


BINGO BABES – Winter BINGO sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary will be after the 4:00 pm Mass on Saturday, January 26, in St. Joseph Hall.

SISTERS IN CHRIST † The St. Patrick Ladies Auxiliary is creating a cookbook with some scrumptious recipes, memories, pictures or maybe a quote, tip or technique you have. We would like to ask all of you, the St. Patrick parishioners to share your favorite recipe or two, a quote or maybe a memory or picture while preparing this meal with us. In the vestibule you will find a Cookbook Form for you to complete. Please submit one form per recipe. You can submit your completed form via email to mrsandymontgomery@gmail.com or tasha@reparrish.com. Or place them in the box labeled St. Patrick Ladies Auxiliary Cookbook Recipes in the St. Joseph Hall. If you have any questions please see Roxanne Montgomery or Tasha Parrish. Thank you for your support of your St. Patrick Ladies Auxiliary This cookbook that will be coming out in April 2019.

 **SHAWL MINISTRY:** The Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet on Monday, January 14th at 6:30 pm. Interested in joining? Call Mary Evans.

PRAYER SHAWLS: If you know of someone who is sick or in the hospital in need of comfort and prayers please let us know. You can ask one of the members or call Mary Evans. We will ask you the person's name and try to get an item to you by the following weekend Mass. Keep in mind these items have been blessed and of course, should not be sold. Occasionally, we will have some available after the weekend Masses. Thank you.

Youth Scoops

SERVICE DRIVE: The SPIRIT “Service Drive,” is an opportunity that gives SPIRIT Youth the chance to help parishioners and other friends of SPIRIT with yard work, odd jobs, or other assistance in exchange for a donation to help offset SPIRIT functions. **No work too big and no donation too small.** If you have basic odd jobs you’d like help with, please contact Dale Blanchard to request help. Donations are requested at the end of the job.

GROWING THRU ACTION

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR NEW SEMINARIANS Pray a daily Rosary, maybe write to them, giving them your support to become good priests. Pray for others to select the priesthood as their vocation in life. Deacon Ward will be ordained a new Birmingham Diocesan priest in June 2019. **Charles Deering II**, at Notre Dame Seminary, 2901 S. Carrollton Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70118 **Matthew Gubenski, Doug Hess, Luis Reyes, Christian Padilla, Deacon Justin Ward**, at Pontifical College Josephinum, 7625 North High Street, Columbus, OH 43235 **Daniels Sessions** at Theological College, 401 Michigan Avenue, N. E., Washington, DC 20017 **Br. Romanus Davitt, OSB, Br. Dominic Lee, OSB, Br. Pascal Paulter, OSB**, at Belmont Abbey, 100 Belmont – Mt. Holly Road, Belmont, NC 28012

The Annual Respect Life Mass and March, led by Bishop Baker, will be on Saturday, January 12, 2019 at the Cathedral of St. Paul at 9 a.m. The Birmingham Rally and March for Life will begin at 10:45 a.m. at Brother Bryan Park. go to www.BirminghamMarchforLife.com for more information.

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH in Tuscaloosa is hosting its inaugural Spiritual Reflection Retreat on February 2, 2019, with our special guest speaker Dr. Ray Guarendi of EWTN’s “Living Right with Dr. Ray”. The retreat theme is “Spiritual Battle.” Events for the day will include a welcome reception starting at 8:00 A.M., lecture from Dr. Ray with Q&A, lunch, breakout small group sessions, adoration and reconciliation, and Holy Mass closing the retreat at 5:30 P.M. The registration fee is \$20. To register, visit: www.bit.ly/hs2019retreat .

PENNIES FROM HEAVEN We will continue to collect Pennies from Heaven and the Lavender Angels during the month of December for gifts for shut-ins and for those in need during the holidays. Please put your monetary donation in the envelope and place the Lavender Angel in the collection basket. THANK YOU for your support of this ministry and for your generosity. All funds not used for the above will be used to help our parishioners in need throughout the year as well as those in our community.



SPRINGFEST NEWS

Two of the new features of Springfest next year are **Clean out for Christ** and **Crafting for Christ**. It's time to begin to prepare for these important facets of our fundraiser and we need YOU to help! Donations for the Trash and Treasure booth will begin on January 1 and continue until Sunday, February 17. We are interested in any items that are "yard sale worthy" such as jewelry, children's clothes and games, household items, small furniture, seasonal items, home decor, adult shoes, books, DVD's and prom dresses. Please leave all items in the designated area in St. Joseph's Hall. Crafting for Christ - Calling all crafters in the Parish! We would love to feature your handmade treasures at Springfest this year. If you crochet, paint, sew, woodwork, build furniture, make wreaths, make jewelry or any type of craft and would donate an item or two for us to sell, please contact Margaret Pender at email m.pender@ymail.com

THE MAGNIFICAT PRAYER LUNCHEON will be held at Our Lady of Sorrows Parish Hall from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm on Saturday, January 26, 2019. Our speaker will be Father Justin Nelson Alphonse, C.P. Tickets are \$15 and are available by contacting Donna Chmielarski at (205) 408-0308 or from Alpha Church Supply. No tickets will be sold at the door.

VISITS TO THE SICK If you are ill and in need of the Sacraments and would like a visit from Fr. Vernon, he has asked that you (or an immediate family member if you are too ill) contact him through the church office. The surest way of getting the message to Father is by speaking to him personally during office hours or calling the church office and leaving a message either on the answering machine or with a member of the office staff.

DAILY MASS MINISTRY: Volunteers are needed to be Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers during Daily Mass. If you would like to serve please check in at the office 15 minutes before Mass begins.

LOST AND FOUND: There are several articles in lost and found. Please call the Church Office for assistance.

NEW CENSUS CARD PLEASE: If any of your information has changed, please take the time to fill out a new census card completely. Not sure? Fill one out anyway and don't forget to mark your choices on the privacy line. That is, let us know if we may share your address and phone information with your fellow parishioners. This line is located under the "Home phone/(S) email/Wife's Maiden Name" line



PRAYERFUL CONDOLENCES We offer our Deepest Prayers to the family of Mrs. Margie Lee; mother of Pegi Gilmore and Kathy Sheppard who died Thursday, January 3. Funeral arrangements are as follows at St. Patrick Church: **Public Visitation** - Sunday, January 6, 2:00 – 4:00 pm; **Office of the Dead** at 3:30 PM; **Mass of Resurrection:** Monday, January 7, 11:00 AM –Valhalla Funeral Home, Directing; **Burial:** Statesboro, Ga. May God Grant Her Eternal Rest!

PRAYERFUL CONDOLENCES We offer our Deepest Prayers to the family of Bob and Anita Dempsey on the death of her brother, Charles "Eddie" Lynn, who died on Wednesday, January 3, in Pensacola, Fl. Funeral arrangements are as follows at St. Patrick Church: Memorial Service, January 12, at 6:00 PM. He will be buried at a later date. May God Grant Him Eternal Rest!

2nd Collection

Capital
Improvement

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Weekly Mass Schedule

01/05	4:00 pm	Josphine Cullefer - †
01/06	10:00 am	Mass For People
01/07	No Mass	
01/08	9:00 am @ St. Stanislaus	
01/09	9:00 am	Josephine Romano
01/10	9:00 am	Etheleen Serio
01/11	9:00 am @ St Stanislaus	
01/12	4:00pm	Mass for the People
01/13	10:00 am	Nicki Brasfield



Weekly Events and Meetings

Sunday	January 6	10:00 am Mass	The Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord Children's Liturgy during Mass 8:00 AM Scripture Study Group
Monday	January 7		
Tuesday	January 8	9:00 am 6:00 pm	Mass (Saint Stanislaus) RCIA
Wednesday	January 9	9:00 am 6:30 pm 6:30 pm	Mass Faith Formation Donuts and Doctrine
Thursday	January 10	9:00 am 6:00 pm 6:00 pm	Mass Prayer Group SVDP
Friday	January 11	9:00 am	Mass (Saint Stanislaus)
Saturday	January 12	4:00 pm Mass	Vigil of The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord
Sunday	January 13	10:00 am Mass 11:15 am 12:00 – 5:00 pm	The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord St. Vincent De Paul Meeting Hall Rented