



St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church

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SUNDAY OCTOBER 6, 2024

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.

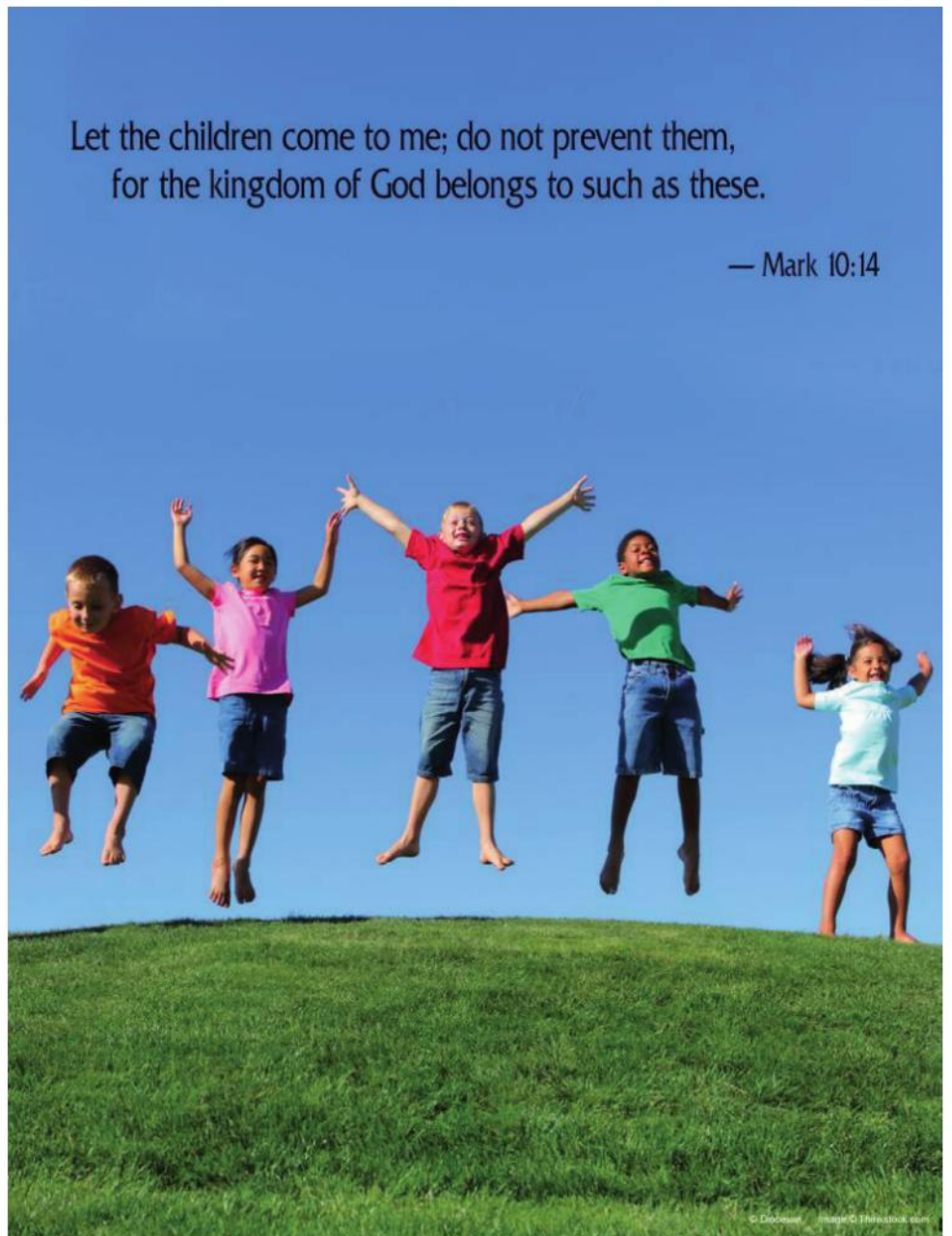
Friday

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

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

Let the children come to me; do not prevent them,
for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these.

— Mark 10:14





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	October 6, 2024
8:30 a.m.	Richard Ferris ✕
11:00 a.m.	Greg and Lavonia Dellinger ✕
Monday	October 7, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Karl and Monica Cloud
Tuesday	October 8, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Tom and Dianne Troncalli
Wednesday	October 9, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Dolores Messier
Thursday	October 10, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Funeral Mass—Kenneth Meyer
Friday	October 11, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Paul Iheakaram ✕
Saturday	October 12, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Dr. Charles Stearns ✕
5:00 p.m.	Joe and Becky Fumei
Sunday	October 13, 2024
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
11:00 a.m.	Joseph Minh Nguyen ✕



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 Fellowship Hall from 7:00pm to 8:30pm beginning September 17, 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.

Charity Golf Tournament



Monday October 28, 2024
Check-in begins 8:00 AM
10:00 AM Shotgun Start

Stone Mountain Golf Club
Golf Scramble
Benefiting the Lilburn Co-op Ministry

To Register visit: www.LilburnGolf.com
\$150 / golfer includes greens fees, golfcart, beverages breakfast and post tournament BBQ reception and awards ceremony.



Free Entrance into
Stone Mountain Park

Your support helps the Lilburn Cooperative Ministry provide food, clothing and financial assistance to families in crisis, in the Lilburn community.

It's Respect Life Month!
Join Catholics nationwide
in celebrating Respect Life Month.

Visit: respectlife.org/celebrate

"When we meet Jesus in the Eucharist, this encounter has the power to change us. The Eucharist has the power to transform the depths of our hearts and the heart of our culture. United to the power of His Eucharistic Presence, may we work to ensure that each person has life—and has it in abundance."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities Respect Life Reflection: "I Came So That They Might Have Life"

TITHES & OFFERINGS

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OR, You can mail your offertory gift to:

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Weekend of September 29, 2024

Archdiocesan SVdP

Offertory	\$ 6,365	\$1,054
On-Line	\$ 3,639	\$ 65
Total	10,004	\$1,119

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collection

October 6, 2024	Property and Maintenance
October 13, 2024	No Second Collection
October 20, 2024	World Missions
October 20, 2024	Parish Monthly SVdP Collection
October 27, 2024	All Souls Novena

The Altar Flowers This Weekend Were donated by

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BAPTISM

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 who are active, practicing Catholics for their children.

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.

Are you separated or legally divorced?

Do you want to stay faithful to the vows that you made on the day of your wedding?

Find strength, hope, and solidarity at a retreat for separated and divorced men and women seeking to conform themselves to God's truth and will for their lives. Hosted by Catholics for Marriage Restoration (CFMR) and the Archdiocese of Atlanta on Nov. 13-15, the retreat will feature daily Mass, Confession, Adoration, fellowship, and meals.

The spiritual guide for this retreat, Fr. Nathanael Block, and other Catholic speakers will guide participants to a fuller understanding of how to respond when a marriage breaks down.

For more information, please view:

WhatGodHasJoined.org.

Journey Through the Bible Sundays 9:50am—10:30am

Join us in the Fellowship Hall between masses after coffee and donuts for weekly sessions

Sundays: Oct. 6th, Oct. 13th, Oct. 27th

In this series we will explore the 'big picture' of Holy Scripture and its place in our Catholic faith. Each session will include a video session, scripture readings, and discussion.

All are welcome, No registration necessary.

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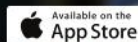
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