



St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church

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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

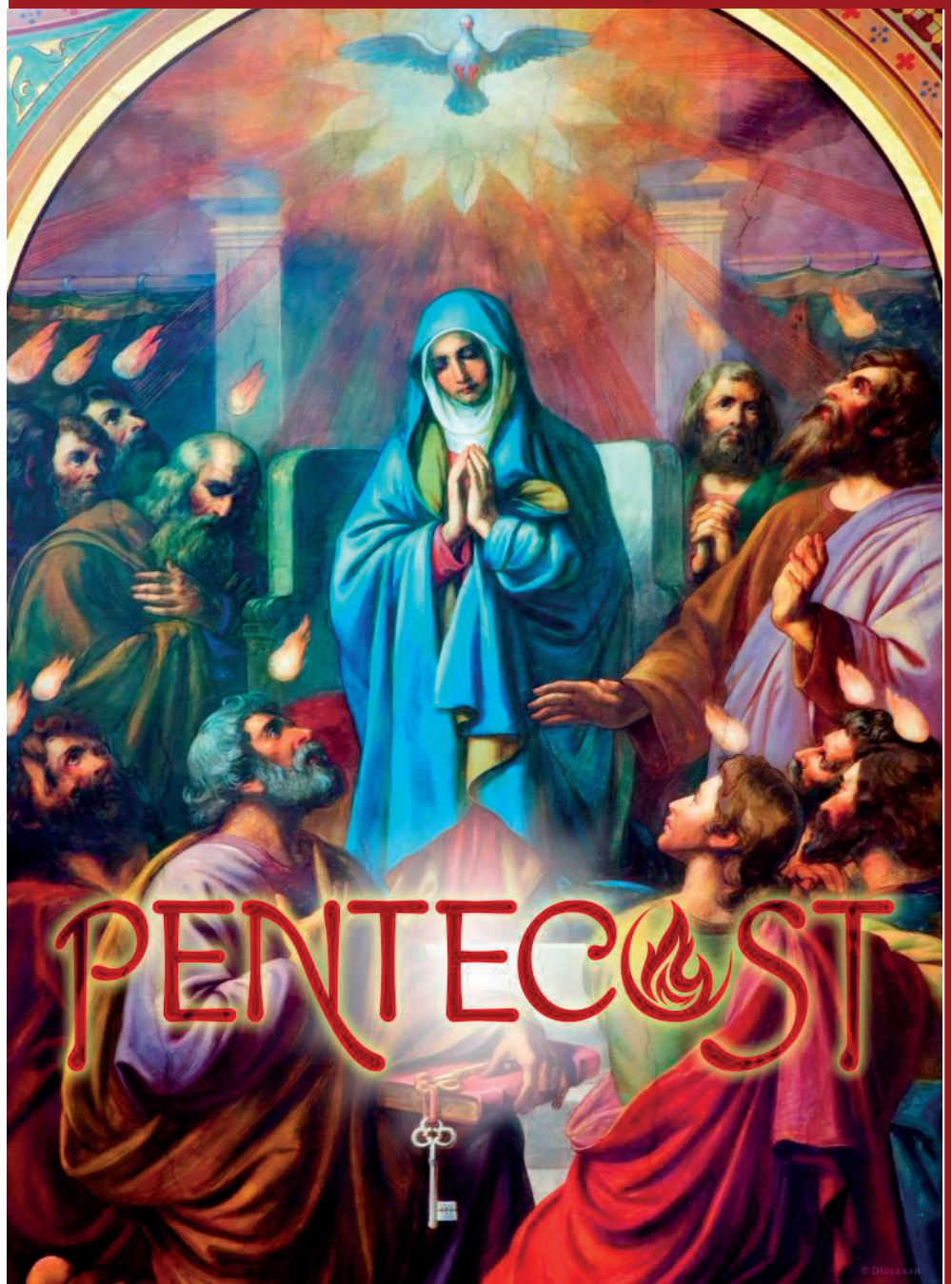
9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday

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

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

SUNDAY MAY 28, 2023





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	May 28, 2023
8:30 a.m.	Kenneth Khanh Hall ☩
11:00 a.m.	Louise & Charles Seibel ☩
Monday	May 29, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Jan Schrader (L)
Tuesday	May 30, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Jim Jolliff ☩
Wednesday	May 31, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Rachael Thomas ☩
Thursday	June 1, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	June 2, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Robert Davenport/Family (L)
Saturday	June 3, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Ruth Black (L)
5:00 p.m.	Steve Whitney ☩
Sunday	June 4, 2023
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
11:00 a.m.	Dawn Harrington ☩

Vacation Bible School



St. Stephen the Martyr VBS 2023
June 19 - 23, 2023 • Monday - Friday
9:45 am - 12:45 pm • PreK4 - 5th Grade
Cost: \$25 per child (active parishioner)
\$40 per child (non parishioner)

In this **Catholic VBS**, you're officially invited to spend a royal week with the King and Queen of Heaven and earth. Enter through the gates of the kingdom and learn all about **Mary**, and how she leads us closer to her Son the **King of Kings**.

Additional Registration information and forms are located in the Narthex as well as the website. Please complete and deposit form(s) along with payment at the front office. Discount available for parents who volunteer. For more information contact Christine Roman at edge@ststephenthemartyr.info



Mass of Thanksgiving and Reception Sunday June 4th

Deacon Nicolas Le is among the four men to be ordained to the Holy Priesthood for the Archdiocese of Atlanta on Saturday May 27, 2023 at the Cathedral of Christ the King.

We are thankful for his wonderful year of service here at St. Stephens in the summer of 2018 and we have been looking forward to this day.

Fr. Nicolas will be at St. Stephens on Sunday June 4th, 2023 to celebrate a "Mass of Thanksgiving" at both morning Masses. After the 8:30am Mass, there will be an opportunity to receive an individual priestly blessing from Fr. Nicolas in the Church. After the 11:00am Mass, there will be an opportunity to receive an individual blessing, along with a reception in the Fellowship Hall. All are invited.

Let us pray for the newly ordained priests of this Archdiocese; May they be faithful in conforming to God's will, and lead souls to greater truth, virtue and love.

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If you, or someone you know, are in need of emergency assistance, please contact the SVdP Help Line at 770-381-7488, ext. 251.



Jesus said, "whatever you do for the least of these, you do for me." Would you like to help less fortunate members of our local parish community? Do you have 30 minutes to an hour a day to spare? If so, St. Vincent de Paul has a volunteer opportunity for you and you can do it from the comfort of your own home. For more information leave a message on our helpline: 770-381-7488 ext:251 and we will return your call.



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MAY 28, 2023

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Weekend of May 21, 2023

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Total \$11,210

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Offertory \$ 596

On Line \$ 45

Total \$ 641

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collections

May 28, 2023

Outreach

June 4, 2023

Building and Maintenance

June 11, 2023

No Second Collection

June 18, 2023

Father's Day Novena



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.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

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



The Parish Office will be closed
Monday, May 29th in observance of
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ALTAR SERVERS

Any boy or girl interested in becoming an Altar Server should fill out an application form located in the Narthex. The minimum age requirement is 10 yrs.

old, and in/or entering the 4th grade, and must have made your First Holy Communion. Altar Server applications are located at the information desk in the Narthex. Completed applications may be turned into the office or given to Deacon Rick.

If you have any questions contact Deacon Rick at (770) 402-1254 or r_kaz@msn.com.



Adult Volunteers Needed for Usher Ministry. You must be a registered parishioner. Ushers are needed at all Masses. There is a sign up form in the Narthex to fill out.

Please contact Deacon Rich at Krenfam@earthlink.net for information. Or call the parish office at 770-381-7488.

Interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion?

We are in need of EMHC's for all Masses. You must be an active registered parishioner. Signup Forms are located in the Narthex.

A training date will be announced. For more information, please contact Juanita Altschuler at jjaltsch@comcast.net



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