

Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

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

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

8:00 am Low †Rene Bedard
10:30 am †Gerald Healy by Fred & Karen Carver
1:00 pm *Pro Populo*

Monday December 21th *St. Thomas, Apostle*

12:00 pm Tommy Kinsella

Tuesday December 22th *Greater Feria of Advent*

6:30 am †Holy souls in Purgatory
9:00 am †Tom Rowland by David Gilbert

Wednesday December 23th *Greater Feria of Advent*

12:00 pm †Gamol Brock

Thursday December 24th *Vigil of the Nativity*

6:30 am †John Lavelle by Ines Lavelle
9:00 am Jonathan Sims by The Sims Family
(No Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament today)

Friday December 25th *The Nativity of Our Lord*

Midnight High *Celebrant's Intention*
8:00 am Low *Celebrant's Intention*
10:30 am High *Celebrant's Intention*

Saturday December 26th *St. Stephen*

7:00 am Isabela Barkes by Liliana Barkes
9:00 am Special Intention by The Gerold Family

Sunday December 27th *Sunday in the Octave of Christmas*

8:00 am Low †Gerald Healy by Fed & Karen Carver
10:30 am High *Pro Populo*
1:00 pm Low Robert A. Setele

Sunday Collection (Dec.13) \$5,453.01
Online Collection (Dec. 7-13) \$3,849.50

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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Fourth Sunday of Advent (Rorate Sunday), December 20, 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.

Christmas Midnight Mass will be preceded by Christmas Carols at 11:30 pm.

Inquiry Class will meet as usual this week on Tuesday in the Library.

Ceremony for the Guild of St. Stephen: The next enrollment and promotion ceremony for the Guild of St. Stephen will be on the Feast of Stephen, Dec. 26, during the Mass, which will be a low Mass.

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

CCD classes will not meet on Dec 27 or January 3 in observance of the holy days of Christmas.

Virtus training will be offered on January 10 from 12:30 pm - 3:30 pm in the south classrooms for those who could not attend the previous session.

To the faithful at St. Francis de Sales Parish, our best wishes for a joyous Christmas and a blessed New Year. May the grace of the Divine Infant be born in your homes and in your souls to remain there unto life everlasting. —Fr. Robert Dow, Fr. James Smith, Fr Brian Austin.



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cæli porta manes, Et stella ma-ris, succúrre cadénti
súrge-re qui cu-rat pópu-lo: Tu quæ genu- isti,
na-tú-ra mi-ránte, tu-um sanctum Ge-ni-tó-rem:
Virgo pri-us ac posté-ri-us, Gabri-é-lis ab o-re
sumens illud Ave, pecca-tó-rum mi-se-ré-re.

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.

A Plenary indulgence may be gained by publicly saying or singing the *Te Deum* in thanksgiving on the last day of the year, December 31. A plenary indulgence may also be gained by publicly saying or singing the *Veni Creator Spiritus* on the first day of the year, January 1. (Handbook of Indulgences, Norms 19 and 20.)

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

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

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

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 1:30pm

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