



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

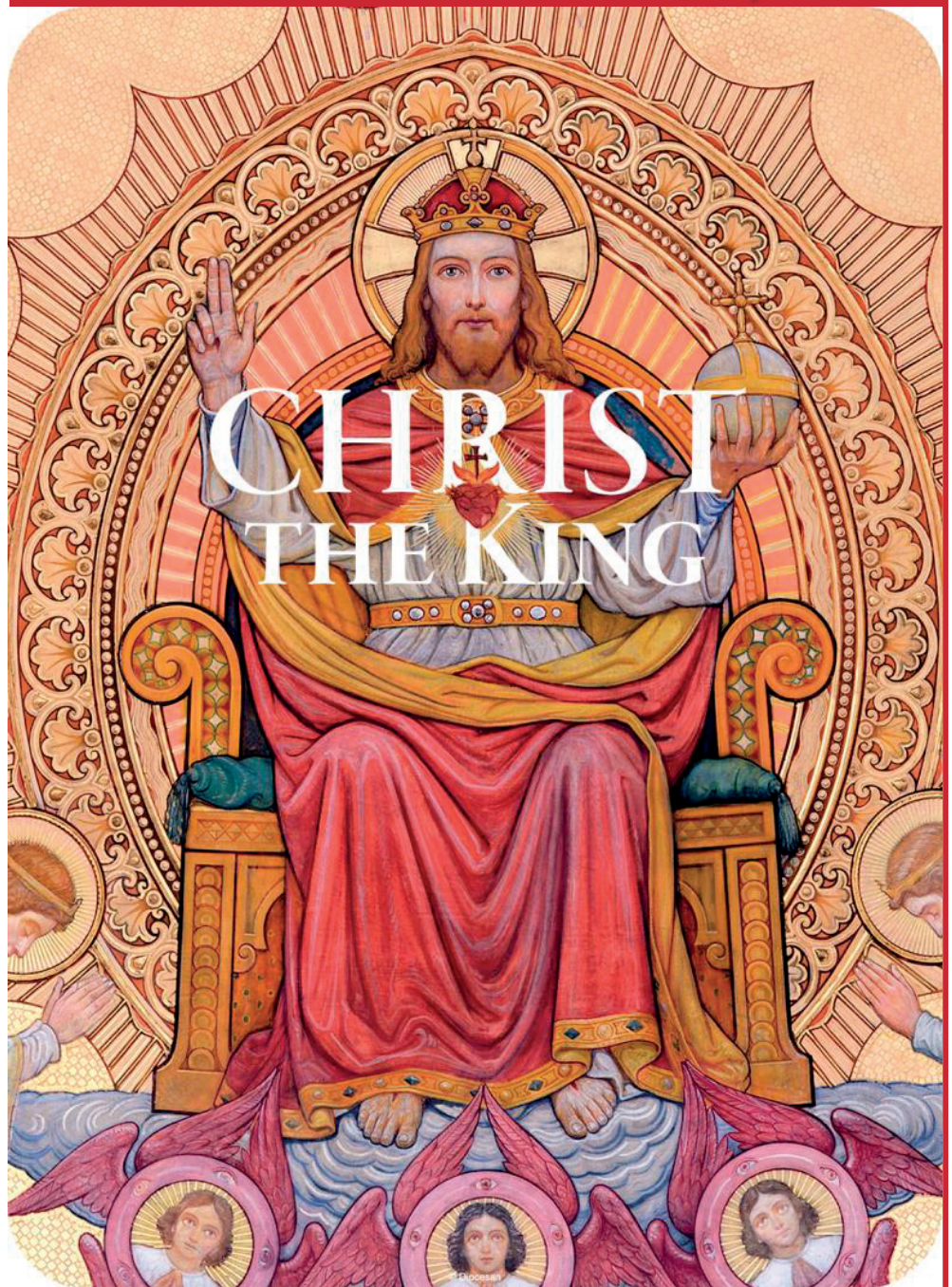
9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday

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

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

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 26, 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	November 26, 2023
8:30 a.m.	Josh Ferris ☩
11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
Monday	November 27, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Manny Suarez ☩
Tuesday	November 28, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Willa and Jim McGarity (L)
Wednesday	November 29, 2023
9:00 a.m.	David Zupan ☩
Thursday	November 30, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	December 1, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Ron Lewandowski ☩
Saturday	December 2, 2023
9:00 a.m.	Andrew Paciorek (L)
5:00 p.m.	People of the Parish
Sunday	December 3, 2023
8:30 a.m.	William & Maria Kowalczyk ☩
11:00 a.m.	Mary Giannakos ☩



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.



Prepare the way for the Lord

St. Stephen's Parish
ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE
Thursday, November 30th @ 7:00 pm

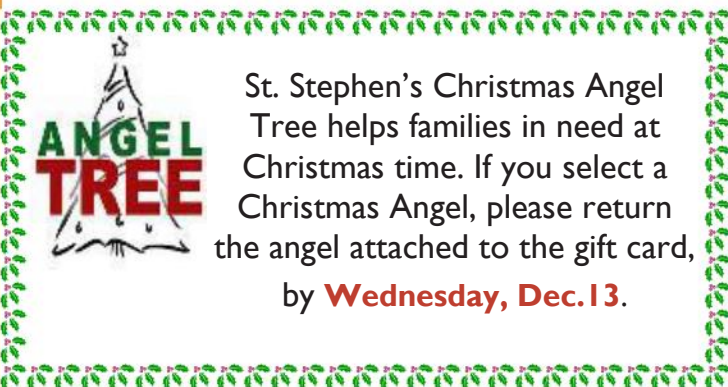
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Would you like to help less fortunate members of our local parish community? Do you have 30 minutes to an hour a day to spare? If so, St. Vincent de Paul has a volunteer opportunity for you and you can do it from the comfort of your own home.

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NOVEMBER 26, 2023

CHRIST THE KING

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Unable To Give Your Offertory In Person? Consider Using Our On-line Giving Portal

www.ststephenthemartyr.info/giving/onlinegiving

OR, You can mail your offertory gift to:

St. Stephen The Martyr Catholic Church
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**Due to the early printing request, we are not
able to provide offering totals for
November 19th**

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collections

November 26, 2023	Retirement Fund for Religious
December 3, 2023	Property and Maintenance
December 10, 2023	Christmas Baskets for the Needy
December 17, 2023	Christmas Flowers

The Children's Christmas Pageant is Wednesday, December 20th at 7pm

A reception will follow the Pageant in the
Fellowship Hall. All are welcome.

All children age 6-18 are invited to participate.

Age 3-5 can be Little Angels.

If your child would like a
singing part, or to be a Little Angel,
please contact Angelle Buckley at
angellebuckley@yahoo.com

Singing Rehearsals-Sun Dec. 10, 10:30-10:50am
and Sun Dec. 17, 10:30-10:50am in the Infant
of Prague Room

If you have a middle-schooler interested in a
speaking or acting role, you may contact
Christine Roman at
edge@ststephenthemartyr.info



Lilburn Co-op serves families in our area needing food
during this time. Their pantry shelves are low.
In addition to financial contributions, donated goods go
a long ways toward helping us provide assistance to our
Gwinnett neighbors who really need it.

Can you help feed needy families? Items in Most Need

Rice, Grits, Cereal and Oatmeal
Canned Beans, Peanut Butter, Sugar, Flour and Jelly
Canned Tomato Sauce, Any Soups
Canned Pasta and Macaroni Pasta
Mayonnaise, Catsup, Mustard, BBQ Sauce, Syrups
Crackers / Snacks, Canned Chicken and Tuna,
Hamburger Helper Jiffy Mix, Salad Dressings
Men's and Women's Toiletries

Please bring your food pantry donations directly to the Lilburn Co-op.

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MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

We are in need of Catechists, Altar
Servers, Choir Members, Garden
Ministry volunteers and Ushers.

Thank you in advance for your
prayerful consideration to help. For a full list of
ministries, please visit the Parish Website.



DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS

Every Friday at 3:00pm
also the 2nd Sunday of each month after
the 8:30am Mass, Divine Mercy Chaplet.
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