



St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church

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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.

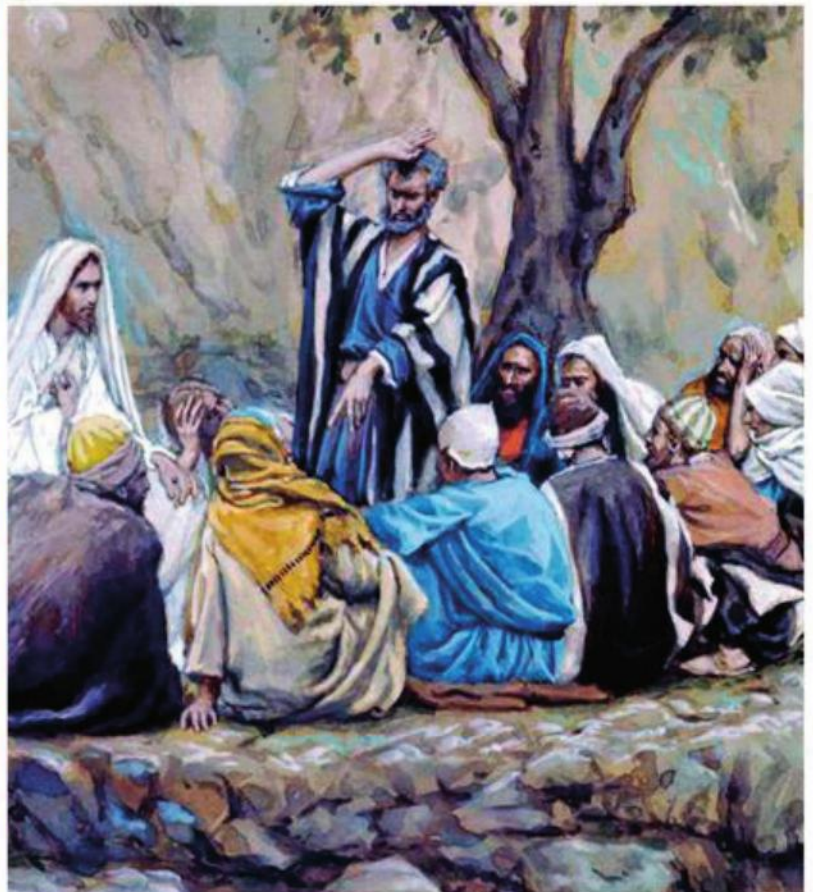
(Closed daily for lunch
from 1-2 p.m.)

SUNDAY AUGUST 25, 2024

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus then said to the Twelve, "Do you also want to leave?"
Simon Peter answered him, "Master, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe
and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God."

Jn 6:67-69





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

Sunday	August 25, 2024
8:30 a.m.	Melissa Wilson (L)
11:00 a.m.	Rebecca McNally ✕
Monday	August 26, 2024
9:00 a.m.	James Michael McNally ✕
Tuesday	August 27, 2024
9:00 a.m.	James Fogarty ✕
Wednesday	August 28, 2024
9:00 a.m.	John Driscoll ✕
Thursday	August 29, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	August 30, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Chinh Nguyen (L)
Saturday	August 31, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Reuben Baca ✕
5:00 p.m.	Dr. Charles Stearns ✕
Sunday	September 1, 2024
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
11:00 a.m.	Theresa and Nick Berry (L)



Worthy Of The Call

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

**Saturday
September 7th**

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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



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 7:00pm to 8:30pm beginning September 10, 2024.

Please contact Deacon Rich at krenfam@earthlink.net or Kathy Roger at 770-381-7488 ext. 222 or psr@sstmcc.org for more information.



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.

AUGUST 25, 2024

TITHES & OFFERINGS

FREELY YOU HAVE RECEIVED. FREELY GIVE.

**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
5373 Wydella Road SW, Lilburn, GA 30047

Weekend of August 18, 2024

Offertory	\$ 10,769
On Line	\$ 2,736
Total	\$ 13,505

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collections

August 25, 2024	LifeTeen/Edge
September 1, 2024	Property & Maintenance
September 8, 2024	Catholic University of America
September 15, 2024	GA Bulletin Subscription
September 22, 2024	No Second Collection



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Come and enjoy Coffee and Donuts after the 8:30am Mass in the Fellowship Hall.

This is a wonderful time to be with familiar parishioners as well as meet those who may be new to our parish.

All Are Welcome



DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS

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

All are welcome.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

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

TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



2024-2025

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 18th • 9:40—10:50 am

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

Sunday, August 18th • 9:40—10:50 am

EDGE (6th—8th)

Wednesday, August 21st • 6:00—7:30 pm

LifeTeen (9th—12th)

Sunday, August 18th • 6:00—7:30 pm

HS Confirmation Prep (10th Grade & Up)

Parent Meeting On:

Sunday, August 18th • 9:40—10:50 am

Sessions Begin On:

Sunday, August 25th • 9:40—10:50 am

Family Faith Formation (children & parents)

Sunday, August 18th

2 Meetings Per Month

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.

**If you have any questions, contact Kathy Roger at:
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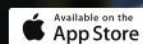
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