



SAINT PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

***219 ADAMS AVENUE
MONTGOMERY, AL 36104***

***DECEMBER 5, 2021
SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT***



**Pastor: Rev. Saleth Mariadoss
251-545-1156**

**Deacon: Jim Labadie
334-538-6911**

Secretary: Mrs. Christine Maddox
Catechetical Leader: Mrs. Marinella Davis
Music Director: Mr. Thomas Holliman

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM
Sunday: 7:00 & 10:30 AM
Tuesday-Friday: 12:10 PM
First Friday Adoration: 11:00 AM-12 Noon
First Saturday: 8:00 AM-Pray the Rosary after Mass
Holy Days: To Be Announced

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:30 PM—5:15 PM
Tuesday-Friday: 11:45—12 Noon

PARISH COUNCIL

John Johnston—303-4340 (Chair)
Patricia Dumas—430-9115 (Secretary)

Doug Blackburn—334-590-0173
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Gary Parker—334-235-3779
Marinella Davis—334-649-7964
Connie Colvin—334-834-6030
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WELCOME!

We extend a warm welcome to the individuals and families celebrating with us today. We invite you to register with our parish family by completing the Parish Census form located on the vestibule table.

“Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you for the glory of God.”

Romans 15:7



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Office Hours: Monday thru Friday—9:00 AM—3:00 PM

Order of Worship

December 5, 2021

Prelude:	O Come, O Come, Emmanuel	Lau
Entrance:	On Jordan's Bank	SMH #699
Scripture Readings:		TM page 19
Responsorial Psalm		TM page 19
The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.		
Gospel Acclamation:		TM page 20
Presentation:	Comfort, Comfort, Ye My People	SMH #492
Holy:		SMH #193
Mystery of Faith:		SMH #195
When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.		
Amen:		SMH #197
Agnus Dei:		SMH #198
Communion Music	The Angel Gabriel (5:30 p.m. & 7:00 a.m.)	Lau
	Dona Nobis Pacem (10:30 a.m.)	Behnke
Closing:	The King Shall Come	SMH #785
Postlude:	Lift Up Your Heads	Held

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT-DECEMBER 4-5

First Reading: Baruch 5:1-9
Responsorial Psalm: 126:1-6
Second Reading: Philippians 1:4-6, 8-11
Gospel Reading: Luke 3:1-6

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT-DECEMBER 11-12

First Reading: Zephaniah 3:14-18a
Responsorial Psalm: Isaiah 12:2-6
Second Reading: Philippians 4:4-7
Gospel Reading: Luke 3:10-18

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY

There are many needs and concerns spiritually and materially for the sick and homebound. Let us pray for one another. If you would like to be a part of the Prayer Line Ministry or place someone on our prayer line, please call Lynne Kuhlmann at 546-9537. If you know of someone that can be removed, please call Lynne or the Church office at 262-7304.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL is looking for small room heaters to donate to our families when needed. Please call St. Vincent de Paul at 334-235-5976 if you have one.

"There is nothing better than a friend, unless it is a friend that has chocolate and just read a great book!"

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

In the event of serious illness, death or other sacramental emergency, please call the Parish Office at 334-262-7304. Parishioners who anticipate having surgery are strongly encouraged to arrange to receive this anointing before they enter the hospital.

HOSPITAL VISITS

Hospitals and nursing homes do not call the parish to inform us when a parishioner is admitted. This is the responsibility of the family to make such calls. We strongly encourage you to do so in order that appropriate pastoral care can be arranged. Please call the Parish Office at 334-262-7304.

SACRAMENTS

If anyone is in need of the Sacraments, please call the Church at 334-262-7304.

10:30 MASS LITURGICAL MINISTERS

DECEMBER 5

Lector: Maria Thurman
Comm. Connie Colvin
Ministers: Charlie Colvin
Gary Parker

DECEMBER 12

Lector: Gary Parker
Comm. Rockie Johnston
Ministers: John Johnston
Charlie Colvin

NOVEMBER 28, 2021—TREASURY REPORT

Budget to Date:	\$400,500.00
Collections to date	\$266,741.59
Collection last week (11/28/21):	\$ 4,260.50

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTION IN DECEMBER

December 12—Retired Religious

UPCOMING MEETINGS IN DECEMBER

December 9—Parish Council—6:30 PM
December 16—Finance Council—6:00 PM

IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN BECOMING a Eucharistic Minister for the 10:30 AM Mass, please call the Church office.

IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN BECOMING an Altar Server, please call the Church office.

THE CATHOLIC SHOPPE IS NOW OPEN!! The Shoppe will be open after the 10:30 AM Mass each Sunday. We accept Cash, Checks, Debit Cards and Credit Cards! Come check it out.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, Dec 5	7:00	Dick Hodges (L)
	10:30	PRO POPULO
Monday, Dec 6	12:10	NO MASS
Tuesday, Dec 7	12:10	Catherine Cobb (L)
Wednesday, Dec 8	12:10	Marguerite Anderson (L)
Thursday, Dec 9	12:10	Julie Angrisani (D)
Friday, Dec 10	12:10	Kelli Wright (L)
Saturday, Dec 11	5:30	Felix, Margaret & Thomas Lanpher (D)

ADULT EDUCATION SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Presenter</u>	<u>Topic</u>
12/19	Fr. Andrew Jones	Consumerism and the Faith
1/16	Doug Davis	Novels of Tolkien
2/20	Marinella Davis	Building of the Great Cathedrals
3/20	Paul Fox	The Gun Powder Plot
4/3	Fr. Mariadoss	St. Thomas – The Evangelist of India

**Talks begin at 7:00 PM and last about an hour.
Refreshments to follow.**

DECEMBER 8TH IS THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION. WE WILL HAVE MASS AT 12:10 PM AND 5:30 PM.

****EARLY ANNOUNCEMENT FOR CHRISTMAS MASSES****

December 24—Christmas Eve—4 PM and Midnight

December 25—Christmas Day—9 AM

December 25—Vigil—5:30 PM—Feast of the Holy Family

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Admissions Questions?

Contact Director of Admissions

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COMPENDIUM OF THE CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

PART ONE—PROFESSION OF FAITH

SECTION TWO—THE PROFESSION OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH

CHAPTER THREE—I BELIEVE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT

178. How are the people of God formed?

Among the faithful by divine institution there exists *sacred ministers* who have received the sacrament of Holy Orders and who form the hierarchy of the Church. The other members of the Church are called the *laity*. In both the hierarchy and the laity there are certain of the faithful who are *consecrated* in a special manner to God by the professions of the evangelical counsels: chastity or celibacy, poverty, and obedience.

WE WANT TO EXPEND A WARM THANKS TO ALL YOU HAVE GIVEN THROUGHOUT THIS YEAR. Your generosity is so greatly appreciated!! If you would like to make an end of year donation for tax purposes, please do so. If you would like to begin tithing online, simply go to our website: stpetermontgomery.net. You can give via PayPal or download the OneParish app. It's safe and easy!

THE MEANING OF ADVENT

The word Advent means "coming" or "arrival." The focus of the entire season is the celebration of the birth of Jesus the Christ in his First Advent, and the anticipation of the return of Christ the King in his Second Advent. Thus, Advent is far more than simply marking a 2,000 year old event in history. It is celebrating a truth about God, the revelation of God in Christ whereby all of creation might be reconciled to God. That is a process in which we now participate, and the consummation of which we anticipate. Scripture reading for Advent will reflect this emphasis on the Second Advent, including themes of accountability for faithfulness at His coming, judgment on sin, and the hope of eternal life. In this double focus on past and future, Advent also symbolizes the spiritual journey of individuals and a congregation, as they affirm that Christ has come, that He is present in the world today, and that He will come again in power. That acknowledgment provides a basis for Kingdom ethics, for holy living arising from a profound sense that we live "between the times" and are called to be faithful stewards of what is entrusted to us as God's people. So, as the church celebrates God's inbreaking into history in the Incarnation, and anticipates a future consummation to that history for which "all creation is groaning awaiting its redemption," it also confesses its own responsibility as a people commissioned to "love the Lord your God with all your heart" and to "love your neighbor as yourself." Advent is marked by a spirit of expectation, of anticipation, of preparation, of longing. Advent is a beautiful liturgical season that will help us prepare ourselves to welcome Our Infant King on Christmas morning.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Anne Adams	Marguerite Anderson	George Azar	Bailey Family	Stephanous Barlow	Charles Barnett	Colleen Barrera
Linda Bass	Blake Bachelor	Steve Beauchamp	Elaine Beyerle	Sr. Barbara Bieckl	June Bisard	Alice Blackmon
Bayley Blackmon	Katrina Blankenship	Mrs. Blevins	Ellen Brown	Neal Brown	Charlotte Bruce	Thomas Burke
Lindsey Burt	Beverly Bushman	Jenson Daniel Byrd	Lauren Calhoon	Amanda Carlisle	Linda Carpenter	Renee Casillas
Corrine Cau	Maria Chappell	Catherine Cobb	Lee Conaway	Clay Cook	Dan & Catherine Coker	Sandra Cox
Steven Cox	Gloria Crenshaw & family	Larry Crews	Brenda Crosby	Rita Cumbie	Davis Family	Hammy Davis
Barbara Deep	Gwen H. DeGian	George Ann DeVoe	Jana Dismukes	Driscoll Family	Tyler Easterling	Joseph Eiswerth
John Erwin	Ernie Fast	Virginia Fischer	Marie Fletcher	Stan & Bobbie Flowers	B. Foy & family	Matthew Freed
Paul & Juanita Furr	Kaleigh Garry	Carolyn Gereke	Nancy & Jane Goins	Clarice Goodin	Latasha Griffin	Goulsh Family
Joni Gulley & Family	Daniel Alexander Hannan	Ellen Harris	Billy Haughton	Mary Hester	Terry Hillyer	M. Hopson & family
Mary Frances Holland	Tyler Horace	Steve Howe	John & Rita Houston	Donna Hoyt	Jane Ingram	Audrey Jackson
Rachel Janus	Jacques Jarry	Guthrie Jeffcoat	Jennifer John	Beth Johnson	Lucy Johnson	Malone Johnston
Chuck Kamm	Daniel Keane	Traci Kegley	Susan Kerrigan	Lynn & Georgia LaBier	John Lee	Ashley Little
Caleb Kornowsky	Louise Lagrade	Joanne C. Lankford	Jennifer Law	Daniel Lee	Diane Littrell	Nicholas Lunde
Dianne Lynn	Laura Martin	Rickii Martin	Jan Mastin	Judy May & Family	Raeleigh Jane McCartha	Edward P. McDevitt
Jack McElhinney	Vera McDonald	Nora McNeil	Sam Meador	Robert Edward Melton	Eric Mills	Amelia Moore
Emma Moore	Lucila Morgan	Carolyn Moss	Shelby Jean Allen Mullens	Louise Murphy	Doris Murray	P. Murry & family
April Nelson	Allison Nuygen	Dora Odom	Patricia Oliver	Angela Palmer	Florence Parlou	Richard Phelps
Steven Phillips	Grace Pierrie	Raymond Pike	Pittman family	Marilyn & David Porath	Dot Rogers	Anne Romanoff
Deborah Robinson	Sheila Robinson	Betty Satsinger	Helen Schneider	Annie Scott	Eddie Scott	Jessica Shelby
Clayton Shepard	Natasha Simms	Jeffrey Simon	Lesly Simon	Joe Sittloh	Kenny Slayton	Alice Smith
Frances Smith	Fr. Frank Sofie	Cindy Somerville & Leslie	Cheryl Speake	Carol Stevens	Stephenson Family	Rebecca Talkington
Scott Talkington	Joyce Taylor	Steve Thompson	Connie Thornton	Teri & Richard Thornton	Cecile Thurston	Preston Thurston
Scott Tubbs	Anne Wafford	Lisa Waitkus	Sandra Watkins	Bill Wall	JoAnne Watham	Ron Watson
George Wedgeworth	Debbie Weil	Daniel Weir	Dee White	Jason Wiggins	JoAnn Williams	Carol & Tom Woodling
Myles Wright						

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