

Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Confessions heard before all Masses. Sundays 6:45, 8:15 & 10:30am

Sun, Jul 15 **VIII Sunday after Pentecost**
7:15am Low *Pro Populo*
9:00am Low Intentions of Emily Roman
11:30am Low Marcos Huizel by *Thomas Anderson*

Mon, Jul 16 **Feria**
6:30am Intentions of Charee Kovacs
12:00pm Christ the King by *Loan Le*

Tue, Jul 17 **Feria**
6:30am †Sara Licon
9:00am †Clayton Schexnaldre by *Michael & Christina Montone*

Wed, Jul 18 **St. Camillus de Lellis**
No 6:30am Mass
12:00pm Maureen Schnelker

Thu, Jul 19 **St. Vincent de Paul**
6:30am Closure Carafem Abortion Clinic by *Lisa Hoff*
No 9:00am Mass

Fri, Jul 20 **St. Jerome Emiliani**
No 12:00pm Mass
7:00pm Michael & Roxene Saviano by *Christopher & Marjorie Carter*
Exposition follows 7:00pm Mass

Sat, Jul 21 **St. Laurence of Brindisi**
No 7:00am Mass
9:00am †Lana Robb by *Sam Robb*

Sun, Jul 22 **IX Sunday after Pentecost**
7:15am Low †Kathryn J. Pennington by *Richard Perry*
9:00am Low *Pro Populo*
11:30am Low Confraternity FSSP by *Christine Brock*

Last Sunday's Collection: \$3,868.60 *God reward you.*
FSSP Seminarian Burse: \$808.00

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Atlanta

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VIII Sunday after Pentecost – July 15, 2018

11:30am Mass: During July and through Aug 12, the Sunday 11:30am Mass will be a low Mass while the choir takes a well-earned break. Please note that this is not a dialogue Mass. Thank you for your understanding.

Mass Schedule: There will only be one weekday Mass from Wed, Jul 18 to Sat, Jul 21. Please check the schedule for Mass times.

Claire Reichard, a fellow parishioner for many years, is very ill. In your charity, please keep her in your prayers. God reward you.

Bookstore: Volunteers are needed to help in the bookstore on Sundays. If interested, please see Fred Carver in the bookstore or call (770) 598-0702.

Congratulations to Conner and Kelly Watts on the birth of their daughter, *Veronica Marie*, who was born on Monday.

Congratulations to *Leo Bernard*, son of Brad and Danielle Spitznagel, who was baptized and received into the church last Saturday.

CCD 2018-19: Catechists are needed for CCD classes this fall. Please consider this spiritual work of mercy. Classes begin on Aug 19. Parent orientation will take place on Aug 5 and new and continuing catechist orientation will take place on Aug 12. VIRTUS training will be offered by Randal Mandock at SFdS on Jul 29. Contact Randal Mandock at (678) 485-3374 or rmandock@bellsouth.net

The Creed

by Msgr. Rudolph G. Bandas, Ph.D; S.T.D.

13. The Elevation of Man

How marvelous are the *gifts* which God bestowed upon man *in the natural order*, gifts which constitute him a human being! How each one of them mirrors forth the wisdom, goodness and love of Him in whose image man was made! By his soul - which separates him and sharply distinguishes him from the animal kingdom - man thinks and loves, transfers himself with the rapidity of lightning to the throne of God or to the bosom of the earth. His mind, aided by the unfailing concurrent causation of God, penetrates the secrets of nature, conquers distance, time and space, and subjugates for the good of man vast and hitherto undreamed-of forces and treasures. His will undertakes deeds of daring, of sacrifice, of virtue which can merit for his soul a high degree of natural happiness in the next world. Truly did the Psalmist exclaim, "Thou has made him a little less than the angels; thou has crowned him with glory and honor" (8:6).

Extraordinary or Preternatural Gifts

If the natural endowments of Adam and Eve proclaimed the wisdom of the Creator, how much more did the *preternatural* or *extraordinary* gifts of our first parents declare the goodness of God. The latter gifts are so called because they are "above" or "outside" of what is required for the perfection of human nature as such. They are perfections not due to man, they are gratuitous gifts. Let us explain each one briefly:

(a) *Freedom from concupiscence*: Concupiscence flows naturally from man's constitution. His senses and fleshly impulses are often immoderately attracted by the object of their desires. They strive after their perfection in a manner opposed to right reason. In all such cases there arises a struggle between the flesh and the mind, between matter and spirit. In our first parents before the Fall, the senses and imagination were perfectly subject to reason. They did not precede nor resist man's will. The lower faculties were perfectly subordinated to the higher, which in turn were wholly subject to God. This absence of all inordinate tendencies in human nature, this subordination and co-ordination of man's faculties, this complete harmony in man's being constituted the gift of freedom from concupiscence. The external peace in the Garden of Eden was a reflection of the peace in man's mind and heart. The loss of this gift is described in Genesis 3:6-11.

To be continued ...

New Superior General: Fr. Andrzej Komorowski was elected the 4th Superior General for the FSSP on Monday, July 9, succeeding Fr. John Berg, for a term of six years. A Polish priest born in 1975, Fr. Komorowski joined St. Peter's Int'l Seminary in Wigratzbad after studying economics at the University of Poznań (Poland). Ordained a priest in Jun 2006 by H. E. Jorge Cardinal Medina Estévez, he ministered in various apostolates of the Fraternity in Poland, Belgium, and the Netherlands. Elected Assistant of the Superior General at the 2012 General Chapter, he held that position at the Fraternity's General House in Fribourg, Switzerland whilst fulfilling the duties of General Bursar and frequently providing ministry to the faithful in French-speaking Switzerland. Please pray for Fr. Komorowski in his newly elected position and continue to pray for the General Chapter as the session closes on July 18.



Pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Jordan with Fr. Michael Passo, FSSP. Nov. 25 - Dec. 10, 2018. See where Our Lord lived and worked His many miracles, where He preached, lived with His Apostles, died, was buried and rose from the dead. Daily Mass at the Holy Sites.

For info, contact: Orbis Catholicus Travel at (800) 675-9088 or our website oc-travel.com/holy-land-november, or Susan at susankotnick@gmail.com

Appropriate Dress: In obedience and humility to God and charity to neighbor, please be dressed appropriately when attending Holy Mass. Men should be in collared shirts (no T-shirts, graphics etc.) and long trousers. Ladies should be in opaque clothing, not form-fitting, coming up to the neckline front and back, covering the shoulders and upper arms; skirts should come down below the knee, even when seated. Veiling is welcome.

St. Francis de Sales Parish - Information & Contacts

Confessions: 15 mins before weekday Masses; Sundays 6:45am, 8:15am, 10:30am

Baptism: Contact the parish at least six weeks before birth

Marriage: Contact the parish at least six months before the wedding

Eucharistic Exposition: Friday after evening Mass

Rosary: before 9:00am and 11:30am Sunday Masses

Religious Education (CCD): Sundays at 10:15am (*Sept-May*)

Legion of Mary: Meets Friday at 5:00pm

Knights of Columbus: Meets 2nd Mon of month: Rosary at 6:30pm, dinner, meeting starts at 7:30pm: <https://sites.google.com/view/kofc14625/home>

Columbian Squires: Circle meets on 2nd Sunday of the month at 1:15pm

FNE: Female scouting group meets Saturday mornings: info@atlantafne.org

St Gerard: For desirous, new, and expectant moms: stgerardministry@gmail.com

Bookstore Hours: Tuesday 10am-4pm, Sunday 10am-11:15am & 1pm-1:30pm