



Holy Rosary Catholic Church

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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



9/15/19 The Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Prayers Go Out

For the sick especially: Alex after a bad wreck who has many surgeries & a lot of rehab to come, Willie Mae Moore, Donna Falletta Coates as her health issues continue, Officer Stafford, Elfrida, Marshall, Helen, Katie, Wyatt, Edna and Sheila

For all our September birthdays: Dan and his lordship whose name shall not appear twice

The repose of the soul of Anthony Timpa

For Romel who still need God's help.

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



After Mass Discussions:

Tee- Shirts -Will We Sell Them? (SBOC)

100 tees at \$12.25/each size XXL is plus \$1.50/each and sizes 3X are plus \$3/each.

Discussion needs to resolve base color, text front and back and design approval

Luke - We Will Cover Lessons 6, 7 & 8 In the Youth Center **Next Week 9, 10 & 11**

Books are made available to those who will attend so they can prepare.

9/16 Confraternity of Christian Mothers at St Paul Beginning with Holy Hour at 6PM

The evening continues 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. We have speakers at some of the meetings to help with this goal and we have time to share and build friendships. They meet on the 3rd Monday. We have a ceremony to admit new members at least once a year. This year Oct 21 will be an opportunity to welcome new members.

9/21 Theology of the Body Retreat for adults 18-35, at The Shrine in Hanceville (SBOC)

8:30AM-5PM cost \$10 which includes a lunch and great speakers. BHM.CATHOLIC.COM/TOB

9/26 Come Celebrate & Honor Bishop Baker at this Fishers of Men Dinner (SBOC)

The Keynote will be delivered by Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers at this fundraiser for Guadalupe Radio at Rosewood Hall in SoHo Catered by G. Sarris. A reminded was sent that there are still \$100 individual seats available if you are not at a table. For info call John (205) 209-2110.

9/27 Prayer Vigil for Migrants and Refugees on September 27 at St Paul Cathedral (SBOC)

7PM Mass them: Adoration /Rosary/ Divine Mercy Chaplet & Reconciliation ending at midnight

9/27 Saint George Middle Eastern Food Festival 10:30AM-9PM Each Day through 9/29 (SBOC)

Benefited charities include: Three Hots and A Cot, Pathways of Birmingham, Habitat for Humanity and parish programs to feed the homeless, prepare hot meals for women in shelters, provide diapers and paper products to local charities, and sponsor a Christmas "Angel Tree".



Saint George Middle Eastern Food Festival Fliers include food offerings, prices, details for ordering, pick-up & delivery of large food orders. Activities include: Church tours until 8:00 PM; Live Entertainment Fri evening, Sat afternoon & evening; shopping for handmade crafts, Byzantine icons, olive wood artifacts from the Holy Land, and a church cookbook.

10-14 & 10-5 Gifts of The Holy Spirit Workshop at OLS (SBOC)

"*Holy Spirit 101*" a curriculum on how to apply the Gifts of the Spirit will be taught Fri 6-8:30 pm and Sat 8:00 am- 8:30 pm. Call (205) 994-0700 or go to: www.ariseworshipministry.com/ols

10/6 Rosary for Life and Vocations 3PM at the Shrine in Hanceville

Additional Thoughts from of Saint Teresa of Calcutta:

"To know the problems of poverty intellectually is not to understand it. It is not by reading, taking a walk in the slums, admiring and regretting that we come to understand it and to discover what it has of bad and good. We have to dive into it, live it, share it."

Mon. 9/16 Memorial of Saints Cornelius and Cyprian

These two were good and loyal friends. St Cyprian was born a wealthy pagan and did not convert until he was in his 50's. He wrote of the unity of the Church and the responsibilities of Bishops. He avoided martyrdom, but accepted it when the time came. St. Pope Cornelius was an early Pope. Afraid of schism, he had a synod to be sure the Bishops confirmed him the pope so there would be no confusion. He also stopped arguments regarding people returning to the Church after heresy by stating they would be welcomed back and required to do penance.

Fri. 9/20 Memorial of Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Paul Chŏng Ha-sang, & Companions

In the mid to late 1800's, there are records on nearly 100 of Catholics who were tortured and martyred by the government in Korea for practicing the Catholic faith.

Sat. 9/121 Feast of Saint Matthew

This day is to venerate a normal person, who answered the call of God to leave his old life, follow Christ wherever He took him and then left us an account of Christ's teaching- "go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you."

9/22/19 The Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Next Sunday's Scripture Readings

1st Reading: Am. 8:4-7

Responsorial: Ps. 11

2nd Reading: 1 Tim. 2:1-8

Gospel: Lk. 16:1-13

Lector's Schedule

1.) Kay Kornmeier

2) **Kenneth Sutton**

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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Announcements

Wednesday at St Barnabas, The Family Education Series Topic is Reconciliation

Adoration 5:45-6 Meal 6-6:30 Topic 6:30-8

Next Weekends Will Be The Formal Catholic Charities Drive Sunday.

You are invited to bring your pledge card or fill one out in the pews and place it in the collection basket. These monies are used under the bishop's direction for everything from educating seminarians, to supporting peoples basic needs regardless of race creed or religion.

40 Days for Life Kick-off Prayer Vigil- Tuesday 6:30PM on 9/24 (SBOC)

This vigil will occur at the Planned Parenthood Site just off Highlands Ave.

Go on line for details & to sign up to be present during the 40 Days for Life beginning 9/25

9/26 at 7PM Scott Hann Will Speak at Samford's Wright Center

This is a free event for those interested in his take on the root cause of society's ills.

All Are Invited to The Holy Rosary Anniversary Tee Shirt Discussion After Mass

Consensus reached:

Use a sky blue or similar shirt, if it will work well at the discretion of the manufacturer.

Replace the Holy Spirit Crucifix and a representation of Mary at the "intersection"

(possibly like the center of our logo or some other silhouette of Mary)

Delete silhouettes of Apostolate workers

Delete "Gate City" and replace with "Since 1889"

Reorder and reword Apostolate list on the back of the shirt to:

Food Pantry

Clothing Closet

St. E.A.S. Learning Center

Youth Soccer

Community Programs

