

THE PEOPLE OF GOD CALLED TO FORM THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY OF

# ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS AND PARISHIONERS

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Chapel Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday:  
8 a.m. until 3 p.m.  
Tuesday and Friday:  
8 a.m. until 7 p.m.

Other hours are by appointment.

Office hours  
Tuesday—Friday  
9 a.m.—1 p.m.  
or by appointment

JULY 12, 2015

## 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint Paul Church is the house of our Heavenly Father, a place of solace and grace, so please feel at home here.

**REMAIN IN THE CHURCH** after Mass for some personal quiet moments with Jesus.

**OR EXIT QUIETLY** to the vestibule or outdoors for fellowship and sharing. Whether you are a Registered Parishioner, New to our Community, or a Visitor—**WELCOME!**

A MESSAGE FROM



FATHER CHARLEY

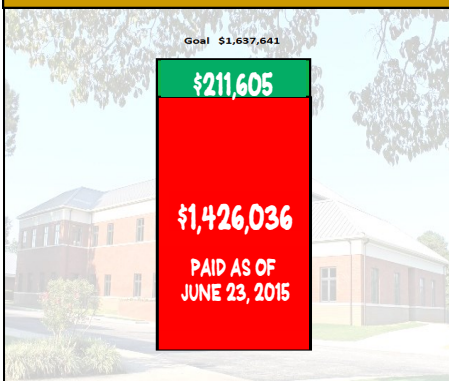
Dear Parish Family,

Regards from all here to you all. We had the Mass for our Mom on Monday. Around 15 priests came for the Mass in the Cathedral, then we had dinner at home for the priests and relatives. Everything went on well by the Grace of God.

Yesterday we went to the school and we will have the big school day on the 20th. Be sure of our prayers for you and keep us also in yours.

Love and prayers  
Fr. Charley

### BUILDING FUND PROGRESS



**JESUS SUMMONED THE TWELVE AND SENT THEM OUT TWO BY TWO... SO OFF THEY WENT AND PREACHED REPENTANCE.**

### DATES TO REMEMBER

- 7/14 FEAST OF ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA
- 7/15 FEAST OF ST. BONAVENTURE
- 7/16 FEAST OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL
- 7/19 SECOND COLLECTION—PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH

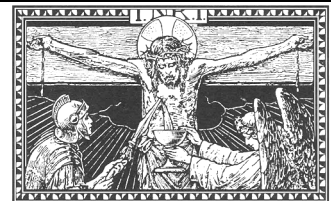
### ARE YOU BEING CALLED BY GOD ?

"FUN IN THE SON" – DISCERNMENT RETREAT by Mobile Bay for single women 17-35. Begins **Aug. 7 at 5:30pm**; ends **Aug. 8 at 7:00pm**. Led by Fr. Victor Ingalls and the Little Sisters of the Poor. There is no charge for the event. For more info or to register, contact Sr. Carolyn, lsp at [vocmobile@littlesistersofthepoor.org](mailto:vocmobile@littlesistersofthepoor.org) or (251) 591-3700 BY AUG. 4TH.

### MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Mon 7/13		
Tues 7/14	5:30 pm	Rosary & Adoration Communion Service/Chapel <b>Novena to OLPH</b>
Wed 7/15	8:00 am	Rosary & Adoration Communion Service/Chapel <b>Novena to St. Anthony</b>
Thu 7/16	8:00 am	Rosary & Adoration Communion Service/Chapel <b>Novena to St. Jude</b>
Fri 7/17	8:00 am	Rosary & Adoration Communion Service/Chapel <b>Novena to St. Peregrine</b>
Sat 7/18	4:30/5 pm 6:30 pm	Rosary/Holy Mass Hispanic Mass
Sun 7/19	8-8:30 am 10:45-11:15	Rosary / Holy Mass Rosary / Holy Mass

### MONTH OF THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD



Dear Jesus,  
moved by an impulse of love,  
and with purity of intention,  
I wish to cover my humble labors  
with Your merits  
and bathe them in the supernatural gold  
of Your Precious Blood.  
I desire to consecrate my life  
to the saving of souls  
and the extension of Your glory,  
and I beg the Heavenly Father  
for as many souls  
as You shed drops of Blood  
during Your Passion.  
Sr. Josefa Mendez

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession)**  
Saturdays: 3:45-4:45 pm or by appointment

## PRAYER LIST

The complete prayer list can be viewed on the church website.

### PLEASE ADD TO YOUR PRAYER LIST:

**Chad Clemerson** (Diane Jackson's nephew)  
**Dennis Lewis** (Pat Louis' brother), **Jane Hargrove**,  
**Pam Kingsmore** (Kathi Davis' niece), **Lindsay Schaeztle**  
 (Steve Meagher's daughter), **Andy Anderson** (Steve Meagher's  
 friend), **Karon Schexnayder** (Yvonne Dempsey's  
 daughter-in-law), **Dub Webster**, **Annamarie Kulbaba**,  
**Larry and Joe Ladiski** (Joanne Gromek's brothers),  
**Debbie Hart** (Joanne Gromek's friend),  
**Helen Woods** (Margaret Stonecypher's daughter).

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS THE FOLLOWING PARISHIONERS WHO ARE IN NEED AT THIS PARTICULAR TIME:

**Charlotte Beique**, **Molly Valleroy**, **Theresa Chambers**,  
**Harold Beam** (Greg Beam's brother), **Gladys Black**,  
 Kimberly Bush, **Wanda Chonka**, **Howard Cooper**, **Pauline Garlen**,  
 Sandra Glovich, **Cheri Gurganus**, **Greg Hart**, **George and Jo Ann**  
**Harvey**, **June Jackson**, **Irene Lee**, **June Maplesden**,  
**Pete Stromquist**, **Mack Thompson**, **Marie Tienda**,  
**June Van Pamel**, **Splendi Ward**, **Larry Welker** and  
 Tommy & Lois Glasper.

For all our parishioners & friends who are ill,  
 we ask God to keep them in His care & restore them  
 to good physical & spiritual health.  
 We pray for our Military, for Peace, our Country and our Pope!

### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS:

October 16-18

St. Bernard Abbey, Cullman  
 678-985-0125 or [www.ALFL-wwme.org](http://www.ALFL-wwme.org)  
 MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: REGISTER AT (800) 540-9963

### CATHOLIC ENGAGED ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS:

August 14, September 18, October 16

Contact by e-mail at:

[register.cebirmingham@gmail.com](mailto:register.cebirmingham@gmail.com)

## OTHER NOTES OF INTEREST

ST. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL  
 ADMISSIONS OPEN FOR 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR  
<http://www.jp2falcons.org/admissions>

### SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED CONTACT:

Email resume and cover letter to:  
 Anna Smarr, [Asmarr@jp2falcons.org](mailto:Asmarr@jp2falcons.org)

### THE PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

JULY 18TH AT 10 AM AT OUR LADY OF SORROWS IN BIRMINGHAM.  
 JOIN US IN ADORATION, BENEDICTION, THE ROSARY.  
 PRAYERS TO PADRE PIO AND HOLY MASS!  
 CONTACT ANGELA KOLAR AT 991-9554  
 (Open to everyone in the Diocese. Praying for our  
 families, our country, and the conversion of the world)

### TRAVELING THIS SUMMER?

[www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) or call 1-858-207-6277  
 to find a Mass near where you are staying.

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Emmanuel & Reyna Garcia	4 years 7/14
Matthew & Bonnie Jacques	12 years 7/12
Abel & Karla Lopez	17 years 7/12
William & Laura Barber	33 years 7/17
Scott & Ruth Southers	40 years 7/12
Ron & Peggy Branson	42 years 7/14
Don & Jan Wojtal	52 years 7/13

May every joy you share and  
 every challenge you face bring you closer  
 together and closer to God, our Father.

## JULY 18/19, 2015 SERVER SCHEDULE

Please arrange for a replacement if you cannot serve.  
 \* Denotes designated temporary Deacon for this Mass.

MASS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	USHERS	ALTAR SERVERS	MUSIC
5:00	Patricia Hatchett	Leilani Diaz Patricia Hatchett Eugene Scarbel*	Virgil Bartlow, Jr.	John Diaz	Vocals
8:30	Al Brinkley	Tom Caillouet Chuck & Linda Butler*	Edward Borucki	Maria Meyer Haley Branson	Organ
11:15	Kathi Davis	Steve Kirkpatrick Carl McLemore Maria Taylor*	Michael Gould	Lucas Griffin Brandon Gonzales	Guitar

### PARISH MINISTRIES & CONTACT PERSONS

ALTAR SERVER MINISTRY/MINISTRY SCHEDULING  
 Lori Wilson - [stpaulschedule@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulschedule@gmail.com)

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS:  
**Parents must be registered members of the parish  
 4-6 months;** call the parish office for an appointment.  
 256-232-4191

### FOR HISPANIC CONCERNS

Call the Church Office- 256-232-4191

### PRISON MINISTRY:

Chuck Butler 256-420-2296  
 Gene Scarbel 256-771-1515; [gene.scarbel@mac.com](mailto:gene.scarbel@mac.com)

### DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Elizabeth Niedzwiecki, 256-874-1508

### SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING:

Upon request: call the office prior to  
 hospitalization, surgery or during illness.

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION:

Arrangements must be made **six months** in  
 advance with the priest: Call the parish office for  
 an appointment. **CATHOLIC ENGAGED ENCOUNTER  
 is a requirement for marriage:**  
[www.birminghamcee.org](http://www.birminghamcee.org)

### COLLECTION REPORT: JULY 5, 2015

THANK	Regular	\$4723	YOU!
	Building	\$5377	
	Burse	\$96	
	Mission Cooperative	\$80	

### MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Intention envelopes are  
 in the vestibule & at the church office

7/11	5 PM	Sat	IN MEMORY OF EUGENE SALESKY (Barbara Salesky's Husband)
7/12	8:30	Sun	IN MEMORY OF KAY MINGUS (Tim Mings' Mother)
		11:15	IN MEMORY OF ROY SHAW (By David & Beverly Toney)
7/14	5:30 PM	Tues	ROSARY, ADORATION & COMMUNION SERVICE
7/15	8:00 AM	Wed	ROSARY, ADORATION & COMMUNION SERVICE
7/16	8:00 AM	Thu	ROSARY, ADORATION & COMMUNION SERVICE
7/17	8:00 AM	Fri	ROSARY, ADORATION & COMMUNION SERVICE
7/18	5 PM	Sat	FOR THE INTENTIONS OF KATHLEEN SULLIVAN (By Bill & Regina Cook)
7/19	8:30	Sun	IN MEMORY OF BERT BEAM (Greg Beam's Mother)
		11:15	FOR THE SAINT PAUL PARISH FAMILY

## FOOD PANTRY



The FOOD PANTRY is in need of:  
 Macaroni, Cornmeal, Sugar,  
 and any kind of Juice.

Thank you for all your continued support  
 May God bless you all...

### PRAYER FOR POPE FRANCIS

O God, Shepherd and Ruler  
 of all Your faithful people,  
 mercifully look upon Your  
 servant Pope Francis, whom  
 You have chosen as the  
 Chief Shepherd over Your Church.  
 Help him to lead and inspire the People of God,  
 both by word and example,  
 that together we may establish Your reign of  
 justice, mercy and love here on earth.  
 We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



### PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

JESUS, ETERNAL PRIEST,  
 protect all our priests, Your servants,  
 from all dangers and keep them safe  
 in Your Sacred Heart.  
 They are Yours and their life  
 is offered in sacrifice at Your altar.  
 Keep them pure of heart  
 and aflame with the love of God and neighbor.  
 Strengthen your priests by living constantly  
 in them, with them, and through them,  
 especially in times of loneliness and afflictions,  
 and when their life of sacrifice  
 seems meaningless.  
 Bless all their labors with abundant fruit.  
 May they persevere in their vocation until the end.  
 Mary, our Blessed Mother,  
 wrap them under your mantle  
 and save them from all worldly distractions.  
 May the souls to whom they minister  
 be their joy and consolation in this world  
 and in Heaven, their beautiful  
 and everlasting crown. Amen  
 Mary, Queen of Priests, pray for us.  
 St. John Vianney, pray for us.



The weekly bulletin, server schedule, prayer list and  
 registration forms are available online at:  
[www.stpaulcatholicchurchathens.org](http://www.stpaulcatholicchurchathens.org)