



HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH
PARISH STAFF

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday 8AM—2:30PM

Phone Numbers: 478-788-6386

WEBSITE: www.holyspiritmacon.org

ADORATION & ROSARY

One hour before Masses

Parish Council

George Ireland, President

Kevin Rowley, Vice President

Joanne Kerr, Secretary

RECONCILIATION

Sat 4:15-4:45 PM or by Appointment

PARISH ADDRESS

4074 Chambers Road,

Macon, GA 31206

MASS SCHEDULE:

MONDAY-THURSDAY	9 A.M.
FIRST FRIDAY	9 A.M.
SATURDAY VIGIL	5 P.M.
SUNDAY MASS	10 A.M.
HOLY DAY	9 A.M. & 7 P.M.

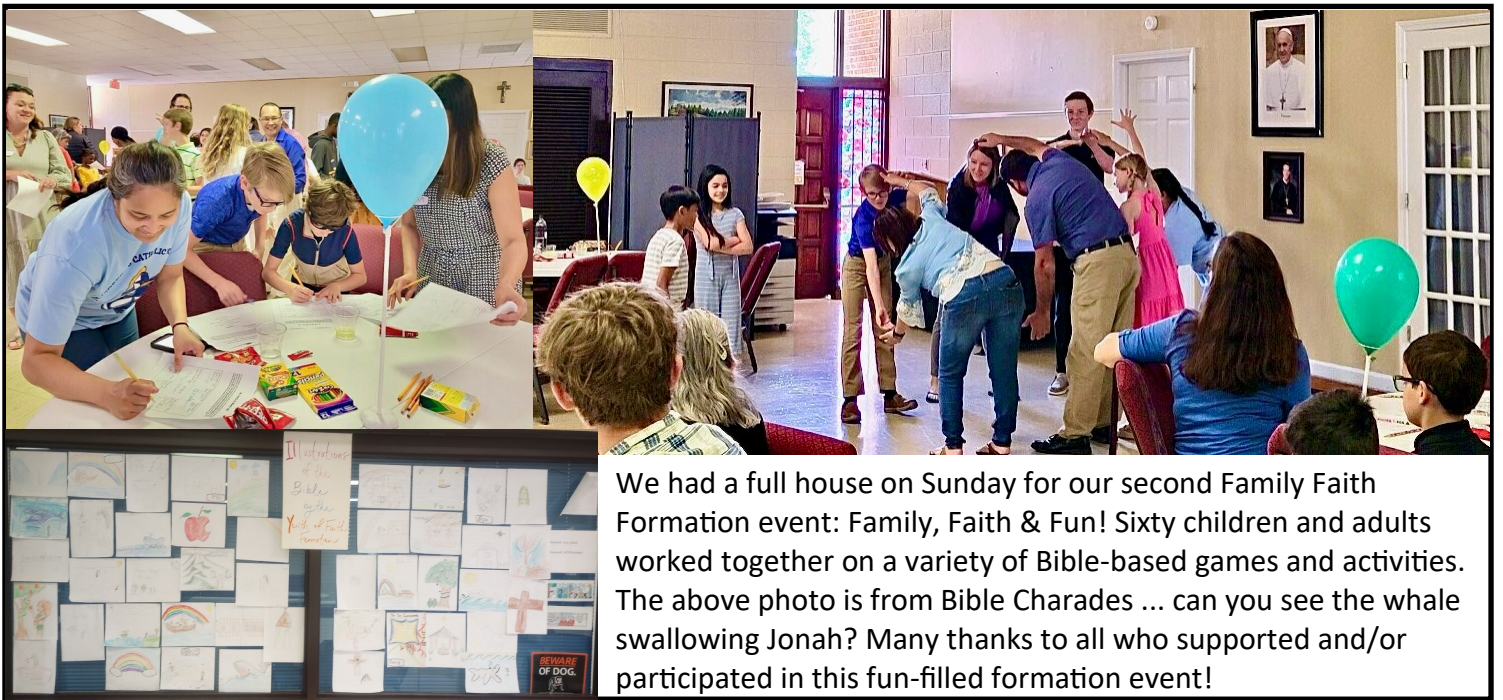
Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God. Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love.

I John 4:7-8



*No
Greater
Love*

JOHN 15:9-17




We had a full house on Sunday for our second Family Faith Formation event: Family, Faith & Fun! Sixty children and adults worked together on a variety of Bible-based games and activities. The above photo is from Bible Charades ... can you see the whale swallowing Jonah? Many thanks to all who supported and/or participated in this fun-filled formation event!



Congratulations to Chyrise Smith on her full initiation into the Catholic Church!

Save the Date!
June 2, 2024
More details to follow soon.

 **Graduation**
 Please call or email the office with the names of your High School and College graduates. We would like to congratulate them and publish their names in our bulletin.

Our next CCW meeting on May 13th is our **Annual Baby Shower for the Kolbe Center.**



The Kolbe Center is in desperate need of size 5 and size 6 diapers. The whole parish is invited to participate.

Our next Project Linus meeting will be on Saturday, May 18th at 10 am in the parish hall. Please bring your sewing machines, we will be working on our pillow case dresses.



Kolbe Center needs your Spare Change
 The St Maximilian Kolbe Center for Life Annual Baby Bottle Campaign will be held here at Holy Spirit from Mother's Day to Father's Day. On Mother's Day, please take a baby bottle and fill it with your spare change (paper \$ is good too) and return to church on or before Father's Day to support the good work of the Kolbe Center. The Kolbe Center is serving more families than ever before and truly needs the support of our faith community. Kolbe Center provides Thank you in advance for helping those in need of our services.



We are at over 90% of our goal!

Update 4/25/24

Targets	Pledge	Paid On Pledge	Pledge Balance	One-Time	Total Given	% Of Target	# of Families	# Of Donors	% Participation
\$23,899.00	\$7,055.00	\$4,404.08	\$2,650.92	\$17,247.33	\$21,651.41	90.60	155	65	41.94

WEEKLY FINANCIAL UPDATE

SUNDAY, APRIL 28 2024

\$ 5,523.49

Please, when adding to your weekly stewardship any appeals for helping with a special collection, make a separate check for the special collection. Thanks!

DAILY READINGS

MON 5/06	ACTS 16:11-15/PS 149:1B-2, 3-4, 5-6A AND 9B/JN 15:26—16:4A
TUE 5/07	ACTS 16:22-34/PS 138:1-2AB, 2CDE-3, 7C-8/JN 16:5-11
WED 5/08	ACTS 17:15, 22—18:1/PS 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/JN 16:12-15
THU 5/09	ACTS 18:1-8/PS 98:1, 2-3AB, 3CD-4/JN 16:16-20
FRI 5/10	ACTS 18:9-18/PS 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/JN 16:20-23
SAT 5/11	ACTS 18:23-28/PS 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/JN 16:213B-28
SUN 5/12	ACTS 1:1-11/PS 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9/EPH 1:17-23 OR EPH 4:1-13/Mk 16:15-20

SATURDAY, MAY 4
IN MEMORY OF
ANNA TRAN
(REQUESTED BY
**BICH VU &
NGAN VU**)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8
IN MEMORY OF
MARIA TRUONG
(REQUESTED BY
KIM TRAN)

SUNDAY, MAY 5
IN MEMORY OF
JOYCE SCHILLY
(REQUESTED BY
MARILYN SCHILD)

THURSDAY, MAY 9
IN MEMORY OF
BUDDY STEVENSON
(REQUESTED BY
NANCY FALCIONE)

MONDAY, MAY 6
IN MEMORY OF
LARRY WINGATE
(REQUESTED BY
BET WINGATE)

SATURDAY, MAY 11
IN MEMORY OF
JOHN BAPTIST VU
(REQUESTED BY
BICH VU & NGAN VU)

TUESDAY, MAY 7
IN MEMORY OF
EDWARD L. JONES
(REQUESTED BY
**MARGARET
SCARBOROUGH**)



To request a Mass Intention, please call the office at 478-788-6386. The suggested stipend is \$10.

Parish Council



Are you interested in becoming more involved in our Holy Spirit Parish or know a fellow parishioner who would be? If so, consider running yourself, or nominating

someone for one of the four open seats on our Parish Council. For questions or more information about the Parish Council contact George Ireland at 478-365-1502 or by email George.Ireland@outlook.com or call the office at 478-788-6386

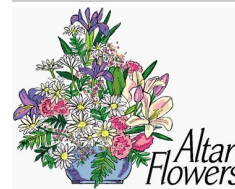


First Holy Communion will take place during the 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, May 19. Reception and cake will follow in the parish hall. All parishioners are encouraged to attend. Please pray for our First Communicants and their families.

Children's Faith Formation classes will meet on May 5 and 12. The 12th will be our last meeting for the 2023-2024 session.



If you have children ages 4-17 in need of Faith Formation and Sacrament preparation, please contact Gymee or Russell Sills, directors of children's faith formation at hskidsfaith@gmail.com or call 860.305.0540.



IN MEMORY OF
MARIA NHUNG NGUYEN
REQUESTED BY
PHONG & NGOC PHAM

PRAYER CHAIN

George Levy, Rose Vrabel, Theresa White, Ted Tillery, Tom O'Connor, Mike Liotta, Gerry Chesnut, Denny Kent, Joye Hadarits, Mindy Sherwood, Tori McKinley, Thomas Dinh, Samuel Mitchell, Jerry Clevenger, Fr. Dan Firmin, Jane Tidwell, JoAnn Sanders, Jim Majewski, Ngan Vu, Walt Volinski, Dusty Holton, Ame Spacek, Emma Allshouse, Johnny Vastakis, Nancy Falcione.



If you have a loved one who is in need of receiving the eucharist at home or in the hospital, please call the church office at 478-788-6386.

Abuse Hotline Number

To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Savannah employee or volunteer, call the abuse hotline at 1.888.357.5330 or 1.912.201.4073/4
For reports to the Franciscan Holy Name Province call 1.800.770.8013