

SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC PARISH

MARCH 27, 2016 THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

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Sacramental Emergency: 706-461-6331

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Clergy

Rev. David McGuinness, *Pastor*

Rev. Paul Moreau, *Parochial Vicar*

Rev. Mr. Jim Gaudin, *Deacon*

Rev. Mr. Scott Medine, *Deacon*

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Eucharistic Adoration/Adoración

Fridays: Silent Adoration

9:00 am - 6:00 pm, *Sanctuary*

Hora Santa, 7:30 pm, *Sanctuary*

Reconciliation/Confesiones

English: Saturday at 9:00am or by appt.

Office Hours at Epps Bridge

Address: 958 Epps Bridge Parkway

Monday - Friday, 9:00am-4:00pm

Mass Schedule

Monday - Friday: 8:30am

First Friday: 8:30am, 12:00pm*

Saturday: 8:30am, 5:30pm (Vigil), 7:30pm
(Español)

Sunday: 8:15am, 10:00am (nursery available),
11:45am (nursery available), 1:30pm
(Español), 6:00pm

Holy Days of Obligation: 8:30 am,
12:00pm, 6:30pm, 8:00pm (Español)

WEEKEND MASS LOCATIONS

134 Prince Avenue:

- Weekday 8:30am Masses
- Sunday 8:15am Mass

958 Epps Bridge Parkway:

- 5:30pm and 7:30pm Saturday Masses
- 10:00am, 11:45am, 1:30pm, and 6:00pm
Sunday Masses
- First Friday Noon Mass (Sept-May)

Welcome Newcomers!

Thank you for your interest in our parish. Whether you're just visiting us for a brief time, looking for a new parish home, are returning to the practice of your Catholic faith or are interested in finding out more about the Catholic Church, we're happy to have you here. Please contact the parish office for information about how you can get involved here at St. Joseph.

Parish Information

MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; PS 16:1-2A and 5, 7-11; MT 28:8-15
Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; PS 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22; JN 20:11-18
Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; PS 105:1-4, 6-9; LK 24:13-35
Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; PS 8:2AB and 5-9; LK 24:35-48
Friday: Acts 4:1-12; PS 118:1-2, 4, 22-27A; JN 21:1-14
Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; PS 118:1 and 14-15AB, 16-21; MK 16:9-15
Sunday: ACTS 5:12-16; PS 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Rev 1:9-11A, 12-13, 17-19; JN 20: 19-31

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday: in the Octave of Easter
Tuesday: in the Octave of Easter
Wednesday: in the Octave of Easter
Thursday: in the Octave of Easter
Friday: in the Octave of Easter
Saturday: in the Octave of Easter
Sunday: Sunday of Divine Mercy

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, March 28/Lunes 28 de marzo
8:30am Tyler Harrison (I)
Tuesday, March 29/ Martes 29 de marzo
8:30am A Special Intention
Wed, March 30/Miércoles 30 de marzo
8:30am Tommy Vammiyalil (D)
Thursday, March 31/Jueves 31 de marzo
8:30am Theresa Matt (I)
Friday, April 1/Viernes 1 de abril
8:30am Josefina Tumale (D)
12:00pm The Protection of Religious Freedom
Saturday, April 2/Sábado 2 de abril
8:30am Halina & Danuta Klos (D)
5:30pm Didi Caulfield (I)
7:30pm Crisanto Jorge (D)
Sunday, April 3/Domingo 3 de abril
8:30am Tyler Harrison (I)
10:00am Barbara Gazda (D)
11:45am Charles Moore, Sr. (D)
1:30pm Guadalupe Padilla & Miguel Padilla (D)
6:00pm St. Joseph Parish

Mass Cards are available through the Church Office. You may come in person or call the office. *Tarjetas para intenciones de misas están disponibles en la Oficina. Por favor acercarse para solicitar sus intenciones o pueden llamar a la oficina.*

Contact Information

St. Joseph Charities/ Caridades de San José: (706) 549-4208 Call ONLY Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday 10:00am-12:00pm./ Lllamar solo Lunes, Martes, y Miércoles entre las 10:00am y las 12:00pm

St. Joseph School: (706) 543-1621 Ramón Villacura, Principal

GiftShop: (706) 296-3498, Laura Griffith. The gift shop will be open the third weekend of the month with extra weekends during Holiday/Sacrament times.

Bulletin Announcements: mrs.meganestes@gmail.com Please send bulletin entries via e-mail, 10 days before publication by 12:00pm. Announcements are generally published for 2 weeks prior to event during busy seasons.

Archdiocese of Atlanta Catholic Center: (404) 920-7800

Archdiocese of Atlanta 24-Hour Abuse Reporting Hotline: (888) 437-0764 or (404) 920-7550 or (404) 920-7315

Knights of Columbus: Bill Bast, Grand Knight: (404)579-2318

WEEKLY COLLECTION

March 20, 2016

5:30pm \$2,249.50
7:30pm \$823.00
8:15am \$2,991.00
10:00am \$2,125.00
11:45am \$1,810.00
1:30pm \$2,627.00
6:00pm \$1,322.00

Misc. \$270.00

TOTAL OFFERTORY \$14,706.50

Weekly Budget: \$14,300.00

Difference \$406.50

IMPROVEMENT FUND \$5,756.24

SPANISH CAMPAIGN \$1,468.34

TOTAL \$20,462.74

Online giving is
available via
stjosephathens.com

Sacramental Information

Baptism/Bautizos: Parents are required to attend Baptism preparation class. Please call the Parish Office for class dates/times. Parents must verify that they are registered in St. Joseph Parish prior to attending baptismal preparation class. Para español, registrarse después de las misas, sábados 7:30PM y domingos 1:30PM

Marriage/Matrimonios: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Please contact the parish office for an appointment. Lllamar a la oficina 6 meses antes.

Sick Shut-In: Please notify the parish office of any Catholic unable to attend Sunday Mass because of illness or advanced years. The pastor will be happy to visit and arrange for subsequent visits by a deacon or Extraordinary minister.

Parish & Archdiocesan News

Starve Wars! Three billion people around the world live in poverty and face hunger on a daily basis. In this Year of Mercy our 2016 Eucharistic Congress will begin with a Friday morning meal packing event. All ages are invited to be among only 650 volunteers on June 3 to help pack 100,000 meals to go to the impoverished country of Burkina Faso in Africa. There will be two sessions at the Georgia International Convention Center. The 9:00am-10:30am session will have Spanish, French, Vietnamese, and American Sign Language interpreters and the 11:00am-12:30pm session will accommodate those living with disabilities. If you would like to be among the limited participants it is necessary to register asap online or by contacting Kathy Montag at kmontag@archatl.com.

Men's Retreat: The next men's "Christ Renews His Parish" retreat will be the weekend of **April 16th**. For more information or to reserve your spot, contact Ron Hein at ronaldahein@gmail.com.

St. Joseph's Altar Society has positions open most Thursdays of the month. Can you share a little time just one Thursday morning a month after the 8:30 a.m. Mass? We basically straighten up hymnals, make everything shine and launder the altar linens. This is a very satisfying ministry. Call [706 548-4647](tel:7065484647) or [706 354-8775](tel:7063548775) to sign up.

Golf Tournament: This year's Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament is scheduled for Sat, **April 23** and will be played at the UGA Golf Course. We are asking again for the support of our golfing friends as well as our sponsors for this year's Tournament. This event provides the Council with resources required to support the various charitable opportunities that are available to the Council. Prizes for our game day raffle would also be acceptable. Tournament data is available at St. Joseph Parish. Contact Don Ragogna at 706-548-2812 for more information.

SAVE THE DATES!

St. Joseph Parish Relay for Life team is planning the following events for 2016...we invite you to put these dates on your calendar and make plans to join us!

Friday, April 8: BUNCO & Burger party in the Fellowship Hall at Epps Bridge from 6 to 8pm. Tickets are \$10 and include food, bunco, and door prize ticket. Call Dee at 770-725-0483 or Betsy at 706-248-7780 to reserve your ticket or get it at the door!

Monday, April 11: St. Joseph Parish Team night at Loco's on Timothy Road. Put your receipt in the box and we'll get a percentage of the price.

Saturday, April 30: FATZ Pancake Breakfast at FATZ on Lexington Road from 7:30am to 10:30am. Tickets are \$7 (children under 6 eat free with an adult) and will be available at Bunco Party and at Loco's Night. You can also call June at 706-543-5540 for information and tickets.

Come out and support the American Cancer Society and your parish team!

Thank you to all who contributed to the Easter flowers:

Norma Armas in loving memory of her mother, Alejandrina Ulloa.

Perlita Sanchez Blevins in thanksgiving for her many blessings.

Dee & Tony Elliott in thanksgiving for their many blessings in life.

Lola Gazda in loving memory of her parents, Dolores & Gaspar.

Don & Rosie Hildebrand in thanksgiving for their two children and three granddaughters.

Fred LaChance in thanksgiving and honor of Fr. David McGuinness & Fr. Paul Moreau.

Helena Lemmons in loving memory of her mother, Jeanne Tomasowa and loving memory of her husband, Jerry Lemons.

Raymond Mickelson in loving memory of her mother.

Don Ragogna in loving memory of his wife, Mary and his son, Donald.

Frank Watson in gratitude for his four children, six grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Ministerio Hispano Parroquia de San José

Reflexión de Semana Pasada

Esta semana recordamos la Pasión de Jesús. El hecho de que Jesús sufrió, significa que entiende nuestro sufrimiento, y le da un significado mostrando que es el precio del amor y el camino a la gloria. En la fragilidad humana que compartió con nosotros, soportó las heridas del amor y la fidelidad. Él da coraje y esperanza a todos los que sufren, pero especialmente a los que sufren con causa justa.

Guerra por el hambre! Tres mil millones de personas en todo el mundo se enfrentan a diario a la pobreza y el hambre. En este Año de Misericordia el Congreso Eucarístico 2016 iniciará un evento de embalaje de comida, viernes por la mañana. Se invitan a todas las edades a participar entre 650 voluntarios el 3 de junio para ayudar a empacar 100,000 comidas para empobrecido país de Bukina Faso en Africa. Habrá dos sesiones en el Centro Internacional de Convenciones de Georgia. La sesión de 9:00am-10:30am será en Español, Francés, Vietnamita e interpretación de Señas de Lenguaje Americano. La sesión de 11am-12:30pm se adaptará a las personas con discapacidades. Si está interesado, puede registrarse con Kathy Montag a kmontag@archatl.com.

Misa Sábado, 7:30 pm (Epps Br)
Domingo, 1:30 pm
(Epps Bridge)

Confesiones: sábado a 6:45pm

Actividades en la Iglesia:

Lunes a 7:30pm: Círculo de Oración

Martes a 7pm: Grupo Carismático (Epps Bridge)

Jueves a 7:30pm: Grupo Mariano

Viernes a 7:30pm: Hora Santa

RESERVE ESTAS FECHAS!

El equipo de Relevo por la Vida de la Parroquia de San José está planificando los siguientes eventos para el 2016...te invitamos a poner estas fechas en tu calendario y hacer planes para unirte a nosotros!

8 de Abril: Juego BUNCO y Hamburguesas en la sala del Fellowship Hall de Epps Bridge de 6pm a 8pm. Los boletos cuestan \$10 e incluyen comida, bunco y el billete de premio. Contacte a Dee al 770-725-0483 o Betsy al 706-248-7780 para reservar su billete o conseguirlo en la puerta!

Lunes 11 de abril: Noche del Equipo de la Parroquia de San José en Loco's de Timothy Rd. Ponga su recibo en la caja y nos darán un porcentaje en el precio.

Sábado 30 de abril: Desayuno de Panqueques en FATZ de Lexington Rd de 7:30-10:30am. Los boletos cuestan \$7 (niños menores de 6 años comen gratis con un adulto) los boletos estarán disponibles en la Fiesta de Bunco y en Loco's. También puede llamar a June al 706-543-5540 para información y compra de entradas. Ven apoyando a la Sociedad Americana del Cáncer y a tu parroquia.

Anuncios en el Boletín:

Envía tus comentarios y eventos 10 días antes de circulación para que sean publicados en el boletín al correo electrónico mrs.meganestes@gmail.com. Estaremos felices de compartir tus buenas nuevas con toda nuestra comunidad parroquial.

The Divine Mercy Novena



The Divine Mercy Novena began as a private devotion which Our Lord revealed to Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska. A novena is a series of prayers that are said for nine straight days, usually as a prayer of petition but sometimes as a prayer of thanksgiving, individually or as a group. The words of the Divine Mercy prayers were dictated by Christ Himself to Saint Faustina, and she recorded in her diary Our Lord's instructions for each day's prayer.

Christ asks us to recite the novena starting on Good Friday and ending on Divine Mercy Sunday, the Octave of Easter. You can go visit the EWTN Network at www.ewtn.com/Devotionals/mercy/novena.htm for instructions and even subscribe to a daily email reminder to pray the novena.

Religious Education

Can you help provide a meal for Youth Group? During the beginning part of Sunday Night Youth Group, food and fellowship is shared, and we are currently looking for parishioner help. Do you have a teen in Youth Ministry and can help provide dinner one time this year? We would appreciate it! Please contact Megan at mrs.meganestes@gmail.com if you can volunteer.

WEEKLY TEEN EVENTS:

Wednesday Night: Join the Youth Group for Eucharistic Adoration from 7-9pm at Prince Ave.

Sunday Night Youth Group, 7-9pm
Epps Bridge Youth Room

YOUTH MINISTRY QUESTIONS: EMAIL MEGAN AT MRS.MEGANESTES@GMAIL.COM

Religious Education Administration

Lynn Langston, Director of Religious Education
Dorota Rzucidlo, Coordinator of Religious Education
Gloria Valencia-Martin, Office Manager
Justin & Megan Estes, Youth Ministers

Office is located at the Epps Bridge Campus

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FALL OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 9:00am-2:00pm

Tuesday: 9:00am-4:00pm

Wednesday: 9:00am-8:00pm (during RE)

Thursday: 9:00am-4:00pm

Friday: 9:00am-12:00pm



Oficina de Educación Religiosa

Lynn Langston: Director de Educación Religiosa
Dorota Rzucidlo: Coordinador de Educación religiosa
Gloria Valencia-Martin, Gerente de Oficina
Justin & Megan Estes, Ministros de Juventud

La oficina está ubicada en el edificio de Epps Bridge.

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HORARIO DE OTONO

Lunes: 9:00am-2:00pm

Martes: 9:00am-4:00pm

Miér: 9:00am-8:00pm

Jueves: 9:00am-4:00pm

Viernes: 9:00am-12:00pm

Week at a Glance

WHERE TO GO: The following rooms are located at the *Prince Ave Campus* (134 Prince Ave.): Sanctuary, Parish Hall, Conference Room, and Basement.
The following rooms are located at the *Epps Bridge Campus* (958 Epps Bridge Pkwy.): Gym, Fellowship Hall, Youth Room, Chapel, and all numbered rooms.

Mon, 3/28	Tues, 3/29	Wed, 3/30	Thu, 3/31	Fri, 4/1	Sat, 4/2	Sun, 4/3
8:10am Liturgy of the Hours <i>Sanctuary</i>	8:10am Liturgy of the Hours <i>Sanctuary</i>	8:10am Liturgy of the Hours <i>Sanctuary</i>	8:10am Liturgy of the Hours <i>Sanctuary</i>	8:10am Liturgy of the Hours <i>Sanctuary</i>	9:00am Confessions <i>Conference Room</i>	7:50 am Liturgy of the Hours <i>Sanctuary</i>
10:00am St. Joseph Charities <i>Conference Room</i>	3:45pm SJS Soccer Practice <i>Field</i>	10:00am St. Joseph Charities <i>Conference Room</i>	9:00am Altar Society <i>Sanctuary</i>	9:00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament <i>Sanctuary</i>	9:00am Rosary <i>Sanctuary</i>	11:00am Misioneros Meeting <i>Sanctuary</i>
5:00pm Cub Scouts #326 Pinewood Derby #114	6:30pm 11:45 Choir Rehearsal <i>Sanctuary</i>	2:45pm SJS Soccer Practice <i>Field</i>	3:45pm SJS Soccer Practice <i>Field</i>	9:30am Scripture Reflection <i>Conference Room</i>	9:30am Altar Society (Esp) <i>Chapel/Sacristy</i>	1:00pm Columbiettes Executive Board Meeting <i>Conference Room</i>
7:00pm 8:15 Choir Rehearsal <i>Chapel</i>	6:30pm RCIA #253	6:30pm Religious Education <i>Epps Bridge Campus</i>	6:00pm EQUIP <i>Fellowship Hall</i>	1:00pm Young at Heart Luncheon <i>Fellowship Hall</i>	10:00am Spanish Baptisms <i>Sanctuary</i>	3:00pm Liturgy Meeting (Esp) <i>Chapel</i>
7:00pm RCIA Español <i>Fellowship Hall</i>	6:30pm Children's Choir <i>Music Room</i>	7:00pm CRSP Men's Meeting <i>Basement</i>	6:00pm 10:00am Choir Rehearsal <i>Chapel</i>	3:45pm SJS Soccer Practice <i>Field</i>	11:30am Baptism <i>Sanctuary</i>	7:00pm Youth Group <i>Youth Room</i>
7:00pm Grupo Carismatico <i>Sanctuary</i>	7:00pm Grupo Carismatico Formation Classes (Adults) #252	7:00pm XLT Adoration <i>Sanctuary</i>	7:00pm 7:30 Choir Practice <i>Sanctuary</i>	7:30pm Hora Santa <i>Sanctuary</i>	2:00pm Choir Rehearsal <i>Sanctuary</i>	
			7:00pm CRHP Men's Meeting #253		2:00pm Baptism <i>Sanctuary</i>	
			7:00pm CRSP #17 Formation #252		4:00pm Choir Rehearsal <i>Gym</i>	
			7:30pm Grupo Mariano <i>Conference Room</i>			

Last Week's Reflection

This week we recall the Passion of Jesus. The fact that Jesus could and did suffer, means that he understands our suffering, and gives a meaning to it by showing that it is the price of love and the path to glory. In the fragile humanity which he shared with us, he bore the wounds of love and fidelity. He gives courage and hope to all who suffer, but especially to those who suffer in the cause of right.