



Saint Aloysius Catholic Church

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May 30, 2021

The Most Holy Trinity

PASTOR

Rev. Gerald Holloway

Office: 205-424-2984

Home: 205-424-1839

(e-mail: staloysiuspastor@bellsouth.net)

WEEKEND EUCHARIST

Saturday

4:30 p.m.

Sunday

8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Sunday

1:00 p.m. (Spanish)

PASTORAL ASSOCIATE

Mrs. Stephanie Gerson

205-424-2984

(e-mail: staloysiusre@bellsouth.net)

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

Monday

5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:30 a.m.

DIRECTOR of MUSIC

Mr. Tim Tipton

(texts & calls) 205-706-9500

(e-mail: staloysius4music@gmail.com)

SUNDAY BULLETIN

Deadline for new items

Tuesday 4:00 p.m.

CHURCH SECRETARY

Mrs. Judy Cacioppo

205-424-2984

(e-mail: staloysius@bellsouth.net)

SACRAMENT of RECONCILIATION

Saturday

3:30 – 4:00 p.m.

(or by appointment)

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON

Officer to be Elected

SACRAMENT of ANOINTING of the SICK

The Church recommends this sacrament to all who are seriously ill or in danger of death. Please call the office.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON

Officer to be Elected

SACRAMENT of BAPTISM

Please contact Father Holloway for Baptismal Preparation.

HOLY DAYS

Please check Parish Bulletin

FUNERALS

In order to secure the services of a priest or the use of the Church, it is necessary to contact the Church Office *before* making arrangements with a funeral home.

SACRAMENT of MARRIAGE

Couples planning marriage must meet with Father Holloway at least six months before your proposed date. Weddings will not be performed after 2:00 p.m. or before 6:30 p.m. on Saturdays.

THE YEAR OF SAINT JOSEPH

Memorare to Saint Joseph

O God, who by Thy ineffable Providence did vouchsafe
to choose Blessed Joseph for the spouse of
Thy most holy mother,
grant we beseech Thee, that he whom we venerate
as our protector on earth
may be our intercessor in Heaven. Amen

SECOND COLLECTION—NEXT WEEKEND

The second collection next weekend will be the
monthly Building and Grounds Fund collection.

LADIES ROSARY GROUP

The Ladies Rosary Group has been canceled until
further notice.

COFFEE AND DONUTS

Coffee and Donuts will not be served until further
notice.

FIRE OF THE SPIRIT PRAYER GROUP

The Fire of the Spirit Prayer Group is meeting online
via Zoom. For more information, please call Kathy
Tortorice at 205-531-0930.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

He gave His whole life for us. Can we give one hour a
month for Him? Our parish's monthly Eucharistic
Adoration will be on Saturday, June 5 from 4:30 a.m.
until 3:30 p.m. A sign-up list will be in the sanctuary
to keep a record of who is attending Adoration and at
what hour. For more information, please call Kathy
Tortorice at 205-531-0930.

CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED

The Church Offices will be closed on Monday, May 31
in observance of Memorial Day.



Memorial Day

MASS INTENTIONS

May 29 – June 1

(† = Deceased)

Saturday (4:30 p.m.) Martha Jo Sharpe
Sunday (8:30 a.m.) † Philip Antonio
Sunday (11:00 a.m.) Saint Aloysius Parishioners

Memorial Day

Monday † Sgt. Jim Lowery

Tuesday † Debra Albright

Wednesday † Bernard LaRussa

Thursday † Ray Brasher

Friday Bernadette McFerrin

Saturday (4:30 p.m.) † Sherman Venz

Sunday (8:30 a.m.) Ronnie George

Sunday (11:00 a.m.) Saint Aloysius Parishioners

PERMANENT DIACONATE PROGRAM

The Permanent Diaconate has been present in the
Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama since 1973. With
the arrival of Bishop Steven Raica in 2020, and at his
direction, the Office of the Permanent Diaconate is
looking to identify men who are interested in the
Permanent Diaconate for the next formation class.

Although the date for the start of this new class has
not been set by Bishop Raica, the Office of the
Permanent Diaconate will begin to develop a list of
men who are interested in obtaining more
information about the formation process. It is hoped
that once the current restrictions have been relaxed,
and after additional review by Bishop Raica, there will
be information sessions and an opportunity for men,
and their wives, to learn more about the Permanent
Diaconate and the formation process in the future.

Men who are interested in the Permanent Diaconate
can contact Deacon Chris Rosko at
crosko@bhmdiocese.org.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to all graduates, especially the
following high school graduates who are from our
parish:

John Carroll Catholic

Gabriel Deshazo

Alexis Holman

Analee Smith

Ian Stoves

McAdory

Peyton Criss

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

June 6 – The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Exodus 24:3-8

Hebrews 9:11-15

Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

	Last Week	Online Giving	Year-to- Date
Offertory	\$3,486.97	\$2,454.00	\$182,448.87
Building Fund	\$ 30.00	\$ 85.00	\$ 40,152.43

SAINT ALOYSIUS CHOIR

Saint Aloysius Parish's choir practice has been canceled until further notice.

CHILDREN'S OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Saint Aloysius Parish offers boxed children's offertory envelopes for those families who wish them. They are available after the weekend Masses in the Ministries Office or during the week in the Church Office. Please sign the list by the number of the box that you receive so we can properly credit the children who contribute.

E-MAIL PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer is powerful and we need all the prayer warriors that we can get. Sheila Zito e-mails prayer requests for the parish, Mother of Christ Altar Guild, and the Choir. If any parishioner has a prayer request or wishes to be notified of other people's requests, contact Sheila at fsz321@bellsouth.net.

PARISH WEBSITE

The weekly bulletin, monthly calendar, Online Giving link, religious education information, etc. are accessible on our parish website at www.staloyuscc.org. Scan from your smart phone for our Online Giving link:



You can also give via Text Message to 205-708-0221.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN

Recently Discharged From Hospital

Sick and Shut-in

This list is intended for homebound members of Saint Aloysius Parish. Those from our parish recently discharged from the hospital will be listed for two weeks. Individuals outside our parish community may be placed on this list for a two-week period only. All the sick are remembered weekly in our General Intercessions.

Myra Antonio	Mary Ann Graham	Martha Jo Sharpe
Ann Baker	Jerry Joiner	Stanley Szafransky
Serene Bateh	John V. Jones, Jr.	Steve Tate
Barbara Bridges	Meredith Jones	Powell Thompson
Johanna Findley	Pat Lambert	Irene Tutten
Nancy Franklin	Debbie Rupert	Suzanne
Don Graham	MaryAnna Schilleci	Wannemuehler

Nursing & Retirement Homes, & Assisted Living

<u>The Oaks on Parkwood</u> Rudy Cooper	<u>The Woodlands at Tannehill</u> Jean Sullivan
<u>Plantation Manor</u> Claudia Charme	Kathy Whited

If you are or you know of someone on the shut-in list who's well enough to be removed from this list, please call the Church Office.

NURSING HOME AND ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENTS

If any parishioner knows of a nursing home or assisted living resident who is Catholic and is not on the above list, please call the Church Office.

VISITING HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES

Father Holloway would be happy to visit the sick in hospitals and nursing homes if the person or family requests a visit.

SICK, SHUT-IN, AND NURSING HOME RESIDENTS

If a lay minister is not visiting you on a regular basis, please call the Church Office so we can make the proper arrangements.

SAINT ALOYSIUS PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

As Catholic Christians and members of the Parish Family of Saint Aloysius Catholic Church, we are committed:

- To provide all our members (adults and youth) opportunities for spiritual development through worship, prayer, religious education and social interaction.
- To spread the Word of God and support our Parish Family with the gifts He has given us by using our time, talent, and treasure to His glory.
- To strive continually to witness our faith as we journey toward the future that God has promised those who accept His Word.
- To reach out to the larger community of the Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama and the world.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS

Chairperson (officer to be elected)

Eddie Blanco, Vice Chairperson

Felicia Boyd, Secretary

Micha McMeans

Phillip Galloway

Patricia Rector

Vickie Gavin

Chris Waits

CASINO NIGHT AT JOHN CARROLL

John Carroll Athletics Booster Club will host a Casino Night at the school on Saturday, June 12 from 6:30 p.m. until 10:30 p.m. Tickets cost \$35.00 and includes dinner and \$1,000.00 in chips. For more information and tickets, please visit www.jcchsathletics.org.

JOB OPENINGS AT EWTN

EWTN is searching for qualified candidates for the following positions in Irondale: **Spanish Associate Producer, Associate Producer/Call Screener, Production Assistant, Traffic Assistant, HVAC Technician, and Maintenance Technician.** Job requirements can be viewed at www.ewtn.com. E-mail cover letter, salary requirements, and résumé to humanresources@ewtn.com.

MILITARY PRAYER LIST

Please pray for our military that have been deployed around the world to fight for the freedom and security of our country, including:

U.S. Intelligence

Daniel Thomas

Air Force

Daniel K. Hicks

Shea Hicks

James McKinney

Lance Rosser

Army

Joseph R. Chiarella

Zach Edmonds

Blake Seidel

Call the Church Office at 205-424-2984 or send an e-mail to staloyus@bellsouth.net with the names of people and their branch of service to be placed on or removed from this prayer list.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the following couples who are celebrating their Wedding Anniversaries:

May 30. Mike and Frances Agan (Happy 51st!!)

June 3. Richard and Georgie Brasfield

June 4. Don and Rosemary Schmalz

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS

May 30. Joseph Culver, Don Schmalz, Jerry Wages

May 31. Jacob Hughes

June 1. Josie Wannemuehler, Lindsey Hathcock

June 2. Elizabeth Koehler, David Mathis,

. Oscar Farias-Barajas, Dalia Garcia Araujo,

. Richard Brasfield

June 3. Pat Triola, Stacy Small,

. Haley Stoves Malnar

June 4. Cindy Wallace, Joseph Waits,

. Larissa Arnold, Laura Russo,

. Joshua Vines, Joseph Kinney

June 5. Madison Epperson, Oscar Farias Herrera,

. Matt Bradley, Bill Mello