



ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD CATHOLIC CHURCH

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April 24, 2011

Easter Sunday: The Resurrection of the Lord

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:30 AM, 11:00 AM;

1:00 PM & 6:30 PM Spanish

Daily Masses: Tues 6:30 PM Bilingual, Wed. 12:30 PM (Spanish) and 6:00PM
Thurs. & Fri. 10:00AM

PARISH OFFICE

Office Hours: Mon-Fri – 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Office: 353-2667 FAX: 353-8994 Emergency 306-9811

STAFF AND MINISTRIES

Fr. Ray Remke, Pastor 353-2667
Assisting Clergy – Padre Ramon Salazar (205)585-6839 (c) or (256)686-0661 (home)
Deacon Javier Ramirez – 345-1721 (c) 686-1785 (home)
Pastoral Assoc. – Sr. Teresa Walsh – 353-2667 ext. 107 or 351-0922
DRE/Youth Ministries – Jan Gile 353-2667 ext.108 or 355-9556 (home)
Music – Debbie Bailie – 353-2667
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Wedding Co-ordinator -Kris Staudt– 773-8066
Secretary—Anne Palmer—353-2667 ext. 101

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION / YOUTH MINISTRY

Jan Gile – 256-353-2667 ext. 108
K-12th grade 9:40AM Sunday
High School Youth Group Sundays 6:00-8:00PM

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION BAPTISM

Call the Office. Baptismal class the first Saturday in Oct., Dec., Feb., June, Aug. at 3:00 PM in Parish Library
Please pre register at office

MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made 6 months in advance. Call Parish Office.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:30-4:30 PM
or by appointment

ANOINTING OF THE SICK OR SICK CALLS

Please call the Parish Office including if a family member is in the hospital.

RCIA

Sunday, 9:45-11:00am
August —May

ST. ANN SCHOOL

Christine Wright, Principal
Pre-K thru 8th grade 256-353-6543
www.saintanndecatur.org

CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES

Individual, Family & Pregnancy Counseling. Counseling also for anyone, male or female, suffering from post abortion stress whether a recent occurrence or one from the past. 1010 Church Street, Huntsville 256-536-0073

Financial Report-April 17, 2011

	Actual	Budgeted
Offertory	\$ 10,446	\$ 12,500
FYTD	\$ 530,778	\$ 512,000

Easter Flowers Collection: \$1,009

Debt Reduction Capital Campaign

Campaign Goal: \$1,800,000

Pledges to date: \$1,420,019

Weekly Capital Campaign Collections

Donations: \$ 1,398
Pledges: \$ 3,267
Total: \$ 4,665

Total Capital Campaign Collections

Donations: \$234,378
Pledges: \$987,487
Total: \$1,221,865

Note: \$19,952 proceeds received from sale of Spring Ave. frontage property

Total Parish Debt: \$2,723,695

Calendar of Events

- Sunday April 24, 2011 — Easter Sunday**
8:30 am Mass
9:45 am Easter Egg Hunt
11:00 am Mass
1:00 pm Spanish Mass
6:30 pm Spanish Mass
- Monday April 25, 2011 - Church Office Closed**
7:00 pm Spanish Group (Room-A)
7:00 pm Scouts (café)
- Tuesday April 26, 2011**
8:45 am Yoga Class (Room- A)
3:30 pm Cub Scouts (MP-A, SN, GS)
6:30 pm Spanish Mass (church)
6:30 pm St. Ann School Board Meeting (N)
- Wednesday April 27, 2011**
12:30 pm Spanish Mass (church)
6:00 pm Mass (chapel)
6:45 pm Choir Practice (church)
6:45 pm Finance Council Meeting (library)
7:00 pm Spanish Missionary (YR)
- Thursday April 28, 2011**
6:30 am St. Joseph Men's Prayer Group (Room-A, chapel)
7:00 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (chapel)
8:45 am Yoga Fitness Class (Room-A)
9:00 am Pray the Rosary (chapel)
10:00 am Mass (chapel)
7:00 pm Spanish Scripture (SN)
- Friday April 29, 2011**
10:00 am Mass St. Ann Students in Attendance (church)
12:30 pm Family Enrichment Group (YR)
- Saturday April 30, 2011**
3:30 pm Confessions
5:00 pm Mass
7:00 pm Spanish Evangelization (Rooms B & C)
7:00 pm Spanish Youth Group (YR)
- Sunday May 1, 2011**
8:30 am Mass
9:45 am Adult Religious Education (Room-A)
9:45 am YES (School, SN)
11:00 am Mass
11:15 am Spanish Religious Education (school)
1:00 pm Spanish Mass
3:00 pm Boy Scouts Meeting (SN)
3:30 pm Divine Mercy (chapel)
6:00 pm High School Youth Group (YR)
6:30 pm Spanish Mass

PRAYER LIST

Our Love and prayers go out to:

Patsy Cathcart, Jevon Wood, Grant Looney, Christine Pendley, Mike Spain, John Travis, Pete Kinney, Julia Palladino, Bruce Bazzel, Victor E. Orman, Alfred Howery, Suzanne Pruitt, Jim Staudt, Will England, Stacey Heaton, Jeannette Chaney, Nell Papenburg, Dylan Coe, John Hendriks, Dorothy Theiss, Delrose Brueggemann, Rita Kyle, Ray Adkison, Jack & Marilyn McLuckie, Shelia & Jeffrey Burnett, Jerry Netherton, Grayson Miller, Delmar Smith, Sr. M. Stella, OSB, Jim Pyron, Jack Owens Family, Lester Taylor, Steven Morgan, Elizabeth Spaulding, Mike Phipps, Greg Green, Pat Saik, Mimi Smith, Tabitha Johnson, Joseph L. Christophe, Rosine J. Christophe, Martha Puckett, John Rocks, Sandra Rocks, Allison Shaffer, Phyllis Gassen, Nancy Casey, Jim Rutsey, Jesus Lozono, Bill Henderson, Jude Wicker, Thelma Minyard, Jennifer Dunn Eaves, Joseph Tumminello, Allison Blackburn Akins, Bill Barnes, Andy Saywell, John MacDougall, The Binford Family, Michael Oehmen, Jan Laws, Kerin Hunter, Bob Strehl, Dwight Jett, Sr., Tim Joseph, Fr. John Doyle, April Click, Calvin Harrison, Marion Meadows, Raymond Kyle, Sr., Lori Slaten, Nancy Bloomquist, Abigail Friedman, Herman Eastmond, Gary Garmon, Sarah Hooper, Nita Klietz, Glenda Goodwin, Elizabeth Saiz, Jeannie Jefferson, Cheo-Jesus Goma, Hillary Babin, Suzie Morrison, Ted Hamilton, Caroline Gewin, Nell Papenburg, Jean Girodo, Calvin Walker, Brooke Turner, Deanna Yeager, Jesus Gonzalez Malpica, Stacey York, Wanda Fiorino, Owen Herschel

MASS INTENTIONS

- Wednesday April 27, 2011**
6:00 pm Sherry Gleason Dowling (RIP) St. Ann School Board
- Thursday April 28, 2011**
10:00 am Thompson Family (SI) Annette Murr
- Friday April 29 2011**
10:00 am Rosemary Davis (RIP) Cheryl Collins
- Saturday April 30, 2011**
5:00 pm Bob Schneider (SI) In Honor of Birthday in Feb.
- Sunday May 1, 2011**
8:30 am Terry Carpenter (RIP) John & Margaret Travis
11:00 am George Joseph (RIP) Shirley Reid

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Billie Curry, mother of Gayle Reinecke; John Jackson and Julian Walker. May they rest in peace.



What's Happening On Our Campus



Youth News High School Youth Events Sundays 6:00-8:00 PM

Note: DTS stands for Dead Theologians Society—
The Saints of Yesterday inspiring the Youth of
Today to become the Saints of Tomorrow.

- Apr 24:** No Youth Group—Happy Easter!
May 1: An Evening with Mary
May 8: No Youth Group—Happy Mother's Day
May 15: DTS
May 22: TBA

All *Rising 9th Graders* are welcome to join us on
Sunday evenings from 6:00—8:00 PM

PANDAMANIA— Where God is Wild about You!
Vacation Bible School will be June 13th–17th
from 8:30-11:30 AM at Annunciation of the Lord
parish. VBS is for children 4 years of age to 5th
grade. Adult and teenage (6th grade-high
school) volunteers are needed. Please contact
Kiernan Smith at ksmith@annunlord.com,
303-8803 or Jan Gile at jgile@annunlord.com,
353-2667 to volunteer. Thank you.



Save the Date Saturday, May 28th St. Ann School Annual Seafood Festival

Knight Flight 2011

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 3986
Sponsor gliders now for a chance to win the
maximum grand cash prize of \$10,000! The
gliders will be dropped from a crane during the
St. Ann School Seafood Festival on Saturday,
May 28th. Tickets are \$10 each or 6 for \$50.
Details and rules are available at
knightflight.org.



Thank You!

Many thanks to everyone who donated
candy and items to fill the easter eggs
and to the many volunteers who helped
fill the eggs.

THANKS to everyone who supported the Holy
Childhood Association by using our Lenten
boxes. It is time to return the boxes to the parish
office during the week or the Information Desk
after all Masses.

FOOD, FUN, and FELLOWSHIP!

Catholic Women of the Birmingham Diocese
(CCW) Northern Regional (Deanery) will hold
their next quarterly meeting on **May, 4, 2011** at
Annunciation of the Lord Catholic Church in
Decatur. Registration begins 9 am. Cost for
lunch is \$8.00 per person. Please RSVP no later
than Monday, May 2nd. Contacts: Pamela
Milligan at email iluvrosyl2@aol.com or at
256-552-0918; Susan Shea at 256-353-6474 or
Annunciation of the Lord Catholic Church at
256-353-2667.

Parish Facilities Manager Needed:

Our parish has an opening for a part time
Facilities Manager responsible for insuring the
safe and efficient operation of the church and
school buildings, grounds, and equipment. **This
is a paid position.** The ideal candidate will have
physical plant experience including knowledge of
HVAC system, electrical system, restroom
plumbing, lighting, kitchen equipment, roofing,
etc. Interested candidates should submit a
resume and references to the parish office.

Nursery Coordinator Needed

for Sunday Masses. Please contact Sr. Teresa at
the church office 256-353-2667 for more details.

Knighly News from St. Ann School

The Saint Ann School Choir sang at Country Cottage Assisted Living Residence on March 25th. A good time was had by all. Our students shared their faith through song. After performing their concert, the students spent time talking and eating with the elderly and took pictures with some of Annunciation's parishioners who are residents at Country Cottage.



St. Ann Students with Mary Kammerer



Debbie Bailie, Saint Ann Music Teacher, and Donna Ragland with Saint Ann Choir



Saint Ann Students with Martha Puckett



Saint Ann Students with Lucy Kopilash

Registration for 2011-2012 School Year

Saint Ann Catholic School is accepting applications for registration for new families at this time. If you are interested in attending our Parish School and would like more information, please call the school office:

**Christine Wright, Principal or Ruth Allen, Secretary
(256)353-6543**

What's Happening In Our Community

Hospital Ministry

Apr 23: Marie Jackson Apr 24 & 25: Sr. Teresa
Apr 26 & 27: Diane Hammons Apr 28 & 29: Frances Keeney
April 30: Sr. Teresa May 1 & 2: Tom Loyd
May 3 & 4: Tom Owens May 5 & 6: John Doss

Small Altar Linens

Month of May—Nancy Stuart

Altar Cleaning Schedule

Apr 22nd-28th: Pamela Milligan & Charlotte Staff
Apr 29th-May 5th: Mary Ann Wolter & Trudy Spain
May 6th- 12th: Don & Marie Jackson & Cheri Meyer

New environmental guidelines discourage disposing of unused medicines in our water source. In response to this recommendation, the Decatur Police Department will be hosting a drug collection day on **Sat., April 30th, from 10 am to 2 pm** at the intersection of Highways 67 and 31 across from Lynn Layton Chevrolet. Be kind to our environment and let the Decatur Police Department properly dispose of your unused medicines.



BINGO! Everyone is invited! Each Friday night, 6:30 PM at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 1609 Wolverine Drive in Decatur. Concessions are served for a very affordable price. Must be 18 years of age or older to attend. See you there!



Christian Initiation

We congratulate and warmly welcome the following people who were received into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil:

Peyton Cromwell	Christian Gifford	Meg Lipsey	Will Lipsey
Jennifer Merriman	Jennifer Overton	Cherish Prudhomme	Brandon Smith

Also, congratulations to our parishioners, Jeremy Cummings and Charlotte Tumminello who celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation.

As we are blessed by your presence, may you experience many blessings as you continue to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

We especially and sincerely thank Harriet and Leo Sabatini who have generously shared their gifts in the RCIA Ministry for the past three years. We are most grateful to you and offer our prayerful thanks as you move on to other ministries.

Stewardship From a Different Perspective

The "Joys of Giving" from a book by Randy Alcorn, The Treasure Principle, Unlocking the Secret of Joyful Giving, discusses how Stewardship is a total way of life that reflects our dependence on God for all we have and all we are.

Question to Ask God:

Please show me, Jesus: How can I better communicate with and pray with my spouse and children so we can walk together down this exhilarating road of giving? Help us, Lord, to both lead and encourage one another, without leaving each other behind. (Used with permission from the above referenced book.)

"A prudent wife is from the Lord."
(Proverbs 19:14)

Stewardship Corner

Now that we have been renewed in the risen life, our earthly life should witness to our new relationships of stewardship of our time, our talent, and our possessions.

**Church Office will be closed
Monday, April 25th.**

Easter Sunday: The Resurrection of the Lord



April 20, 2011

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

During the weekend of April 30th and May 1st, the bishops are inviting Catholics across the country to contribute to the Catholic Home Missions Appeal.

Over the years, this annual Appeal has helped to support programs in religious education, evangelization, youth ministry, seminarian education and ministry training in mission dioceses, including the Diocese of Birmingham. Without the Catholic Home Missions Appeal, these essential ministries would not be possible in many diocese of the United States. This national collection has been a powerful and successful expression of your stewardship and generosity.

I ask you to be generous in this year's appeal to strengthen the Church at home. As we continue to recover from the economic downturn, it is important to remember our Catholic brothers and sisters whose dioceses need our support.

Thank you for your parish's life of stewardship and faith.

Gratefully yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Robert J. Baker, S.T.D.
Bishop of Birmingham in Alabama

4/30/2011		5:00 PM	
Read:	1: Norm Langlois	2: Kevin Moore	
EM	H1: Fr. Ray	H2: Jan Gile	
	H3:	H4: Rosie Catanach	
	C1: Sister Teresa	C2: Bob Catanach	
	C3: Jim Tipler	C4: Lynne Cauthen	
	C5: Terrie Tipler	C6: Gregg Cauthen	
HM	Dub Webster		Clay Goodwin
	Kevin Hunter		Tom DiGuilian
AS	Mac Weathers		Ashley Huntsinger
	Greer Cauthen		
Sac	Jayne Kissam		
Music	Debra Davenport		

5/1/2011		8:30 AM	
Read:	1: Diane Hammons	2: Don Jansen	
EM	H1: Fr. Ray	H2: Carol Wren	
	H3: Kay Woods	H4: Loretta Gilliam	
	C1: Frank Adamsky	C2: Robert Sandwell	
	C3: Will England	C4: Michelle Jordan	
	C5: Karen England	C6: Joel Gilliam	
HM	Angel Acupan		John Hughes
	Jim Pence		Johnny Stamps
AS	Ian Eslick		Amanda Jane Pride
	Madison Wilburn		Erin Jaeckle
Sac	Jess Granone		
Music	Doug Mach, David Mach, Janet Davis		

5/1/2011		11:00 AM	
Read	1: Patrick Lappert	2: Dan Meyer	
EM	H1: Fr. Ray	H2: Tracy Drane	
	H3: Judy Crely	H4: Stephen Doud	
	C1: Pat Shaffer	C2: Greg Doud	
	C3: Michael Dick	C4: Dale Borths	
	C5: Liz Doud	C6: Carol Janorschke	
HM	Dan Doud		John Eastmond
	Bob McKenzie		Bill Shaffer
AS	Nadia Paradise		Peyton Cromwell
	John Paul Lappert		
Sac	Judy Angel		
Music	Formal Choir		
MC.	Don Adair, Don Fries, John & Barbara Hughes		

<p>SCRIPTURE READINGS Divine Mercy Sunday Acts 4:23-31 Jn 3:1-8 Mt 10:22-25</p>



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