

Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Confessions heard before all Masses. Sundays 7:15, 9:00 & 10:30am

Sun, Dec 1	First Sunday of Advent
8:00am Low	Pro Populo
9:30am Low	Louis J. Sicurezza by Paul & Li Shing Sicurezza
11:30am High	Int. of Confraternity of St. Peter by Catherine Arango

Mon, Dec 2 **St. Vivian**
12:00pm Victims of Hurricane Dorian by Karl & Philip Fender

Tue, Dec 3 **St. Francis Xavier**
6:30am †Benjamin Allen by David Gilbert
9:00am †Charles Farley by Amy Thomas

Wed, Dec 4 **St. Peter Chrysologus**
12:00pm Mr. & Mrs. Gerardo Joven & Family by Rechuel Francisco

Thu, Dec 5 **Feria of Advent**
6:30am †Maria de Barrios
9:00am Scott Emling by Lloyd & Elizabeth Bird
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament follows Mass

Fri, Dec 6 **St. Nicholas (First Friday)**
12:00pm Special Intention by Viola Stephens
7:00pm Clark Family by Hodges Family
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament follows Mass

Sat, Dec 7 **St. Ambrose (First Saturday)**
7:00am SFdS Volunteers
9:00am Brianna Torres by Landon & Danijela Chancey
First Saturday Devotions follow 9am Mass

Sun, Dec 8	Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:00am Low	Tommy Kinsella
9:30am Low	†Kathy Mukosey by Mary Glowacki
11:30am High	Pro Populo

Last Sunday's Collection: \$6,066.00

God reward you.

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Atlanta



Served by the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter (FSSP)
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according to the 1962 Roman Missal of St. John XXIII

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First Sunday of Advent, December 1, 2019

For Advent, the *Asperges* chant may be found in the thin blue *Kyriale* books in the pews, at the bottom of page 6.

Altar Boy Society: Guild of St. Stephen—Boys age 12 or under who have received First Communion are invited to join our society of altar boys. The boys meet with the priests monthly on 1st Saturdays after the 9am Mass. Meetings include: a spiritual talk by one of the priests, extensive practice serving at both low and high Mass, recreation, and pizza for lunch. **The next meeting is Saturday, December 7th.**

Sunday, Dec 8th: FNE St. Nicholas' Hot Chocolate Fundraiser: The Federation of North-American Explorers will be selling hot chocolate, baked goods, and crafts on Sunday, December 8 after all Masses. Your generous contributions will help to fund their upcoming outdoor activities. Thank you for your support!

K of C Advent Food Drive: to benefit the St. Vincent de Paul Society's food distribution program. Collection containers for non-perishable food items will be in the vestibule during Advent. Please remember the less fortunate and support the Knights of Columbus in this worthwhile effort.

Bookstore: Arrival of New Merchandise—Please visit the bookstore today to check out new arrivals including Advent meditation books, missals, and other classic Catholic literature by saints for your edification and spiritual growth.

Daily Emails on the Liturgy through Advent: Deepen your preparation for Christmas this Advent by reading the daily meditations of Dom Prosper Guéranger, a 19th C. Abbot of the Benedictine monastery in Solesmes, France. Famous for his work in the Liturgical Movement, he wrote a 15-volume series called *The Liturgical Year*, which explains many beautiful details of the liturgy. As an experiment, we will make his daily meditations for Advent available through both email and on the parish website. If you would like to sign-up for the daily email messages, visit: <https://fsspatl.com/email-subscription> and choose the option "The Liturgical Year".

Juventutem Upcoming Events: Young adults 18-35. **Dec 15th-** White elephant party at a nearby restaurant at 3pm following the High Mass. Details can be found on the website event page or by emailing juventutematlanta@gmail.com. **Jan 7th-** A night of bowling and fun. **Feb 1st-** Square Dance in the St Francis de Sales gym for the one-year anniversary of Juventutem Atlanta. \$20 per person, bring your friends!

Confirmation 2020-Saturday May 16th by Bishop Shlesinger. Classes will be on Saturdays between **March 7th-May 9th** at 10:15am. All students who will be confirmed at St. Francis de Sales are required to attend these classes. Students must bring a copy of their baptismal certificate to the first day of class to be admitted, even if they were baptized at St. Francis de Sales.

Appropriate Dress: In obedience and humility to God and charity to neighbor, *please dress appropriately when attending the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass*. Men should be in collared shirts (no T-shirts, graphics, etc.) and long trousers (skin tight pants are never appropriate). Ladies should be in opaque clothing, not tight-fitting, coming up to the neckline front and back, covering the shoulders and upper arms, *skirts coming down below the knee, even when seated*. Veiling is welcome.

Bulletin Announcement Submissions: Requests for bulletin announcements must be submitted at least two weeks in advance. Thank you for your understanding.

St. Andrew's Novena Prayer

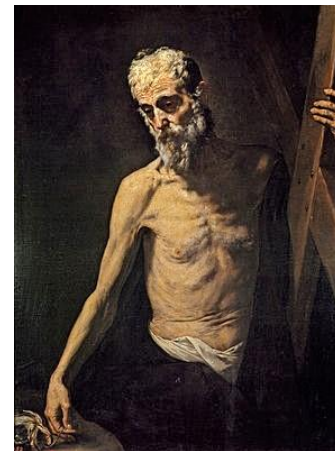
(November 30th-December 24th)

Hail, and blessed be the hour and moment at which the Son of God was born of a most pure Virgin at a stable at midnight in Bethlehem in the piercing cold. At that hour vouchsafe, I beseech Thee, to hear my prayers and grant my desires.

(Mention your intentions here)

Through Jesus Christ and His most Blessed Mother. Amen.

Traditionally, this prayer is prayed 15 times each day for the duration of the Novena.



St. Andrew, ora pro nobis!

St. Francis de Sales-Information & Contacts

Confessions: 15 mins before weekday Masses; Sundays 7:15am,9:00am,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: Thurs. 10am-3pm, Friday after evening Mass

Rosary: Before 9:30am and 11:30am Sunday Masses

Religious Education (CCD): Sundays at 10:40am (Aug.-May)

Guild of St. Stephen: Altar boy society, meets 1st Saturdays, assistant@fsspatl.com

Legion of Mary: Meet Tuesdays at 5:30pm

Knights of Columbus: Meets 2nd Monday of month: Rosary 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: Catholic explorer's group: info@atlantafne.org

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

Juventutem Young Adults Group: Adults 18-35 juventutematlanta@gmail.com

Inquirers Class: For non-Catholics who have questions about the Catholic religion, taught by the priests of the parish. Tuesdays at 6pm: secretary@fsspatl.com

Bookstore Hours: Sunday 10:30am-11:15am and 1:00pm-1:30pm