

Date	Holy Mass Intentions		Events
<p>Saturday February 18</p> <p><i>Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p>	<p>4:00 p.m. For the special intentions of Mark Burke, Deacon Steve Bek and Nick Tenerelli</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Vicenté-Martin family</p>	<p>Isaiah 43: 18-19, 22, 24b-25 Psalm 41: 2-5, 13-14 2 Corinthians 1: 18-22 Mark 2: 1-12</p>	<p>Women's Altar Rosary Guild Bake Shoppe after the 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Holy Masses</p>
<p>Sunday February 19</p> <p><i>Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p>	<p>8:00 a.m. For the special intentions of the Terrell family</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Parishioners (L&amp;D)</p> <p>5:00 p.m. ✠ Walter DeHosse</p>	<p>Isaiah 43: 18-19, 21-22, 24b-25 Psalm 41: 2-5, 13-14 2 Corinthians 1: 18-22 Mark 2: 1-12</p>	<p>NO Religious Education Classes Women's Altar Rosary Guild Bake Shoppe after the 8 a.m. &amp; 10:30 a.m. Holy Masses RCIA Rite of Sending during the 10:30 a.m. Holy Mass</p>
<p>Monday February 20</p>	<p>9:30 a.m. In thanksgiving to St. Jude</p>	<p>James 3: 13-18 Psalm 19: 8-10, 15 Mark 9: 14-29</p>	<p>Women's Altar Rosary Guild Light refreshments 6:30 p.m. Rosary 7 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p>Tuesday February 21</p> <p><i>St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i></p>		<p>James 4: 1-10 Psalm 55: 7-11, 23 Mark 9: 30-37</p>	
<p>Wednesday February 22</p>	<p>12 Noon For the special intentions of Fr. Adrian Pleus</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Parishioners (L&amp;D)</p>	<p>Joel 2: 12-18 Psalm 51: 3-6a, 12-14, 17 2 Corinthians 5: 20--6: 2 Matthew 6: 1-6, 16-18</p>	<p>NO Religious Education Classes Ash Wednesday Holy Masses at 12 Noon and 6:30 p.m. Rosary for Priests after Holy Mass</p>
<p>Thursday February 23</p> <p><i>St. Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr</i></p>	<p>9:30 a.m. ✠ Michael, James and Jerry Stewart</p>	<p>Deuteronomy 30: 15-20 Psalm 1: 1-4, 6 Luke 9: 22-25</p>	
<p>Friday February 24</p>	<p>9:30 a.m. ✠ Joseph Adams Sr.</p>	<p>Isaiah 58: 1-9a Psalm 51: 3-6a, 18-19 Matthew 9: 14-15</p>	<p>Simple Supper 6:15 p.m. Stations of the Cross 7 p.m.</p>
<p>Saturday February 25</p>		<p>Isaiah 58: 9b-14 Psalm 86: 1-6 Luke 5: 27-32</p>	

**Readings for 2/26/2012**

**Genesis 9: 8-15      Psalm 25: 4-9**  
**1 Peter 3: 18-22    Mark 1: 12-15**

**Announcements of upcoming events for the bulletin must be received no later than noon on Sunday, prior to the event, to [svdpaa@bellsouth.net](mailto:svdpaa@bellsouth.net).**

**FOR ALL OUR DEARLY BELOVED DEPARTED**

Please remember, the names of those who have passed from this life to the next will remain on the bulletin necrology for nine weeks. They will then be transferred to the permanent parish necrology, also known as the Book of the Dead.

*Lord Jesus, remember especially in loving mercy:*

**Archbishop John F. Donoghue, Mary Elizabeth & Florence Hommick, Doris Brock, Brian Cordivari, Christopher Richards, Alice Segreto, Mark Delitzia, William DeWitt, Narduccio Mercone, Lee Maloney, James Sim, Walter DeHosse, Edmund Stawicki, Joseph Del Sordo, Elizabeth Rafferty, Kathleen Lock, Cecile E. Pilotte, Jean Finkler, Ann O'Brien, Carol Sunday, Jeanne Schehr, Joseph Giambone, Catherine Catti, Frances Biondo, Carolyn Blowers, Joseph Adams Sr., Gail Thomas, Edith Dean, Anne Palcak, Matthew Johnson, David Berg, Jose Paez, Sr. M. Rupert, Tona Rogers, Blaine Cancro, Roman Gongoleski, Michael, James & Jerry Stewart and all the departed who have gone before us.**

**Altar Servers Needed**

An Altar Server training class will take place on Saturday, March 17th at 10 a.m., for any young men who have received First Eucharist, interested in serving the Lord. Please contact Dave Krut at: (770) 974-3665 or [dkrut@us.ibm.com](mailto:dkrut@us.ibm.com) for additional information or questions.

**Starting this Lenten Season the Monday Holy Mass time is permanently changing to 12 noon with the first date being February 27th.**

**Home Schoolers**

Families who are home schooling children in preparation for the sacraments of Reconciliation and First Eucharist must contact the Religious Education Office during business hours **ASAP concerning the planning and preparation for these sacraments. First Eucharist will take place Saturday, April 28th and May 5th.**



**IN YOUR PRAYERS...**



To request prayers for yourself or for loved ones who are sick or who have special intentions, please list their name in the Book of Petitions located on the table across from Fr. Adrian's office. Prayer intentions will be listed in the bulletin for one week and will remain in the Book of Petitions for a period of six months. Names listed before Monday will be printed in the bulletin the following weekend.

**Deacon Steve Bek, Rita Bek, Ron Knapp, Sal Galletto, Rick Dannehold, Tim Davis, John Brooks, Callie Anderson, George & Carol Lynn, Matthew Lynn, James L. VanderHoff, Susan Plesko, Irene Severson, Kim Dannehold, Diane DeHosse, Shannon Robinson, Bob Gerwell, Fr. Omar Loggioldice, Frank Gentile, Margo Charlebois, Anthony Melillo, Linda Dumas, Bobbie Peppers, Kathy Dillon, RoseMarie Moffa, Jo Ann Gulas, Shilah Copeland, Nik Pirnik, Kevin Gaffney and all of our family and friends who are ill but not listed.**

*We ask the Lord to grant them comfort and healing.*



**BAPTISM**

To schedule a baptism you must attend one of the baptism preparation classes listed below. Parents and godparents must register in the parish office to attend. Baptisms will be scheduled after you have attended the class and turned in the necessary paperwork: St. Vincent de Paul parish registration packet (if the family is not already registered), baptism registration form and sponsor certificates for the godmother and godfather.

**No classes in February**  
Sunday, March 18 at 12 noon  
Saturday, March 24 at 7:15 p.m. (en español)  
Saturday April 21 at 2 p.m.



## Ministry Schedule

### Saturday, Feb. 25th 4 p.m. Holy Mass

**Deacon:** Deacon Jose Perez  
**Lectors:** Nick Forte Nick Forte

**E.O.M.H.C.:**

**Eucharistic Guardians:** Sal Galletto Margo Hagan  
**Servers:** Juan Carlos Pacheco Ryhs Lawlor  
**Ushers:** Bill Gilbert Dave Gover  
**Set Up:** Margo & Charlie Hagan  
**Greeter:** Margo & Charlie Hagan

### Saturday, Feb. 25th 6 p.m. Holy Mass

**Deacon:** Deacon Jose Perez  
**Lectors:** Javier Garcia Maira Rodriguez

**E.O.M.H.C.:**

**Eucharistic Guardians:** Elvira Monje Carmen Perez  
**Servers:** Jaime Pinedo Bryce & Victoria Perez  
**Ushers:** Adolfo Fuentes Sr.  
**Set Up:** Carmen & Deacon Jose Perez  
**Greeter:** Need a volunteer

### Sunday, Feb. 26th 8 a.m. Holy Mass

**Deacon:**  
**Lectors:** Bob Strauss Vicki Tuck  
**E.O.M.H.C.:** Millie Reisinger  
**Eucharistic Guardians:** Bonnie Young Carol Hommick  
**Servers:** Jacob Tuck Alex & Nicholas Tuck  
**Ushers:** Tony Pucci Bob Strauss  
**Set Up:** Carol Hommick  
**Greeter:** Joyce Fowler

### Sunday, Feb. 26th 10:30 a.m. Holy Mass

**Deacon:** Deacon Steve Bek  
**Lectors:** Jeanne Taylor Randy Brown  
**E.O.M.H.C.:** Pam & Larry Kropff  
**Eucharistic Guardians:** Theresa Dodd, Mike Wolven, Bob Babecka  
**Servers:** Alex Moore Eric Moore & Bobby Hightower  
**Ushers:** Antoine Akesse Nikki Evangelista  
**Set Up:** Mary & Jim Berg  
**Greeter:** Nadine McHatton

### Sunday, Feb. 26th 5 p.m. Holy Mass

**Deacon:** Deacon Jim McDermott  
**Lectors:** Mary Selano Kathryn Kolencik  
**E.O.M.H.C.:**  
**Eucharistic Guardians:** Wendy Ragsdale Lorraine Dannehold  
**Servers:** Jose Palacios Ethan & Andrew Valbuena  
**Ushers:** David Lojo Catherine Gallagher  
**Set Up:** Lorraine Dannehold  
**Greeter:** Need a volunteer

The ministry schedule is also available on-line at [www.saintvincentdepaulchurch.org](http://www.saintvincentdepaulchurch.org).

**A basket is located in the narthex to collect blessed palms that were received last year on Palm Sunday. Please make every effort to return them so that they may be reverently burned or buried.**



## Bible Study



Bible study is held on Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. in classroom 6. Everyone is invited to join us and please bring your bible.

## AARP Driving Course

The AARP Driver Safety Program is the nation's first and largest refresher course for drivers that has helped millions of drivers remain safe on today's roads. Though geared for drivers age 50 and older, the course is open to anyone over the age of 24. The cost is \$12.00 for members and \$14.00 for non-members. AARP membership is not required to take the course. The course will be held on **Saturday, March 10th** in classroom 6, now a one-day event, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. To sign up for the course or for more information call Debbie Ruch at (770) 445-5867.



## Lenten Guidelines



**Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fasting and abstinence. Fridays of Lent are also days of abstinence. Fasting is to be observed by all 18 years of age or older who have not yet celebrated their 60th birthday. On a day of fasting, one full meal is allowed. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted but liquids, including milk and juices, are allowed. Abstinence is observed by all 14 years of age and older, on days of abstinence, no meat is allowed. Note that when health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige. When in doubt concerning fast and abstinence, the parish priest should be consulted. Prayer, fasting, almsgiving and penance are traditional disciplines of Lent. The faithful and catechumens should undertake these practices seriously in a spirit of penance and preparation for baptism or a renewal of baptism at Easter.**



## St. Vincent de Paul Society

We hear of families for whom forgiveness is not possible. Family members haven't spoken to each other for years. Alienation has become such a part of the family history that it seems almost impossible to overcome. We humans seem to have a hard time forgiving. Not so with God. God is merciful and forgives us our sins. In the Our Father we pray that God forgive us as we forgive others. More important than "measuring" God's offer of forgiveness by our own, this line of the prayer reminds us that forgiving is a divine act of mercy. When we forgive others we are acting in and by God's power.

## CONGRATULATIONS

*We would like to congratulate those who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday, February 12th:*

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| <i>Michelle Albizu</i>    | <i>Brianna Hartdegen</i>  |
| <i>Breana Albizu</i>      | <i>Jacqueline Higgins</i> |
| <i>Phillip Altimari</i>   | <i>Thomas Kennington</i>  |
| <i>Norberto Ayala</i>     | <i>Alaina Kusek</i>       |
| <i>Ian Baerwalde</i>      | <i>Jorge Martinez</i>     |
| <i>Rebecca Biggie</i>     | <i>Rebecca McKay</i>      |
| <i>Kristen Brown</i>      | <i>Michael McIntyre</i>   |
| <i>Nicolas Carney</i>     | <i>Alex Moore</i>         |
| <i>Damon Cowan</i>        | <i>Valeria Palacios</i>   |
| <i>Seth Cowan</i>         | <i>Alannah Parmer</i>     |
| <i>Matthew DeThomas</i>   | <i>Victoria Pérez</i>     |
| <i>Thomas Dodd</i>        | <i>Jaime Pinedo</i>       |
| <i>Christopher Dupaty</i> | <i>Justin Rodriguez</i>   |
| <i>Estephany Flores</i>   | <i>Steffany Saraguro</i>  |
| <i>Yarithza Flores</i>    | <i>Camille Selano</i>     |
| <i>Natalie Forte</i>      | <i>Rachel Strauss</i>     |
| <i>Rachel Garten</i>      | <i>Alyssa Terrano</i>     |

*We would like to thank everyone who helped prepare for this memorable occasion especially the catechists, staff, clergy, parents, sponsors, ministry volunteers, music ministers, and the Women's Altar Rosary Guild for the beautiful reception.*

## The First Fruits of our Labor

*Offering February 11th and February 12th*

<u>Holy Mass</u>	<u>1st Coll.</u>
Sat. 4:00 p.m.	\$1,916.57
Sat. 6:00 p.m.	\$ 219.24
Sun. 8:00 a.m.	\$ 951.50
Sun. 10:30 a.m.	\$2,954.91
Sun. 5:00 p.m.	\$1,472.25
Online giving	\$ 454.00
E Payments (checks)	\$2,280.00

<u>Budgeted offertory Goal for operational expense</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Under</u>
\$11,513.89	\$10,248.47	\$1,265.42

### National Black and Indian Collection

The Collection for Black and Indian Missions in the United States will be taken at all Masses next weekend. The funds are needed for evangelization programs to benefit Black and Indian communities in the United States. Together *we are the Church* and we help each other. Please give what you are able. If we all give a little a lot will be accomplished.

### Invitation to serve

Are you a naturally caring, compassionate and giving person? Were you blessed with parents and other role models in life from whom you learned that the joy of living is giving? If you answered YES to either of the above questions join us for an Information Night on Friday, March 2nd at 6 p.m. at the Thrift Store for people interested in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.



### PANCAKE BREAKFAST



The Knights of Columbus will host a pancake breakfast on Sunday, February 26th after the 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Holy Masses. Come one come all and enjoy the fellowship and great food.



## Society of SVdP Food Pantry

Thank you for your continued generosity to the people of Paulding County. Items currently needed are: paper bags, spaghetti sauce, white rice, chicken noodle soup, jelly and cleaning supplies.



### Stations of the Cross - Simple Supper

A member of the clergy will be leading the Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 7:00 p.m. during Lent. A crucifer and 2 candle bearers are needed. To volunteer please sign up on the sheet posted on the liturgical ministries bulletin board. A simple supper will be available from 6:15 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

We would like to thank our generous ministry volunteers for donating their time to provide us the simple suppers. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul are providing the meal on Friday, February 24th.

### Lenten Mission with Fr. Larry Richards

February 27, 28, 29 and March 1 at the Cathedral of Christ the King, 2699 Peachtree Road, Atlanta, at 7pm each evening (Feb. 29 at 6:30pm). Monday, February 27 “God’s Love and Prayer”; Tuesday, February 28 “Love of Others” (with Mass); Wednesday, February 29 “Passion of Christ” (Penance Service); Thursday, March 1 “Adoration and Healing” (with Eucharistic Adoration & a Healing Service). For more info call (404) 267-3671 or email [evangelization@ctking.com](mailto:evangelization@ctking.com).

### Operation Rice Bowl

This Lent, our faith community will be joining millions of Catholics across the country by participating in CRS’ Operation Rice Bowl. Your family is invited to pick up a Rice Bowl packet, Wednesday, on the table in the narthex and join in this simple yet powerful Lenten practice. CRS’ Operation Rice Bowl invites us to **pray** with our families and faith communities, **fast** in solidarity with those who are hungry, **learn** about our brothers and sisters around the world, and **give** Sacrificial contributions to help those in need. Visit [orb.crs.org](http://orb.crs.org) for additional resources.

### Annual Missionaries of the Poor Mission Trip sponsored by St Catherine of Sienna

Members of the SVdP community and surrounding parishes will be making the annual trip, April 19 -24 with St Catherine’s Building Crew to work with the Missionaries of the Poor (MOP) in Kingston, Jamaica on several building projects. Members of this unique building group have made annual trips to work with Fr. HoLung and the Brothers of MOP working on various construction projects since 1992. For 20 years volunteers have paid for their individual transportation, housing, and meals while in Jamaica while raising funds to cover cost of building materials used in present and future construction projects and to meet the material and spiritual needs of the people who have been outcast by society only to be taken in to be cared for by the Brothers of MOP.

Please prayerfully consider donating any amount to help meet the basic housing needs of some of the poorest of the poor in Jamaica and the world. Donations/checks of any size, made payable to The Missionaries of the Poor, are appreciated and needed by March 31<sup>st</sup>. Please mailed to: Gerry Gettinger, Project Organizer for St Catherine’s, 5194 Lupine Lane, Acworth, GA 30132 and contact Albert E. Stumm, SVdP parishioner at (770) 590-7905 with questions or comments.

### Women’s Altar Rosary Guild Bake Shoppe

The Women’s Altar and Rosary Guild will host their monthly Bake Shoppe February 18<sup>th</sup> after the 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. Holy Masses and February 19<sup>th</sup> after the 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Holy Masses. This month will feature delectable French Breakfast Muffins and Chocolate Chip Muffins along with breads and cakes and other goodies. With your support, we have already raised over \$3000. Help us continue “building our new parish kitchen one muffin at a time”.

Every month Pope Benedict XVI requests that we include his intentions in our personal prayers:

That all peoples may have access to water and other resources needed for daily life.  
That the Lord may sustain the efforts of health workers assisting the sick and elderly in the world’s poorest regions.

*The following schedule is in effect unless otherwise noted:*  
 Weekend Holy Masses: Saturday Vigil 4 p.m. & in Español at 6 p.m.  
 Sundays 8 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.  
 Daily Holy Mass: Monday 9:30 a.m.; Wednesday 6:30 p.m.; Thursday 9:30 a.m.; Friday 9:30 a.m.  
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Thursday at 10:30 a.m.  
 Sacrament of Reconciliation: Wed. from 5 - 6 p.m. and Sat. from 2:30-3:45 p.m.  
*Sunday Morning Choir practice meets Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.*  
*The Charismatic Prayer Group meets the first Saturday at 7:30 p.m. & all other Fridays at 7:30 p.m.*

# February 2012

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5 RCIA 8:30 - 10:15 Religious Education Classes (AM. only)	6	7	8 Religious Education Classes No Reconciliation 5:6-15 p.m. Holy Mass 6:30 p.m. Confirmation Practice 7:30	9 Blessing of Candles during 9:30 a.m. Holy Mass	10 Home School Classes 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Healing Holy Mass 9:30 a.m. (Blessing of Throats during Holy Mass) St. Gerard Healing Ministry following morning Holy Mass Alliance of the Two Hearts Holy Mass 9 p.m. (Blessing of Throats during Holy Mass)	11 Alliance of the Two Hearts Holy Mass 12:01 a.m. Charismatic Prayer Group 7:30 p.m.
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26 Pancake Breakfast NO A.M. Religious Education Classes RCIA Rite of Election Middle & High School R. E. Classes	27 *Holy Mass 12 Noon*	28	29 Holy Mass - 12 Noon (Confessions will be heard after Holy Mass) Religious Education Classes			