

# The Resurrection of the Lord

April 08, 2012



This Parish exists to carry out the mission of Our Lord Jesus Christ on Earth. By our participation in the Holy Mass, the perfect act of worship, the saving power of Jesus is realized in our individual lives, families, communities and in the world. Our outreach helps extend the reign of Jesus into all the dark corners of the world. As we gather as a family here in this holy place we experience a foretaste of our own destiny...Heaven! If you are a visitor, welcome! If you are a returning member, welcome home! We are really glad you're here. And remember, YOU are passionately loved by Jesus Christ.

**Very Reverend Vernon F. Huguley**

**PASTOR**

### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 10:00 am

Fellowship after each Mass in  
The St. Joseph Hall

Web Address  
[saintpatrickcc.com](http://saintpatrickcc.com)



*A Jewel in the Diocese*



**Readings for Next Weekend – Second Sunday of Easter**

**FIRST READING:** (Acts of the Apostles 4:32-35) **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**–(1 John 5:1-6) **Gospel**–(John 20:19-31 )

**PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE HOSPITAL OR ON HOSPICE:** Annie Slovensky and Marie Mackinaw. Please keep all the sick and their caregivers in your prayers.

**PRAYER BOOK:** The prayer book in the narthex is available for all prayer requests. Please pray daily for these requests.



**PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS:** Especially our families, friends and loved ones who are currently in active military service: Darren Armentrout (Stateside), Darryl Balcom (Stateside), Jeremy Barton (Stateside), Dane Blankenship (Stateside), Donnie Byrd (Kuwait) Aaron M. Causey (Stateside-Severely injured), Matt Causey (Stateside) Joseph Byrd (Stateside), Christopher Cates (Overseas), Ricky Copas (Germany) Joel Dill (Japan), Brian Gibson (Iraq), Heath Gober (Iraq), Michael Grinston (Afghanistan), Becky Hodges (England), Scott Jones (Stateside), Jenny Malone (Stateside), David Miller (Stateside), Richard Parvin (Qatar), Joey Serio (Iraq), Ben Perry (Qatar) and Justin Richerzhagen (Stateside). Please keep all of our brave men and women in your prayers. If you know of anyone who should be added to or removed from this list, please contact the church office.

**PLEDGE NEWS:** Please remember to complete your pledges as soon as possible. If you have not had the opportunity to pledge, there are pledge cards located in the narthex.



**PLEASE JOIN OUR PARISH!** We would love to have you as a registered member of St. Patrick. If you are attending Mass at St. Patrick and would like to join our parish, please, pick up a Census Card in the narthex, fill it out and put it in the collection basket. Not sure if you are on record? Contact the office at 798-5326.

**PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE UNABLE TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES** Joe Gagliano, Mary Milko, Margaret Monoske, Frances Myers, Lena Myers, George Plan, Ethel Pruitt, Ed Suchey, Elizabeth Sullivan, and Jessie White. Please keep these, all the homebound, and their caregivers in your prayers. If you know of any parishioner who should be added to or removed, please contact the office.

**SLOPPY KISSES:** If you by chance borrowed the book “Sloppy Kisses” from the St. Joseph Hall, please return it as soon as possible.

**JOURNEY WRAP-UP MEETING:** Season one of Journey will conclude with a covered dish supper and sharing session on Sunday April 15<sup>th</sup>. The meeting will begin at 5:00 in the St. Joseph Hall. Group leaders – please let your members know about this important opportunity to share your Journey experience with other participants. Watch the bulletin and the website for further details.

**JOURNEY GROUP LEADER MEETING** All Journey small group leaders are asked to attend a meeting on Monday, April 9th to evaluate the Journey program. The meeting will begin at 7:00 in the St. Joseph Hall. Your attendance and input is greatly appreciated.



**EASTER SUNDAY** The stone is rolled back, the tomb is empty! We are to go and tell the Good News. Rejoice in the power of the resurrection! Alleluia! (Mark 16:1-8) Let us pray for all who are welcomed into the Church that they may continue to go and tell the Good News. (Vocation View is sponsored by Serra Club)

### *Growing in Faith*

**Children's Liturgy of the Word** for ages pre-school to pre 1st Communion is held on Sunday mornings during Mass for Liturgy of the Word. Please be sure children have restroom breaks before Mass. Thank You.

**Faith Formation:** Classes resume this Wednesday, April 11th at 6:30 pm Sharp !!!!

**RCIA will not meet** this Tuesday. If you are interested in becoming a Catholic, or learning more about the Catholic Faith please contact Fr. Vernon, during regular office hours, or the Church office.

**2012 - 2013 Faith Formation Pre Registration** - Beginning in May, registration information for students (1st grade through 8th grade ) and Adult Volunteers will be available for the fall. In order to provide adequate teaching materials and plan for Staffing and Adult certification within the Diocesan guidelines, we would like to plan early. Registration fees for the upcoming year will be \$25 per child (with family discounts available). Based on the number of 1st level and 8th level students presently enrolled, our First Communion and Confirmation classes will be larger than we have had in the past. We are so blessed that parents are active in bringing our Parish children to weekly Faith Formation. We have had great response to the return of Children's Liturgy of the Word on Sunday mornings and will not be offering a Pre School Wednesday evening class in the fall. Children's Liturgy is for ages pre-school to pre First Communion on Sunday mornings during Mass. Thank you for the continuing education of our future church !!!

**SAINT ROSE ACADEMY** New Student Registration 4K-8<sup>th</sup> Grade - Since it's founding more than 50 years ago, Saint Rose Academy has enrolled students in grades 4K-8 for a dynamic academic experience in a joyful and formative Catholic environment. Under the direction of the Dominican Sisters of Saint Cecilia Congregation (the "Nashville Dominicans") and an outstanding faculty and staff, students receive an academically stimulating education that emphasizes the dignity of the human person and fosters an appreciation for all that is true, good, and beautiful. Saint Rose is located atop Red Mountain and overlooks downtown Birmingham. For registration information or to schedule a tour of Saint Rose, please call Vivian Hults at (205) 933-0549. Applications are available on our website at [www.saintroseacademy.com](http://www.saintroseacademy.com).

**MUSIC MATTERS:** Thank you to the Choir and Band for the beautiful music during Holy Week. Next Choir rehearsal is Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 am with Mass following at 10:00 am.

### **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 the SPIRIT Retreat. **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.

**SPIRIT RETREAT:** Our annual retreat is April 27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> 2012 at Hargis Retreat Center. Cost of the retreat is \$20 per person. Please get your money and registration form in by April 15<sup>th</sup>. For more info contact Dale @ 541-6597.



**TO THE ST. PATRICK YOUTH SPORTS FAMILY:** "Thank you so much for coming to the visitation for daddy. Your kindness and thoughtfulness means so much to me. Thank you also for the kind donation to the American Cancer Society. Love, Ric, Anne Marie, Matt, and Mike."

**YARD SALE!!** About to begin your spring cleaning? Need more room in your closets and cabinets? Then WE can help YOU help US!! St. Patrick Youth Sports and SPIRIT are teaming together to sponsor a Summer Yard Sale July 20 and 21, 2012, in the Family Life Center. We're accepting items in good condition such as knickknacks, household items, toys, ceramics, jewelry, books, magazines, small working appliances, tools, furniture, and any other "treasures" around your house that you no longer need. All donations are appreciated. Please note that we cannot use clothing, shoes, broken toys, or items that need repair. Please mark your items "Yard Sale" and bring them to the St. Joseph Hall. If necessary, we will come to you and pick up your

donation, and a receipt for contributions, upon request, will be provided. If you have questions, please call Sue Dobson (491.1704), Maria Whitaker (780.5511), or Kevin Whitaker (608.0119). Remember, mark your calendar for Friday and Saturday, July 20, and 21, 2012, for the Yard Sale -- but please send your donations NOW!!

#### **KNIGHTLY NEWS**

**SCHOLARSHIP:** Applications are now being accepted for the Knights of Columbus

Council 10567 Louis N. Muro Memorial Scholarship. Requirements are: (1) The applicant must be a high school senior with at least a 2.5 Grade Point Average. (2) The applicant must be an active member of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Adamsville. (3) The applicant must provide proof of completion of at least 25 service hours performed during junior and senior high school years. (4) The applicant must have plans to attend a four-year college or junior college after graduation from high school. (5) The applicant must be willing to attend an interview session with designated members of Knights of Columbus Council 10567. Deadline for application submission is April 15. Go to [www.saintpatrickcc.com/knightsscholarship](http://www.saintpatrickcc.com/knightsscholarship) to get an application or contact Louis J. Muro at 647-3999 or at [louismuro@bellsouth.net](mailto:louismuro@bellsouth.net).

**KNIGHTS MEETING:** The Knights of Columbus will hold their monthly meeting on Thursday, April 12<sup>th</sup>.

**LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING:** The Ladies Auxiliary will meet Thursday, April 12<sup>th</sup>.



**PILGRIMAGE TO THE CANONIZATION OF KATERI TEKAKWITHA.** Join the Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions for a pilgrimage to Rome, Italy and be in St. Peter's Square with Pope Benedict XVI for the Canonization of Kateri Tekakwitha along with 6 others, including Mother Marianne Cope (1838 – 1918) of the Order of St. Francis. A native of Utica, New York Mother Marianne took Fr. Damien's place after his death from Leprosy and worked with those suffering from Leprosy on the Hawaiian islands for the next 30 year. The trip also includes visits to Vatican City, Vatican Museum, Classical Rome, the Basilicas of St. Francis of Assisi and of St. Anthony of Padua, plus more. There is a 7 and an 11 day option. With cost starting at \$1,985.00 per person for double occupancy. For more information please see the bulletin board or call the church office. For more information on the Miraculous cure of a 7 year old boy attributed to her intercession go to [http://www.sspix.org/news/kateri\\_tekakwitha\\_miracle-12-22-2011.htm](http://www.sspix.org/news/kateri_tekakwitha_miracle-12-22-2011.htm)



## GROWING THRU ACTION

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY:** The Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet Monday, April 9th. If you are interested in joining, just give me a call 491-2291. Mary Evans.

**ATTENTION CATHOLIC SINGLES:** Interested in joining an excellent Catholic singles organization? The Catholic Alumni Club International is looking to expand into the Birmingham diocese. We provide a group dedicated to social, cultural, civic and spiritual relationships in a Catholic setting. For more information, please check out the following site or contact Steve at [valksr@yahoo.com](mailto:valksr@yahoo.com): [www.caci.org](http://www.caci.org)

**50<sup>th</sup> HIGH SCHOOL REUNION:** The 1962 graduating Class of John Carroll High School will have its 50th High School Reunion on Friday and Saturday, June 15 and 16, 2012. For more information please call the office.

**JOURNEY IN ACTION:** As part of the Lenten Journey challenge, the Gardendale group made baskets for several of our parishioners who are ill and/or homebound. The baskets were filled with goodies and personal care items. The entire group met on Sunday afternoon to personally deliver the baskets. Thanks, Gardendale Journey group, for your inspiration and creative good deed! How have you served your fellow parishioners this Lent?

**NEW BIBLE STUDY AT ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH:** *Jesus is Risen, Alleluia!* But now if you want to know the rest of the story, come join us for a Summer Bible study on The Acts of the Apostles. "Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom" is the third in the Great Adventure DVD series led by Jeff Cavins. It follows the journeys of the Apostles as they preach the Good News and expand the Kingdom of Heaven throughout the earth. We'll be meeting Tuesday nights in the Mary Room at 6:30 starting May 8. Call or email Mark McCoy at 661-3693 or [SFXBibleStudy@gmail.com](mailto:SFXBibleStudy@gmail.com).



Happy Easter! Easter is a time when we rejoice in thanksgiving for what the Lord has done for each and every one of us. God is good and he never stops being good to his people. Let us take time today to shout to God thank you for his wonderful works! My hat is off to all of you who participated in our annual Lenten Day of Service. I am grateful to Phillip Troha, Rob Smith and Fred Deason for their planning and coordinating of the day. Our church is shining because of all of your hard and dedicated work.

Thanks also to all of you who offered me Easter Blessings as well as Birthday wishes, may God Bless you for your kindness. As always my prayer is that God will continue to watch over you and your family and give you peace!

### *An Easter Prayer for You!:*

*Dear Lord,  
We offer you our thanks.  
Upon this Easter day,  
For the miracles you have wrought  
And Blessings You send our way.  
We thank you for our blossoming world,  
For eyes with which to see,  
Created by your blessed hands...*

*Our Lord of humility,  
And everyplace where we may go,  
In all we say and do,  
Let our deeds be such that they  
Reflect the Spirit of You!  
Gene Appleby*



# SPRINGFEST 2012

May 20<sup>th</sup>

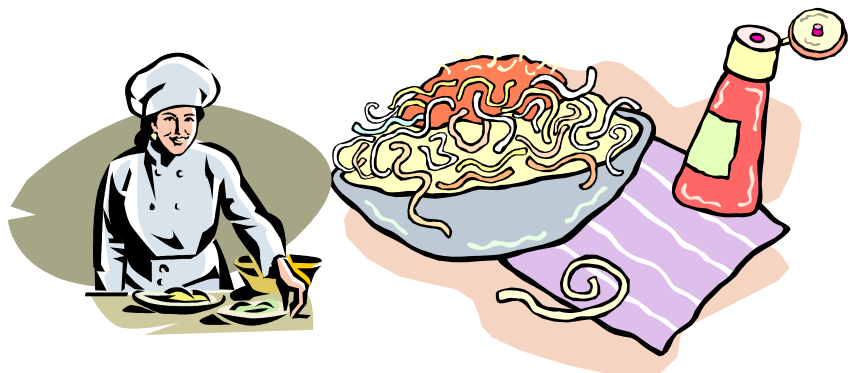


**SPRINGFEST!** will have a "Special Feature" this Year! We will offer a Spaghetti Lunch (take out only) on Friday May 18<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am to 1:30 pm. All orders must be placed before Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>. The Cost is \$10.00 per plate. Spaghetti w/2 large Meatballs, Garlic Bread and Dessert. Our Goal is to have our parishioners take orders from your business or work place and take a long lunch hour and come and pick up your orders for your work place. Local delivery will be available on orders of 10 or more dinners going to the same address. I will need volunteers for Friday morning the 18<sup>th</sup> of May for assembling the to-go plates as well as all available parishioners who can deliver to the local businesses. If anyone is able to drive to deliver to businesses in the area we need you also. If you can work or drive for this day please notify me at [pwehby@thwinc.com](mailto:pwehby@thwinc.com) ; [pattywehby@yahoo.com](mailto:pattywehby@yahoo.com) or 205-531-8190 or let Pegi know at the church office. Thanks for your prompt and upmost attention to this matter.

**AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED FOR OUR MINI SPRINGFEST:** We are looking for items suitable for use in the silent auction. If you have any items to donate or know of any business that might make a donation, please contact Margaret Pender 648-1630-(Home) 903-8993-(Cell ) 791-2261- (work) or email [mpender@chathamsteel.com](mailto:mpender@chathamsteel.com). Remember, you took the pledge!

**RAFFLE TICKETS** were first distributed to parishioners March 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>. If you have not picked up yours or if you are a new parishioner registered within the last 12 months, Please see Gaeton Conte during the week at church or after each Mass for your tickets to sell. If you need more tickets to sell see Gaeton Conte and remember, Sell, Sell, Sell!

**SPAGETTI DINNER WORKDAY:** There will be a workday on Saturday April 14<sup>th</sup> starting at 8am to approx. 12:00 noon. We will be preparing the meatballs for our mini Springfest. This will be the only work day prior to the week of Springfest. Please come to help "Many Hands Makes Light Work".



## Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday	04/07	7:15 pm	Mass for the People
Sunday	04/08	10:00 am	Mass for the People
Monday	04/09	<b>No Mass</b>	
Tuesday	04/10	No Mass	
Wednesday	04/11	<b><u>No Mass</u></b>	
Thursday	04/12	No Mass	
Friday	04/13	No Mass	
Saturday	04/14	4:00 pm	Rose Taylor - †
Sunday	04/15	10:00 am	Mass for the People



## Weekly Events and Meetings

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Apr. 08</b>	<b>Mass of the Resurrection – Mass 10:00 am</b> Bible Study 8:30 am
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Apr. 09</b>	Shawl Ministry
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Apr. 10</b>	<b>No RCIA</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Apr. 11</b>	<b>Mass 9:00 am</b> Legion of Mary 9:45 am Faith Formation 6:30 Sharp!
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Apr. 12</b>	<b>Knights of Columbus Meeting</b> <b>Ladies Auxiliary Meeting</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Apr. 13</b>	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Apr. 14</b>	<b>Vigil of the Second Sunday of Easter – Mass 7:15 pm</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Apr. 15</b>	<b>Second Sunday of Easter – Mass 10:00 am</b>

**BULLETIN NOTICES:** Please have all bulletin notices in the office **by Noon on Wednesday.**

**WHEELCHAIR:** A wheelchair is in the Cry Room, available for Emergencies Only.

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

**DAILY MASS-ROSARY-NOVENA PRAYER:** Daily Mass is at 9 am Wednesday & Thursday and at 10:00 am on First Fridays (Unless otherwise posted under the Weekly Mass Schedule above.) A Rosary, the Daily Prayer for Vocations, and the Miraculous Medal Novena Prayer will be prayed 30 minutes before Daily Mass begins. A Rosary is prayed at 9:30 a.m. in the chapel every Sunday morning. Volunteers are requested to lead the Rosary at each occasion. The Primary Intention of the Rosary prayed is: ‘An End to Abortion’.

**DAILY MASS MINISTRY:** Volunteers are needed to be Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers during Daily Mass. If you would like to serve please check the sign-in sheet in the narthex. If no one is down to serve, just sign your name.

**WE NEED CANS:** Please save aluminum cans for recycling and place them in the metal bin in the Northwest corner of the upper parking lot or in the yellow plastic can inside the kitchen door. All proceeds from their sale are divided between SPIRIT Youth and Faith Formation. Please help us reduce processing time by rinsing the cans but do not crush. Our crushing machine works with cans near their original shape. Your donation and your help are much appreciated.

**PLEASE DO NOT PUT PAPER IN THE ALUMINUM CAN RECYCLING BIN. THANK YOU.**