

PASTOR'S CORNER

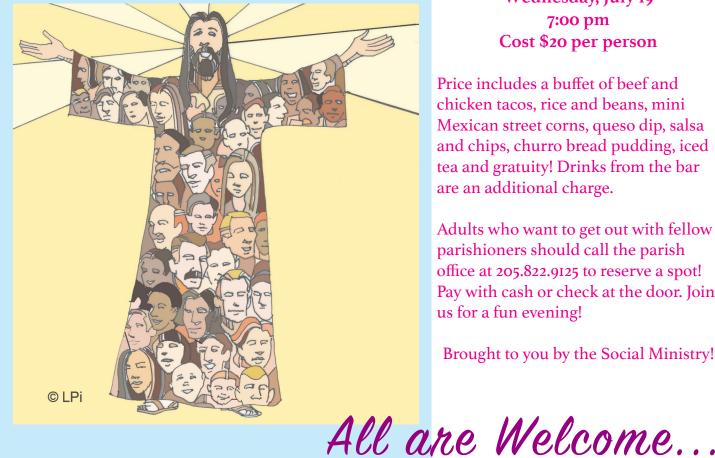
Many young people want to make a path for themselves in life without the help and guidance of others. However, few truly get anywhere of circumstance without the aid of others.

The body of Christ only functions well when we move together and help each other. Unfortunately, too often parts of the body seek to do their own thing and do not integrate with the other parts. We use our gifts in ways that are only focused on our own gains and our own being. But be mindful, our gifts exist in us to be cultivated and shared with God and his people.

In the same manner, with Jesus as the head of this body, he is there for us as well. In Jesus we find our rest and assistance with our burdens. I cannot imagine life without the compassion and aid of our God. If it isn't bad enough that some people fail to lean on their brothers and sisters, some of them fail to ever turn to God.

This is never good stewardship. A stewardship way of life seeks to share and integrate with others, especially Jesus. We have been created for community. If we take seriously our discipleship, a true relationship with Jesus always beckons us into community with other believers. Here we are strongest. Here we are the most fruitful. Here we are Christ's body on earth.

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS





July 8 & 9, 2017 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Moss Rock Tacos & Tequila at The Preserve

> Wednesday, July 19 7:00 pm Cost \$20 per person

Price includes a buffet of beef and chicken tacos, rice and beans, mini Mexican street corns, queso dip, salsa and chips, churro bread pudding, iced tea and gratuity! Drinks from the bar are an additional charge.

Adults who want to get out with fellow parishioners should call the parish office at 205.822.9125 to reserve a spot! Pay with cash or check at the door. Join us for a fun evening!

Brought to you by the Social Ministry!



July 10 - July 16

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Monday	8:30 am	Christopher Robinson	†	
	6:30 pm	Joyce DeBarberis	†	
Tuesday	8:30 am	David Dodd	S.I.	
	7:00 pm	Para la Iglesia		
Wednesday	8:30 am	Ann Montabana	†	
	5:00 pm	Joe Schilleci	†	
Thursday	8:30 am	Mr./Mrs. Scott Sanfrete	ell S.I.	
Friday	8:30 am	John M. Gray III	†	
Saturday	5:00 pm	Nicholas & Lois Calder	one †	
Sunday	7:00 am	Jim Preczewski	†	
	8:30 am	Rose C. Meshotto	†	
	I:30 pm	Para la Iglesia		
5:00 pm Mary Nimmi & Paul Sundarrajan				
	7:00 pm	Para la Iglesia		



Collection and pick-up will begin Monday, July 10 - Thursday, July 13. No pick-ups or drop-offs on Friday, July 14.

Please drop-off items in Deasy Hall from 8:30 am - 8:00 pm. Teens will be present to help unload from 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm.

Contact Gerald Buford at *shepbuf@gmail.com* to schedule a large item pick-up.

The sale will be Saturday, July 15 from 7:00 am - Noon.

Happenings

Childcare services are available at the POP nursery during Sunday morning programs.

Monday - July 10

Centering Prayer - 9:30 am - St. Martin Rosary & Mass - 6:30 pm - Chapel

Knights of Columbus Meeting - 7:00 pm - St. Jude Garage Sale Setup - 8:30 am - 8:00 pm - Deasy Hall

Tuesday - July 11

Garage Sale Setup - 8:30 am - 8:00 pm - Deasy Hall

Minus One - 11:00 am - St. Jude

Caring Needles - 1:00 pm - St. Elizabeth

Wednesday - July 12

Garage Sale Setup - 8:30 am - 8:00 pm - Deasy Hall

NO High School Youth Group

Thursday - July 13

Garage Sale Setup - 8:30 am - 8:00 pm - Deasy Hall

Adoration - 9:00 am - 9:00 pm - Chapel

Friday - July 14

Garage Sale Setup - 8:30 am - 8:00 pm - Deasy Hall

Saturday, July 15

Garage Sale - 7:00 am - Noon - Deasy Hall

Sunday - July 16

Scripture in Action - 9:45 am - St. Elizabeth

Open Gym Volleyball - 1:00 - 3:00 pm - School Gym

*For grades 3 - 8 interested in Toy Bowl Volleyball



Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays
9:00 am - 2:00 pm
School tours are scheduled for Thursdays.

Breast Cancer Survivors

Tuesday, July 18 6:30 pm - St. Elizabeth Room

Stewardship Bulletin Reflection 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

www.catholicsteward.com

Does the Holy Spirit dwell within you? If you are a baptized and confirmed Catholic the answer is a resounding "yes." However, a better question might be "Is the Holy Spirit alive within you?" We are all gifted with the Holy Spirit, but how we respond to that gift varies immensely from one person to another.

St. Paul says as much in the Second Reading from his letter to the Romans. Paul says, "Whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to Him. If the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, (He) will give life to your mortal bodies also." This produces a number of other questions for us as Catholics.

Given that the Spirit is within us, but does the Spirit guide us to Jesus? Are we prepared to be more like Jesus? Are we willing to be His disciple? And especially, is the Spirit working our hearts? It is there for each of us, to strengthen us and fortify us and to be with us always. However, we have to accept and embrace that fact. Living a life of stewardship is one of the ways we can do that. As our Bishops have told us in their pastoral letter on stewardship, "Stewardship is how you respond to Jesus' call to discipleship and holiness.

It is a challenge for sure, but it is within the grasp and the capability of each of us. We may have to work at it, but if we trust in God it is most definitely possible.





Financial Stewardship

"Let all Your works give You thanks, O Lord, and let Your faithful ones bless You," says the Psalmist. Stewardship is this "attitude of gratitude" for the many gifts God has given us.

Due to early bulletin deadlines, financials will be printed in the July 15/16 bulletin.



Congratulations to Alexa Williams upon receiving the Alabama State Kouncil of Auxiliary Ladies of the Knights of Columbus Scholarship. She was one of two young women in the state of Alabama to receive this honor and a \$500 award! Alexa graduated from Helena High School this year where she was captain of the varsity soccer team and played trumpet in the band. She volunteered with Top Soccer, Big Brother, Big Sister, Girl Scouts, and POP's vacation Bible school and altar server ministry. Alexa will be attending the University of Alabama in Huntsville majoring in engineering this fall. She is the daughter of Greg and Tracey Williams. This is the second year in a row that we've had a winner from POP!

Above: POP Lady Knights President Deborah Buford (left) and Vice President Jo-Ellen Karazim present Alexa Williams with the 2017 AL State Kouncil of Auxiliary Ladies of the Knights of Columbus Scholarship.

Have information for our bulletin?

Email: *bulletin@popcatholic.org*All requests are subject to editing and consideration.
Entries are due two weeks before the date to appear.

Women of Worship

Join us for a Potluck Brunch on Tuesday, July 18 at 10:00 am. Please bring a dish to share! Please RSVP to Anne Giraud at 205.910.7767 or <code>gregp7@bham.rr.com</code> so you can be included in our email about the event.

Women of Worship is open to all women who are interested in deepening their relationship with Christ and each other. All are welcome.



Combine your faith and career at EWTN! We are searching for qualified canddates for the following positions (Irondale, AL): **Radio Operator**, **Production Assistant, and Non-Linear Editor**. For information on job requirements, go to *www.ewtn.com*. Please email cover letter, salary requirements and resumé to *humanresources@ewtn.com*.

Adventure Ark News

Come check out the new flooring at the Playschool! We are working hard to get ready for the 2017-2018 Playschool year. We only have a couple spots left in our baby and 18-23 month classes (age as of September I, 2017). We would love to have your little one join our Adventure Ark "adventures" in the fall! Please contact Kara Woodard at 205.822.9125 x 15 for more information or to schedule a tour.

Open Gym Volleyball

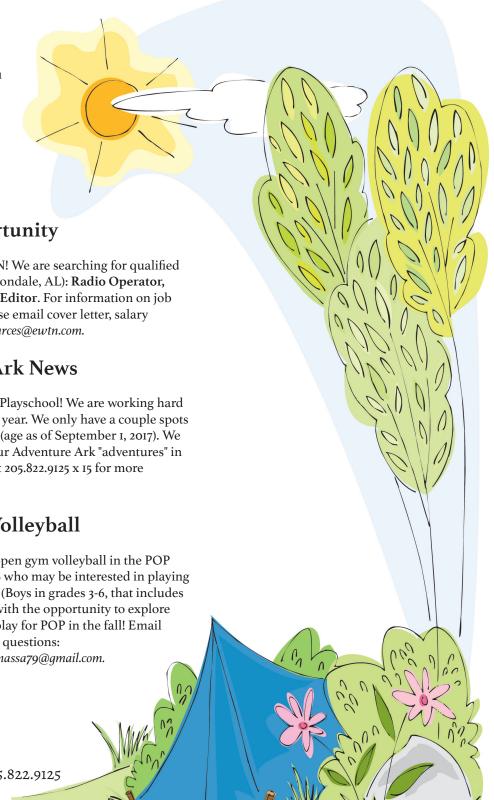
Join us Sundays from 1:00 -3:00 pm for open gym volleyball in the POP gymnasium. Anyone entering grades 3-8 who may be interested in playing Toy Bowl volleyball this fall is welcome. (Boys in grades 3-6, that includes you!) The summer provides your child with the opportunity to explore the sport and decide if she/he wants to play for POP in the fall! Email Ginny McMillan or Phil Massa with any questions:

gmcmillan@jcchs.org or pmassa79@gmail.com.

Seniors Lunch

Tuesday, July 18 11:00 am - Chapel 11:30 am - Deasy Hall

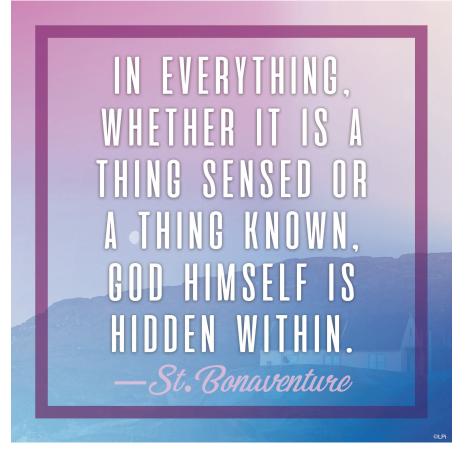
RSVP to the Church Office: 205.822.9125



Stewardship: Parishioners Answering God's Call

An act of stewardship may focus on one of the 4 pillars of Service, Formation, Prayer and Hospitality, or may encompass all four. It can be something extraordinary, a simple act of everyday life or something in between. Many of you have either demonstrated an act of stewardship or you have observed a fellow parishioner in action. Please tell us about it! The more we can share these stories the more we will be able to understand what stewardship is all about, and the easier it will be to recognize it in ourselves and others.

Please submit your stewardship story examples to cathy.yarbrough@popcatholic.org.
They may be edited for space consideration.





Prince of Peace Catholic Parish presents the Confirmation class of 2017. These 140 students were confirmed by Bishop Robert Baker and Bishop Emeritus David Foley on May 4, 2017.

Photo credited to James Poole IV.

Religious Education

Keeping the Faith Alive This Summer 'Loving our Neighbors'

Encourage your children to suggest ways they can show love for others during the summer months. They might choose toys to clean up and donate to a shelter in our community. You can ask them to help you shop for food to donate to a needy family or donate to one of our parish ministries. Talk to them about cleaning out their closets and donating gently used clothes to people in need. These are great family projects! (Catechist, Kate Ristow)

Upcoming Events: Summer Sunday School (K3-GRI): July 9, 16, 23, 30

Volunteers are needed to help with Summer Sunday School. All materials are provided. If you can help in this Formation Ministry please contact Megan Everett, megan.everett@popcatholic.org.



Bunko Thursdays!

Join us for some fun and fellowship once a month on a Thursday night!

Thursday, July 20
6:00 - 8:00 pm - St. Jude Room
Please bring a snack to share!

For questions, please contact Brooke Tennery at *brooke@alsubway.com*.

Casting Lots for the Seamless Garment (John 19:23-4) Uniting Catholics for life and dignity advocacy

In the Diocese of Orlando, we help Catholics unite around our common concern for the life and dignity of every human person. We create opportunities to stand with one united voice. Each year, our Office of Advocacy and Justice partners with the diocesan Council of Catholic Women and St. Vincent de Paul for Catholic Days at the Capitol, where busloads of Catholics advocate on a variety of issues, from the sacredness of life to support for immigrants and persons in poverty. The death penalty; health care for low-income persons and for immigrant children; conscience protections for adoption agencies; and funding for voluntary pre-kindergarten, are just some of the shared issues our pro-life and social justice groups have advocated for in this event. We have a weekly radio show, Live Out Loud, which brings together life issues, Catholic social teaching, economics and more. Our annual Advocacy and Justice conference highlights a variety of pro-life and social justice concerns, such as disabilities, the death penalty, abortion, adoption, and trafficking. Finally, we have an annual Youth for Life Rally which has focused on a variety of topics, including Pope Francis' encyclical, Laudato Si', on care for the poor, the unborn, and the earth, our common home. Through our efforts, we hope to model a united Church with a united voice!

(Diocese of Orlando Office of Advocacy and Justice)

For more information, please contact Tom & Elsbeth Germanson: 205.565.3456, alagerm@bham.rr.com.

Liturgy Schedule

Mass

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am, 8:30 am (Nursery), II:00 am (Nursery), 5:00 pm

Monday: 8:30 am, 6:30 pm

Tuesday: 8:30 am

Wednesday: 8:15 am, 5:00 pm

Thursday: 8:30 am Friday: 8:30 am

Reconciliation Confessions are available

anytime by appointment. Saturdays: 4:00 pm Sundays: 12:30 - 1:15 pm Tuesdays: 5:00 - 7:00 pm

Adoration

Thursdays: 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

Parish Information

Fr. John Fallon, Pastor Fr. Gerald Holloway, Associate Pastor Fr. Jose Luis Guevara, Associate Pastor

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 am - 3:30 pm Friday: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm church.office@popcatholic.org

Kelly Doss, Parish Operations Manager kelly.doss@popcatholic.org

Megan Everett, Formation Director megan.everett@popcatholic.org

Bette Graffeo, Pastoral Care Director bette.graffeo@popcatholic.org

Jill Spero, Stewardship Director jill.spero@popcatholic.org

POP School (3 yr old - 8th grade) Connie Angstadt, Principal Andy Rothery, Asst. Principal

P: 205.824.7886 F: 205.824.2093

E: info@popcatholic.org www.popcatholic.net

Adventure Ark Playschool (6 mo - 2 yr old)

Kara Woodard, Director P: 205.822.9125 x 15 F: 205.822.9127 E: adventure.ark@popcatholic.org

Please remember...

The Prince of Peace community would like to extend our sympathy to John Bertolini and family on the death of his mother, Anita Bertolini. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

La comunidad de Príncipe de Paz quiere dar sus más profundas condolencias a John Bertolini y a su familia por el fallecimiento de su madre, Anita Bertolini. Nuestras oraciones y pensamientos están con ustedes.

Prayer List - Lista de Oraciones

Please pray for all of our sick and recovering loved ones. If you would like to add or remove someone to/from the prayer list, please contact the parish office at 205.822.9125 or email bulletin@popcatholic.org. Names will remain on the list for 3 months unless notified. To be part of the parish prayer chain, email, prayer-chain@popcatholic.org.

Kathy Benner	Angela Judge	Patricia Muldowney	Joy Raine Thrash
Hope DeFalco	Mike DeJohn	Carmella Pistone	Melissa Sypeck
Mary Crocker	Leon Messina	Virginia Guarino	Virginia Lorino
Richard Crocker	Carl Champion	Charles Pardi	Bob Huckestein
Dean Doverspike	Erica Jarvis	Linda Carnaggio	Robin Dockery
Danielle Wells	Leah Jane Robey	George Holloway	Norman Messina
Edward Chazal	Annette Ceravolo	Claudia Charme	Curtis Austin
John Birk	Raymond Giroir	Clara Bragg	Pat Anderson
Lisa Harding	Deborah Bricker	Jim Close	Robert Reilly
Debbie Rice	Lisa Woof	Delores Scallan	Jane Reilly
George Gustin	Graham Woof	Marie Gerson	
Ann Rettino	Ashley Birk	Richard Camp	

Military & First Responders Prayer List

Joe Goode

Rita Marie Angoco

Please pray for all of our loved ones who are currently serving in the United States Military or as a First Responder. If you would like to add or remove someone to/from this list, please contact parish office with the name and branch/division at 205.882.9125 or email bulletin@popcatholic.org.

Jared Fitzgerald, USMC Joseph Byrd, ARNG Craig Hollis, USAF John Okon, USN Jessica Stephens, USN Matt Stephens, USN Mark Okon, USN Laurin Okon, USN Harold Eddy, USA Francisco Rodriguez, USMC **Duffy Towey, POLICE** Joey Gable, USAF

Amy Judge

Amy Williams, USN Philip West, USA Bradley Hallmark, USAF Matthew Russell, USMC Aaron Torczynski, USAF Austin C. Daniel, USN Charles L. Kidd II, USA Patrick C. Kidd, USA Joseph Lujano, USN Eduardo Reyes, USNG Chris Silko, USAF Anthony Roth, USAF

Justin Roberts, POLICE Nicholas Tylka, USA Ryan Menasco, USMC Dennis Wigge, POLICE Bernard F. Ceravolo IV, USAF Eugene Elking, USAF Adam Wagner, USN Bradley Bricker, USA Spencer Lindsay, USA Norman Gerson, FIRE/PM Adam Bertella, USMC

We are a Stewardship Parish

The four pillars of stewardship:

Prayer, Formation, Service and Hospitality help parishioners witness, experience and live the stewardship way of life. These four pillars support the parish community and we are all called through our baptismal promises to contribute our time, talent and treasure to them.

Ministerio Hispano

Esquina del Padre

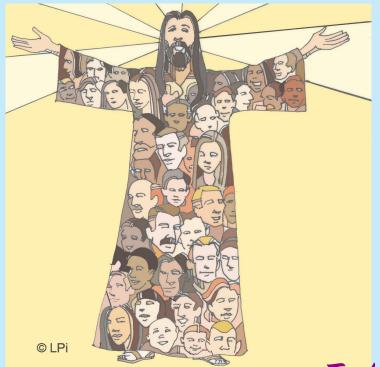
Muchos jóvenes quieren hacerse una vida por si mismos sin la ayuda ni el consejo de otros. Pero pocos jóvenes verdaderamente llegan a tener éxito sin la ayuda de otros.

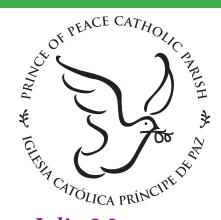
El cuerpo de Cristo solo funciona bien cuando nos ayudamos el uno al otro. A veces, usamos nuestros dones solo para nuestras propias ventajas y nuestro propio ser. Pero tenemos que recordar que nuestros dones existen para que se cultiven y para que se compartan con Dios y su gente.

Jesús es la cabeza del cuerpo que es la gente de Dios y siempre está para apoyarnos. En Jesús, encontramos nuestro descanso y ayuda con nuestras preocupaciones. No me puedo imaginar una vida sin la compasión o la ayuda de nuestro Dios. Desafortunadamente, hay personas que no se apoyan en sus hermanos y hermanas y más triste los que no se apoyan en Dios.

Eso nunca es ser buen discípulo corresponsable. La vida de la corresponsabilidad busca compartir e integrarse con los demás, especialmente con Jesús. Hemos sido creados para vivir en comunión con los demás. Si tomamos en serio nuestro discipulado, una verdadera relación con Jesús siempre nos llama a convivir con otros creyentes. Juntos somos más fuertes. Juntos somos más fructíferos. Juntos somos el cuerpo de Cristo en el mundo.

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS





Julio 8 & 9, 2017 14° Domingo del Tiemp Ordinario

Oficina Hispana 205.822.9125 x 22 ministerio.hispano@popcatholic.org

Padre José Luis Guevara Lunes: 10:30 am - 4:30 pm Martes y Jueves: 2:00 - 8:00 pm

Leslie Sarabia Lunes - Jueves 8:30 am - 3:30 pm Viernes: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Misas en Español Domingos: 1:30 pm, 7:00 pm Martes: 7:00 pm

Confesiones
Domingos: 12:30 - 1:15 pm
Martes: 5:00 - 7:00 pm
Jueves: 2:00 - 6:00 pm - sólo con cita

Adoración al Santísimo Jueves: 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

Venta de Garaje

Sabado, 15 de Julio 7:00 am - 12:00 pm Deasy Hall

Todos son bienvenidos...

Ministerio Hispano

Educación Religiosa

Manteniendo la fe viva este verano

"Amando a nuestro prójimo"

Anime a sus hijos a sugerir maneras en que puedan mostrar amor por los demás durante los meses de verano. A la mejor escogen a juntar juguetes y donar los a un asilo en nuestra comunidad. O también les pueden pedir a sus hijos que les ayuden a comprar comida para donar la a una familia en necesidad o uno de nuestros ministerios parroquiales. Hablen les sobre limpiando sus armarios y donando ropa usada a los más necesitados. Estos son grandes proyectos familiares! (Catequista, Kate Ristrow)



La Parroquia de Principe de Paz presenta la clase de Confirmacion de 2017. Estos 140 estudiantes fueron confirmados por el Obispo Robert Baker y el Obispo Emeritus David Foley el 4 de Mayo 2017. Foto acreditada a James Poole IV.

Respondiendo al llamado de Dios

Un acto de hospitalidad puede enfocarse en uno de los cuatro pilares de Servicio, Formación, Oración, y Hospitalidad. O también puede abarcar todos los cuatro. Puede ser algo extraordinario, o un acto simple de la vida cotidiana, o algo intermedio. Muchos de ustedes han demostrado un acto de caridad o han observado a compañero parroquiano en acción. Por favor cuéntenos! Cuanto más compartamos estas historias, mas podremos entender lo que es la mayordomía. Por favor envié sus historias a cathy.yarbrough@popcatholic.org.

