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Body and Blood of Christ

June 3, 2018

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Mass Times

Mon. and Wed.:	9:00 AM
Tues. and Fri.:	6:00 PM
Saturday Vigil:	5:00 PM
Sunday:	9:00 AM, 11:00 AM
Sunuay:	9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

Spanish Mass

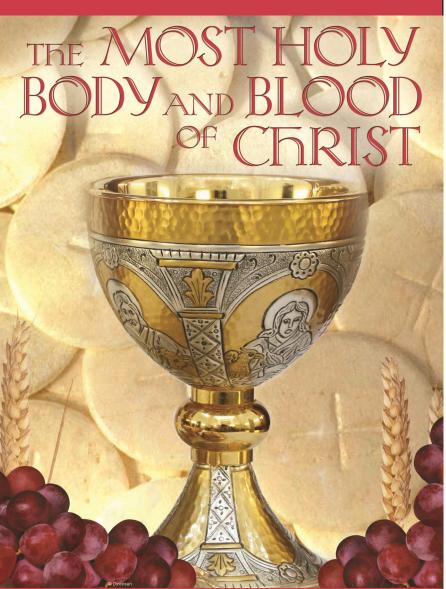
Tuesday:	6:30PM
Sunday:	1:00 PM
Sunday:	6:30 PM

Eucharistic Adoration
1st & 3rd Friday of Every Month ...9:00 AM to
5:45 PM

Confessions

Saturday 4:00 PM before Mass or by appointment.

If you have information to be published in the bulletin, or Kathy at 706-636-2772 or **gsam@etcmail.com**. Parish news is always welcome. All items to be published must be received in office no later than Monday 2:00 p.m. to be included in the next Sunday's bulletin



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10:00 am - 2:00 pm Monday-Thursday 10:00 am - 1:00 pm Friday



Saturday - June 2, 2018

Jude 17, 20b-25; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 11:27-33

5:00 PM +Harry & John Bills Sunday –June 3, 2018

Ex 24:3-8; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18; Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

9:00 AM Levla Anderson

11:00 AM Ricardo & Maria Galbis

1:00 PM **Souls in Purgatory**

6:30 PM **People of Good Samaritan**

Monday - June 4, 2018

2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16; Mk 12:1-12

9:00 AM +Carolyn Ward

Tuesday - June 5, 2018

2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 & 16; Mk 12:13-17

6:00PM

+Marco Zas

6:30PM **Souls in Purgatory**

Wednesday - June 6, 2018

2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef;Mk 12:18-27 9:00 AM

Thursday - June 7, 2018

Friday - June 8, 2018

Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37

6:00PM

Saturday - June 9, 2018

2 Tm 4:1-8; Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22; Lk 2:41-

5:00PM +Robert E. Manfroni **Sunday - June 10, 2018**

Gn 3:9-15; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; 2 Cor 4:13— 5:1; Mk 3:20-35

9:00AM

+Henry Altman

11:00 AM +Rodney Paul Garland 1:00 PM **Souls in Purgatory**

People of Good Samaritan 6:30 PM

We pray to the Lord...... For the Community

Please pray for those who are sick: Eladia Nieves, Matthew Curtis, Robert Hughes (Marsh's son-in-law), Gene White, Keren Clay, Marie Raisig, Don Fussell, Bernadette Labonte, Cathy Sindon, Margaret Fraley, Shirlene McCormick, (Rich Howard's sister), Anna Berry, Keith Nuun, Jack Loftus, Ana Elba Bochicchio, Baby Samuel Garrison, Billy Capstick, Sarah Flanagan, Liz Schueth, Camille Berry, Justin McGregor, Drew Dappen, Melissa & William Rogers, Debbie Farr, Ed Elie, Mary Mucci, Carol Santangelo, Bryson Stephens, David Weaver, Sean O'Donnell, Baby James O'Neill, Emily Keating, Scott Anderson, Kelsey Weyrauch, Emily Springer, John Flynn, Jerry Kernea, Gilmer Nursing Home residents: Lee Omernik, Tony Maciejewski, Cameron Hall Residents: Joyce Myer, Elisabeth Lacedonia, Robert Paschenko, Inge Greenwall

Promise to Protect, Pledge to Heal

To report abuse by church personnel: 888-437-0764 Archdiocese of Atlanta 24 Hour Reporting Hotline. We want to help you get your life back. YOU matter. YOU are family. We are here to listen and take action!

Reflections on Gospel Reading as it Applies to Stewardship

We have had three consecutive weeks of significant Solemnities—Pentecost, Trinity Sunday, and now the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, better known by the name of Corpus Christi which translates from the Latin as the "Body of Christ." Clearly this is a celebration which brings our focus on the Eucharist, which is at the absolute center of our liturgy, and at the core of our Catholic faith. We have mentioned many times that all revolves around the Eucharist when we receive the real Body and Blood of the Lord. According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church (#1324), "The Eucharist is 'the source and summit of the Christian life." The other sacraments, and indeed all ecclesiastical ministries and works of the apostolate, are bound up with the Eucharist and are oriented toward it. For in the blessed Eucharist is contained the whole spiritual good of the Church, namely Christ himself." The Eucharist should be the high point of our week, or even of our day. The author J.R.R. Tolkien (author of The Hobbit and The Lord of the Rings trilogy), who was a devout Catholic, once stated, "The only cure for sagging or fainting faith is Communion. Though always Itself, perfect and complete and inviolate, the Blessed Sacrament does not operate completely and once for all in any of us. Like the act of Faith, it must be continuous and grow by exercise. Frequency is of the highest effect. Seven times a week is more nourishing than seven times at intervals."

Last Week's Offertory	Archbishop's 2018 Annual Appeal		
May 26 & 27, 2018	Our Pledge\$20,700.00		
Offertory\$.00	Total Pledged\$20,568.00		
Room at the Inn\$.00	Amount Received\$9,758.72		

Thank you for your continued generosity!

2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 & 14;Mk 12:28-34 Offertory Count not available at time of printing. Mortgage Balance: \$51,246.60 Adoration

How blessed are we to be able to spend time with our Lord in Adoration twice a month, but more Guardians are needed. Only two parishioners are present during most hours and if one or more is absent, Our Lord could be alone. The worse case scenario could mean that we no longer will be able to have this wonderful opportunity for worship. Please prayerfully consider being part of this blessed experience. Call or text Carole Fay at 706-889-0727 for more information.

Opening Todays Gospel With FORMED

BE FORMED: I will take the Cup of Salvation and call upon the name of the Lord. R(13). Dig deeper at FORMED.org. Search: Opening the Word. Ordinary time weeks 8-21 Year B, June 3.

Confirmation

Confirmation this year will be held on **Saturday**, **June 9th at 2:00pm**. The 5:00pm Vigil Mass will take place as usual.

Knights of Columbus Scholarship

The Knights of Columbus, Council 14181 will again offer the Edward Elie College Scholarship. This is a \$1,000 award for students starting their first year of college or technical school. Criteria and Application forms will be available in the church office beginning Monday May 21st. The completed application must be returned to the office by June 7, 2018.

> If you are not as close to God as you used to be, guess who moved?

Calendar of Events

June 7, 2018 Scholarship Applications due to Knights of Columbus Formed Website: goodsamaritanellijay.formed.org Access Code:RQ77Z6 Flea Market, September 14 & 15

St. Vincent de Paul Help Line for bill assistance......706-636-7837

Flea Market 2018 Donations - Sept. 14-15

Have you started your Spring Cleaning? If so, please keep our parish's Flea Market in mind when you are ready to discard your clean, useable items. We have year round storage available for large items and furniture. Plus, our in town storage unit will be available starting June 1st for all of your small, household items. Contact Kathy in the office or Debi Slaughter for access information. Thanks for your continued support.

Father's Day Breakfast

The ladies of the Hospitality committee will be hosting breakfast for the gentlemen of the parish on **Sunday**, **June 17th** after the 9am Mass.

Sistine Chapel Choir

We are excited to welcome the Sistine Chapel Choir, the Pope's choir, for their much-anticipated U.S. National Tour! Atlanta is the first stop on their U.S. tour beginning at The Fox Theatre on **July 3, 2018**. Serving as the Pope's personal choir, the 1500-year old Sistine Chapel Choir is the oldest and most respected active choir in the world today. Through its liturgical music, the choir communicates a message of peace and closeness among all people. This is the choir's first performance ever in Atlanta and first U.S. National Tour. The Atlanta-based Georgia Boy Choir will open the evening with a special performance. **Tickets are available at SistineChapelChoirTour.com or foxtheatre.org.**

Parishioner in a Nursing Home or Homebound

If a parishioner is in an Ellijay Nursing Home or homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist please contact Susan Shaw 706-276-1692 or sjs3@ellijay.com.

Changes to Parishioner Information

If you have had any changes to your address, phone number or email address, be sure to let the office know to keep our records current.



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MINISTRY SCHEDULE							
Mass	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Usher	Acolyte	Altar Server		
Saturd	ay /Sabado Ju	nio 9 / June 9,	2 0 1 8				
5:00 PM	Sharon Preston David Bennett	Linda Bennett Sandra Mavergames	Bruce Preston Phil Yanulites	John Queen			
Sunday	/Domingo Jun	io 10 / June 10,	2018				
9 AM	Sue Hughes John Miles	Larry Kropff Tom Deck	Bob Hughes Shirley McMahon	Jim Walter			
11 AM	Carole Fay David Reece	Karen Reece Sheila Bryfczynski	Mike Kirkpatrick Bill Slaughter				
1 PM							
6:30 PM							