

# Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Confessions heard before all Masses. Sundays 7:15, 9:30 & 12:15 pm

Sunday December 13th

**Third Sunday of Advent  
(Gaudete Sunday)**

8:00 am Low †Celebrant's Intention

10:30 am High *Pro Populo*

1:00 pm Low †Dennis Glowacki by *Mary Glowacki*

Monday December 14th

**Feria of Advent**

12:00 pm †Celebrant's Intention

Tuesday December 15th

**Feria of Advent**

6:30 am †Celebrant's Intention

**No 9:00 am Mass**

Wednesday December 16th

**Ember Wednesday of Advent  
(Rorate Mass)**

7:00 am High †Celebrant's Intention.

**No Noon Mass**

Thursday December 17th

**Greater Feria of Advent**

**No 6:30 am Mass**

9:00 am †Celebrant's Intention

*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament follows 9 am Mass*

Friday December 18th

**Ember Friday of Advent**

**No Noon Mass**

7:00 pm †Celebrant's Intention

*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament follows 7 pm Mass*

Saturday December 19th

**Ember Saturday of Advent**

**No 7:00 am Mass**

9:00 am Mass †Celebrant's Intention

Sunday December 20th **Fourth Sunday of Advent (Rorate Sunday)**

8:00 am Low †Rene Bedard

10:30 am High †Gerald Healy by *Frank and Karen Carver*

1:00 pm Low *Pro Populo*

**Sunday Collection (Dec. 6) \$6,335.54**

**Online Collection (Nov. 30-Dec. 6) \$4,773.00**

*God reward you.*

# St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church

Archdiocese of Atlanta

*Served by the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter (FSSP)  
Dedicated to the Traditional Latin Mass and Sacraments  
according to the 1962 Roman Missal of St. John XXIII*

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## Third Sunday of Advent, December 13, 2020

**Annual 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 the Advent season. Please remember the less fortunate and support the Knights of Columbus in this worthwhile effort.

**Tuesday, Dec. 15, Inquiry Class** will meet as usual on Tuesday in the library.

**Wednesday, Dec. 16, Rorate Mass at 7 am:** Join us for the beautiful *Rorate Mass*, in which the church is filled with candlelight for a morning Mass before sunrise in honor of our Lady as we wait for the coming of the Light of the World.


**Fr. Smith** is out of town until Saturday, Dec. 19. This week he will be on his mandatory annual retreat. Please check the back of the bulletin and the website for the weekday Mass schedule.

**Sunday, Dec. 27, Juventutem Atlanta** (ages 18-35) will have a White Elephant Christmas Party at a nearby restaurant on Sunday, Dec. 27 after the 1:00 pm Mass. Please bring a gift costing no more than \$15 to participate. RSVP at: [juventutematlanta.com/events](http://juventutematlanta.com/events)



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Ē- ma \* Redemptó-ris Ma-ter, quæ pérv- a  
cæli porta manes, Et stella ma-ris, succúrre cadénti  
súrge-re qui cu-rat pópu-lo: Tu quæ genu- ísti,  
na-tú-ra mi-ránte, tu-um sanctum Ge-ni-tó-rem:  
Virgo pri-us ac posté-ri-us, Gabrí-élis ab o-re  
sumens illud Ave, pecca-tó-rum mi-se-ré-re.

Ÿ. After child-birth thou didst remain most pure, O Virgin.

Ŕ. O Mother of God! make intercession for us.

Let us Pray

Pour forth, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy grace into our hearts; that we to whom the Incarnation of Christ thy Son was made known by the message of an angel, may by his Passion and cross be brought to the glory of his Resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord.

Ŕ. Amen.

Ÿ. May the divine assistance remain always with us.

Ŕ. Amen.

**New Bulletin Deadline:** To prepare for a new design for our Sunday bulletin, the deadline for announcements will now be Monday at 5 pm.

**Bulletin Advertising Opportunity:** As part of the new design of our Sunday bulletin, we will offer advertisers an opportunity to promote their goods and services to fellow parishioners, which should cover the cost of production for our new bulletin and perhaps generate a small profit for the parish. Please consider advertising your business's goods or services in our parish bulletin! We also plan to create a free professional and trade directory to go on our parish website, which will be exclusively for registered parishioners. If you are interested in purchasing advertising in the print bulletin, email: [advertising@fsspatl.com](mailto:advertising@fsspatl.com).

### 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. Francis de Sales-Information & Contacts

**Confessions:** 15 mins before weekday Masses; Sundays 7:15am,9:30am,12:15pm

**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 9:15am (Aug.-May)

**Choir:** [director@sfd choir.com](mailto:director@sfd choir.com)

**Guild of St. Stephen:** Altar boy society, meets 1<sup>st</sup> Saturdays, [assistant@fsspatl.com](mailto:assistant@fsspatl.com)

**Legion of Mary:** Meet Mondays at 6:30pm in the library

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

**Columbian Squires:** Circle meets on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month at 1:30pm

**FNE:** Catholic explorer's group: [info@atlantafne.org](mailto:info@atlantafne.org)

**St. Gerard:** For desirous, new, and expectant moms: [stgerardministry@gmail.com](mailto:stgerardministry@gmail.com)

**Juventutem Young Adults Group:** Adults 18-35 [juventutematlanta@gmail.com](mailto: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](mailto:secretary@fsspatl.com)

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