



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 AUGUST 31, 2025

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

"For everyone who exalts himself
will be humbled, but the one who
humbles himself will be exalted."

Luke 14:11





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 31, 2025
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
11:00 a.m.	Dcn. Evelio & Rosie Garcia-Carreras (L)
Monday	September 1, 2025
9:00 a.m.	Kathy Stearns (L)
Tuesday	September 2, 2025
9:00 a.m.	Alfred Laing ☩
Wednesday	September 3, 2025
9:00 a.m.	Dennis & Paul Magao ☩
Thursday	September 4, 2025
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	September 5, 2025
9:00 a.m.	Becky Fumei ☩
Saturday	September 6, 2025
9:00 a.m.	Maria Garcia ☩
5:00 p.m.	Hoa Nguyen (L)
Sunday	September 7, 2025
8:30 am	Charles Allred ☩
11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish



Apostles of the New Springtime

ALL NEW Fall Session Meets
Every Saturday Morning

7:30 - 9:00 am

(Free Breakfast will be served)

**Begins Saturday
September 6th, 2025**

**Featuring 10 Dynamic
Presenters**



Attention Men: Discover the victory of Jesus Christ over sin and death, the lives of the Apostles, a new springtime of Christianity and an encounter with the same Spirit that was poured out at Pentecost.

Free registration. Please sign up in the Narthex.

www.thatmanisyou.org



Charity Golf Tournament



Monday September 29, 2025

10:00 AM Shotgun Start

Register: www.LilburnGolf.com



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Hallow

St. Stephen the Martyr is thrilled to announce that we'll be partnering with Hallow this year, the #1 prayer app!

Through prayer and meditation rooted in the Catholic faith, Hallow helps people grow closer to God and find peace. All parishioners – paid subscribers and those on the **free version** – are invited to be a part of St. Stephen the Martyr's parish page in the app. There, you're able to create a profile, share prayer requests, and take part in prayer challenges together.

To join, visit hallow.com/parish, search (zip code is fastest), and follow the prompts. You'll be given a special trial which gives access to all the app's premium content. If you'd like to forgo and remain on the free version, simply hit "Skip" and you'll have access to our parish page.

Issues with app access? Contact parishsupport@hallow.app.

We look forward to praying with you!



The Parish Office will be closed
Monday, September 1st
In observance of
Labor Day

AUGUST 31, 2025

TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

TITHES & OFFERINGS

FREELY YOU HAVE RECEIVED. FREELY GIVE.

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Weekend of August 24, 2025		2nd Coll: LifeTeen/Edge.	
Offertory	\$ 7,760	Offertory	\$ 1,131
On Line	\$ 3,698	On Line	\$ 105
Total	\$11,458	Total	\$ 1,236

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collections

August 31, 2025	Catholic University of America
September 7, 2025	Building & Maintenance
September 14, 2025	Georgia Bulletin Subscription
September 14, 2025	SVdP Monthly Collection
September 21, 2025	No Second Collection

She Shall Be Called Woman: Season Three: "Love Unveiled" Thursdays, Beginning Sept 11, 2025 Fellowship Hall

7:00 pm —Social time and Snacks

7:20pm—Video Presentation

8:00pm -8:30pm— Small Groups

Grow in your spiritual life and to connect with the women of the parish. Contact Mary Lou Schwaner at MLSchwaner@outlook.com

If you are NEW to the "SHE" Program, use the QR code to register.

**All ladies are welcome!
Previous members: You
are already registered
into the program.**



FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

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

St. Stephen The Martyr 25th Anniversary Fall Picnic

Sat. September 20th

11:00 - 2:00PM



Free

Enjoy delicious Pork BBQ, hamburgers, drinks, ice cream and assorted Picnic fare prepared by the Knights of Columbus.

Kids Games, Crafts, Music and Family fun.

**Please RSVP on the sign-up sheets in the Narthex if you plan to join us.
Rain or Shine**

St. John Neumann Woman's Bible Study

Sept. 3, 2025 – April 29, 2026

(with Thanksgiving and Christmas Breaks)

Wednesdays (10:00 a.m. - Noon)

Ascension Press **Salvation History**. This study will teach you how to read and navigate the Bible in a way that will transform your life. All women welcome. Nursery provided. Contact Diane DeGaetano at 678-772-7734



St. Stephen's Knights of Columbus

Will Host

5th Sunday Rosary

on Sunday August 31, 2025

Following 11:00am Mass



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