

Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

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

<i>Sun, Mar 4</i>	Third Sunday of Lent
7:15am Low	†Souls in Purgatory
9:00am Low	<i>Pro Populo</i>
11:30am High	Mr. Anthony Coomes by <i>Christopher Ferrara</i>

Mon, Mar 5 **Feria**
6:30am †Holy Souls, especially members of F.O.S.S. by *Nora Rose*
No 12:00pm Mass

Tue, Mar 6 **Feria**
6:30am †Holy Souls by *Maureen Cunningham*
No 9:00am Mass

Wed, Mar 7 **St. Thomas Aquinas**
No 6:30am Mass
12:00pm †Roberto Bazzani Sr. by *Grisselle Bazzani*

Thu, Mar 8 **Feria**
No 6:30am Mass
9:00am †Holy Souls, especially members of F.O.S.S. by *Nora Rose*

Fri, Mar 9 **Feria**
No 12:00pm Mass
7:00pm *Stations of the Cross*
7:30pm †Romaine Chrisman by *Troy Phillips*

Sat, Mar 10 **Feria**
No 7:00am Mass
9:00am †Gerald T. Casey by *Pamela Garrett*

<i>Sun, Mar 11</i>	Fourth Sunday of Lent
7:15am Low	<i>Pro Populo</i>
9:00am Low	Conv. of Family Members by <i>Owen & Caroline Elliott</i>
11:30am High	†Justice Antonin Scalia by <i>Frank & Rose Petraglia</i>

Last Sunday's Collection: \$6,057.30 God reward you.

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Atlanta

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Third Sunday of Lent – March 4, 2018

Today – FSSP Seminary Burse: to support the seminarians of the Fraternity. It would help greatly if your checks are made payable to “FSSP” rather than to the parish. Many thanks for your generosity.

Today - Adult Education:

This week:

10:15am - Bible Timeline – The Return

1:30pm - Epic! – Revolution and Modernism, Part 1

Next week: No Classes

Fr. Casavantes will be away on vacation this week, Mar 5 – Mar 12, inclusive. There will only be one Mass each day, except for Sunday. Please check the schedule for Mass times.

Next Sunday - St. Joseph's Altar and Lenten Soup: The FNE girls' group will host a St. Joseph's Altar and Lenten Soup fundraiser next Sunday, March 11th after the 9:00am & 11:30am Masses. The girls will be selling a variety of baked goods. The money raised will help fund their Catholic scouting program. Thank you for your support!

Also Next Sunday... we will be celebrating Fr. DeGuzman's birthday with a cake in the social hall after the 11:30am Mass.

Next Sunday, Mar 11 - Daylight Saving Time: the clocks go forward one hour. Please don't forget to change your clocks. This is a good time to consider *regularly* arriving early before Mass (10 - 15min) to properly prepare ourselves for the Most Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

The Creed

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

5. The Preservation of our Faith *(cont'd)*

5. Private Revelations (cont'd): A private revelation, whose truth has not been established by the Church, binds no one. Hence, it is unbecoming and uncharitable for devotees of certain alleged revelations to accuse and condemn as lacking in faith those who refuse to share in their enthusiasm. Of the last twenty alleged Marian revelations, the Church has approved only one, and in that way has saved sacred doctrine and devotions from distortion and ridicule.

A private revelation approved by the Church or confirmed by a miracle (God could not work a miracle in favor of an untruth) is to be accepted by those to whom and for whom it was made. It may be read for edification - as any spiritual book. It may not be used to establish a new doctrine in the Church but rather to confirm an existing truth. The Church would not approve a doctrine, a feast, or a devotion whose only foundation is a private revelation. Devotions to the Immaculate Conception and Sacred Heart are based on Scripture and Tradition. Even if the apparitions at Lourdes and Paray-le-Monial were declared false, the truths and devotions of the Sacred Heart and Immaculate Conception would not be in any way affected.

6. Truths of Faith absolutely necessary for salvation: Suppose a person who is ignorant of religion were dying, and you had only a few minutes to instruct him. How many truths would he be obliged to accept by faith before he could hope to save his soul? These four: (a) Besides the world in which we live, God also made another world where we shall live after death and see Him *face to face*. (b) God punishes the evil with hell, and He rewards the good with heaven. (c) There are three Persons in one God. (d) The Second Person became man and died for us. Theologians say that if the person were *dying*, it would be sufficient to teach him truths (a) and (b) since these implicitly contain (c) and (d) (Heb. 11:6). After making an act of faith in these truths, the person can make an act of perfect sorrow or contrition and so attain heaven. Only those non-Catholics who follow this procedure will obtain salvation. It is false to say that all non-Catholics will be saved as long as “they follow their own light.”

To be continued ...

Parish Lenten Mission: Thank you to all who attended the mission this past week and gave generously to Fr. Jambon. Your support was much appreciated. For those who were unable to attend, his talks are available online at <http://www.reginaecclesiae.com/> under “Mission talks in English.” There is also a talk on St Theresa of Avila’s Three Stages of the Spiritual Life.

Catholic Homeschool Hybrid Community: A new, forming community in the Sharpsburg/Newnan area is looking to hire part-time orthodox traditional catholic teachers/volunteers for all different grades and subjects (Religion, Science, Math, Literature, Logic, History). If interested, or know somebody that may be, please contact Valeria Solanet at 404-924-5902 or valezimm@gmail.com. Thank you!

Mens’ Silent Retreat at Our Lady of Clear Creek Monastery, OK, from Fri, Aug 31 – Mon, Sep 3 (Labor Day). There are spaces for 11 retreatants. Reservations need to be confirmed by March 15th. A \$150 donation is suggested by the Monastery to cover stay for each person. To register, contact Serge Sautre: 404-895-0015, drserge@bellsouth.net

Fast and Abstinence Regulations observed in Lent:

- Fasting is observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 60 years of age.
- Abstinence from meat is observed on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday (Mar 30) and all the Fridays of Lent by all Catholics 14 yrs and older.
- Those who are sick, pregnant, nursing or whose health would be adversely affected by fasting or abstinence should not consider themselves bound by these norms.

St. Francis de Sales Parish - Information & Contacts

Confessions: 15 mins before weekday Masses: Sundays 6:45, 8:15 & 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 10:15 (*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: Tue 10:00a-4:00p, Sun 10:00a-11:15a and 1:00p-1:30p