



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 24, 2024

CHRIST THE KING





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	November 24, 2024
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
11:00 a.m.	Jim & Willa McGarity (L)
Monday	November 25, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Elizabeth Nelson ☩
Tuesday	November 26, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Uoc Duong (L)
Wednesday	November 27, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Mary Burks (L)
Thursday	November 28, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	November 29, 2024
9:00 a.m.	David Zupan ☩
Saturday	November 30, 2024
9:00 a.m.	Rita Pyle ☩
5:00 p.m.	Tom & Mary Creagan ☩
Sunday	December 1, 2024
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
11:00 a.m.	Michelle DeGeatano (L)



MyCatholicWill

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St. Stephen the Martyr

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE

Monday, December 2 @ 7:00 pm

**10+ Priests Available
For Confessions**



St. Stephen's Christmas Angel Tree helps families in need at Christmas time. If you select a Christmas Angel, please return the angel attached to the gift card, by **Monday, December 16th.**

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

We are in need of Altar Servers, Ushers, Choir Members and Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist.

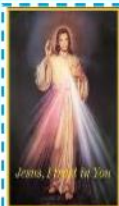
Thank you in advance for your prayerful consideration to help. There are sign up sheets in the Narthex. For a full list of ministries, please visit the Parish Website.



*The Altar Flowers This Weekend
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*Jim and Willa McGarity
In Honor of Their
60th Wedding Anniversary*



DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS

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

All are welcome.



FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

Join us the first Saturday of each month following the 9:00 am Mass.

NOVEMBER 24, 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:

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Weekend of Nov 10, 2024

Offertory \$ 10,657

On Line \$ 3,812

Total \$ 14,469

2nd Coll: Camp. Human Dev.

Offertory \$ 629

On Line \$ 0

Total \$ 629

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collection

November 24, 2024 Thanksgiving Baskets for Needy

December 1, 2024 Building and Property Maint.

December 8, 2024 Retirement Fund for Religious

December 15, 2024 Christmas Baskets for the Needy

December 22, 2024 Christmas Flowers

The Children's Christmas Pageant is Wednesday, December 18th 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 4-5 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. 8, 10:30-10:50am
(Soloist Auditions—Dec. 8, 10:50am)
and Sun Dec. 15, 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



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Thanksgiving and Christmas Food Baskets

(2nd Collections Nov. 24, Dec. 15) .

This year we are taking up 2nd collections to donate food for the Holidays for those facing immediate hardship in our local community. We are working with the Lilburn Cooperative Ministry to provide 25 families with nutritious food and gift cards this year.

Thanks to all who give so generously!



St. John Neumann SVdP Food Pantry

The SVdP food pantry at St. John Neumann is running low on several items.

They are in need of:

Canned Fruit, Canned Vegetables,
Canned Tuna, Peanut Butter, Jelly
Toiletries

Please bring your pantry donations to St. John Neumann on Tuesdays from 6pm to 8pm and on Saturdays 10am to 12pm. St. John Neumann also has baskets at their lower hall for collections at any time while the church is open.

Thank you for your generosity



*Fr. Brian, the Deacons and staff
wish you and your families
a happy and safe Thanksgiving.*

The office will be closed at noon
November 27 through November 29
and will reopen Monday, December 1.

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