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Pray for the repose of the soul of Rev. Mr. Steve Bek (1945 - 2017)

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*November 3, 2024* Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday (8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.) The parish business office is closed on Friday.

You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

### Holy Mass—Baptism—Marriage

<u>Saturday:</u> 4:00 p.m. <u>Sunday:</u> 9:00 a.m., 12 noon, 3:00 p.m. (En Español) <u>Weekday Holy Masses:</u> Our weekday Holy Mass schedule and Reconciliation times are subject to change due to Holy Days of Obligation, Penance Services, etc. With that in mind we ask that you refer to our Parish Calendar, at the end of this Bulletin, via the website, or call for current information.

**<u>Baptism</u>**: Parents who desire to have their child(ren) baptized are asked to attend a preparation class. The date of baptism will be determined once the necessary documentation has been received in the parish office.

<u>Marriage</u>: Marriage is a very important Sacrament. There are requirements for a marriage in the Church. We require six (6) months of preparation time. The wedding date should be determined in the presence of the celebrant. Please call the parish office for additional information.

Note: Weddings are scheduled on Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. or at 12 noon.

Date	Holy M	lass Intentions	Readings	
Saturday November 2 <i>Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	4:00 p.m. All Souls Novena		Deuteronomy 6: 2-6 Psalm 18: 2-4, 47, 51 Hebrews 7: 23-28 Mark 12: 28b-34	
Sunday November 3 <i>Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9:00 a.m. Parishio 12 noon All Souls 3:00 p.m. All Souls		Deuteronomy 6: 2-6 Psalm 18: 2-4, 47, 51 Hebrews 7: 23-28 Mark 12: 28b-34	
Monday November 4 Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop	12 noon All Souls	s Novena	Philippians 2: 1-4 Psalm 131: 1-3 Luke 14: 12-14	
Tuesday November 5	12 noon All Souls	s Novena	Philippians 2: 5-11 Psalm 22: 26-32 Luke 14: 15-24	
Wednesday November 6	6:15 p.m. All Souls Novena		Philippians 2: 12-18 Psalm 27: 1, 4, 13-14 Luke 14: 25-33	
Thursday November 7			Philippians 3: 3-8a Psalm 105: 2-7 Luke 15: 1-10	
Friday November 8			Philippians 3: 17—4:1 Psalm 122: 1-5 Luke 16: 1-8	
Saturday November 9 <i>The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica</i>			Ezekiel 47: 1-2, 8-9, 12 Psalm 46: 2-3, 5-6, 8-9 1 Corinthians 3: 9c-11, 16-17 John 2: 13-22	
Sunday, November 10 Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kings 17: 10-16 Psalm 146: 7-10 Hebrews 9: 24-28 Mark 12: 38-44		The Fatima Prayer O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell, and lead all souls to heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy. Amen.		
Flowers for The Altar Flowers for the Altar were donated in memory of <i>Henry Nygren</i> .				

If you would like to donate flowers for the altar, in honor of or in memory of a loved one, please contact a member of the office staff during business hours, Monday-Thursday. The donation for flowers is \$50.



POPE FRANCIS' NOVEMBER PRAYER INTENTION - FOR THOSE WHO HAVE LOST & CHILD

Let us pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community, and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit of Consolation.





### For all our Dearly Beloved Departed



The names of those who have recently passed from this life to the next will remain on the bulletin necrology for nine weeks. They will then be transferred to the permanent parish necrology, also known as the Book of the Dead. Mass Intentions for loved ones after this time will be printed the week that the Holy Mass is scheduled.

### Lord Jesus, remember especially in loving mercy:

Deputy Brandon Cunningham, Investigator Taylor Bristow, Michael Durkin, Deacon Stephen Ponichtera, Raphael Gonzalez, Kyle Schnoor, Robert Lang, Gene Eckard, Renee Jenkins, Joyce Odum, Rosemary Preston, Werner Pleus, deceased members of St. Vincent de Paul Parish, Errol Trafton,

and all those who have gone before us.



### The Sacrament of Baptism

We are happy to assist with planning your child(ren)'s Baptism.

Parents and Godparents are required to attend an online Baptism preparation class.

Email *kvondebur@svdpatl.com* to register for the class and for the required forms. Please note:

- Baptisms will not be scheduled until parents and Godparents have attended the class and all paperwork has been turned in.
- This includes a St. Vincent de Paul Parish Registration Packet (if the family is not already registered), the Baptism Registration Form and Sponsor Certificates for both Godparents.
- For children who are seven or older, there are additional requirements. Please contact <u>nchisholm@svdpatl.com</u> for details.

### Information on Safe Environment and Reporting Child Abuse

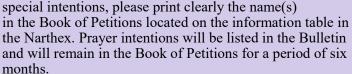
The Archdiocese of Atlanta's 24 hour Abuse Reporting Hotline number is 1-888-437-0764.

Archdiocese of Atlanta's Reporting Abuse webpage: <u>https://archatl.com/offices/child-and-youth-protection/</u> <u>reporting-abuse/</u>.

**The Division of Family and Children Services:** Report child abuse and neglect by phone to 1-855-GA CHILD or 1-855-422-4453, 24 hours/day, 7 days/week.

### IN YOUR PRAYERS

To request prayers for yourself, or for loved ones who are sick, or who have



### Please pray for:

Fr. Adrian Pleus, Fr. Omar Loggiodice, Fr. Selvaraj, Mrs. Werner Pleus, Virginia Loggiodice, Olga S. Torres, Rita Bek, Joni Pfaff, Sister Mary Treasure of Innocence, Marylou Bishop and family, Rochelle and Louis Focaracci and family, Joanne Pastor and family, Lucy and Marty Nicholson and family, Walt Reisinger, the Renee Jenkins family, Dominic Ibe, Scotty Mitchell, Larry Sheets, Jovita Pedraza, Juan Carlos Pedraza, Maximina Gonzalez, Erick Ventura, Hyppolite F. Renous and family, Debbie Crissy, reparation for the Black Mass, John Caulfield,

and all of our family and friends who are ill or in need of prayer, but not listed. We ask the Lord to grant them comfort and healing.

### Creighton Model Fertility Care/Natural Family Planning:

This isn't your parent's old rhythm method! Learn more about your fertility, why the Church promotes Natural Family Planning (NFP), why NFP is 99% effective, and how it can positively impact your marriage (3% divorce rate!) My next Introductory Class is on **Wednesday, November 13, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.** via Zoom.

To register or for more information on future classes, contact Ann Hall at 404-915-1685 or *annlabar@hotmail.com*.

### CATHOLIC ADULT FAITH ENRICHMENT

Join us Sundays, during Religious Education Classes, in St. Gerard Hall, from 10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. for CAFE, (Catholic Adult Faith Enrichment) which includes Catholic news, our Faith, and a refreshment. We would like to invite you to join us to enjoy the captivating beauty of the Catholic Faith as Bishop Barron encompasses the globe in the *Word on Fire Catholicism Series.* In addition, each week we will

have a short discussion on Defending our Faith. Here is a list of the topics for discussion in the coming weeks: **Defending Our Faith...** 

- Nov. 3 St. Benedict of Nursia
- Nov. 10 The Ineffable Mystery of God
- Nov. 17 Flannery O'Conner

### Hats for the Homeless Ministry

We are in need of volunteers to knit, crochet or loom hats and scarves for the homeless, shelters and the pregnancy center. We must gear up now to be ready for the cold weather. If you need instructions, training is provided. All yarn is donated. Looms can be purchased at Hobby Lobby or Michael's. For More information, please call Christine DePerno at (770) 726-9701 and mention "Hat Ministry". Confirmation students in need of service hours may volunteer in this Ministry.



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	Saturday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 1,477.00	118
	Sunday	9:00 a.m.	\$ 1,878.42	252
	Sunday	12:00 noon	\$ 1,299.76	236
	Sunday	3:00 p.m.	\$ 244.00	Not provided
	Mail-In		\$ 1,600.00	
	Online		\$ 1,316.00	
	Total Offertory		\$ 7,815.18	606+
	2nd Coll. World Mission Churches LA, Central & Eastern Europe		\$ 934.00	

Thank you for your generosity!



Archbishops Annual Appeal 2024

St. Vincent de Paul's 2024 Parish Goal: \$32,800.00 Donations Received: \$31,275.16 Amount Over (Under) Goal: (\$1,524.84) Number of Donors:120 Percentage of Goal Received: 95.35% (As of October 24, 2024)

### Consecration of the Election to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Mary Immaculate, living tabernacle of the Divinity, where the eternal Wisdom lies hidden to be adored and served by angels and men, Queen of heaven and of earth, beneath whose sway are subject all things that are lower than God, Patroness of the United States of America, sorrowful and mindful of our own sinfulness and the sins of our nation, we come to Thee, our refuge and hope.

Knowing that our country cannot be saved by our own works and mindful of how much our nation has departed from the ways of Thy Son, we humbly ask that Thou wouldst turn Thine eyes upon our country to bring about its conversion. We consecrate to Thee the integrity of the upcoming election and its outcome, so that what is spiritually and morally best for the citizens of our country may be accomplished, and that all of those who are elected would govern according to the spiritual and moral principles which will bring our nation into conformity with the teachings of Thy Son. Give grace to the citizens of this land so that they will choose leaders according to the Sacred Heart of Thy Son, that His glory may be made manifest, lest we be given the leaders we deserve.

Trusting in the providential care of God the Father and Thy maternal care, we have perfect confidence that Thou wilst take care of us and will not leave us forsaken. O Mary Immaculate, pray for us. **Amen.** 

### Gospel Reading – Sunday, November 3, 2024 Mark 12:28b-34 Jesus is questioned by a scribe about the greatest commandment.

Jesus is being questioned and tested by the Jewish authorities, yet the scribe who addresses Jesus in today's Gospel seems to be an admirer; he is not testing Jesus. The question posed in today's Gospel requires Jesus to interpret the Law of Moses. The Mosaic Law consists of the Ten Commandments and additional commandments, numbering into the hundreds. For a devout Jew, adherence to the Mosaic Law is an expression of faithfulness to God's covenant with Israel. The ranking of these commandments was regularly debated among the teachers of the Law.

Jesus was not the only Jewish religious teacher to connect these two commandments, love of God and love of neighbor. Both of these commandments were central elements of the religious tradition that Jesus learned from his Jewish community. Indeed, these commandments continue to be central aspects of contemporary Jewish religious understanding. Jesus' response to his questioners proposed an integral connection between these two aspects of the Jewish Law. Love of God finds its expression in our love for our neighbor. Many believe, however, that this connection was heard in a new and fresh way when spoken by Jesus.

The scribe who questions Jesus in today's Gospel engages in a positive dialogue with Jesus. He agrees with Jesus' teaching that the commandments to love God and love neighbor stand above the commandment to offer worship and sacrifice in the Temple. With this dialogue, Jesus appears to close the debate with the Jewish authorities. Mark reports that no one dared to question Jesus further..

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# It only takes one encounter.

### GO WALK WITH ONE

Someone in your life is waiting for a moment that will change everything. God is ready to deliver, and he wants YOU to be a part of that story. This is your opportunity to be God's instrument in the life of someone you know and love. It only takes one encounter with Jesus to change their life forever.

You don't need to have all the answers—you just need to be present and walk with them. Grace will do the rest. Scan the code to get started.

eucharisticrevival.org/walk-with-one



# Mínístry Schedule: November 9-10, 2024

	Set-Up	Deacon/ Livestream	Lector	Eucharistic Minister/ EMOHC/special positions	Guardian	Usher	Servers (Senior Server, Candle Bearer/ Paten, etc.)
Saturday 4:00 PM	Millie Reisinger		Carolyn Attaway	Deb Heinrich	Pat Arnold Mary Marks	Skip Heinrich Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed
Sunday 9:00 AM	Millie Reisinger	Livestream Clyde Kiess <u>Deacon</u> Jimmy Williams	Therese Lawlor	<u>Deacon</u> Jimmy Williams	Marylou Bishop Millie Reisinger	Cliff Grimm Bill Hew Ken Bishop	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed
Sunday 12 Noon	Millie Reisinger		Nancy Chisholm	John Ngeh	Maggie Hernandez Rick Brunner	Maria Stormont Jim Stormont Juan Hernandez	Donald Gettemy Vincent Gettemy
Sunday 3:00 PM	Carmen Perez	<u>Deacon</u> Jose Perez	Vielka Jordan	<i>Asistente 1</i> Eliezer Morales <i>Asistente 2</i> Juan Guardado	Nelida Morales Maria Sandoval	Gabriel Londono Alicia Vento	Crucifero Luis Garcia Cirial 1 Darwin Monterroso Cirial 2 Victor Monterroso



**THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY** 770-443-1533

Thanks to our parishioners and local residents for their time, financial donations, food donations, merchandise donations, and thrift store purchases, we are helping hundreds of our neighbors in need every year. We provide food, clothing, payment of bills, counseling, spiritual support, and demonstrate in a personal way the love of our Lord, Jesus Christ. In Fiscal Year 2024, we provided assistance to 1,459 neighbors in need with payments of: \$ 168,078.50 in Housing expenses \$ 36,697.24 in Transportation expenses \$ 106,159.08 in Utility expenses \$ 25,998.48 in Food We are in need of volunteers at the St. Vincent de Paul Society and at the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store.

If you are interested in either or both of these opportunities, please call or stop by during store hours. Thank you for your generosity. Thrift Store Hours are: M-F 10:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M. & SAT 10:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.

Here Today—The Discalced Carmelite Saints St. Thérèse de Lisieux 1873 - 1897-- Feast Day Oct 1<sup>st</sup>

"I know now that true charity consists in bearing all our neighbors' defects--not being surprised at their weakness, but edified at their smallest virtues."

-Story of a Soul-

# **Religious Education at SVdP**

Directors of Religious Education:

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  - vdpatl.commware@svdpatl.comOur webpage address is:

### www.saintvincentdepaulchurch.org.

We are in need of the following items for our Helping the Needy Project to assist the homeless and those in need.

Soap, and Body Wipes, Shampoo, Hair Conditioner, Deodorant, Toilet Paper, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Socks, Hairbrushes, Combs, Rain Ponchos, Dryer Sheets, Insect Spray, Skin Lotion, Razors, Shaving Cream Thank you for your generosity toward those in need.

### Please place your donations in Room 8.

- All first and second year Confirmation students are required to attend the Fall Confirmation Retreat at White Oak Park in Dallas on November 9<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. until 6:30 p.m. Please refer to the flyer handed out in class or check your email for more information.
- There will be no RE Classes on the following dates: Nov. 24 and Dec.1—for Thanksgiving Dec.22 and Dec. 29– in celebration of Christmas





### QR Code Giving and Payment via Credit/Debit card are now available at SVdP!

You may now make tuition payments online to SVdP Catholic Church via QR code. Please scan the QR code to the right with your phone camera so that you can be directed to the St. Vincent de Paul Church RE Tuition Payment form.



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"Abortion and racism are both symptoms of a fundamental human error. The error is thinking that when someone stands in the way of our wants, we can justify getting that person out of our lives. Abortion and racism stem from the same poisonous root, selfishness." *Alveda King* 



From St. Faustina's Diary Not Living For Ourselves Meditation

You are not living for yourself but for souls, and other souls will profit from your sufferings. Your prolonged suffering will give them the light (*Diary*, 67).

### My Prayer Response With St. Faustina

Lord Jesus, help me and souls that are suffering with Your light and strength to accept Your will. Teach us, Lord, the value and profit of suffering for souls. Remind us that we are not living for ourselves.

The words of Jesus appear in boldface type.

RCIA-Room B in The OLG RE Building Following noon Holy Mass on Sundays

Nov. 3—Communion of Saints/Liturgical Calendar

Nov. 10—The Blessed Virgin Mary

Nov. 17—Last Things

Nov. 24 and Dec. 1—No Class

All are welcome!

### **Elementary Activities Afternoon**



All children in grades 1-6 are welcome to join us for **Elementary Activities Afternoon**, on November 10<sup>th</sup> from 1 to 3 p.m. After the 12 noon

November 10<sup>th</sup> from 1 to 3 p.m. After the 12 noon Mass, the children will be fed a light lunch, learn about a saint, play games, and do crafts. We always have a great time!

PLEASE RSVP to **aberhew@yahoo.com**, so we know how many children will be attending the light lunch and how many crafts supplies will be needed.

### **Mass for Separated and Divorced Catholics**

The Archdiocese of Atlanta would like to support and encourage those Catholics who have been divorced or separated from their spouse. Please join Bishop John Tran at a special Mass offered for your intentions at St. Catherine of Siena Parish in Kennesaw on Nov. 16 at 10 a.m. (1618 Ben King Rd. NW, Kennesaw, GA 30144). A light reception will follow the Mass where there will be resources and opportunity for fellowship. For questions, please contact Patrick Metts *at pmetts@archatl.com*.

# **Knights of Columbus**



The Knights of Columbus is an international order of Catholic men called to lead with faith, protect our families, serve others and defend values in a busy, changing world. You will find Knights of Columbus membership brings Catholic men together in a powerful way. If you would like to join today simply visit *KofC.org/joinus* and enter our council #12287.

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# November 2024 (Revised)

<u>The following schedule is in effect unless otherwise noted in the calendar below:</u> Weekend Holy Masses: Saturday Vigil 4:00 p.m., Sundays 9:00 a.m., 12 noon, Santa Misa en Español at 3:00 p.m. Daily Holy Mass: Monday 12 Noon, Tuesday 12 Noon, Wednesday 6:15 p.m. Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Wednesday at 5:00 p.m., preceding the 6:15 p.m. Holy Mass



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24 2nd Collection: Capital Improvements Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. No RE - No RCIA	17 No 2nd Collection Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. RE-RCIA	10 2nd Collection: Future Building and Emergency Needs Fund Elementary Activities Afternoon 1-3 p.m. Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. RE– RCIA	3 2nd Collection: Archdiocesan Seminarians Adoration following 9:00 a.m. Holy Mass Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. RE-RCIA		Sunday	Sacrament of
25	18 WARG Meeting Rosary 6:30 p.m. Meeting 7:00 p.m. Finance Council Refreshments 6:00 p.m. Meeting 6:30 p.m.	11 Office Closed No Holy Mass Knights of Columbus Rosary 6:30 p.m. Dinner 7:00 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.	4		Monday	Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession/Penance): Wednesday 5:00 - 6:00 p.m., Saturday 1:30 -3:00 p.m.
26 Cenacle Following 12 noon Holy Mass	19 Cenacle Following 12 noon Holy Mass	12 Cenacle Following 12 noon Holy Mass Spanish Mass Altar Server Meeting 7:00 p.m.	5 Cenacle Following 12 noon Holy Mass		Tuesday	ession/Penance): W
27	20 Choir Practice 7:30-9 p.m.	13 Choir Practice 7:30-9 p.m.	6 Choir Practice 7:30-9:00 p.m.		Wednesday	ednešday 5:00 -
28 10:30 a.m. Holy Mass Office Closed	21	14	7		Thursday	6:00 p.m., Saturday
29 Charismatic Prayer Group SGH 7:30 p.m.	22 Charismatic Prayer Group SGH 7:30 p.m.	15 Charismatic Prayer Group SGH 7:30 p.m.	8 Charismatic Prayer Group SGH 7:30 p.m.	1 12 noon Holy Mass 6:1 <sup>-5</sup> p.m Holy Mass Charismatic Prayer Group SGH 7:30 p.m.	Friday	1:30-3:00 p.m.
30	23	16 Honor Guard Practice 9:00—10:00 a.m.	9 Confirmation I and II Retreat 9:30-6:30	2 Honor Guard Practice 9:00—10:00 a.m. 12 noon Holy Mass First Saturday Devotion 1:00 p.m.	Saturday	