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DAILY MASS

Monday 9:00 AM
Tuesday 12:15 PM
Wednesday 12:15 PM
Thursday No Mass
Friday 9:00 AM
**We will only offer daily Mass on 5/28 this week.*

VIGIL MASS

Saturday 5:00 PM

SUNDAY MASSES

9:00 AM and 12:00 PM

ADORATION

Fridays 9:30 AM
**in the Chapel*

OFFICE HOURS & INFO

Monday, Tuesday,
Wednesday, Friday:
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Closed Thursdays
Weekly Staff Meeting:
Tuesdays at 10:00 AM
*If you need to contact us, please
leave a message.*

www.St-Annas.com

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**FOR SACRAMENTAL
EMERGENCIES
PLEASE CALL:
706-688-9870**

**SAVE THE DATE:
St. Anna's Feast Day:
July 28th!**

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday 3:30-4:30 PM or by appointment.

INFANT BAPTISM

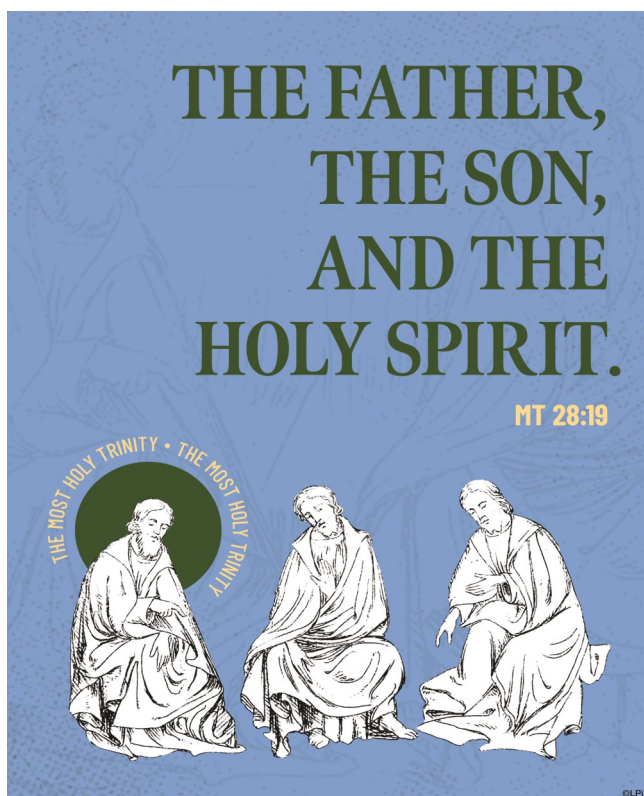
Catholic parents must be active, registered and participate in a Baptism class. Please, call the office to schedule.

MARRIAGE

Call at least six months before proposed date. Catholics must be active and registered!

RCIA

Open to those inquiring about the Catholic Faith.
Tuesdays (Sept.-April) 7:00PM



If you become aware of or have a reasonable suspicion of abuse you are required to report within 24 hours by Georgia law. Reports of child abuse and neglect can be made by phone to 1-855-GA CHILD (1-855-422-4453) 24 hours/day, 7 days/week. Archdiocesan policy requires a follow up letter to be sent to your local DFCS office detailing all the information provided to the intake center in order to keep records of our response to allegations of abuse. A copy of the letter also needs to be sent to the Office of Child and Youth Protection.

If an allegation of abuse involves any member of the clergy, employee, or volunteer of the Archdiocese of Atlanta, you must contact the Office of the District Attorney and the Office of Child and Youth Protection in addition to DFCS within 24 hours.



May 26th 2024 | The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

	Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM:	Mother's Day Novena
	Sunday 9:00 AM:	For the Parishioners of St. Anna's
	Sunday 12:00 PM:	John Paul Luti Sr.
	Monday 9:00 AM:	No Mass
	Tuesday 12:15 PM:	Reparations for Blessed Sacrament
	Wednesday 12:15 PM:	No Mass
	Friday 9:00 AM:	No Mass

We will only offer a public daily Mass on Tuesday, May 28th. This Mass will be celebrated by Father Howard. Father Randy will be away at a conference Monday through Friday. Let us pray for his safe return.

MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA SAVE THE DATE:

Happy Mother's Day to the Moms of St. Anna's!

We will offer a special novena for those who sent in names. The dates are as follows: 5/13, 5/14, 5/20, 5/21, 5/25, 5/31, 6/2, 6/4, 6/5 & 6/7—during regular scheduled Mass times. *Changes made to dates, please check.



SCHOOL OF RELIGION LITURGICAL LIVING NEWS:

2024 VBS UPDATE: If you are interested in VOLUNTEERING at VBS this summer, please make note of the dates of our planning meeting: **Tues. May 28th**, and June 18th. All meetings are at 7:00 PM in room 107/108. There is an additional set-up meeting on Saturday, June 22nd, at Noon. Teens who volunteer for the whole week receive FORTY SERVICE HOURS! For more information, contact Heather Stewart:

hstewart@st-annas.com

REGISTRATION FOR CAMPERS:

Registration is now open. Forms are available in the narthex. Please register by June 7th to ensure that your child receives a t-shirt.

See the blog for more! You can access the blog by scanning the QR code with your phone or visiting the following web address: <https://www.st-annas.com/liturgical-living-5/>
Live your faith out loud!



SCAN ME

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2024 NEWLY CONFIRMED:

Aubaine Bakorongotane: St. Michael
Dinara Fernando: St. Anne
Joel Hernandez: St. Sebastian
Sophia Jahns: St. Julian
Rachel Raimondi: St. Anna*
Paola Ruiz: St. Jude
Xiomara Solis: St. Cecilia
Finlee Thompson: St. Gianna
Ford Thompson: St. Benedict
Gabriel Torres: St. Judas Tadeo
Blaise Trinh: St. Isadore
Kaylie Weaver: St. Joseph of Cupertino



YOUTH MEALS: We are still doing a meal train for our youth groups. If you are interested in donating or making a meal please contact Heather Stewart: hstewart@st-annas.com ; Miranda Marlowe: emmarlowe@st-annas.com or Lisa Dibble: ldibble@st-annas.com

YOUTH GROUP (8-12TH)

MAY MEET UPS

Wednesdays at 6:30PM

6/5, 6/12, 6/19

ldibble@st-annas.com

RIISING YOUTH (4-7TH)

MAY MEET UPS

Sundays at 5:00PM

5/26

emmarlowe@st-annas.com

IN PEW OFFERTORY RECAP:

05/26/2024:

You can give online by scanning the QR!

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTION:

6/2/2024—Father's Day

6/30/2024—Peter's Pence



THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED MAY 27TH

ST. CECILIA'S CORNER: Just where are we in the liturgical year? So, we just finished Pentecost and thus the Easter season has concluded. We have seen the resurrected Jesus, celebrated the coming of the Holy Spirit and are left with a kind of liturgical hangover. But never fear, there is just a little more to see before Ordinary Time returns. The feast of the Trinity is an idea feast....in other words, the Trinity is a theological paradigm used to describe the relationship between the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Though rooted in scripture, it is one of the "essential elements" that distinguish Christianity from other monotheistic faiths. The Holy Trinity is a lesson also in mystery, for if you go too far in any direction regarding the Trinity, you border on heresy. As one of my friends says, "In the end it is a holy and blessed mystery." I could not agree more.

We owe the Feast of Corpus Christi (Body and blood of Christ) to the genius and prayer of St. Thomas Aquinas. Many people know of Aquinas through his theology. But far fewer are familiar with his hymn and prayer writing. Aquinas composed so much that we really owe him a debt of gratitude for this feast. He loved and adored the Eucharist and spent much time in front of it, adoring and contemplating it. Aquinas loved the Mass and wrote lovingly about it. We profit from his contemplation.

Nevertheless, the rhythm of the liturgy lets down through the summer months as we enter Ordinary Time. Ordinary Time (Meaning counted Sundays) allows the Church to begin to reflect on all that salvation offers to us. We can say with glad hearts "Thanks be to God" as we end each liturgy. - Kevin

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION: On June 2nd, we invite our parish family to join us in a Eucharistic procession. We will meet at 10:15AM at the bank parking between Lumpkin and Washington St. downtown Monroe. For our procession we will be walking from the parking lots to the Historic Courthouse for Benediction. Please be mindful to stay on the sidewalk and do not cross Highway 11. We encourage our entire parish to join us after the 9AM Mass. We would also like to invite all of our altar servers to participate in the procession. Please contact Delilah if you have any questions.



LITURGY VOLUNTEERS: Please submit the dates you are unavailable for June—August. The new schedule will be sent out on Wednesday, next week.

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POPE FRANCIS' MAY PRAYER INTENTION:

For the formation of religious and seminarians—We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel. *Amen.*

"WHEN ALL CHRISTENDOM WAS CATHOLIC":

Alan Farabaugh, Faith Director of St. Anna's council #14425, over three evenings in May, will present in brief, the early Church Fathers' application of the faith to the human condition: not so different from our own today. These were men who by AD 150 wrote: the first catechism, the instructions on how to conduct worship, and the Church teaching on abortion, contraception, papal authority, the True Presence in the Eucharist and more. Come for a fast-paced review of the first 800 years and leave with a "pocket full" of apologetics for your personal defense of our Catholic Faith. Meet at St Anna's Parish Hall. May 28th from 7pm until 8pm

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT: This silent prayer practice, with its roots in our Catholic Church, was practiced by the early "Fathers and Mothers of the Desert" over 1700 years ago. St. Anna's Centering Prayer meets every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in the chapel and on ZOOM. The coordinator for this group is Thomas Brown, you may contact him via email: thomasjbrown@email.com



FRIENDS OF THE HEART: Save the Date: 6:00PM June 13th. All ladies of our parish are welcome to come.

VIRTUS TRAINING: We will offer VIRTUS Training for anyone in need on Saturday, June 8th at 1:00PM in room 107/8. All VBS volunteers must be VIRTUS certified. Please visit: www.virtus.org to sign up. If you have any questions please contact Heather: hstewart@st-annas.com



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS # 14425:

Congratulations for winning the Faith in Action "Life" Award. Our Knights won First place out of 116 councils. Come check out the billboard on Highway 78! Thank you to the committee, parishioners and those in our community that made this work possible for God's glory!



WEEKLY MEETINGS MAY 26TH - JUNE 1ST

Sunday:

Mass—9:00AM
Mass—12:00PM
Rising Youth—5:00PM

Monday:

NO MASS
KOC Assembly mtg. 7:00PM^{107/8}

Tuesday:

Mass—12:15PM- (Father Howard)
KOC COR 7:00PM^(PH)
VBS Planning 7:00PM^(107/8)

Wednesday:

NO MASS
Adult Choir—7:00PM

Thursday:

OFFICE CLOSED
NO MASS

Friday:

No Mass
No Adoration

Saturday:

Reconciliation 3:30-4:30PM
Vigil Mass—5:00PM

ROSARY RECITATION UPDATE:

Hello, Marian devotees and fans of the Rosary. How wonderful and helpful our Lady is to us, and how much good she can do for us through her intercession to Jesus on our behalf. All we have to do is to be like little children, trusting in our Mother's love and concern. During the Marian month of May, we will pray the Rosary before each Mass, starting 40 minutes before Mass. Members of our Respect Life Committee (Chaired by Patricia Buttner) and the Ladies of the Knights (Chaired by Sally Constantino) will be leading each rosary. If you are not a member of those groups but YOU would like to lead the Rosary, please, please let me know and we will sign you up!! *We would love to have your participation.* The Rosary we will be following is the Pro-Life Rosary and you can find that in the drawer under the TV screen in the Narthex. You simply follow that tri-fold and you will be a Pro! For more information, contact Bruce at BruceSabatino@gmail.com or 770-207-0261 for Hayne Palmer.

FATHER RANDY'S ORDINATION:

On June 2nd, Father will be celebrating the 23rd anniversary of his ordination! Be sure to wish him a happy ordination day!



How wonderful it is to know a priest that serves the Lord, such as you. Your dedication and fervent work are a blessing. And on your Anniversary, may God grant you His peace and joy.

Psalm 61:8



SAINT OF THE WEEK:



Blessed Mary Magdalene of the Incarnation was an Italian sister who founded the Order of the Sisters of Perpetual Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament. After many ecstatic visions of Jesus, she knew her life's mission would be to make Christ in the Eucharist available to everyone.

PRAYER OF THE TRINITY:

What a mystery you are, God. God the Father, help me to root my identity in You as my Father. God the Son, help me to live as Your beloved. God the holy Spirit, help me to know You as closely as the breath in my lungs. Amen

LIVE THE LITURGY:

We are children of God, and as His children God shares with us a magnificent inheritance: suffering that becomes glory, fear that becomes strength, death that becomes life. With this mighty gift in our hearts, let us go confidently into the world.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 26TH 2024

Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22 (12b)/Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20

Monday: 1 Pt 1:3-9/Ps 111:1-2, 5-6, 9 and 10c/Mk 10:17-27

Tuesday: 1 Pt 1:10-16/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: 1 Pt 1:18-25/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Mk 10:32-45

Thursday: 1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12/Ps 100:2, 3, 4, 5/Mk 10:46-52

Friday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 1:39-56

Saturday: Jude 17, 20b-25/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 11:27-33

Next Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18 (13)/Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

****PLEASE DO NOT FEED ELIJAH OR JOEY****

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