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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 13, 2023



19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“O you of little faith, why did you doubt?”

Matthew 14:31

Saint Peter Attempting to Walk on Water
by François Boucher, 1766
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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 13, 2023
8:30 a.m.	Catherine Wahlmeier ✕
11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
Monday	August 14, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Rebecca McNally ✕
7:00 p.m. Vigil	Adelina SanJuan ✕
Tuesday	August 15, 2023 (Assumption)
9:00 a.m.	Paul Iheakaram ✕
Wednesday	August 16, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Nicolette Russell ✕
Thursday	August 17, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	August 18, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Saturday	August 19, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Grace Bridges ✕
5:00 p.m.	Helen Jira ✕
Sunday	August 20, 2023
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
11:00 a.m.	Theresa and Nick Berry (L)



The Light of Men

Fall Session Meets
Every Saturday Morning
7:30 -9:00 am
(Breakfast will be served)

Saturdays Sept. 9 - Nov. 18

Featuring New Dynamic Presenters

Attention Men: That Man is You! honestly addresses the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, especially those relating to their roles as husbands and fathers. The program harmonizes current social and medical science with the teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of man fully alive.

Free registration. Please sign up in the Narthex.
www.thatmanisyou.org

Welcome Back Deacon Colin Patrick!



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Holy Day of Obligation

Monday Vigil Mass 7:00pm
Tuesday Mass 9:00am

Forever Young Seniors

Potluck Luncheon

Monday, August 14th at 12:00 Noon
Fellowship Hall

We will have a presentation from Northside Fire and Safety

All are Welcome. Please bring a dish to share.

Come for fellowship and fun.



Pope Francis August Prayer Intention

World Youth Day in Lisbon

We pray that World Youth Day experience will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.



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AUGUST 13, 2023

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Weekend of August 6, 2023

Offertory \$ 8,594

On Line \$ 6,936

Total \$ 15,530

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collections

August 13, 2023	No Second Collection
August 20, 2023	No Second Collection
August 20, 2023	SVdP Monthly Collection
August 27, 2023	Life Teen/Edge
September 3, 2023	Property & Maintenance

Join the St. Stephen's Childrens Choir

Open to any Child 3rd—8th Grade

Starting Monday, September 11

at 6:00 PM in the Church/Choir Area

Practice is EVERY Monday at 6pm and we will sing at Mass one Sunday a month. Parents...this is a GREAT way to have your children learn about music and have fun while doing it! Please contact Rebecca Berry 404-519-3164, rmalay2931@gmail.com or Carol Rehonic 770-925-3070, songofjoy4@bellsouth.net.

St. John Neumann Women's Bible Studies

Act of the Apostles Study begins **Wednesday**, August 23, 2023 (10am-noon) and runs thru May 1, 2024.

This is a study of The Spread of Christianity following the Resurrection.

Discovering Our Dignity Bible Study begins **Tuesday**, September 12, 2023. In-person 10-11:30am or Virtual Group 7-8PM via Zoom. Join in the study of women of the Old and New Testaments.

Register online: sjnlilburn.com
Religious-education/adult-education

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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 20th • 9:40—10:50 am

**First Communion Preparation
(2nd Grade & Up)**

Sunday, August 20th • 9:40—10:50 am

EDGE (6th—8th)

Wednesday, August 23rd • 6:00—7:30 pm

LifeTeen (9th—12th)

Sunday, August 27th • 6:00—7:30 pm

HS Confirmation Prep (10th Grade & Up)

Parent Meeting On:

Sunday, August 20th • 9:40—10:50 am

Sessions Begin On:

Sunday, August 27th • 9:40—10:50 am

Family Faith Formation (children & parents)

2 Meetings Per Month

Sundays after 11 am Mass

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 Library.

***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.***

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