

Sundays-Rosary: 8:30 am Ordinary Form of the Roman Rite Mass at 9:00

Wednesday Mass: 8:00am Rosary: 7:30am Confession Before all Masses

The Food Pantry & Clothes Closet are open Mon, Wed. & Fri. 10:00-12:00 for residents of the 35212 zip code; registration is required.

Bringing Jesus Christ to Gate City, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, since 1889 and with the help of the Salesians from 1955-2014

12/15/19 The Third Sunday of Advent

Our Prayers Go Out

For the sick especially: James Henry, Alexander, Katherine, Carol, David Harris, Mary Pat, Alex, Elfrida, Marshall, Helen, Katie, Wyatt, Kathy, Edna & Sheila For the repose of the souls of those who died this week especially: Fr. Frank Milienewicz For Romel who still need God's help.

Contact Mike at 266-3065 or mhfgeerts@gmail.com with anything for the bulletin.



There is an unclaimed Advent frame and candles and "Keep Christ in Christmas Magnet" from the Knights See Mike to claim prizes. Another magnet will be given away each week.

Today, Next Door After Mass We'll Cover Lk.23:26-56, Lessons 26 & 27 in the Youth Center Topic discussions now begin as soon as possible after Mass. Discussions will evolve around questions like: What do Hosea 9&10 and Psalm 31 have to do with these reading in Luke? **The Confraternity of Christian Mothers meet once a month (3rd Monday) at St. Paul**. We have a Holy Hour with Confessions at 6 PM, Mass offered for members and their family at 7 PM, and a meeting to follow. The purpose of the CCM is to help Catholic mothers, including Spiritual Mothers, to joyfully and hopefully undertake the important task of training and sanctifying the souls entrusted to their care.



12/19 Knights of Columbus Monthly Meeting 7PM in the St Paul CLC
12/25 Mass Holy Rosary Christmas Day Mass 9AM
1/1 Holy Rosary Mass 10:30 for the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God
1/11 Martin Luther King Prayer Breakfast 10:00 AM at St Paul Cathedral (SBOC)
Fr Michael Anthony Bozeman a revivalist preacher from New Orleans will present and the

Diocesan Gospel choir will sing. Tickets at \$20 call (205) 838-8313 1/18 Mass for Life at St Paul with A Rally and March for Life Brother Bryan Park (SBOC)

The Bishop will say Mass is at 9:00. The rally begins at 10:45 at 22nd St So & 10th Ave So



Angel Tree For Children in Our Programs Ages 6-13. Presents Needed By Tues 12/17 Coach will get things organized on the 17th and gifts will begin doing out on Wed 12/18. The Food Pantry is open Mon & Wed from 10-12 if there is a last minute emergency delivery. We are being asked that gifts be wrapped or in gift bags and be labeled with age, gender and type of present (You can tape your angel to the package if you wish.) There are multiple children in each age group so multiple gifts are welcomed.



Additional Thoughts from Saint Teresa of Calcutta:

"Am I convinced of God's love for me and mine for Him? This conviction is like sunlight which makes the sap of life rise and the buds of sanctity bloom. This conviction is the rock on which sanctity is built."

Father Tony is well and still feisty on the phone. There is an open letter to the parish on the bulletin board from Sister Rita (SBOC)

12/22/19 The Fourth Sunday of Advent			
Next Sunday's Scripture Readings			
1st Reading: Is. 7:10-14 2nd Reading: Rom. 1:1-7		Responsorial: Ps. 24 Gospel: Mt. 1:18-24	
Lector's Schedule		Special Eucharistic Ministers	
1.) John Houser	2) Kay Kornmeier	Michael Yester & John McPherson	

GENERAL PARISH INFORMATION

Baptisms Contact Father Jon to make arrangements as soon after birth as possible. Weddings Contact Father Jon at least six months in advance, to begin preparations. Anointing of the Sick For those who begin to be in danger of death due to serious illness and/or old age - discuss the situation with Father Jon.

PARISH GROUPS AND CONTACTS **Volunteers Are Always Needed**

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Learning Center-	Sister Mary Robert 837-5117
Holy Rosary Youth Soccer-	Coach Harri Haikala 492-4245
Youth Program-	Coach Murphy 835-7769
Food Pantry-	Your Name and Number Here
Clothes Closet-	Delores Jackson 527-6988
Knights of Columbus -	Mike Geerts 508-3070

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