



**Twenty-Third Sunday in  
Ordinary Time  
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Sunday: 7:45 A.M. and 10:30 A.M.  
Holy Days: 7:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.

**Confession:**

Saturday - 2:30 – 3:30 P.M. or by appointment

**Weekday Mass (Chapel):**

Wednesday: 6:00 P.M.  
Thursday, Friday: 8:30 A.M.  
First Saturday: 9:00 A.M.

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**Marriage Requirements:**

Meet with Father Culotta @ 980-1810, ext. #104 at least six months in advance.  
Visit wedding link on Web Site prior to meeting

**Baptism Requirements:**

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## Parish Prayer List

Please remember these people in your prayers and all those who have asked for our prayers.

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### Mass Intentions

Wed. Sept. 10 –6:00 PM.....**Ellen Strupe (SI)**  
Thurs. Sept. 11 –8:30 AM.....**Frances DeJohn**  
Fri. Sept. 12 – 8:30 AM.....**Jim McCulloch**  
Sat. Sept. 13 - 4:00 PM.....**Jodi & Craig Richardson (SI)**  
Sun. Sept. 14 – 7:45.....**Lissa & Rob Heenan(SI)**  
Sun. Sept. 14 - 10:30 AM.....**People of the Parish**

### Next Week's Readings

**Mon:** Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6abc; Mt 1:1-16,18-23  
**Tues.:** 1 Cor 6:1-11; Ps 149:1b-6a,9b; Lk 6:12-19  
**Wed.:** 1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12,14-17; Lk 6:20-26  
**Thurs:** 1 Cor 8:1b-7,11-13; Ps 139:1b-3,13-14b,23-24; Lk 6:27-38  
**Fri.:** 1 Cor 9:16-19,22b-27; Ps 84:3-6,8,12; Lk 6:39-42  
**Sat:** 1 Cor 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-13,17-18; Lk 6:43-49  
**Sun.:** *The Exaltation of the Holy Cross*  
Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1b-2,34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

### Financial Information

August 31, 2014

	(Budgeted)	(Actual)	(YtD Budget)	(YtD Actual)
Collection:	25,135	9,265	978,494	1,011,690
<b>Current Parish Debt</b>		<b>3,543,539</b>		

### Youth Groups

JCREW will meet this Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup>, at the Parish Life Center at 4PM to go bowling. We will return to the PLC at 6:30PM for Pizza.

The BLAST and JCREW youth will be taking a whitewater rafting trip to the Ocoee River in Tennessee on October 11, 2014. Cost for the trip will be \$40. Contact Daniel Henninger for more information and to register.

### New Grief Support Group

A new Grief Support Group for parishioners of both Saint Mark's and Our Lady of the Valley will be forming Monday, September 8<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 PM in the Parish Office Conference Room at Our Lady of the Valley. Please register by contacting Darlene McCulloch at 678-2750 or email her at [jamesfmcculloch@belsouth.net](mailto:jamesfmcculloch@belsouth.net).

### Walk for the Poor

Please plan to join St. Vincent de Paul groups from around the area to Walk for the Poor on Saturday, September 27<sup>th</sup> at Veterans Park on Valleydale Road. The 5K Run begins at 8:30AM and the 1 mile walk is at 9:00AM. All proceeds go directly to people in need in the greater Birmingham area. To register, help sponsor, or to make a donation, please to go [www.svdpusa.net/walk/1052](http://www.svdpusa.net/walk/1052) or call Judy Atchison at 205-616-6537.

### Children's Corner

The Children's Corner begins next Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup>. The Corner will follow the PSR annual schedule. This year's theme is "Let me be your Servant".

### Knights of Columbus

Brother Knights, our next meeting will be Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM. Members are encouraged to attend to discuss many of the upcoming activities including the Flea Market and the Parish Picnic. Interested in joining the Knights of Columbus? Contact [kofc13446@aol.com](mailto:kofc13446@aol.com)

### Supper Club

Saint Mark's Supper Club is open to all adults. It's a wonderful way to meet with your fellow parishioners. Our upcoming supper will be held at The Village Tavern at the Summit (near Sak's) on September 13<sup>th</sup>. We'll meet at 5:15 p.m. Each person is responsible for paying for their own meal. Reservations by 9/11- Cathy Johnson at [cathyjohnson\\_2@hotmail.com](mailto:cathyjohnson_2@hotmail.com), or call 266-9685.

### Lay Dominicans

Lay Dominicans of Birmingham group is having an open meeting, Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup> at 2PM at St. Rose Academy. Come and see. For more information, contact Angela Maiola at 999-6183.

### Special 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection-Sept. 13 & 14

There will be an urgent 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection next weekend for the USCC Bishop's Pastoral Support in the Middle East. As for all 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections, please make out checks to Saint Mark the Evangelist. Your donations will be forwarded as one payment to the USCC.

## Saint George Middle Eastern Food Festival

The Saint George 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Middle Eastern Food Festival will be Thursday, September 18<sup>th</sup> thru Saturday, September 20<sup>th</sup>. Food will be served all day Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 10:30 AM to 9:00 PM. Downtown delivery will be available for lunch on Thursday and Friday. For takeout and delivery, call 492-9621.

Saint George is located at 425 16<sup>th</sup> Avenue South. Visit us at [www.saintgeorgeonline.org](http://www.saintgeorgeonline.org) or on Face Book.

## Job Opening

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic School has job openings in our after school program. Interested applicants are invited to call the school office at 991-5963 or you can mail a resume to 5510 Double Oak Lane, Birmingham, AL 35242.

## Wanted: Married Couples

Our Lady of the Valley Fall Program for married couples is getting ready to start. Our first presentation will be on Thursday, September 18<sup>th</sup> and is on Parent/Grandparent relations. We will start with social time at 6:30PM, with the presentation from 7:00-8:30PM. Free babysitting is provided.

## Liturgical Schedule: September 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>, 2014

### Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:

**Saturday:** Pat Armitage, Sr. Terry, Pat Kantaris, Darlene McCulloch, Bill Welsh, Sharon Zaleski

**Sunday:** Sonny Jones, Theresa Lo Monaco, Katherine Rall, Ginger Scalici, Ginny Willis  
(10:30) Eleanora & David Castagnetta, Tom Chauffe, Ana Hall, Darlene McCulloch, Leonard Mueninghoff, Joe Scotch, Steve Shoemaker, Susan Webb

### Mass Coordinator:

**Saturday:** Pat & Mike Kantaris,

**Sunday:** Pat & Bill Roach  
(10:30) Mary Ann & Tom Stith

**Altar Linens:** Nena Robinson

### Ushers:

**Saturday:** Jim Smith, Thom Berry, Brandon Moseley, Terry Spitzer

**Sunday:** Tom Perlich, Nicholas Perlich, Sarah Rose Perlich  
(10:30) Chris Moore, Jay Adcock, Caleb Moore, Milene Panzica, Scott Riley

### Cantors:

**Saturday:**

**Sunday:**

### Lectors:

**Saturday:** Cathy Johnson, Dolorene Sackman

**Sunday:** Jim Montour, Ruth Breipohl  
(10:30) Bill Webb, Lisa Arrington

### Altar Servers:

**Saturday:** Abby Ferrell, Rachel Ferrell, Jonathan Zaleski, Luke Rakers, Zach Rakers

**Sunday:** Justin Chestang, Lia DiGuglielmo, Jessica Heberlein, Brianna Braden, Elliot Marrero  
(10:30) Ella Vaughn, Julianna Perrigo, Amalia Trujillo Valino, Luke Arrington, Anna Arrington

### Greeters:

**Saturday:** Demetri Coleman, Becky Green, Tom Lager, Pat Smith

**Sunday:** Diane & Anthony Cuicchi  
(10:30) Ercelle Burrus, Laura Hughes, Myrna Scotch, Tom Slonneger



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