



St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church

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SUNDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2020

Pastor

Rev. Brian Lorei

Permanent Deacons

Dcn. Evelio Garcia-Carreras

Dcn. Rick Kaszycki

Dcn. Rich Kren

Sunday Masses

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)

*Thursday 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.)

CHRIST THE KING





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	November 22, 2020
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish (L)
11:00 a.m.	James Black ☩
Monday	November 23, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Ray & Mary Ellen DuVarney ☩
Tuesday	November 24, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Rich Bland (L)
Wednesday	November 25, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Bill McMurry ☩
Thursday	November 26, 2020
9:00 a.m.	For Our Nation
Friday	November 27, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Michael & Elizabeth Stoll (L)
Saturday	November 28, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Manuel & Kay Martinez ☩
5:00 p.m.	Jim & Willa McGarity (L)
Sunday	November 29, 2020
8:30 a.m.	Rosemary Gatherer ☩
11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish (L)



*Prepare the way
for the Lord*

St. Stephen's Parish ADVENT PENANCE EVENING

Thursday, December 3rd @ 7:00 pm

This year, due to health safety precautions, there will not be the regular Penance Service Liturgy, however, the Church will be open for private prayer.

Priests from local parishes will be available at the parish for individual confessions.

Please note: due to health safety precautions – All confessions will be behind a screen (no face-to-face confessions). Face coverings are required. Social Distancing will be practiced as the confessions will be offered in classrooms or outdoor areas.



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Weekend of	Nov. 15, 2020	2nd Coll: Baskets for Needy
Offertory	\$ 6,419.00	Offertory \$ 2,073.00
On Line	\$ 3,735.26	On Line \$ 553.00
Total	\$ 10,154.26	Total \$ 2,626.00

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Current and Upcoming Second Collections

November 22, 2020	Campaign for Human Development
November 29, 2020	Retirement Fund for the Religious
December 6, 2020	Property Maintenance & Enhancements
December 13, 2020	Christmas Baskets for the Needy

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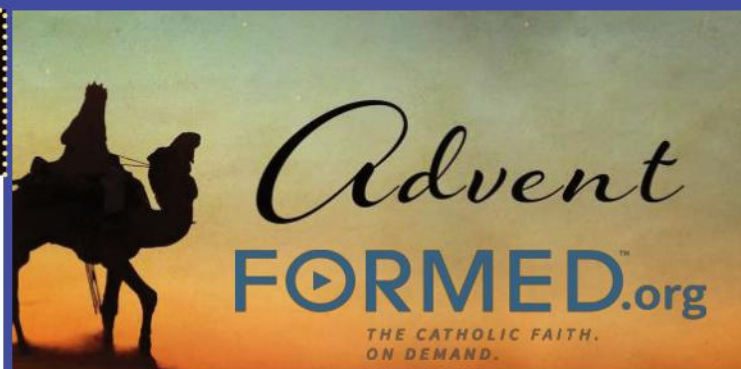
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BAPTISM CLASSES

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 God-parents 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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