-high-school-men/ \$30. Scholarships available.

Ignatius House 1-night Retreat for Black Women. May 28-29. bit.ly/3LFaDnvForBlackWomenInSearchof

St. Thomas More Marriage Retreat. Tues 7/12-26 7:30-9pm (via zoom) & Tues Aug 2 6-8pm at St. Thomas More (Decatur). \$50/couple. Register at bit.ly/IgnatianMarriage. View [promotional flyer](#).

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.

May 15

Offertory \$12751

Capital Campaign \$4556

We're finished with the AAA for 2022.

Please adjust your charitable giving to the Offertory or Capital Campaign.

Upcoming 2nd Collections.

5/29 – Catholic Communications. Helps bring the Church's social teaching to life through engaging internet, TV, radio, & print media. Half of this collection stays in our Archdiocese to support local communication efforts.

6/5; 6/12; 6/19 – 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

First Communion was last Sunday Please extend your blessings for our three new 1st Communicants. Welcome to the Table of the Lord Emory Brewer, Tess Brice, & Xavier Willard -Jelks.

Council of Catholic Women (CCW)

Thank you to all the women of St. Anthony for your donations for Women's Day. You contributed close to \$2000. After expenses, excess donations of nearly \$500 were deposited CCW's account for future events. Thank you for making Women's Day 2022 a joyful & memorable celebration for our faith family.

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 Members of St. Anthony

The deadline is extended for the Valjeane T. Grigsby Scholarship application deadline to Sunday, 6/4. Email completed applications, including all requested attachments, to Alicia McCord-Estes at armcestes@bellsuth.net.

"That they may be brought to perfection as one, that the world may know that you sent me, and that you loved them even as you loved me."
John 14:26)

Health Ministry

Save the date 6/14 for Kayla Cooper's online presentation on Healthy Aging. Login details will be shared when available.

Order a new round of 8 free testing kits for your household at covidtests.gov.

Homeless Ministry

It is time to restock the lunch program pantry. Thank you for your continued support & overwhelming generosity. Help restock for next month by dropping off individually packaged items at Mass or arrange drop-off at office or Lyke Center. Chips, crackers, fruit cups, pull-top canned meat/fish, pudding, single serve cereal, Ziploc sandwich bags, Ziploc gallon bags, water, jelly packs, peanut butter, applesauce, granola bars, shelf milk, water, & juice boxes.

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 6/5 at 8:30am in person; 6pm via conference call. 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.

Each one of us has a responsibility to address the root causes of this kind of evil. Our only path forward is through love, mercy, and deeper respect for God's gift of human life.

May the Prince of Peace guide us as we work together to end gun violence. (TX



*Ruth Whitfield, 86 Aaron Salter, 55
Pearl Young, 77 Heyward Patterson, 67
Katherine Massey, 72 Margus Morrison, 52
Celestine Chaney, 65 Andre Mackneil, 53
Geraldine Talley, 62 Roberta Drury, 32*

Calendar

Sun 29	9:00am	Mass	Church
Wed	9:30am	Centering Prayer	Zoom
Sat 28	9:30am	Centering Prayer	Zoom



Happy Memorial Day

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Ministry Schedule:

	May 29th 9 AM	June 5th 9 AM
<i>Lectors</i>	Adrienne Morrison George Gilbert	Annmarie Gilbert Whitney Farley
<i>Commentator</i>	Christy Beal	Cozette Lewis Robinson
<i>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</i>		
<i>Altar Servers</i>		
<i>Hospitality</i>	Sylvia Clark Patricia Rivers-Gilbert Patricia Guice Barbara Naylor-Hill	Sylvia Clark John Guice Charlie Stanford Sylvia Clark
<i>Parish Security</i>		

View the extended schedule & manage your ministry preferences online at
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The Sanctuary Course

How can a church become a sanctuary—a place where individuals living with mental health challenges feel safe, supported, & a sense of belonging? *The Sanctuary Course for Catholics* was created to inspire & equip communities of faith that are asking this important question. Developed in consultation with mental health professionals, theologians, & people with lived experience, this 8-session study guide for small groups of adults (17+) explores key mental health topics & examines meaningful ways to offer companionship, support recovery, promote wellbeing.

- People with questions about mental health
- Mental health professionals with a wealth of knowledge to share
- Leaders who want to engage their community in mental health conversations
- People supporting loved ones with mental health problems
- People living with mental health problems

The Sanctuary Course for Catholics is for anyone who wants to learn about mental health. It requires no previous training or expertise—just a willingness to engage in dialogue with other believers.

You can find more info & resources online at
<https://portal.sanctuarymentalhealth.org/>