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November 18, 2001

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASSES:

Sat. Vigil-5:30PM,
 Sun.-7:30AM, 10AM & 11:30AM
 Spanish Mass 1:00PM

Confessions - Sat. @ 5:00PM or by
 appointment

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Mon., Tues., Thurs.- 8:30AM
 Wed.-5:30PM, Fri.-12:10 PM followed by
 Adoration - Prayers, & Benediction
 7:00-7:30PM

Mass Intentions for this Week		November 17-23, 2001
Sat. 5:30 PM		Marjorie Avery (D) req by St. Vincent de Paul
Sun. 7:30 AM		Estelle Kamm (D) req by Lucia Kamm Steigleman
10:00 AM		George Redding (D) req by Art & Dee Thomas
11:30 AM		Thomas Maguire (D) req by M/M Victor Costa
1:00 PM		Missa Pro Popula (Spanish Mass)
Mon. 8:30 AM		Elaine Menke (D) req by the Mullins family
Tue. 8:30 AM		Mary Barker (D) req by Joe & Lenore Schrowang
Wed. 5:30 PM		Patrick Lyness (D) req by Art & Dee Thomas
Thurs. 9:30 AM		Sal Messina (L) req by Bob & Mary Ann Himes
Fri. 12:10 PM		Joni Johnson (D) req by Joanne Cantrell

Liturgical Ministry Schedule for				
November 24-25, 2001				
	Sat. 5:30pm	Sun. 7:30am	Sun 10am	Sun
11:30am				
Lector	Mark McAlpin	Regina Himes	James Thiess	Michael Chase
Altar Servers	Megan McAlpin Kathleen McAuliffe	Gina Himes Sabrina Yates	Amber Maloof Mickey Maloof	Mary Mullins Joshua Greenwell
Eucharistic Ministers	Bill Oakes Pauline Oakes Yvonne Warhola	Marie Swope Steve Swope Mike Dombrowski	Lynn Dombrowski Jan Myers Theresa Austin John Cenkner Sandra Cenkner June Beers Joe Cebulski	Lynn Chase Kim Mullins Theresa Mullins

The Altar Flowers this week are given in memory of deceased family members of Leo and Marian Campbell.

Dear Lord, look down upon Your servants who are ill, and if it is Your will, restore the health of any sick parishioners and the health of sick relatives and friends. Dear Blessed Mother, please hold each person in your comforting embrace during the difficult times. *Matthew Fredricks, Msgr. Louie Naughton, Kelly Mincy, John Bratschitsch, Kitty Newby, Mary Kathleen Barge, Kathy Cornay, Florian Cornay, Mike Stefanchick, Dave Melear, James Woodford, Patrick Holohan, Olga SeFeri, Dorothy Peterson, Edward Baran, Gene Lively, Wesly French, Magdalena Gross, Irene Edgar, Gary Roberts,*

SPANISH MASS AT 11AM

MEETINGS AND DEVOTIONS

November 19-24, 2001

Mon. 8:30 AM Mass
 9:00 AM Bread Baking Session
 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus
 Tue. 8:30 AM Mass
 Wed. 11:30 AM **BAKE SALE**
 5:10 PM Rosary
 5:30 PM Mass
 6:00 PM **NO DINNER**
 7:00 PM CubScouts, BoyScouts, Life Teen/Music, Spanish Bible Study
 Thurs. **Office Closed for Thanksgiving**
 9:30 AM Mass
 11:00 AM Spanish Mass/Meal
 Fri. **Office Closed for the Holiday**
 12:10 PM Mass/Adoration
 7:00 PM Prayers & Benediction
 Sat. 5:30 PM Vigil Mass
 7:00 PM Carismatica Prayer Grp

FIRST SATURDAY MASS is at 8:30 AM. Confessions will be heard immediately following this Mass as well as at the regular time (5pm) on Saturday.

MARRIAGE: If you are planning a marriage, you must make an appointment with Msgr. Herbert 6 months in advance.

BAPTISM CLASS meets the **third Sunday** after the 11:30 AM Mass, in Henderson Hall. Parents and expectant parents may attend.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT is every Friday following the 12:10 Mass; Prayers, & Benediction at 7pm, except during Lent, Benediction will be at 5:15pm.

Non-Catholics are welcome to our celebration of the Eucharist but may not receive Communion. If you and your children would like to receive a blessing from the Priest or Deacon who is distributing Communion, we invite you to come forward with your arms crossed on your chest.

WE WILL HAVE A SPECIAL THANKSGIVING MASS ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22 AT 9:30AM FOLLOWED BY A

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Today's readings paint a somewhat frightening picture of the end of time. But the Gospel ends with the assurance to faithful stewards that those who persevere will be saved.



Masses. Bring your family for good food and fellowship. Your donations are appreciated.

HOME SCHOOL SUPPORT GROUPS There are two home school support groups in this area, **CHEG (Catholic Home Educators of Georgia)**. If you are interested in more information, please contact Aileen Malneritch at 770-487-2012.

THE SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND is for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Please be generous. **WE CAN END POVERTY, BUT ONLY IF WE FACE IT TOGETHER**

TORCH (Traditions Of Roman Catholic Homes), please contact Patricia Jondle at 770-253-0965, or Kari Beckman at 770-253-3683 or e-mail at home4good@peoplepc.com for more information.

Both groups lend support to families who home school their children.

A **home school co-op** has been organized for the south side. Fr. Hennessy of Sacred Heart in Griffin is the spiritual advisor There will be Mass, confession, and activities for all ages. For more information please call Julie Stamps 678-423-9245

Buy your ticket this weekend!! For the Luxury Car Raffle. You can do this in four installments of \$25 each.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish and its ministries.

PRO-LIFE PERSPECTIVE: "As we in this blessed nation prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving Day with family and friends, a deep gratitude for the God-given gift of life and the gift of freedom is necessary if we are to continue the struggle to protect those whose lives are being denied by this same "rights-centered" society. Much is required from those to whom so much has been given."

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Earl & Elaine Behrens

David & Doris Birchmeier and children Matthew, Bryan & Callyn

Jason and Tiffany Del Duca and son Sonny

Brian & Kathy Kroll and children Magan and Kevin

Vince and Ginger Putney

Steve and Cathy Schingler and children Michelle and Michael



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED St. George is responsible for volunteers for the Coweta Community Food Pantry during the month of November. Volunteers are needed Monday, Wednesday & Friday from 2-4pm, to pack and distribute groceries for the needy in our community. If you are interested in volunteering or learning more about this program,

please call Renee McGraw at 770-251-9978 or 770-253-4962. A special **THANK YOU** to all the past volunteers, we could not do it without you!



NEW 2002 CHURCH CALENDARS are available on the table at the back of the church. Please help yourself, one per family.

LIFE TEEN NEWS

CORE MEMBERS We are still recruiting Core Members and Musicians to help with Life Teen and the Life Teen Mass. We need a Drummer, Bass Guitarist, Keyboardist & a Guitarist. If you are interested in working with our youth as a core member contact Fr. Stephen. If you would like to play in the band please call Mark Fuchs at 770-254-1938.

LIFETEEN/SR. YOUTH GROUP Winter Retreat will be January 11-13 at Marian Meadows Catholic Retreat Center. Cost - \$25 Call Father Stephen.

"COMING IN 2002" WORLD YOUTH DAY In Toronto, Canada, July 20 - July 29, 2002. Cost - \$1,605. Price includes: Round-trip airfare to Buffalo, transportation from airport to Niagara Falls 1 night, Toronto 8 nights, hotel accommodations w/continental b'fast, Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner during WYD (7/23-28,02), tour of Niagara Falls, Toronto City Tour, WYD registration, tips and gratuities for baggage and waiters, Pilgrimage Kit, t-shirt, farewell banquet. Anyone who wishes to

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accompany our youth on this exciting trip, please see

Father Stephen.



NOVEMBER 18 - After the 10am Mass **TODAY**—Deliver food baskets to needy families. Plan to join us for our annual delivery. After we finish, we will meet for lunch then an afternoon activity.

THE GIVING TREE St. George has been asked to help provide Christmas for Coweta County's foster children. Please select a gift tag and purchase a new gift or toy and return to the church hall by December 9th. Any questions, contact Marie Swope at



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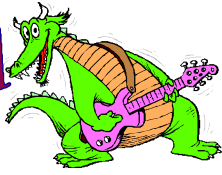
DON'T FORGET!! The 45th Annual Women's Guild Bake Sale will be this Wednesday, November 21, at 11:30am. This is a great only opportunity to purchase some of the delicious goodies made by members of St. George and the Women's Guild.

THE MEN'S CLUB will not meet on the first Monday of December. Instead, we will have our annual joint Christmas party with the Knights of Columbus on December 10, at 6:30pm at the rectory. Men's club members and their wives bring a side dish, K of C members bring desserts. Everything else will be provided by the clubs. Any questions, call 770-251-4000.

THANKSGIVING ECUMENICAL SERVICE to be held at the First United Methodist Church this evening, November 18, at 7pm. Please join Monsignor Herbert for this community event.

REMINDER The Knights of Columbus will have their monthly "donation only" breakfast this Sunday after the 7:30 & 10am

Preschool



THANKSGIVING TURKEYS Anyone interested in helping deliver turkey dinners to the elderly or needy, please sign up on the list in the hallway. We will meet at Southtowne Motors at 1pm on Wednesday, November 21. Any questions, or want to call to sign up, call 770-251-4000 or 770-253-3131. It should not take anyone more than one hour to make their delivery.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

THE PTO

OF ST GEORGE CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL is collecting General Mills "Box Tops 4 Education". Please remember to clip and save for money, & equipment for the school. There will be a box in the Church Hall.

WIN A CATERED THANKSGIVING DINNER FOR 12 "your day to cook" Buy a Raffle Ticket for \$5 – Proceeds to benefit St. George Catholic Preschool – Purchase tickets after Masses. Drawing will take place Monday, November 19, 2001.

DECEMBER ADULT EDUCATION The three part series conducted by Father Gene Barrett was such a success, we are going with the format of having three sessions again in December. This time the emphasis will be on Scripture. The A, B, C's of Scripture will be presented by Monsignor Leo Herbert on December 5, 2001. This will give a background for studying and getting the most out of Scripture. On December 12th Deacon Steve Beers will give an overview of the Old Testament. The following week, Deacon Beers will present an overview of the new Testament. Many have been asking for a study of Scripture, so we look forward to these classes meeting the needs expressed by a number of parishioners.

SCRIPTURE AND FAITH SHARING We will use the Advent Sunday readings as the focus of our sharing, starting Wednesday, November 28th, from 7-8:30pm in Henderson Hall. Bring a friend and come experience Advent in a new way this year, not by idle waiting but by pondering, praying and preparing with scripture for the celebration of Christ With Us!

PARENTING THE CHILD for parents of school age students. Join us for dinner at 6pm. Classes are from 7-9pm. Dinner and child care are provided at no cost to those participating in the program. You should make reservations for the classes by calling 770-251-5353.

ENTHRONEMENT OF THE SACRED HEART St. Peter's Catholic Church in LaGrange will host an Archdiocesan Mission directed by Father Bill Gaffney, C.Ss.R. and Gloria Anson of the Sacred Heart Apostolate on Monday through Thursday, December 9-13, beginning with Mass each evening at 7pm, except Wednesday, which will be a Penance Service.

St. Peter's will also have workshop on Saturday, December 15, from 9am to 3pm to train lay volunteer home enthronement leaders. Registration is necessary. To register call Deacon Lloyd Sutter at 404-885-7412. If you are interested in participating in this Apostolate by attending the Mission and workshop, please inform the church office.

OUR LADY OF VICTORY Catholic School is seeking a qualified teacher to teach in the primary level. Interested applicants please fax resume to 770-306-0323 or contact the principal at 770-306-9026.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: In December we will offer the following NFP course. The Sympto-Thermal Method

consists of four classes and will be held at the following location in the Archdiocese of Atlanta. Holy Spirit Catholic Church, on December 2, 2001, January 6, 2002, February 3, 2002 and March 3, 2002, from 2-4pm. Teachers are Christ and Carrie Borgerding.

"THE 2002 WORLD MARRIAGE DAY VALENTINE BALL"



honoring married couples, will be held at the Holiday Inn at Chamblee-Dunwoody, Feb. 9, from 6:30pm - 1am. The cost is \$75 per couple and includes fine dining and dancing. Group reservations and overnight packages are available. All married couples are welcome. Couples wishing to attend may contact John & Barb Fetterly at 770-977-3382 or jbfetts@bellsouth.net.

LUXURY VEHICLE RAFFLE St. George Catholic Church has begun a very important event that will result in a significant contribution to the church's building fund. No more than 1,000 tickets will be sold and the winner of the raffle will be able to choose a luxury vehicle with a sticker price of \$40,000. The participating automobile dealerships are **Mike Fitzpatrick Ford, Lincoln, Mercury and Southtown Motor Company, offering GM brands.**

The cost is \$100 and will be sold at all church functions by Msgr. Herbert & Fr. Stephen in the sacristy or by calling 770-251-5353. Fr. Jorgè will also be selling tickets following the 1pm Spanish Mass.

Church parishioners may purchase tickets in four installments of \$25 each.

The raffle will be conducted by June 30, 2002 or as soon as all tickets are sold.

A special thanks goes to Ira Endres and Bob Riede for all their hard work in organizing and coordinating this raffle for St. George.

Tax rebates are in the mail! What a wonderful way to help the economy by buying a raffle ticket....one...two...three!!!!

If you were planning to buy a ticket for the luxury car, we encourage you to buy it soon as we now push to sell tickets to the community at large. Wouldn't it be nice if a parishioner won this prize instead of someone across the country?

Remember, you are the only ones who can



buy the tickets in 4 installments of \$25 each. You can help the cause by:

(1) buying a ticket(s) (2) mention it to co-workers & neighbors (3) taking some tickets on consignment (4) giving them as gifts to friends & family.

We need volunteers to help sell tickets after each Mass. If you can help, please call the office or speak to Monsignor Herbert.

THE LADIES GUILD had their second meeting on November 12th, under President Susan Shaner at the rectory. Twenty-five ladies enjoyed a pot-luck supper (including a couple of Priests), fellowship and a short meeting. Susan anticipates another successful pre-holiday bake sale on Wednesday, November 21. Doors open at 11:30am. If she is well enough, Ms. Kitty Newby will, as always, ring the opening bell. Their next meeting will be Monday, December 3, at 6:30pm when they will decorate the rectory for Christmas.

CATHOLIC PERSONAL CARE HOMES, INC. is an Archdiocesan Program consisting of three personal care homes which provide elderly residents with a comfortable, homelike environment. For more information, please call 404-766-7121

FR. TIM HEPBURN, the Archbishop's liaison to the Catholic Charismatic Renewal will celebrate a Charismatic Mass on Thursday, November 29, at St. Matthew's Church, 215 Kirkley Road, Tyrone. Praise & Worship begins at 7pm. A reception will follow. All are welcome. For information call 404-885-7422.

VILLAGE OF ST. JOSEPH COUNSELING has been serving children & families for over 125 years. Everyone has difficulties in life from time to time. The Village's licensed, professional therapists are available for confidential counseling at your parish or a nearby location. The cost of counseling is reduced thanks to the generosity of your fellow parishioners and the Archdiocese of Atlanta. Please let us help. 404-321-2900

HOME INSTEAD SENIOR CARE Assist the Elderly. Caring people needed for a special kind of work that pays to reminisce, play cards, run errands, go shopping, prepare meals, do light housework, enjoy conversation & fun. Part-time day, evening and/or weekend hours aiding seniors in their homes. There is no heavy lifting involved. Wage for volunteering is \$7.00 per hour. Please call Home Instead Senior Care jobs line at 770-371-5034.

NOTE: Home Instead Senior Care will make a donation of \$100 per CAREGiver to the church fund of your choice for each person hired from the congregation and who initially works just 50hours in the community.