





July 26th, 2020—17th Sunday in Ordinary Time / 8th Sunday after Pentecost

MASS SCHEDULE

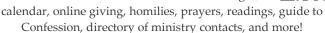
5:30 PM SAT. VIGIL English Ordinary Form (spoken)
7:00 AM SUN. Spanish Ordinary Form (spoken)
9:00 AM SUN. English Ordinary Form (sung)
11:30 AM SUN. Extraordinary Form (Latin, sung)
1:30 PM SUN. Spanish Ordinary Form (sung)
7 AM MON, WED, FRI English Ordinary Form (spoken)
12 PM MON-FRI English Ordinary Form (spoken)

- ♦ Church open 7:30 am-5:30 pm daily
- ♦ Morning Prayer 7:30 am Mon-Fri
- ♦ Latin Vespers 5 pm daily (Sat. 6:30 pm)
- ♦ Nursery is not staffed at this time but is available for parents to sit with their small children while viewing Mass
- ♦ Ordinary Form "New Order" or Novus Ordo of Mass following the Second Vatican Council (2000 Missal)
- ◆ Extraordinary Form The "more ancient use" or Usus Antiquior also known as the Traditional Latin Mass (1962 Missal)
- ♦ Our sung Masses often include incense and are celebrated *ad orientem*, whereby the priest and people together face *liturgical east*, the symbol of the Church awaiting Christ's return in glory. This is the direction of worship at all our Latin Masses and seasonally at our English and Spanish Masses.

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: 1st Friday and Lenten

Fridays 12:30pm-5:30pm

Baptisms: Contact the parish office

Confessions: 11am–12pm Mon–Fri, or by appt.

Marriages: Contact the parish office at least 4 months in advance

RCIA: Sun. 10:15-11:15 am Dan Pacitti rcia@stspeterandpaulbasilica.com

Religious Education: Sundays 10:15–11:15 am

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Mass Intentions

Sat. Jul 25	5:30pm Cheyenne Turner				
Sun. Jul 26	7:00am People of the Parish				
	9:00am 🕆 James Turner				
	11:30am ♥ James Costello				
	1:30pm Chris and Rachel Wesson				
Mon. Jul 27	7:00am Gretchen von Peters				
	12:00pm Richard Cooley				
Tues. Jul 28	12:00pm Shirley and Ron Lautigar				
Wed. Jul 29	7:00am William Hinson				
	12:00pm → Manuel Francisco				
Thur. Jul 30	12:00pm Peter Naaden and Family				
Fri. Jul 31	7:00am Dominic and Kateri Vander Woude				
	12:00pm ♥ James and Corrine Swanson				
Sat. Aug 1	5:30pm ♣ Bob Riley				
Sun. Aug 2	7:00am People of the Parish				
	9:00am 🕆 Dan and Merrill Lamsey				
	11:30am 🕆 Walter Holcomb				
	1:30pm				

Readings for the week of Jul 26, 2020

Sun: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130 [97a]/

Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46

Mon: Jer 13:1-11/Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21 [cf. 18a]/Mt 13:31-35 Tue: Jer 14:17-22/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [9]/Mt 13:36-43

Wed: Jer 15:10, 16-21/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11 [2]/Jn 11:19-27 or

Lk 10:38-42

Thur: Jer 18:1-6/Ps 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab [5a]/Mt 13:47-53 Fri: Jer 26:1-9/Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14 [14c]/Mt 13:54-58

Sat: Jer 26:11-16, 24/Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34 [14c]/Mt 14:1-12

Next Sunday: Is 55:1-3/Ps 145:8-9, 15-16, 17-18 [cf. 16]/Rom 8:35, 37-39/

Mt 14:13-21

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Flowers on the Altar

Please call the parish office to arrange a flower donation (\$170 cost).

To Give Online

www.stspeterandpaulbasilica.weshareonline.org

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Fiscal Year-to-date July 1- July 20, 2020 \$

20,288.00 Envelopes & Loose 20,744.00 Online 41,032.00 Total

YTD Funds Required

Year-to-Date Variance

SECOND COLLECTIONS

Donations may be made on Weshare or sent to the parish office. July 26: Pastoral Solidarity for the Church in Africa Haiti Special Projects (ongoing—turn in envelope any day)

Please pray for the sick of our parish, especially:

Angel Alicea, Simon Anthony, Marie Awad, William Barger, Olimpia Bosch, Bonita Burney & Family, Jim Chadwell, Maureen Cliche, Marion Davis, Madeline Eve Doyal, Fr. Bertin Glennon, Johnnie Gomez, Judy Hartney, Ruby Hearon, Barbara Cooper Hickman, Maureen Hilgeman, Anita Holcomb, Charles Johnson, Felicia King, Jackey King, Archbishop Joseph Kurtz, Joyce & Lowell Pannell, Chris Post, Charlene Reynolds, Jan Rodriguez, Pati Ray, Phyllis Raymer, Marsha Salter, Sebastian Serio, Daniel Sharkey, John Anthony Street, Rigoberto Velasquez, Gus von Memmingen, Terri Ward, Mike Wood, Jim & Barbara Wright

Parish Office

All visitors must ring the bell and be screened for questions relating to COVID-19 prior to entering. Have you:

- Been in close contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19?
- Traveled outside the country within the last month?
- Have a cough, shortness of breath or sore throat?
- Had a fever (100.4 or higher) in the last 48 hours?
- Had a new loss of taste or smell?
- Had vomiting or diarrhea in the last 48 hours?

If you have been exposed, have any symptoms, or are not felling well, you will not be able to enter the office.

Sign-in, temperature check, and masks will also be required for visitors to enter the office.

Call 423-266-1618 or email office@stspeterandpaulbasilica.com We are here and able to assist most needs this way.

Mass Attendance	<u>Vigil</u>	<u>7:00</u>	9:00	<u>11:30</u>	<u>1:30</u>		
uly 11-12, 2020	65	82	112	168	192		
uly 18-19, 2020	76	100	128	162	205		
Spanish RCIA July 18 12 pm: 72							

Basilica Relics Collection Our relics collection is being curated at this time and is not currently on display.

Stewardship Corner —

Thank you to all who continue to support our parish during the Coronavirus pandemic. We ask that if you give cash regularly, to please put your donation in an envelope with your name and address clearly written on it, so we can record your giving as an active parishioner. Please use the "Welcome" envelopes in the church, a plain one from home, or call the parish office at 423-266-1618 if you prefer to receive offertory envelopes with your name already printed on them. Offertory envelopes are not needed for online giving. If you are giving online and still receiving envelopes by mail, please call us and let us know to cancel them.

YOUTH GROUP Grades 6-12

We are planning our fall program, to include in-person and virtual meetings! Stay tuned for more info!

Contact Kalista Bartee kbartee23@gmail.com to get involved.

YOUNG ADULTS

"Catholic Chatt" Young adults from all parishes in the Chattanooga area. Join our Facebook Group for updates! Contact Jonah Coronis, Basilica parishioner, at 423-424-8618 or jcoronis12@gmail.com to find out more about the group.

MARRIED AND ENGAGED MINISTRY

If you are married or engaged, join the "Basilica Married and Engaged Ministry" group on Facebook and our weekly Tuesday 7 pm Zoom meeting. There will be stimulating discussions on parenting, Catholic life, and life in general. Eventually we will have date nights, pot lucks and profound friendships that will last a lifetime. There is no age limit. All engaged and married couples are welcome. We look forward to seeing you! Contact Amelia & Doug Weissman at amelia.smith4815@gmail.com for more information. Join the Zoom meeting here: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/608875139

Catholic Motherhood

We are planning to set up virtual meetings at this time. Contact wesson.rachel@gmail.com with any questions or to be added to the **Catholic Motherhood** email list.

NEW DATES: Travel to the Holy Land, Greece and Turkey with Deacon Gaspar DeGaetano from October 5-20, 2020.

Cost:\$4,999-includes airfare from anywhere in the US.

Tour Brochures are in the parish office or view it on our link:

https://www.procatholictours.com/trip-store/?

action=view-trip&triptemplateid=267

(available on our website homepage)

Contact: Jennifer Wadsworth of Pro Catholic Tours at (612)-730-2890/jennifer@procatholictours.com

Bishop Stika wishes to inform our parishioners of the following precautions from the CDC against the spread of illness:

- 1. Avoid close contact with people who are sick;
- 2. Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth;
- 3. Stay home when you are sick;
- 4. Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash;
- 5. Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using a regular household cleaning spray or wipe; and wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or, if soap is not available, clean hands with an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.

Attention Basilica Volunteers! VIRTUS is changing to the Safe Haven program

Parish ministry leaders, parents, and other adults who serve in ministries that involve youth are now required to be certified under the "Safe Haven" program, which is replacing the previous VIRTUS Safe Environment program for the Diocese of Knoxville. All adult volunteers who are in contact with youth, including those who have already been VIRTUS-certified, must complete this new, online program by August 31. You can access the online training from the home page of our parish website. All adult parishioners are encouraged to take advantage of this convenient online training.

St. Ambrose Homeschool Co-op Update for Fall 2020

To ensure the safety of our community, St. Ambrose Catholic Homeschool Co-Op will not be meeting for the fall 2020 semester. Stay tuned for a return for spring 2021. There are great things ahead! From our families to yours, we wish you continued health and look forward to meeting again.

St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive July 25-26

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St. Vincent de Paul Society serves the poor and vulnerable in our Chattanooga community relying on funds, food, and prayer. They are currently serving many families during these difficult times through their food pantry which is located at OLPH. Priority items needed: boxed milk, jelly, saltine crackers, macaroni and cheese, canned fruits and vegetables Other needed items: beans, rice, peanut butter, pasta, spaghetti sauce, baby food, canned tuna and chicken. Please place non-perishable food items in the basket in our Basilica church vestibule.

Prayer During Coronavirus Pandemic

O, clement, O loving, O, sweet Mother Mary,
We, your children of every nation, turn to you in this pandemic.
Our troubles are numerous: Our fears are great.
Grant that we may deposit them at your feet,
Take refuge in your Immaculate Heart, and obtain peace,
healing, rescue, and timely help in all our needs.
You are our Mother. Pray for us to your Son. Amen.

Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery

Where will your mortal remains will lie until the day when Christ comes again and our bodies are raised? You are invited to consider purchasing a plot or a niche at **Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery** alongside generations of Chattanooga Catholics. Visit <u>mountolivet.net</u> and call David Hale at (423) 622-0728 for more information.

Health Measures for Attending the Basilica

Following Bishop Stika's decree,

- The Sunday Mass obligation is currently suspended. We continue to livestream our Sunday Masses.
- If you have had symptoms of illness recently or have been exposed to someone confirmed to have COVID-19, please postpone your visit.
- Visitors over 5 years of age must bring and wear a mask or face covering of any sort and keep 6 feet apart from others.
- We must abide by the capacity limits established by the Bishop.
 Please arrive a few minutes early, and an usher will seat you.
 Overflow seating will be offered in Varallo Parish Hall, where the Mass is simulcast.
- Please refrain from physical greetings. The Sign of Peace, Presentation of Gifts, and holding hands at the Our Father will be omitted.
- Holy Communion will be offered in the hand only, after Mass. Please remove your mask and use hand sanitizer, then replace your mask. All who cannot physically receive are encouraged to make a spiritual Communion. **Prohibition of receiving on the tongue is temporary** and the Bishop has indicated it will be lifted as soon as possible.
- Weekday Masses offer ample spacing as an alternative to Sunday. All are encouraged to discern precautions suitable to their circumstances.



AT HOME VBS!

Our fun 5-DAY AT HOME VBS is available through August 28.

Marvelous Mystery ~ The Mass Comes Alive

Brought to you from cat.chat, this program is accessible through any online device, providing the children with a song, a craft, a memory verse and so much more. Details are on the Religious Education page of our website. Sign up here:.

https://mailchi.mp/catchat.ca/marvelous-mystery-sample-sign-up

Becoming Catholic (RCIA)

RCIA is getting ready for the 2020-2021 year! We plan to begin classes on the weekend of **Sept. 6** (details to be confirmed at a later date), and they will be Zoom/video meetings, to take COVID concerns into account.

- If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith (whether you're already Catholic or not!), please contact Dan Pacitti for more details.
- If you are interested in assisting by sponsoring candidates, presenting topics, or providing prayer/worship aids, please also contact Dan Pacitti so we can work out a schedule.
 Contact Dan Pacitti at:

rcia@stspeterandpaulbasilica.com or 865-335-3076

WAYS TO GIVE AND RECEIVE HELP

- <u>Chattanooga Community Kitchen</u> provides food service for the homeless and the poor. They are seeking volunteers to serve meals daily during the crisis (one-hour shifts at 7am, 11:30am, and 3:30pm). They also request donations of money and supplies.
- Our Basilica parish partners with the St. Vincent de Paul Society based at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church. To assist them with their work in supporting and visiting the poor, call 423-999-6332. (Also, our next quarterly food drive at the Basilica will be July 18-19 and 25-26, with food drop off in the vestibule.)
- Our Basilica parish supports the Ladies of Charity, who
 give direct financial assistance to the poor. Their greatest
 need is monetary donations, but they are also collecting
 inventory. Please call before dropping items off to ensure
 someone is there. Mail checks to: Ladies of Charity of
 Chattanooga, 2821 Rossville Blvd, Chattanooga, TN 37407.
- St. Alexius Outreach Ministries is involved with visiting and shopping for homebound seniors. If you would like to volunteer, contact Susan Chill at (423) 718-2959.
- <u>Chattanooga Area Food Bank</u>: Dial 211 to request a
 voucher for an emergency food box. To find a food pantry
 visit ChattFoodBank.org/hungry. For help buying groceries
 Call 706-330-4562 or lsanchez@chattfoodbank.org.
 Donate: \$1 provides 4 meals. Volunteer: Sign-up for shifts
 at ChattFoodBank.org/involved.
- Catholic Charities of East Tennessee is offering
 "Telehealth" online counseling for mental health needs
 during the coronavirus pandemic. Counselors can be
 reached at counseling@ccetn.org.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Exposition will be offered First Friday, August 7, from 12:30 pm to 5:30 pm.

CALL TO SERVICE FROM FR. CARTER

We are still looking for more **technical volunteers** to operate the live -stream, as well as **ushers** and **cleaning** volunteers for each weekend Mass. We have a particular need for people to commit to the 11:30 Extraordinary Form Mass. If you are capable of coming to Mass, I entreat you to seriously consider the call to enable us to continue this public offering, by stepping up for one of these duties. Training will be provided. Please email the parish office to sign up (admin@stspeterandpaulbasilica.com), and we will contact you with more information.

Pastor's Notes: Relief for Our Hispanic Community

July 26, 2020

The Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul has been approved for a grant from the Pope Francis Charitable Trust fund to help alleviate the needs supplement people's necessities while they are quarantined or sick and unable to work, including food, medicine, daily necessities, rent, and utilities for our Hispanic community in Chattanooga.

The Pope Francis Charitable Trust Fund was created through the HOME Campaign. 10% of all dollars raised in the HOME Campaign have been set aside to provide matching grants to parishes to foster or accelerate their local charitable efforts.

As you are aware, our Hispanic community often are the most vulnerable. The disruption that we feel in our lives due to the coronavirus is amplified for those who are living on the margins. This community has shown great faithfulness and are very family-oriented, and they do what they can to help each other out. But every little bit counts. Although this grant is only for \$5,000, it will go a long way to helping particular families who are quarantined make it through another month with a roof over their head or with groceries in their pantry.

You also may be aware that we had to delay the return of the public Spanish Masses due to an outbreak of coronavirus within that community. After more than a month of extension since the English Masses resumed we have seen the Hispanic community respond with responsibility, taking the proper precautions necessary to combat the spread of the disease further, as they have been on the forefront of its effects.

One thing that was also delayed in the community were the Sacraments of Initiation for RCIA, Baptisms, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation. Happily, this month we are slowly making up for those delays. On July 11, we had the Baptisms. On July 18, we had the RCIA Initiation Mass. On July 25, we had First Holy Communion, and our Confirmation is scheduled for next Saturday, August 1. We are offering these sacraments as smaller gatherings while observing the same safety provisions we have in place for Mass, including social distancing between households, wearing of masks, use of hand sanitizer, and disinfecting cleaners.

Please pray for all those who have been patiently waiting for their sacraments, that they may bear fruit in their lives. I share with you here some photos from the recent Baptisms.













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