



**Pastor**

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**Mass Times**

Sunday 9:00 a.m.  
Mon., Tues. & Thurs. 8:30 a.m.  
Thursday Novena 9:00 a.m.  
Saturday 5:30 p.m.

**Confessions**

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

**Religious Ed**

Sunday 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

**Staff**

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**August 4, 2019**



**In the Hospital**

If you or someone you know will be going in the hospital please call the office, or have a family member or hospital chaplain call for you. Federal privacy laws prevent hospitals from notifying us.

**In Case of Emergency**

Please call Fr. Tom's cell phone directly at 423-637-4850 in emergency situations.

**Nursery is Open!**

Our nursery is open each Sunday beginning at 8:30 a.m. and is located downstairs in the church along with the classrooms. Ms. Sheron Williams looks forward to taking care of your young children during Sunday Mass each week.



**24-Hour Abuse Reporting**

If you or a loved one has been hurt or abused by a member of the clergy, an employee, or volunteer of the Archdiocese of Atlanta, we are here to listen and take action. Please contact our Office of Child and Youth Protection during business hours at 404-920-7550 or our Archdiocesan 24-hour Abuse Reporting line at 1-888-437-0764. The silence must be broken for the healing to begin.

**Dedication to Jesus**

Lord Jesus Christ, take all my freedom, my memory, my understanding, and my will. All that I have and cherish you have given me. I surrender it all to be guided by Your will. Your grace and Your love are wealth enough for me. Give me these, Lord Jesus, and I ask for nothing more. Amen. *- St. Ignatius of Loyola*

**Pope Francis' August Prayer Intention**



**Families, Schools of Human Growth.** That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth." the last word.

**Mass Intentions for the Week**

- August 3 - People of the Parish
- August 4 - Jerry Erlenbaugh (D)
- August 5 - Bruce Short (D)

**Readings for Next Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup>**

- First Reading Wisdom 18:6-9
- Second Reading Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19
- Gospel Luke 12:32-48

The author of Wisdom speaks of "that night" of exodus from bondage in Egypt when the Lord delivered his chosen people from death. The Lord will come again, perhaps in the midst of night. Let us be prepared for his return. As we walk in darkness, our journey to our heavenly homeland is illuminated by faith.



- August 6 - Mark Anderson
- August 7 - Vikki Mills
- August 8 - Ramona Glascock
- August 8 - Kendrick Mills
- August 9 - Gerald Chevalier
- August 10 - Sarah Grace Leckenby
- August 10 - Koda Scott
- August 10 - Andy Stockett

**Happy Anniversary**

30 yrs. on August 5 - Kat & Jim Sabourin

**Weekday Mass**

Please join us in the Our Lady of the Rosary Chapel Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 8:30 a.m. for morning Mass.



## Liturgical Minister Schedules

### Saturday, August 10<sup>th</sup>

<b>Lector:</b>	Mark Anderson
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	Rhonda Brown Doug Thompson Tony Towns
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Evelyn Towns Spencer Towns
<b>Greeter:</b>	Ellen VorderBruegge

### Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup>

<b>Lector:</b>	Rich Boschi
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	Ellen Allison Nini Davenport Maggie Estes Donna Faraci Karen Stockett <i>Volunteer Needed</i> <i>Volunteer Needed</i>
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Sig Brown Garrison Corley
<b>Greeters:</b>	Connor Nash Harriett Whitaker

### Prayer List

Richard Collins	Vickie Gilbreath
Patrick Crawley	Lanny Haynes
Marie Crimmins	Johnny Killebrew
Jay Jay Davenport	Tara McGinness
Joe Endres	Luke Morin
Roy Exum	Jennifer Nicely
Sally Ferguson	Neal Oehmig
Walter Forbes	Bob Red
Dick Fowler	Jimmy Stewart
Regina Gann	Lindsey Tinker
Charlie Gilbreath	Camilla Pollock-Flynn
Katherine Dann Ogden	



For those of you who have not had an opportunity to make a pledge or a gift this year, but still desire to be a part of the 2019 Archbishop's Annual Appeal, please visit our website at [appeal.archatl.com](http://appeal.archatl.com) to make an on-line gift, or you may contact the Office of Stewardship at [annualappeal@archatl.com](mailto:annualappeal@archatl.com).

When each of our individual gifts are combined with the gifts of thousands of other parishioners throughout the archdiocese, each contributor makes a very real difference in the ability of the archdiocese to provide ministries and services. Thank you again for your support.

### Eucharistic Adoration



Please join us in the chapel on Tuesdays for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Come and spend a few quiet moments with Jesus. Feel free to come for as long or as little amount of time as you would like. Come and be refreshed! If you are interested in being a Guardian please contact

Karan Stockett at [kkchatt99@aol.com](mailto:kkchatt99@aol.com).

### Ladies of Charity Needs Your Help

If you're looking for a volunteer opportunity where you can help others, have fun, meet like-minded giving people, and make friends then Ladies of Charity is for you. You can volunteer as little or as much as you'd like. Volunteer opportunities include sorting and tagging clothes and housewares; and cashiering.

If you're interested in joining us or would like additional information please contact us at: [ladies.charity.chatt@gmail.com](mailto:ladies.charity.chatt@gmail.com).

### Prayer List Update

If you would like to keep your prayer requests on our list, please contact Amy, [aperry@olmcc.com](mailto:aperry@olmcc.com). Thank you for your cooperation.

# Read

Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23

Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6,  
12-13, 14, 17

Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

Luke 12:13-21

## LIVING THE WORD

### Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 4, 2019



#### REFLECTION

“Vanity of vanities” (Ecclesiastes 1:2). Ecclesiastes comes right out and calls us on our tendency toward desiring more. In the world’s eyes, the most important value is placed on getting ahead of others in as many ways as possible, such as having the most money, the biggest house, and the best car. What can I get from the world that I do not already have? Desiring material possessions puts our faith on the back burner and distracts from our real task as Jesus shares with the crowd in today’s Gospel. Paul hints at it too in his letter to the Colossians, “Put on the new self, which is being renewed, for knowledge, in the image of its creator” (3:10). To be countercultural in our world today means avoiding the Black Friday sales, turning off the media that degrades humanity through violent videogames or pornography, and focusing instead on serving others, deepening our connection to God, and building up the Kingdom of God in our families, friends, and community.



#### ACTION

Evaluate your consumption of material possessions, video games, pornography, and the pull to be better than others. What would you normally spend this week on shopping for clothes, shoes, a coffee each morning, etc.? Take that amount and donate it to Catholic Relief Services or another worthy cause that helps those without homes and food. In addition, track the time you spend on your devices. Whatever amount of time that adds up to, take one day this week to dedicate that amount of time to finding usable household donations to give to your local charity.



CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

[www.crs.org](http://www.crs.org)

Check out  
the website of  
Catholic Relief  
Services to see  
how you can help those in need.



#### QUESTIONS

- ❖ What do today’s readings teach you about the Christian life?
- ❖ What societal temptations do I need to work on avoiding this week?
- ❖ How are these temptations distracting me from my faith?