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Permanent Deacons
Deacon Evelio Garcia-Carreras
Deacon Michael Mobley
Deacon Rick Kaszycki

Sunday Mass Schedule
Saturday— 5 p.m. Vigil
Sunday— 8:30 a.m. and
11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses
Mon—Sat* 9:00 a.m.
(Rosary after Mass)
***Thurs 9 a.m. Communion Service**

Confessions
Saturdays
9:30 - 10:30 a.m.
or by appointment.

Office Hours:
Monday through Thursday
9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Friday
9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

(Closed daily for lunch
from 1-2 p.m.)

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 4, 2018

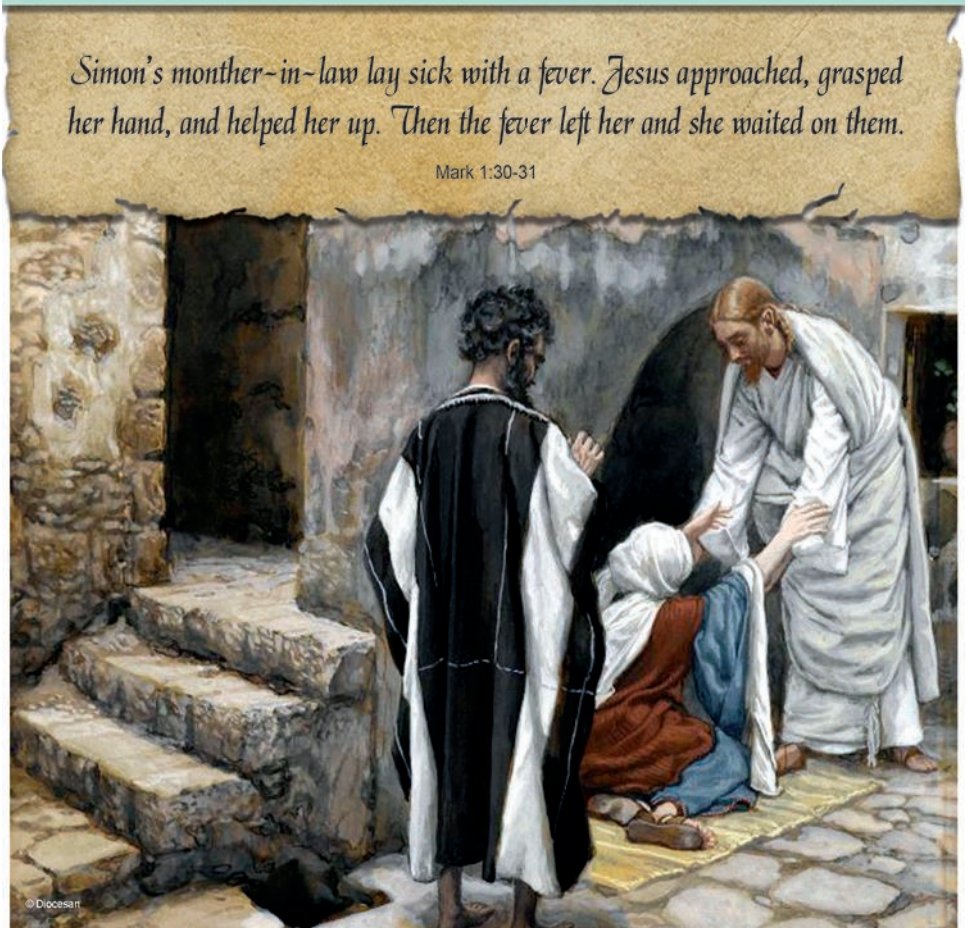
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**SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY
TIME**

The Cure of Simon's Mother-in-law

Simon's mother-in-law lay sick with a fever. Jesus approached, grasped her hand, and helped her up. Then the fever left her and she waited on them.

Mark 1:30-31



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We the people of God of St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church, united in One Lord, One Faith and One Baptism celebrate and are nourished and sustained by Jesus in the Holy Eucharist and in His Holy word. Brought together by Jesus and empowered by the Holy Spirit we fulfill His command to go into the whole world and proclaim the good news of salvation by sharing our faith through Prayer, Evangelization, and acts of Charity.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, February 4, 2018
8:30 a.m. The People of the Parish (L)
11:00 a.m. Ruth Evans ✠

Monday, February 5, 2018
9:00 a.m. Rebecca Gilden (L)

Tuesday, February 6, 2018
9:00 a.m. John Cotoro ✠

Wednesday, February 7, 2018
9:00 a.m. Benjamin and Veronica Wozniak (L)

Thursday, February 8, 2018
9:00 a.m. **Communion Service**

Friday, February 9, 2018
9:00 a.m. Tomy and Princely Mathew (L)

Saturday, February 10, 2018
9:00 a.m. Harold and Charlotte Mauldin ✠
5:00 p.m. Earl Benner Hitchcock ✠

Sunday, February 11, 2018
8:30 a.m. Rev. William Seli ✠
11:00 a.m. The People of the Parish (L)



Prayer Intention of Pope Francis
Say "No" to Corruption. That those who have material, political or spiritual power may resist any lure of corruption.



The Altar Flowers were donated by
Anna Johnson in loving memory of her father,
William Kowalczyk

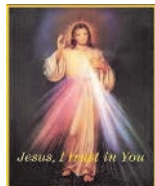
Eucharistic



Adoration

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Tuesday from 9:30am to 7:00pm
Evening Prayer at 4:30pm
and Benediction at 6:45pm



DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS

Every Friday at 3:00pm
also the 2nd Sunday of each month after
the 8:30am Mass, Divine Mercy Chaplet.
All are welcome.



FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

Join us the first Saturday of each month
following the 9:00am Mass

Bulletin Announcements and Room Reservations
Please submit in writing to secretary@sstmcc.org.

Readings for the Week of February 4, 2018

Sunday Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147:1-6; I Cor 9:16-19,22-23; Mk 1:29-39

Monday Saint Agatha, Virgin and Martyr
I Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-7, 8-10; Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday Saint Paul Miki and Companion, Martyrs
I Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3-5 and 10, 11; Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday I Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23

Thursday St. Jerome Emiliani; Saint Josephine Bakhita, Virgin
I Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106: 3-4, 35-37 and 40; Mk 7:24-30

Friday I Kg 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-15; Mk 7:31-37

Saturday Saint Scholastica, Virgin
I Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-22; Mk 8:1-10

Sunday Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11; I Cor 10:31—11:1; Mk 1:40-45



ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2018

Go, therefore, and make disciples.
Matthew 28:19

Serving over 1,000,000 Catholics, the mission of the Archdiocese is to proclaim the Gospel of the Lord, and grow all of North Georgia in faith, hope, love, and service to others.

Together, we are God's hands and feet, sharing God's compassion and mercy, and demonstrating that

"Go, therefore, and make Disciples."

Your gift to the 2018 Archbishop's Annual Appeal helps make it possible by supporting the ministerial, outreach, education, formation and discipleship work of the Archdiocese of Atlanta. Please give prayerful consideration to your level of support to help fund the essential ministries and services supported by the Appeal.



MAGNIFICAT PRAYER BREAKFAST

on Sat., Feb. 17, 2018,
from 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m.

at Holy Cross Church, 3773 Chamblee Tucker Road, Atlanta. The guest speaker will be Geneva Tighe, worship leader and songwriter for Holy Trinity Church,

Peachtree City. Breakfast reservations, required in advance, are \$15. Please mail check, payable to Magnificat Joyful Visitation, by Feb. 11 to:

Debbie DuPont, 315 Rose Court, SW, Lilburn, GA 30047.
For information call Debbie DuPont at 770-696-6216.

FEBRUARY 4, 2018



Offerings

On-line giving is available through our website
www.ststephenthemartyr.info



January 27 & 28, 2018

Offertory \$8,985.12

Online \$2,230.50

\$11,215.62

Second Collection

No Second Collection

Thank you for your continued generosity.

Our weekly budgeted expenses are \$10,297.00

Future Weekend Second Collections

February 4, Debt Reduction

February 11, No Second Collection

February 18, SVdP will be collecting after Masses

February 18, Black and Indian Missions

February 25, LifeTeen/EDGE



Please join Fr. Brian and St. Stephen's Parish

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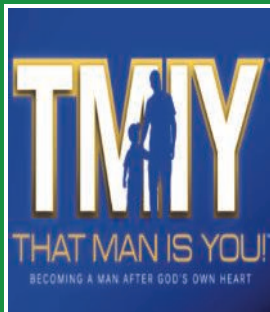
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Forever Young...

Senior Adult Group

Our next meeting is on Friday Feb. 9, 2018. Lunch will be served at noon and will be catered by our members. There is entertainment planned, so please make every effort to come. Our March meeting has been canceled due to the Lenten Fish Fry. New members and new ideas are always welcome.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



THAT MAN IS YOU!
Revelation of the Father
Winter/Spring Session
Meets

Every Saturday Morning
7:30AM-9:00AM

(Breakfast will be served)

January 20-April 21, 2018

(except March 31 and April 7)

Attention Men: Join us Saturday mornings. The great thing about the program is that even if you missed last year, you can still jump into the program and benefit from it. *That Man Is You* is an interactive men's program focused on the development of men in the modern world. It combines the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of authentic men capable of transforming themselves, their families and greater society. www.thatmanisyou.org

Baptism Classes

Parish families who wish to have a child baptized should be registered in the parish before taking the class. Both Parents must attend the Baptism class which is usually held the second Sunday of each month at 12:00 noon in *Our Lady of Fatima* room. Please make arrangements for a babysitter as we do not provide babysitting services. Please contact the Parish Office at 770-381-7488 to register for the class. Parents will need to select Godparents for their child who are active, practicing Catholics.

Baptisms are scheduled only AFTER you have taken the class.

Parents must be active, practicing members of St. Stephen the Martyr for at least three months before scheduling a baptism for their child.



Saint Vincent de Paul Society

If you, or someone you know, are in need of emergency assistance, please contact the SVdP Help Line at 770-381-7488, ext. 251. If you can assist for a couple of hours a month, please come to one of our meetings held the Second Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm. Our next meeting will be Tuesday February 13, 2018 in Our Lady of Fatima Room. We will be collecting donations after all the Masses on February 17 & 18.

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK