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Rev. Brian Lorei

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Dcn. Evelio Garcia-Carreras

Dcn. Michael Mobley

Dcn. Rick Kaszycki

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday — 5:00 p.m. Vigil

Sunday — 8:30 a.m.
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.

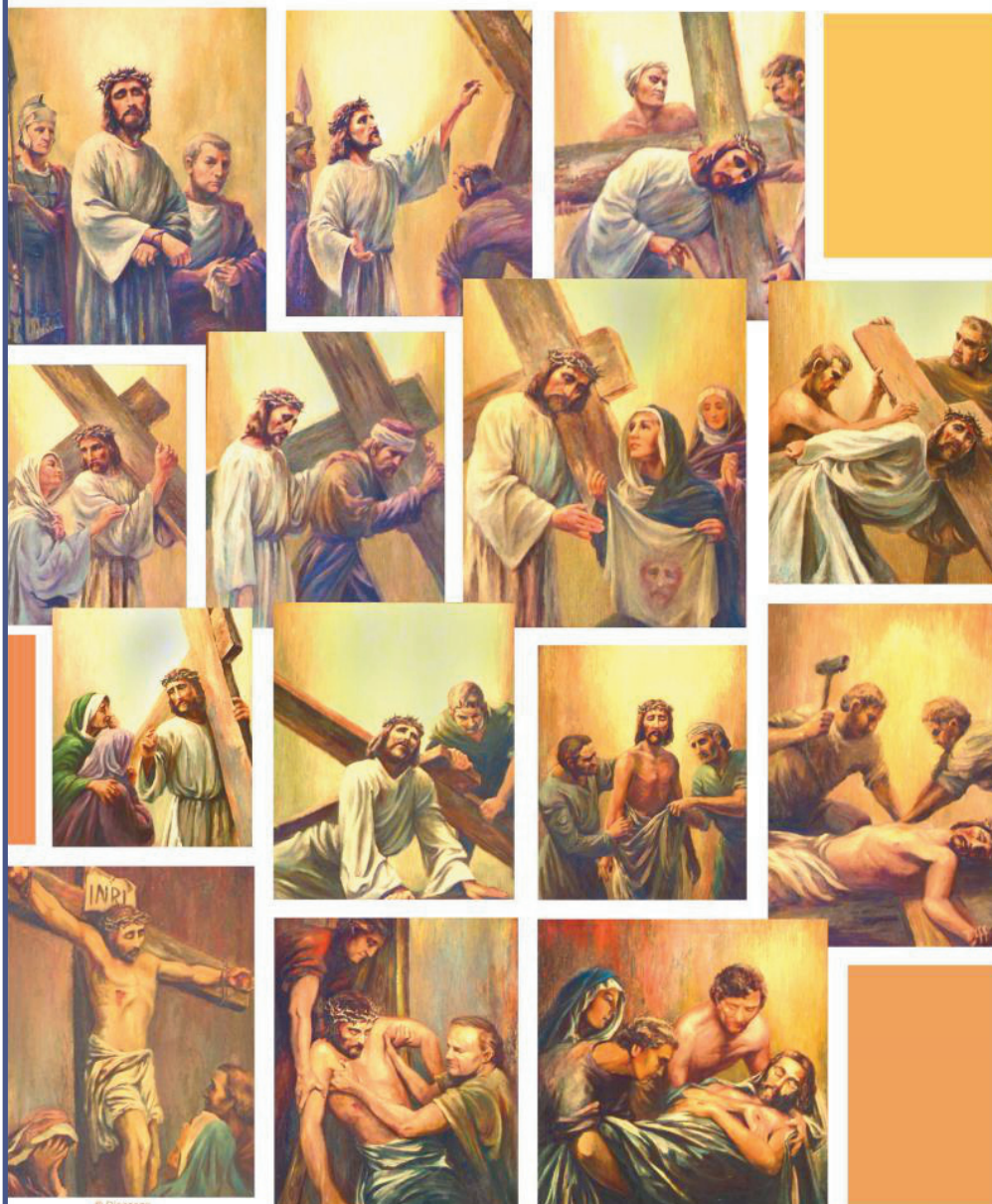
Friday

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

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

SUNDAY MARCH 24, 2019

Lord Jesus,
HELP US WALK IN YOUR STEPS.



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	March 24, 2019
8:30 a.m.	Steve Bowden ☩
11:00 a.m.	Couples Prayer Group (L)
Monday	March 25, 2019
9:00 a.m.	Roger Camilly ☩
Tuesday	March 26, 2019
9:00 a.m.	Deceased Mountaineer Priests ☩
Wednesday	March 27, 2019
9:00 a.m.	Holy Souls In Purgatory ☩
Thursday	March 28, 2019
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	March 29, 2019
9:00 a.m.	Silvia Gutierrez ☩
	5:00 pm Stations of the Cross
	7:30 pm Stations of the Cross
Saturday	March 30, 2019
9:00 a.m.	Sylvia & Aristes Lopez-Cayaga ☩
5:00 p.m.	People of the Parish (L)
Sunday	March 31, 2019
8:30 a.m.	Jim Roman ☩
11:00 a.m.	Al Sones ☩

Readings for the Week of March 24, 2019

Sunday	Third Sunday of Lent Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9
Monday	Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
Tuesday	Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday	Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19
Thursday	Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 11:14-23
Friday	Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17; Mk 12:28-34
Saturday	Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Lk 18:9-14
Sunday	Fourth Sunday of Lent Jos 5:9a, 10-12; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32



*Please Pray the Rosary
For The Protection of the Unborn*
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March Prayer Intention of Pope Francis
Recognition of the Right of Christian Communities
That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.



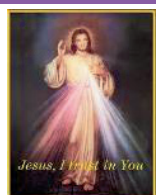
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

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



FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

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



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.



Our St. Stephen the Martyr 2019 Lenten Dinner is in full swing. **We will be serving from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM every Friday evening thru April 12th.**

Come walk through the Stations of the Cross before or after your meal & join us for some great food & fellowship. Your Knights of Columbus Council 14122 is leading this event but **ALL** members of our Parish are welcome to assist any way you may wish to be involved. Please contact us at kccouncil14122sstm@yahoo.com.



We look forward to seeing you Friday!

Lord Teach Me To Pray

3-Part Ignatian Prayer Series

Part 1 "Praying Christian Virtues" Training-Retreat

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Held at St. John Neumann

Saturday April 6, 2019

9 am. Mass—5 pm.

Registration forms on bulletin board outside the office.

MARCH 24, 2019



Offering: On-line giving is available through our website

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Weekend of March 10, 2019	No Second Collection
Offertory	\$ 9,407.12
On Line	\$ 2,428.50
Total	\$ 11,835.62

Thank you for your continued generosity.
Our weekly budgeted expenses are \$10,297.00

Future Weekend Second Collections

- March 24:** Easter Altar Flowers
- March 31:** Catholic Relief Services
- April 7:** Property Maint. And Enhancements
- April 14:** Holy Land Collection
- April 21:** Archdiocesan Seminarians
- April 28:** Catholic Home Mission

THIRD WEEK OF LENT

AREA LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES 2019



March 25	Holy Cross	7:00 PM
March 26	St. Lawrence	6:00 PM
March 28	St. Oliver	7:00 PM
April 2	St. Marguerite	7:00 PM
April 8	St. John Neumann	7:00 PM

With the Lord there is Mercy and fullness of redemption.



Every Friday during Lent
5:00pm & 7:30pm

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St. Stephen's Knights of Columbus will be hosting a **5th Sunday Rosary** on Sunday March 31, 2019, immediately following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Everyone is welcome.



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 April 9, 2019 in Our Lady of Fatima Room. We will be collecting donations after all the Masses the weekend of 4/21/19.

Feast of the Annunciation of Our Lord



Eucharistic Adoration

Begins Monday March 25th at 9:30 AM

Concludes with Benediction 6:45 PM Tuesday March 26th

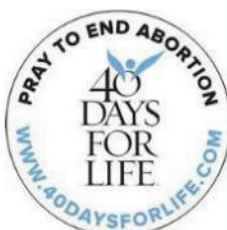
Please Sign up for an Hour

Looking for something special to do this Lent?

Consider coming to peacefully pray on abortion days at Planned Parenthood in Lawrenceville.

To come & pray on Tuesdays, please contact Brenda at: bjstoll@comcast.net

To come & pray on Saturdays, please contact Mary at: lawrenceville40days@gmail.com



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 baby-sitting 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.

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