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Pastor

Rev. Brian Lorei

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Dcn. Evelio Garcia-Carreras

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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.

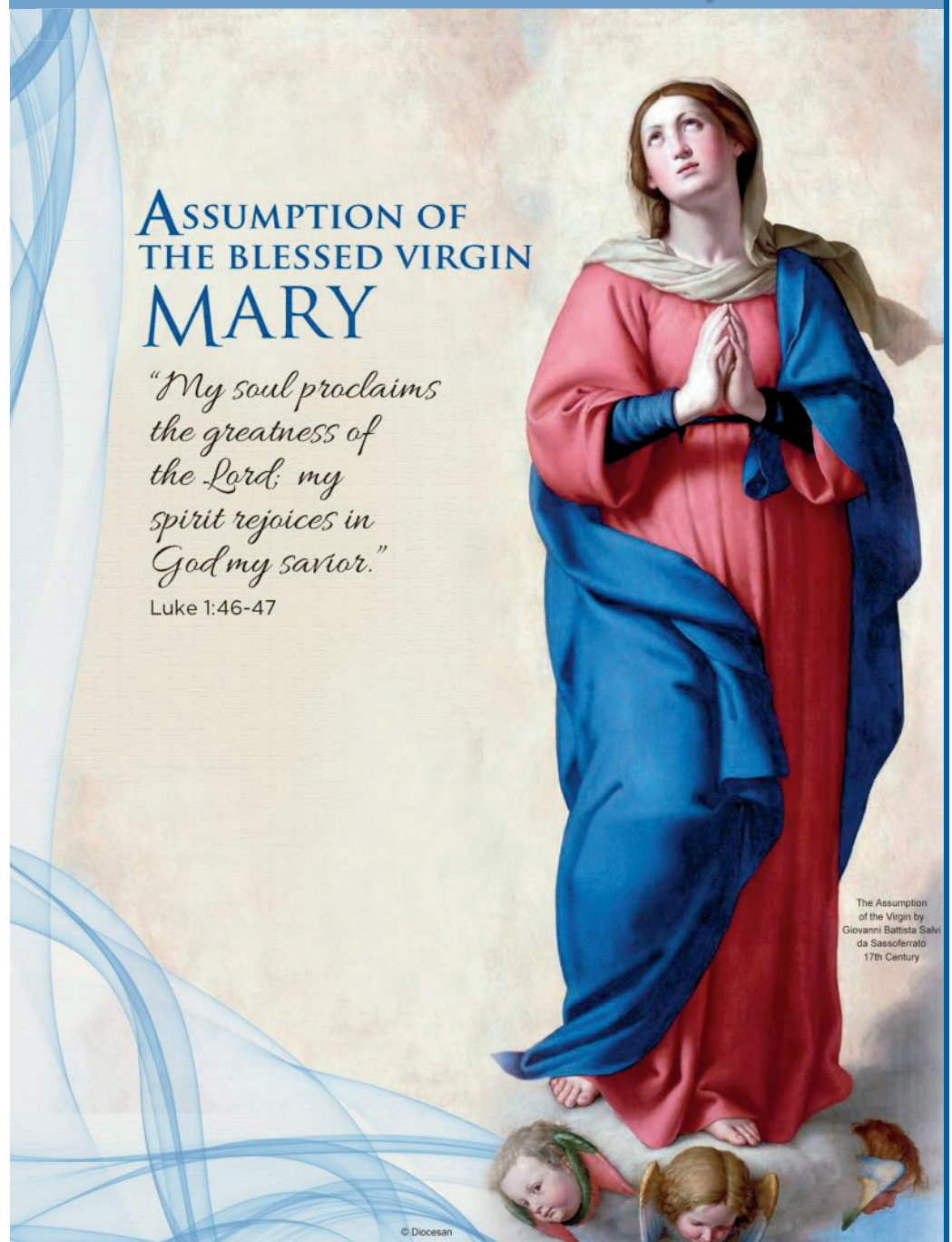
Office Hours

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.)

SUNDAY AUGUST 15, 2021



ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

*"My soul proclaims
the greatness of
the Lord; my
spirit rejoices in
God my savior."*

Luke 1:46-47

The Assumption
of the Virgin by
Giovanni Battista Salvi
da Sassoferrato
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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	August 15, 2021
8:30 a.m.	Zack Kammer ☩
11:00 a.m.	Alan Richardson ☩
Monday	August 16, 2021
9:00 a.m.	Helen Jira ☩
Tuesday	August 17, 2021
9:00 a.m.	Louis Kren ☩
Wednesday	August 18, 2021
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Thursday	August 19, 2021
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	August 20, 2021
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Saturday	August 21, 2021
9:00 a.m.	Beryl Gyselinck ☩
5:00 p.m.	Rebecca McNally ☩
Sunday	August 22, 2021
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish (L)
11:00 a.m.	Dan & Melinda O'Herron (L)



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"The greatest destroyer of peace today is abortion ...
because it is war against the child."

Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Becoming Catholic



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

**Thinking about becoming Catholic...
or completing your Sacraments?
Have Questions?**

If you are an adult seeking answers to questions about becoming Catholic, or are Catholic and want to receive the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist, we invite you to journey with us in RCIA.

Join us on Tuesdays for the inquiry presentation sessions that allow opportunities to get answers to your questions, and find out if this process is right for you.

We meet on Tuesdays in the Saint Pio Room from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm beginning September 14, 2021.

Please contact Kathy Roger for more information at 770-381-7488 ext. 222 / psr@ststephenthemartyr.info

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 noon in *Our Lady of Fatima* room. Please make arrangements for a babysitter as we do not provide babysitting services.

Please pre-register for the class with the Parish Office at 770-381-7488 during normal business hours or email secretary@sstmcc.org (to ensure that the class will be held on a particular date).

Parents will need to select God-parents for their children 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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Weekend of August 8, 2021

Offertory	\$ 8,444.00
On Line	\$ 5,393.00
Total	\$ 13,837.00

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collections

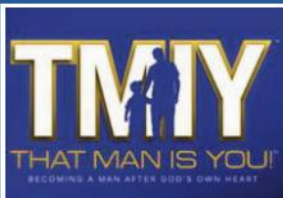
August 15, 2021	No Second Collection
August 22, 2021	No Second Collection-SVdP in Narthex
August 29, 2021	LifeTeen / EDGE
September 5, 2021	Property Maint. & Enhancements

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 a couple of hours a month, please leave a message on the help line and you will be contacted.



You can mail your contribution to the church or do online giving using the **Miscellaneous** option and putting SVdP SSTM in the **Special Instruction**.



All Things New

Fall Session Meets
Every Saturday Morning
7:30 -9:00 am

(Breakfast snacks will be served)

Saturdays Sept. 18 - Nov. 20

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2021 - 2022

REGISTRATION OPEN

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Programs for our children and teens to grow in their faith and knowledge of God and His Church.

Religious Education (Grades K-5)

Sunday, August 22th • 9:40—10:50 am

First Communion Preparation (2nd Grade & Up)

Sunday, August 22th • 9:40—10:50 am

EDGE (6th—8th)

Wednesday, August 25th • 6:00—7:30 pm

LifeTeen (9th—12th)

Sunday, August 29th • 6:00—7:30 pm

HS Confirmation Preparation (10th Grade & Up)

Sunday, September 14th • 9:40—10:50 am

Family Faith Formation (children & parents)

2 Meetings Per Month

TBD • On-line/In-person

Registering now will help us better prepare for the upcoming year by knowing how many children to expect. Forms are available online and in the Narthex.

**We also Need Catechists for Sunday mornings
And Core Team members for
EDGE and LIFETEEN.**

Please prayerfully consider joining this rewarding youth ministry. Training and support will be provided.

If you have any questions, please contact

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