



**GOOD SAMARITAN**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

*welcome home*

**55 Church Street ▪ Ellijay, GA 30540**

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
II Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

January 14, 2024  
14 de Enero, 2024

**Rev. Bradley Starr**

FatherStarr@  
goodsamaritanellijay.com

*Join us!*  
*Únete a nosotros!*

**Mass (English)**  
Mon & Wed 9:00 AM  
Friday 5:00 PM  
Saturday Vigil 4:00 PM  
Sunday 9:00 & 11:00 AM

**Misa (Español)**  
Sábado 6:00PM  
Domingo 1:00 PM  
Martes 7:00PM

**Confession/Confesiones**  
Tuesday/Martes 6:30pm  
Wednesday/Miércoles 8:30am  
Saturday/Sábado 3:00pm

**Good Samaritan Church Office**

**Office Hours/Horario de Oficina**  
Monday-Friday/Lunes-Viernes  
10am- 2pm

**706-636-2772**  
**office@goodsamaritanellijay.com**

**Deacon/Diácono**  
**Rev. Mr. Paul Schueth**  
**706-889-5274**

**deaconpaul@goodsamaritanellijay.com**

# DISCIPLESHIP DISCIPULADO

**LOVE** your enemies,  
**DO GOOD** to those who hate you,  
**BLESS** those who curse you,  
**PRAY** for those who mistreat you. Lk 6:27-28

**AMEN** a sus enemigos,  
**HAGAN EL BIEN** a los que los odian,  
**BENDIGAN** a los que los maldicen,  
**RUEGUEN** por los que los maltratan. Lc 6:27-28



## ***Parish Prayer List / Lista de Oración Parroquial***

**Pray for/Reza por**, Chris Micallef, Jim Fraley, Susana Gonzalez, Steve Wright, Scotty Weaver, Theresa Starr, Vanessa Cass, Mary Lappo, Bob Hussian, Marilyn Crock, Charles Duchscher, Jerry Kernea, Mike Kirkpatrick Jr., Eileen Shaaravi, Sandra Santangelo, Pat Swinamer, Dorothy Weisman, Brooke Turner, Chris Jones, Amanda Westcott, William Sacksteder, Glenn Fournier, Lynn Miles-Hume, Kate Donlan, Elise Donlan, Shirley McMahon, Ray Crock Sr., Ben Sanderson, MaryAnn Woodward, Aida Milan, Alfredo Polo. Richard Colon, Deborah Colon and Jimmy Serrago Tom Petrosky and Jon Vigue.

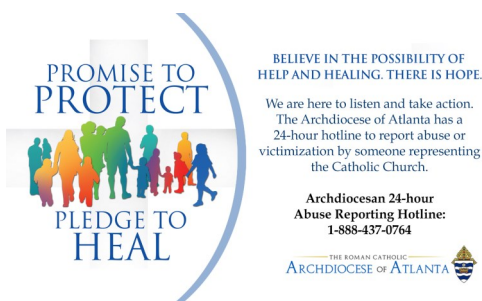
**Call the office or send an email to add a name to our prayer list/Llama a la oficina para agregar un nombre a la lista**

## INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

<b>Sat</b>	<b>January 13, 2024</b>
4pm	Austin Holstein
6pm	People of Good Samaritan
<b>Sun</b>	<b>January 14, 2024</b>
9am	Elizabeth Griffin
11am	+Mary Ellen Arthur
1pm	+Catarina Antonio Gaspar
<b>Mon</b>	<b>January 15, 2024</b>
9am	+Mary Lappo
<b>Tues</b>	<b>January 16, 2024</b>
7pm	Lynn Tiensly
<b>Wed</b>	<b>January 17, 2024</b>
9am	+Francis Gibson
<b>Fri</b>	<b>January 19, 2024</b>
5pm	Mary Ellen Deck
<b>Sat</b>	<b>January 20, 2024</b>
4pm	Marianna Quartararo
6pm	People of Good Samaritan
<b>Sun</b>	<b>January 21, 2024</b>
9am	Marie Raisig
11am	+Susan Kirkpatrick
1pm	+Catarina Antonio Gaspar

**To request a mass intention,  
Contact the parish office**  
706-636-2772  
office@goodsamaritanellijay.com  
**Para pedir una Misa,  
llame a la oficina parroquial.**  
706-636-2772  
office@goodsamaritanellijay.com

**St. Vincent de Paul Helpline**  
for those in need  
**706-636-7837**  
Help is available in-person on the  
1st & 3rd Tuesdays of every month,  
11:00am– 12:00pm



## Grief Support Group

Lost a Loved one? Small private:  
Grief Support Group meets at  
Our Lady of the Mountains in Jasper, GA, twice a month.

For more information,  
Contact: Sheila Marcusky  
Phone Number: 706-889-1840  
E-mail: jmarcusky@etcm.com



## Angel Tree

This year, thanks to the generosity of our parish, we were able to provide a brighter Christmas and future for over 80 children. I want to pass along my gratitude for making this Christmas season brighter, merrier and more magical for children in our local community. I am continually reminded that we receive blessings to others. Your generosity embodies the Christmas spirit. Thank you for supporting this program and making the season special for these children. A special thanks to the Blanket Ministry for the blankets they donated.

Merry Christmas and a blessed New Year!



## The Blanket Ministry

The Blanket Ministry presented a quilt to Fr. Starr on the occasion of his installation as Pastor of Good Samaritan Catholic Church.  
As their latest project, The Blanket Ministry donated 60 blankets to the Angel Tree. Blankets come in all sorts : quilted, crochet, knit and tied fleece.

Please come join this ministry  
First Wednesday of every month  
At 10AM  
In the Parish Hall



walking with purpose

**Come as you are.**

**YOU ARE WELCOME HERE**

WWP Bible studies combine personal study with small group discussion, linking our everyday challenges to solutions given through Scripture. If you desire to grow in your faith—in a supportive community of Catholic women—join us!

Tuesday, January 23 @ 6pm  
for more information-  
Lynn Rieck 678-641-9967  
Karen Reece 404-909-0249

www.walkingwithpurpose.com

## COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Contact:  
Karen Reece  
404-909-0249

## "Full Sheen Ahead"

### Venerable Arch-Bishop Fulton Sheen's Quotes



Criticism of others is thus an oblique form of self-commendation. We think we make the picture hang straight on our wall by telling our neighbors that all his pictures are crooked.

### All Hospitality Volunteers and Interested Individuals

Come to a meeting on Monday, January 22 at 10am in the Social Hall to talk about Hospitality in 2024.

Hospitality is a ministry that encourages fellowship and welcomes visitors and new members through the sharing of refreshments.

Please join us!

For more information, contact:

Dale Marshall

770.617.3404

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

When? 1st and 3rd Friday of every month.  
Tuesdays and Saturdays

Time? 1st Fridays: 9am - 5pm after confessions  
3rd Fridays: 9am - 5pm  
Tuesdays: after 7pm Mass until 10pm  
Saturdays: after 6pm Mass until 10pm

### Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento

Cuando? Cada Primer y Tercer Viernes de cada mes  
Los Martes y Sábados

Hora? 1er Viernes: 9am-5pm después de las confesiones  
3er Viernes: 9am-5pm  
Martes: después de la Misa de las 7pm hasta las 10pm  
Sábado: después de la Misa de las 6pm hasta las 10pm



*Thank you for your continued generosity!*

#### Offertory

December 16th and 17th, 2023  
Offertory.....\$6,405.00  
Online giving.....\$980.70

#### Archbishop's 2023 Annual Appeal

Our Goal .....\$24,400.00  
Amount Pledged.....\$22,436.00  
Amount Paid.....\$22,436.00

## COMMITTEE CHAIRS

### Altar Society (Sacristans)

Ann DeStefano.....770-354-2009

### Readers (Lectors)

Susan Shaw.....404-290-6052

### Eucharistic Guardians (Adoration)

Carole Fay.....706-889-0727

### Extraordinary Ministers of Communion (including homebound)

Susan Shaw.....404-290-6052

### Funeral Committee

Susan Shaw [sjs3@ellijay.com](mailto:sjs3@ellijay.com)  
404-290-6052

### Genesis 1 Team

Gerald Hodge.....706-502-4066

### Hospitality

Dale Marshall..... 770.617.3404  
[dmarshall111@gmail.com](mailto:dmarshall111@gmail.com)

### Knights of Columbus-Grand Knight

Larry Turner.....678-431-2741

### Music Director

Ray Crock, Jr..... 770-334-3825

### RCIA

Gerald & Connie Hodge...404-791-2224

### Religious Ed. Coordinator

Ann DeStefano.....770-354-2009

### St. Vincent de Paul

Sue Hughes, President 706-636-7837

### Ushers

Jim Famolaro.....512-461-6108

### Youth Ministry Coordinator

Tabatha Benitez.....706-972-7511

### Elementary Education Coordinator

Maureen Kukla.....815-276-4163  
[maureen@goodsamaritanellijay.com](mailto:maureen@goodsamaritanellijay.com)

## Parish News in the Bulletin

We welcome parish news for the bulletin as well as our website and Facebook.. For bulletin news, please email the office with information to be posted, at least 10 days prior to the date.

### Sacramental Emergency Number

**Please call  
706-502-9394  
and leave a message  
or send a text**

### Contacto de Emergencia Sacramental

**Por favor, llame al  
706-502-9394  
y deje un mensaje  
de voz/texto**