




SAINT THOMAS THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

4300 King Springs Road SE, Smyrna, GA 30082-4214
770-432-8579 • stthomasga@stthomastheapostle.org
www.stthomastheapostle.org

March 11, 2018
4th Sunday in Lent • *IV Domingo de Cuaresma*



*For
God so loved
the world...*

JOHN • JUAN 3:14-21

*Whoever believes in him will not be condemned.
El que crea en Él no será condenado.*

SUNDAY CAR TALK

Reflect on your way back home, after Mass.

When have you felt loved by those in your family? Answers can be very ordinary.

*Most loving Father God,
Thank you for creating us, loving us so much,
and wanting to be with us forever.
Amen.*

CONVERSACIONES EN EL CARRO

Reflexión después de Misa, de camino a casa.

¿Cuándo te has sentido amado por los miembros de tu familia? Las respuestas pueden ser muy ordinarias.

*Padre amoroso,
Gracias por habernos creado, y por amarnos tanto,
Y por querer quedarte con nosotros por siempre.
Amén*

Clergy Clero

Pastor:

Rev. Brian R. Sheridan, M.S.

678-626-3938

fbrian@stthomastheapostle.org

Parochial Vicars:

Rev. Jojohn Chettyyakunnel, M.S.

678-626-3953

frjojo@stthomastheapostle.org

Rev. Jaime Molina J., M.N.M.

770-432-8579 Ext. 0

Rev. Paul Rainville, M.S. (in residence)

678-626-3959

Deacons:

Rev. Mr. Michael Garrett

Rev. Mr. Earl Jackson

Rev. Mr. Richard Searls

Deacons Office

770-432-8579 Ext. 106

Contact & Office Hours

Horas de Oficina

Parish Office

Main Phone: 770 - 432-8579

Fax. 770 - 432-8570

Regular Office Hours

Monday—Friday

9:00 AM—8:00 PM

Closed Wednesday 1 PM-3 PM

Religious Ed. Office

770 - 432-5296

Regular Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday

10:00 AM—5:00 PM

Tuesday: 10:00 AM—5:00 PM

Closed on Friday & Saturday

Preschool Office

770-293-1267

Regular Office Hours

Monday—Thursday

10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

St. Vincent de Paul Society

678-626-3939 (English Hotline)

678-626-3949 (Línea en español)

**BY APPOINTMENT ONLY
SOLAMENTE CON CITA**



stthomastheapostlechurch

Mass Schedule • Horario de Misas

English Mass Schedule

Monday12 Noon
Tuesday12 Noon
Wednesday 8:15 AM & 7:00 PM
Thursday7:00 PM
Friday12 Noon
SaturdayVigil: 4:30 PM
Sunday7:30 AM, 9:30 AM
11:30 AM & 5:00 PM

Confession

Saturday3:00 PM

Adoration

Wednesday9:00 AM-6:45 PM

Horario de Misas en Español

Lunes 7:30 PM
Jueves 8:00 PM
Sábado 6:30 PM
Domingo..... 6:00 AM
2:00 PM & 7:30 PM

Confesión

Sábados 5:30 PM

Domingos 1:00 PM & 6:30 PM

Adoración

Miércoles 9:00 AM-6:45 PM

2^{do} Sábado 8:00 PM-6:00 AM

Baptism • Bautismo

Parish families who wish to have a child baptized should be registered in a Catholic parish and take the pre-baptismal class BEFORE making plans for a baptismal date. Classes are offered monthly.

Las familias que deseen bautizar a sus hijos deben estar registrados en una iglesia católica y tomar una plática prebaptismal ANTES de hacer planes para una fecha de bautismo. Se ofrecen pláticas mensualmente.

Yolanda Rivera • Patricia Van Buren
770-432-8579 Ext. 0 stthomasga@stthomastheapostle.org

First Eucharist • Primera Eucaristía

Preparation is a two-year process. Enrollment in Catholic school or Parish School of Religion is required the year prior to receiving the Sacrament.

La preparación es un proceso de dos años. Los niños deben estar registrados en Catecismo de la iglesia, o asistir a escuela católica un año antes de recibir el sacramento.

Sue Senecal • Elizabeth Medina
ssenecal@stthomastheapostle.org 770-432-5296 emedina@stthomastheapostle.org

Marriage • Matrimonios

A minimum of six months preparation is required. Additional information will be provided on your first interview with the priest.

Un mínimo de seis meses de preparación son requeridos. Información adicional estará disponible después de la primera entrevista con el sacerdote.

Patricia Van Buren
678-626-3940 pvanburen@stthomastheapostle.org

Reconciliation • Reconciliación

Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. in the Confessional Room or by appointment. Priests handle their own calendars. Please call the parish office for more information.

Sábados y domingos, 30 minutos antes de que empiecen las Misas, en el confesionario. O con cita previa, de acuerdo a la disponibilidad de los sacerdotes.

Parish Office
770-432-8579 Ext. 0 stthomasga@stthomastheapostle.org

Sacrament of the Sick • Unción de los Enfermos

Please inform the Parish Office of anyone homebound or hospitalized so that they may receive the Sacraments.

Por favor informar a la Oficina Parroquial si conocen alguna persona que esté enferma o hospitalizada para que reciba la unción.

Parish Office
770-432-8579 Ext. 0 stthomasga@stthomastheapostle.org

Ministry Fair

ENCUENTRA
TU
LUGAR
PARA
SERVIR

MARCH 17-18
After all Masses

FIND
YOUR
PLACE
TO
SERVE

SAVE THE DATE

The Pastoral Council invites
you to our
Parish Ministry Fair

March 17-18
in the Social Hall
after Masses.

DISCOVER all the
opportunities to serve the
Lord and your fellow man.

GET INVOLVED with a
ministry that is something
you can do or are
passionate about.

MEET SOME AMAZING
people who make things
happen every day in our
parish.

COME TO THE FAIR!

YOU 
CAN MAKE A
DIFFERENCE

RESERVA ESTA FECHA

El Consejo Pastoral
Invita a todos a la
Feria de Ministerios

Marzo 17-18
en el Salón Social
después de las Misas.

DESCUBRE todas las
oportunidades de servir al
Señor y a tus hermanos.

INVOLUCRATE en un
ministerio en el que
puedas servir y hacer lo
que te apasiona.

CONOCE A INCREIBLES
personas que hacen que
las cosas sucedan a diario
en nuestra parroquia.

¡VEN A LA FERIA!

4th Sunday of Lent

Thank Jesus for the gift of faith. Pray the Stations of the Cross together with your family, or join your parish community in the Stations of the Cross (Fridays at 7:00 p.m.)

Make a poster with the words of John 3:16. Use this verse at the beginning of your family prayer this week. Thank God for all God has done for your family.

Distribute a sheet of paper to each family member. Ask each person to list ten blessings in his or her life. After a few minutes of reflection, ask each member to share some of his or her blessings. Then make a list of family blessings.

Live your faith as a family this week. For example, send a get-well card to someone who is ill, make soup and take it to a homebound person, invite someone who lives alone over for dinner.

Source: Lectionary Link

Lenten Events

Eventos de Cuaresma

Seder Meal

Comida Séder

Tuesday, March 20

Martes, 20 de marzo

7:00 p.m

Social Hall / Salón Social

See page 3 for details.



Fish Fry

Venta de Pescado

5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Social Hall / Salón Social

ALL Fridays during Lent.

TODOS los viernes en

Cuaresma.



LIVING Stations of the Cross

Vía Crucis en vivo

Friday, March 16

Viernes, 16 de marzo

7:00 p.m

Main Sanctuary / Iglesia

A passion play presented by the Youth Ministry. It is a narration, along with music and acting. Above all, it is a prayer. Performance will occur THIS Friday, March 16 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Sanctuary.

Una representación teatral del Vía Crucis, presentada por nuestro Ministerio de Jóvenes. Narración, música, actuación, y sobre todo oración. La presentación se llevará a cabo ESTE Viernes, 16 de marzo, a las 7:00 p.m., en la iglesia.



Confessions during Holy Week Confesiones durante Semana Santa



Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. (Except Holy Saturday)
Main Sanctuary / Iglesia
Sábados a las 3:00 p.m. (Excepto Sábado Santo)

Extraordinary dates for Confession:

- Monday, March 26 at 9:30 a.m. OR 7:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 28 at 7:00 p.m.

SOCIAL HALL / SALON SOCIAL

Fechas extraordinarias para Confesión:

- Lunes, 26 de marzo a las 9:30 a.m. o a las 7:00 p.m.
- Miércoles, 28 de marzo a las 7:00 p.m.

Rabbi Jay Fielding is returning to our parish to celebrate this year's Messianic Passover Seder. We will journey with him as he explains the tradition of the Seder that will lead us to sharing a meal together. It will be a special evening for us to gather during the season of Lent.

El **Rabino Jay Fielding** regresa a nuestra parroquia para celebrar el Séder de la Pascua Mesiánica de este año. Viajaremos con él mientras explica la tradición del Séder que nos llevará a compartir una cena juntos. Será una noche especial para que nos reunamos durante la temporada de la Cuaresma.

SEDER MEAL

TUESDAY, MARCH 20
MARTES, 20 DE MARZO

6:30 P.M.

SOCIAL HALL
SALON SOCIAL

IV Domingo de Cuaresma

Agradezca a Jesús por el don de la fe. Recen en familia las estaciones del Via Crucis o únense a su comunidad parroquial (viernes las 7PM)

Prepare un cartel con las palabras de Juan 3,16. Use este versículo al comienzo de su oración familiar esta semana. Agradezca a Dios por todo lo que ha hecho por su familia.

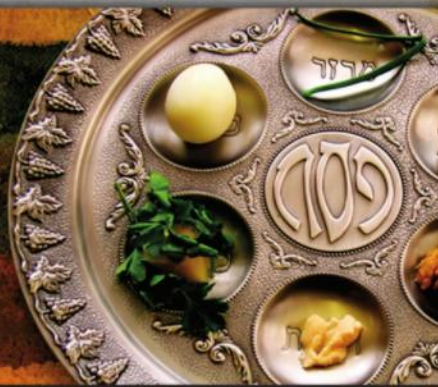
Distribuya una hoja de papel a cada miembro de la familia. Pida a cada persona que enumere diez bendiciones de su vida. Luego de unos minutos de reflexión, pídale que compartan algunas de sus bendiciones. Después preparen una lista de bendiciones familiares.

Vivan su fe como familia esta semana. Por ejemplo, envíen una tarjeta a alguien que está enfermo para desearle que se recupere; preparen sopa y llévenla a una persona que no puede salir de su casa; inviten a cenar a alguien que vive solo.

Fuente: Lectionary Link

DISCOVER THE DEEP MEANING OF
PASSOVER AND ITS RELEVANCE TODAY.

DESCUBRE EL PROFUNDO SIGNIFICADO DE LA PASCUA JUDIA
Y SU RELEVANCIA HOY EN DIA.



Cost: \$15 per person.
MEAL ENTREE: Choice of lamb or chicken.

Costo: \$15 por persona.
PLATO PRINCIPAL: Cordero o pollo.

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT
678-626-3966
BOLETOS A LA VENTA

TACO FIESTA—Fish Tacos: ONE DAY ONLY!

Delicious FISH TACOS for sale on March 23.

\$5 per meal includes:

2 Fish Tacos, rice pilaf, refried beans, water or ice tea.

Come and enjoy this delicious option for your Lenten Friday meal!

¡Deliciosos Tacos de Pescado a la venta el 23 de marzo!

Plato: \$5 incluye: dos tacos de pescado, arroz pilaf, frijoles refritos, agua o té frío.



Friday, March 23 / Viernes, 23 de marzo

5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Social Hall / Salón Social

Parish Life

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY: Donations needed for our 24th construction, which begins on April 28!

St. Thomas the Apostle church is a member of the Cobb Interfaith Habitat Coalition. Our parish has been involved with Habitat since 1994. Habitat is a hand up not a hand out. Home owners are strictly vetted. They have to take classes on responsible home ownership and contribute 300 hours of sweat equity. This year's build will begin on April 28.

There are several ways YOU can help.

1-Financial donation-In the past we have asked for \$40 but any amount would be greatly appreciated. Please make your checks out to St. Thomas and write Habitat for Humanity in the memo line.

2-Volunteer-We are looking for people to help on the build weekends. The time is typically 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. We do not require any skills just a willingness to learn. You will be well trained by the Crew Leaders.

3-We need your prayers for a successful build!

If you have any questions or wish to volunteer, please contact Laura McIntosh, 678-332-6619 or lmcintosh1843@bellsouth.net.

Thank you and God Bless!

CONSTRUCCION DE VIVIENDA CON HABITAT PARA LA HUMANIDAD INICIA EL 28 de ABRIL

Inicia el 28 de abril. Necesitamos voluntaries para trabajar los sábados, de 8:00 a.m. a 1:00 p.m. (no se requiere experiencia) y donaciones de dinero para la compra de materiales de construcción. Por favour hacer cheques a la orden de St. Thomas the Apostle Church, e indicar que es para Habitat. GRACIAS.

**LOST and FOUND
Perdido y hallado****Fine Jewelry & Purse:**

If you have lost a woman's purse, an earring, a bracelet, a ring or a necklace of value in the last few months, please contact the Parish Office. An exact description of your particular item is needed in order to claim it.

770-432-8579 Ext. 0

Joyería fina y bolsa de mano:

Si has perdido una bolsa de mano, arete, un brazaletes, un anillo o una cadena en los últimos meses, por favour contacta a la Oficina Parroquial.

Se requiere una descripción exacta del artículo para poderlo reclamar.

770-432-8579 Ext. 0

**BAPTISMAL CLASS
Clase Prebautismal****English:**

Sunday, March 18

11.30 a.m.

Adult Faith Formation building

This class welcomes parents who are hoping to have their children baptized in the next few months. Please call the Parish Office to sign up and receive more information.

770-432-8579 Ext. 0.

Español:

Viernes, 6 de abril

7:30 p.m.

Salón Social

Esta plática prepara a padres de familia que deseen bautizar a sus hijos o hijas en los próximos meses. Por favour llamar a la Oficina Parroquial para recibir más información.

770-432-8579 Ext. 0.

This Week in our Parish**MONDAY, MARCH 12**

9:00 AM PRESCHOOL
11:15 AM MORNING PRAYER
12:00 PM **Mass**
LAWRENCE ORSAK
4:30 PM PSR
6:30 PM MONDAY NIGHT CHOIR
7:00 PM PASTORAL COUNCIL
7:00 PM PRE-EVANGELIZATION
7:00 PM PSR / RCIA
7:00 PM ROSARIO
7:00 PM STEPHEN MINISTRY
7:30 PM CREDO CHOIR
7:30 PM **Misa**
† PEDRO HERNANDEZ
† CORNELIO MEJIA
8:00 PM EVANGELIZATION CHOIR
8:00 PM LECTORES MTG

TUESDAY, MARCH 13

9:00 AM PRESCHOOL
11:15 AM MORNING PRAYER
12:00 PM **Mass**
† GEORGE PATRICK GARGER
7:00 PM CONFIRMATION CLASS
7:00 PM CREDO CHOIR
7:00 PM MARIA NINA CHOIR
7:00 PM SVdP
8:00 PM ESTUDIANTINA CHOIR
8:00 PM EVANGELIZATION CHOIR
8:15 PM APOYO A LA FAMILIA

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

7:00 AM FIDELES
8:15 AM **Mass**
† MARJORIE CAVANAGH
9:00 AM ADORATION
9:00 AM PRESCHOOL
6:00 PM WOMEN'S AUXILIARY
6:45 PM BENEDICTION
7:00 PM EDGE NIGHT
7:00 PM LIVE LENT
7:00 PM **Mass**
† DR. ROBERTO CASTRENCE
7:30 PM LIFE TEEN BAND
7:35 PM ROSARY FOR LIFE
8:30 PM SMALL FAITH COMMUNITIES

THURSDAY, MARCH 15

9:00 AM PRESCHOOL
10:00 AM BIBLE STUDY
5:30 PM SP REHEARSAL
6:00 PM VIRTUS (ENGLISH)
7:00 PM ADULT CHOIR
7:00 PM MINISTRY FAIR PLANNING
7:00 PM PSR
7:00 PM **Mass**
8:00 PM **Misa**
ANN DOMINGUEZ

Parish Life

ST. JOSEPH ALTAR
Altar de San José

March 17-18
Marzo 17-18

Donate fresh fruits and vegetables, as well as baked breads and home made cookies. Bring donations to the Commons Area on March 17-18 only. All donations will go to our St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry to help those most in need in our parish community.

Solicitamos donaciones de fruta fresca y vegetales, así como panes y galletitas hechas en casa. Las donaciones serán dadas a la Despensa de la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl para ayudar a las personas más necesitadas en nuestra



VIRTUS TRAINING
English session

Thursday, March 15
6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.
Social Hall

Volunteers working with children/youth and vulnerable individuals are required by the Archdiocese of Atlanta to have a background check and attend VIRTUS training.

It is mandatory to pre-register online at:
www.virtusonline.com

For more information, please contact:

Diane Bauer at:
678-283-2283
virtus@
stthomastheapostle.org



LIFE TEEN
Leading Teens Closer to Christ

Just For Fun (JFF)
Bible Study for teens
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Youth Room

Open to all High School students!

Next meetings:

- March 28
- April 18
- April 25



EDGE Night:
THIS WEEK!

Wednesday, March 14
7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
Social Hall

For more information please contact **Edwin Mendez at 678-626-3937** or **Estela Martinez at 678-626-3936**.

CASINO NIGHT
Noche de Casino

Saturday, April 21
7:00 p.m
Social Hall

Cost: \$30 per person
Adults only
Includes \$1000 in chips.
Additional \$1000 chips for \$5
Complementary appetizers
Raffle and Silent Auction

Tickets on sale April 7-8 and 14-15

All proceeds benefit Saint Thomas the Apostle Parish. Sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary.

Noche de Casino, 21 de abril a partir de las 7:00 p.m. en el Salón Social. Costo: \$30 (incluye \$1000 en fichas y botanas)
Rifa y Subasta Silenciosa.

Boletos a la venta el 7-8, 14-15 de abril. Te invitan las Damas Auxiliares.



This Week in our Parish

Updated on March 5, 2018

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

- 9:00 AM PRESCHOOL
- 11:15 AM STATIONS OF THE CROSS
- 12:00 PM MASS
- † WADE CHOATE
- 4:30 PM MAGANDA QUINCEANERA
- 5:30 PM FISH FRY
- 6:00 PM SP REHEARSAL
- 6:00 PM YOU: THEOLOGY OF THE BODY
- 7:00 PM CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP
- 7:00 PM LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS
- 7:00 PM MARIA NINA CHOIR
- 8:00 PM ASAMBLEA DE ORACION

SATURDAY, MARCH 17

- MINISTRY FAIR
- ST. JOSEPH ALTAR
- 10:00 AM MARIA NINA
- 10:00 AM NYC TRIP PLANNING
- 11:30 AM CRUZ WEDDING
- 2:00 PM QUINCEANERAS
- 3:00 PM CONFESSIONS
- 4:30 PM MASS
- † HENRY VALLES
- 5:00 PM ESTUDIANTINA CHOIR
- 5:00 PM PRE-EVANGELIZACION JOVENES
- 6:30 PM MISA
- † JOSE ENRIQUE LOREDO

SUNDAY, MARCH 18

- MINISTRY FAIR
- ST. JOSEPH ALTAR
- 6:00 AM MISA
- STEVAN ECHEVESTE
- 7:30 AM MASS
- † SHARON CASEY
- 9:00 AM RCIA
- 9:30 AM MASS
- † GEORGE GARGER
- 9:30 AM PSR
- 11:00 AM LEGION OF MARY
- 11:15 AM PSR
- 11:30 AM MASS
- † ALL SOULS IN PURGATORY
- 11:30 AM PARENT PRE-BAPTISMAL CLASS
- 12:30 PM PRE-EVANGELIZACION

SUNDAY, MARCH 18

- 12:45 PM AFRICAN PARISHIONERS
- 2:00 PM MISA
- RAFAEL RIVERA
- 2:00 PM RICA
- 2:30 PM CONFIRMATION CLASS
- 4:00 PM DIVINA VOLUNTAD
- 5:00 PM MASS
- PRO POPULO
- 6:00 PM CONSOLING THE HEART
- 6:30 PM PRE-EVANGELIZACION
- 7:30 PM MISA
- † ESTHER ASCENCIO

Weekly Donations Report

Reporte de Donaciones Semanales

Offertory Actual / Ofertorio Actual March 3-4, 2018 vs. Last Year

	FY 2018	FY 2017
Budgeted	\$38,462	\$36,750
Actual	<u>\$49,613</u>	<u>\$53,090</u>
Surplus	\$11,151	\$16,340

No Second Collection / No Segunda Colecta March 3-4, 2018

None \$0

FY2018 Offertory Projected vs Actual to Date And Last year Comparison

Budgeted	\$1,384,632	\$1,323,000
Actual	<u>\$1,430,691</u>	<u>\$1,353,661</u>
Surplus/(Shortfall) ..	\$46,059	\$30,661

Operating Financial Statement For the 7 months ending 1/31/18

Operating Revenue.....	\$1,773,359
Operating Expenses	<u>(\$1,653,465)</u>
Operating Revenue over Expense	\$119,894
Total Assessments	\$842,726
still owed to Archdiocese as of 1/31/18	

Archbishop's Annual Appeal 2018 (Week 7) Llamado Anual del Arzobispo 2018 (Semana 7)

Goal (Meta).....	\$169,400
Total Pledged (Compromisos totales)	\$133,978
Paid to date (Pagos recibidos)	\$43,626
Shortfall to Goal (Pérdida sobre la meta) (\$125,774)	
Percent Paid to Goal (Porcentaje pagado).....	26%
Number of Donors (No. de Donantes)	459

Children's Offertory Ofertorio de los Niños March 3-4, 2018

Total \$921

♥ I came to Mass (Vine a Misa) ♥ I helped my Mom with the Laundry (Ayudé a Mamá a lavar ropa) ♥ Be nice to one another (Ser Bueno con otros) ♥ I gave money for those in need (Di dinero por los necesitados) ♥ I cleaned my room (Limpíe mi habitación) ♥ Behaved at school (Me porté bien en la escuela) ♥ I made caramel for cakes (Hice caramel para pasteles) ♥ I helped someone at the playground (Ayudé a alguien en el campo de juegos) ♥

Offering envelopes are available in the Commons Area.
Ask your child to write his/her good deed of the week and encourage him/her to deposit the envelope in the special basket near the altar, during the offertory.



Job Opening Oportunidad de Empleo

We have an immediate opening for a **part-time Security/Maintenance** person at St. Thomas the Apostle.

- Sundays from 2:00 until 10:00 p.m.

If interested, please submit your resume to gmartin@stthomastheapostle.org or call **Galina Martin at 678-626-3944**.

Catholic Foundation of North Georgia

**"How shall I make a return to the Lord
for all He has done for me?"**

Psalms 116:12

The simplest way to share your blessings is to include your parish endowment fund in your will. You may be one of the 70% of Americans who do not have a will. For information on will planning, please contact: Juliet Greco - Catholic Foundation jgreco@cfnga.org or 404-497-9440.

Second Collection next week

The Second Collection next weekend will support our **St. Vincent de Paul Society**, a parish organization that helps families and individuals in need in our local area. Thanks for your generosity!

Segunda Colecta de la próxima semana: San Vicente de Paúl, una organización de la parroquia que ayuda a familia e individuos necesitados en nuestra área. ¡Gracias por su generosidad!

Almsgiving helps us to recognize our neighbor as our brother or sister, and to acknowledge that what we possess is never ours alone.

Pope Francis



@Pontifex

El ejercicio de la limosna nos ayuda a descubrir que el otro es mi hermano: y a reconocer que nuestras posesiones nunca son solo nuestras.

Papa Francisco

Prayers and Devotions ▪ Oraciones y Devociones

Altar Flowers ▪ Flores del Altar

During the season of Lent, there are no flowers decorating our altar. Offerings will be accepted after April 1.

Durante el tiempo de Cuaresma no hay flores para decorar el altar. Se volverán a aceptar ofrendas a partir del 1º de abril.



In Our Prayers / En Nuestra Oraciones

Bulletin Sick List

We ask you to take a moment to pray for the people who are listed on this Bulletin Sick List. Please call the Parish Office to place a name on the list below. The names will be kept in our bulletin for three consecutive weeks.

- | | | |
|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Gilberto Camuñez | Greg Cantrell | Kathy Burkholder |
| Alvin Hinkle | Lucille Coccozza | Ignacia Loya |
| Tom Manbeck | Sylvia Gonzalez | Jackie Martinez |
| Esperanza Ortega | Richard Grey | Esteban Núñez |
| Blanca Petitione | Athanasius Ogbugo | Santiago Moncayo |
| César Urcuyo | Margarita Ramos | |

Prayer Line / Cadena de Oración

Saint Thomas the Apostle has a Prayer Line Ministry. The members of this ministry are dedicated prayer warriors. If you have a prayer request that you would like to place in the care of the Prayer Line, contact: Valerie Panditaratne at vpandit@emory.edu

Praying for our Troops / Orando por Nuestras Tropas

We also remember in our prayers all of those who are serving in the military. Please contact the Parish Office if you have a family member who is currently serving in the military.

- SPC Derek Collins, USN
- LTJG Tanner Collins, USN
- E3 Austin Cyr, USCG
- E3 Rachel Cyr, USCG
- E-5 Emanuel Alejandro Herrera Reynoso, USN
- CDR Dominic J. Lovello, USN
- E-4 Spc Jose Martinez, USA
- HM1 Kenneth McIntosh, USN
- 1st LT Jeff Ramey, USMC



Readings for next weekend:

5th Sunday of Lent - V Domingo de Cuaresma

Reading I <i>Primera Lectura</i>	Jeremiah 31:31-34 <i>Jeremías 31, 31-34</i>
-------------------------------------	--

I will make a new covenant with Israel.
Yo pactaré con el pueblo de Israel una nueva alianza.

Reading II <i>Segunda Lectura</i>	Hebrews 5:7-9 <i>Hebreos 5, 7-9</i>
--------------------------------------	--

Jesus learned to obey God.
Aprendió en su pasión lo que es obedecer.

Gospel <i>Evangelio</i>	John 12, 20-33 <i>Juan 12, 20-33</i>
----------------------------	---

If it dies, it produces much grain.
Si muere, da mucho fruto.

Around the Archdiocese Alrededor de la Arquidiócesis



Preschool registration for the 2018-2019 school year is now open to ALL families (Parishioners and non-Parishioners)

Preschool Tours:

10:00 a.m. on the following dates:
Wednesdays
• March 7, 14, 21, 28

Our Preschool program serves children from 18 months through young five.

Tuition fees for the 2018-2019 school year are now available at **www.sttapreschool.org**
For more information, please call: 770-293-1267.

Journey of The Heart – A Lenten Series

Every Wednesday in Lent 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Ignatius House Jesuit Retreat Center
(Atlanta, GA)

For more information, or to register, please visit:
Phone 404-255-0503 www.ignatiushouse.org

Upcoming Cursillo Weekends

March 8-11 = Cursillo for Men
March 15-18 = Cursillo for Women
Monastery of the Holy Spirit (Conyees, GA)

The Cursillo is a three-day workshop held on a weekend at the Monastery of the Holy Spirit in Conyers, Georgia. Participants of all ages come together to share a series of messages on living the Christian life. There will also be time for mass, personal prayer and reflection. The weekend is presented by a team of laity, religious and clergy. We are sure you will find this to be a very meaningful experience.

The 2018 Spring Cursillo weekends are March 8-11 for men and March 15-18 for women. There is limited availability for both weekends. For more information, please call **Anthony and Kimi Nettuno at 406-579-9535**.

HAPPILY MARRIED COUPLES:

World Wide Marriage Encounter

The next WWME Weekends are scheduled for April 20-22 and June 15-17. You can get more information or apply online at **GATN-wwme.org** or by calling **678-242-WWME**.

For information on *Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial* see **enriquecetumatrimonio.org**

Help Save Lives!!! 40daysforlife.com/Marietta

February 14 - March 25, 2018

in front of Planned Parenthood • 220 Cobb Parkway • Marietta, GA 30062

(You can park at the shopping plaza across the street)

Stand & Pray on the grass between the parking lot and street, with a peaceful sign.

• Cremación Simple \$750

• Repatriaciones \$2,350

• Servicio Funerario \$2,895 Disponible las 24 horas del día para familias Latinas

Sims Funeraria

2201 S. Cobb Dr. SE in Smyrna
3318 Glenwood Rd. in Decatur
English: (678) 424-1096
Español: (404) 790-9197
www.SIMSFUNERALS.com
La opción mas económica



Cedric O. Mogbolu
REALTOR® | PARISHIONER

kw CITYSIDE
770-874-6200
KELLER WILLIAMS.
REALTY
Each office is independently owned and operated

Give Me A Call or Email!
678-543-5569
cmogbolu@kw.com

MLS

★ The Best Moving & Storage Idea Ever.

We deliver it, you load it, we move it or store it. That's PODS.



800 776-7637 | WWW.PODS.COM

PODS
Moving & Storage, Solved.™
Parishioners of St. Vincent DePaul

★ **Little Bear Tree Service**

- Complete Tree Removal
- Care and Quality Assured
- Storm Damage Specialists
- Pruning / Shaping Specialists
- Stump and Root Grinding

Sober & Drug Free
Competitive Rates / Fully Insured
Free Prompt Estimates
24 Hour Emergency Services
404-975-9831
SAY NO TO DRUGS

Connect with your Parish!

- Advertise • Promote
- Support

DIOCESAN
1-800-292-9111



LAS TORTAS
LOCAS

Venga y disfrute en nuestro ambiente familiar

CHAMBLEE
2493 Chamblee Tucker Rd.
770-457-0099

MARIETTA
371 Pat Mell Rd.
770-803-0303

SANDY SPRINGS
5841 Roswell Rd.
404-844-4445

Bienvenidos a **Los Bravos**

Mexican Restaurant
4480 S. Cobb Dr.
678-556-1934

Lunch **\$3⁰⁰ OFF** with purchase of 2 meals
Dinner **\$5⁰⁰ OFF** with purchase of 2 meals

\$9 T-SHIRT SALE

diocesan.com/shop




INJURY ATTORNEY

30 Yrs Experience on Marietta Square
Randall F. Rogers
Car, Motorcycle & Truck Wrecks, Falls, Wrongful Death

770.590.0300
244 Roswell Street, Suite 100
Marietta, GA 30060
www.RandyRogersLaw.com
Randy@RandyRogersLaw.com



Rosie Guerrero / HABLO ESPAÑOL

Servicios Funebres Y de Cremaciones
Envios al Extranjero
770-948-0113

myParish
The App for Catholic Life Every Day

www.myParishApp.com


Available on the App Store | ANDROID APP ON Google play

Deliciosas Quesadillas de Huitlacoche y flor de calabaza con Tortillas Hechas a Mano

El Huarache Veloz

678-403-8990

1157 Roswell Rd
Marietta, GA 30062



Cumberland Christian Academy K3-12 Grades

Join other families at St. Thomas who have experienced the Cumberland difference!

Ross Memorial Health Care Center

"Gratefully Serving Our Seniors for over 50 Years."
Family Owned & Operated

www.rossmemorial.com

1780 Old 41 Highway
Kennesaw, Georgia 30152
(770) 427-7256




- 100 Bed Nursing Home
- Long Term Nursing Care
- Short Term Rehabilitation Care
- Therapy Services Available

Your Church is closer than you think...

Mass Times • Bulletins
Directions • Local Businesses

Visit **DISCOVERMASS.com**

FARMERS INSURANCE
Parishioner

Auto, Home, Life, Business

RUIZ AGENCY - *Hablamos Español*
404.547.5459
jruiz@farmersagent.com
www.farmersagent.com/jruiz
822 Concord Rd., Smyrna, GA 30080

Omolara Bernard Kuteyi M.D. FAFPP

Family Medicine (Board Certified)

Phone:
404-284-7744
404-624-0475

ATLANTA COMMUNITIES
REAL ESTATE BROKERAGE

Laura Gibbs REALTOR®

Parishioner, Neighbor & SVDP Volunteer

Cell: (404) 408-2456
Office: (770) 240-2004
Email: gibbslaura@aol.com
www.gibbslaura.com

REICH DENTAL CENTER FAMILY DENTISTRY

• PREVENTATIVE CARE • ADULTS AND CHILDREN WELCOME
• COSMETIC SERVICES: WHITENING, CROWNS, VENEERS

Robin S. Reich, DDS, P.C.
Kristen Cooney, DMD
Lauren Hughes, DMD
Stacey Wingad, DMD

MON-FRI 6:30am - 3pm

(770) 435-5450 • (770) 992-3359
Smyrna Roswell

SIKES TOM CARTER
PAPER COMPANY
770.365.0079

YOUR FULL SERVICE BUILDING MAINTENANCE PRODUCT SUPPLIER

Michael R. Betsill Parishioner

DREAMSCAPES LANDSCAPE COMPANY
DESIGN, INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE
770-241-9961 CELL
dreamscapes@BellSouth.net

Floral Creations Florist

770-433-0621
3308 South Cobb Dr. Smyrna, GA 30080

Proudly Servicing St. Thomas

Full Service Florist
Fresh Roses, Weddings, Quinceañera & Much More!!

SUPERMERCADOS La Villa

#1 - 737 Roswell St., Marietta 770-499-8218
#2 - 2431 Cobb Pkwy., Smyrna 770-951-8085
#3 - 2730 Summers St., Kennesaw 678-213-2841

Proudly Servicing St. Thomas

SEAGRAVES PLUMBING
Septic & Sewer Residential & Commercial

SP

Waterlines, Water Heaters, etc.
All Your Plumbing Needs
404.792.2221

VIVA-MEXICO
MEXICAN RESTAURANT

Está Solicitando Empleados Para Cocina (Con Experiencia) y meseros de tiempo completo. Interesados favor de llamar o visitar el restaurante para más información.

678-567-0757
Varner Crossing 4150 Macland Rd. Powder Springs, GA



Gina Bridges, Realtor
404-713-5002
www.GinaBridges.com
gina@ginabridges.com

KELLER WILLIAMS REALTY CITYSIDE

Smyrna Business Person of the Year - 2015
Phoenix Recipient

Praise Be To God!
Each Keller Williams Realty Office is Independently Owned and Operated.

Immigrant Advocacy Services, LLC.
Licensed
Immigration, Criminal, Car Accident, Bankruptcy & Divorce, Workers' Compensation Referrals

Attorneys at Law Licensed in WA, GA, NY, NJ, TX and FL
Notary Public • **FREE CONSULTATION**
Spanish / English / Italian

Monica Proaño
Executive Director

1640 Powers Ferry Rd. Bldg. 17 • Suite 200 Marietta, GA 30067
Off: 770-428-0040
Cell: 770-833-2249
nvimmigrant@yahoo.com

ATH
Multicultural Counseling

Amelia Turribiates Huacuja LPC, NCC, MFT-C Parishioner

Terapia para niños y adultos
Evaluaciones para Inmigración
678 886 2974
www.athcounseling.com

Emile Farge (Emilio)
efarge@rhlfunding.com

MORTGAGES/HIPOTECAS
114 Stone Gate Way, Mableton, GA 30126

Residential Equal Housing Lender

Mortgage Loan Originator Cell: 678-361-7291
GA Residential Mortgage License NMLS #184438; GA #40866



Mary Ann Harrell, Realtor®
Proven Experience - Outstanding Results
Over \$200 Million in Career Sales
Phoenix Award Recipient
Life Member, Million Dollar Club

678-596-1118
mahtom@sprintmail.com
WWW.MAHARRELL.COM

Friend & Supporter of St. Thomas
Each Keller Williams Realty Office is Independently Owned and Operated.

Greater Atlanta
Greater Service... Greater Results.

Kristi Sabbarese Henry
REALTOR GRI, ABR, SFR
kristi@move2atlanta.com

404-606-1633 www.move2atlanta.com

myParish
The App for Catholic Life Every Day
www.myParishApp.com
Available for Apple and Android

Grupo Médico
Clínica Médica Familiar
www.grupomedicoga.com

Abiertos todos los días 770-559-3555

BUFORD • 770-831-9202 • 4225 South Lee Street • Buford, GA 30518
NORCROSS • 770-559-3555 • 5965 Jimmy Carter Blvd. • Norcross, GA 30071
MABELTON • 770-559-3555 • 1060 Veterans Memorial Hwy. • Mableton, GA 30126

CHECKMARK HOME REPAIRS
770-294-2382
NO JOB TOO SMALL OR TOO LARGE
Mark Lyons, Jr. - Parishioner mark@checkmark.today

JC *Somos Técnicos Profesionales*

Aire Acondicionado y Calefacción
Refrigeración y Calefacción
Reparaciones e Instalaciones
Calentadores de agua
Técnico Certificado
Lic #006815

770-365-4258

DOUGH IN THE BOX DONUTS
3184 Austell Rd., Marietta 30008
770-436-5155

OPEN SINCE 2003
doughinthebox.com

CLOSED MONDAYS
Tue-Sat 5:00am - 6:00pm
Sunday 5:00am - 2:30pm

1 FREE REGULAR DONUT WITH AD
Expires 02/1/2018

Christian Bakery
Panadería y Pastelería
Ofrecemos variedad de panes y bolillo calentito.
Tenemos pasteles de alta calidad con fruta natural a la orden del cliente.

1419 Veterans Memorial Hwy. Mableton, GA 30126
770 948 8960
770 948 6289

1522 Pine Log Rd., Ste. F Conyers, GA 30012
678 413 2626
678 413 2625

SUPER MERCADO JALISCOS

CARNICERÍA Y ABARROTES
1957 South Cobb Drive • Marietta
770-333-0025

ERIK MEDER
AVE MARIA LEGAL SERVICES, LLC
1262 CONCORD ROAD, SUITE 101, SMYRNA, GA 30080

ATTORNEY • ABOGADO
(678) 556-0008 *bilingue*

Immigration • Criminal • Civil Lawsuits • Family Law
PARISHIONER

¡Alerta de inmigración! ¡LAS REGLAS DEL PERDON HAN CAMBIADO! Las personas que tienen ordenes de deportación son elegibles para solicitar un perdón dentro de los estados unidos. ¡Los conyuges de los residentes también son elegibles para solicitar!

Abogada Grace Kennedy • Feligreses de la Parroquia San José
Primera Consulta gratis para feligreses de la Parroquia Santo Tomás
¡Todo asunto de Inmigración! Miembra de la Asociación de Abogados de Inmigración. • Localizados en Marietta entre Windy Hill Y Cobb Pkwy.
¡Hablamos Español! Llámenos hoy al (770) 303-8212 o mándenos un texto al (678) 961-3272