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St. Mary Magdalene E-News

June 16, 2017

A Note From Father Donald Staib

Some early information for our July 15 at 4 pm Dedication ceremony. The ceremony begins outside with the Bishop entering the church first. Our Bishop will be Bishop-elect Ned Shlesinger, priest of our Diocese, recently appointed auxiliary bishop of the Archdiocese of Atlanta. Please read the full instructions on the inside back of this bulletin for complete details.

On July 15 there will be no 5pm Saturday Mass.

Also: please note: there is no daily Mass Friday, June 23.

We ask God's blessing and offer our prayers for the youth and adults of our parish who will go on their mission trip this week. May they and the families they will serve received God's blessing.

We wish a Happy Father's Day to all our parish fathers!

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Notes on the New Church

After this weekend we have only 3 more weekends in our worship space in the gym. Time is racing - and so are the construction crews.

Many thanks to all who have made this a reality for our parish.

Our Statues and Stations of the Cross are now on a ship heading through the Suez Canal. May they continue the journey in peace and safety.

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Pictures of the Week

Two pictures of the Sanctuary area with Altar waiting to be completed with granite.



Two pictures of the lights in the new church.



New Church Videos

[New Church Video Update](#)

New Church Dedication Information

VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to all who have already signed up to help on July 15th.

There are a few slots left. Use <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0a45adab2c7-stmm>.

All volunteers will be contacted by June 30th with details for your volunteer spot. In general most are simply spots where volunteers will stand & guide the pathway to the Church piazza as well as general welcoming to all who are coming to the dedication.

ATTENDEES

**This 4pm Mass replaces the Saturday 5pm Mass.
There will be a collection as part of the 4pm Mass.**

Car pool as much as possible to conserve parking spaces & the environment.

Regardless of what time you arrive or even if you are volunteering, the Church will be locked. No one enters earlier than 4pm.

There will be a designated procession from the Activity Building to the piazza. The congregation is last in the procession entering the church. Even if you choose not to be part of the procession and just gather in front of the church, you too will be guided into the Church.

Parking assistance will be provided.

Accommodations, if needed, have been arranged for our senior parishioners & any attendee needing wheelchair assistance. There are 12 wheelchair spots designated inside the church.

The convenience of the Activities Building opening at 2pm on July 15 is for waiting comfort from the July heat or inclement weather.

Coming at 2pm does not mean you will be seated up front.

The entire front of the church, across all four sections has been reserved for special guests and visiting clergy. The reserved pews will be clearly marked with a visual.

Once the church doors are unlocked & the procession continues into the church, parish staff & parish volunteers will be posted inside the church guiding special guests & all attendees to their seats.

The Rite of Dedication will be approximately 2 hours.

The simple light refreshments after the dedication are lemonade/water/cookies.

There is no meal involved.

This special day is all about the building. It is celebratory but also solemn.

All buildings will be closed by 8pm.

Sunday liturgies are at 9am & 10:45am.

Reflection

For the Feast of Corpus Christi

Sharing the Body and Blood of Christ means that we share in Jesus' life of self-giving. This means becoming more aware of others' needs and responding to them; it means doing our everyday tasks well and out of love; it means being honest, just, and forgiving. Eternal life is the fruit of our transformation in Christ. We are to remain in him and are sent to be his presence in the world.

New Church Envelopes



StMM has changed envelope companies and parishioners will start receiving their new monthly envelopes for July from the new company. Parishioners that are on automatic draft will receive only the 2nd collection envelopes on a quarterly basis. Any questions or problems, please email lynch@stmm.net

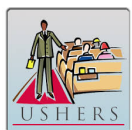
Eucharistic Minister Training Session #2



Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion in the Sacred Liturgy Information/Training Session II is set for Wednesday, June 28th from 10a-12p OR 7p-9p in the Adult Room. Veterans are strongly encouraged to attend ONE of the sessions as procedures are changing in our new space. New parishioners are welcome to join the ministry as we will need 14/16 ministers at each Mass. Contact

Celeste usischon@stmm.net with your questions and please RSVP by June 26th.

Usher Meeting #2



Usher Meeting #2-We are ready to present new guidelines for all interested in the Ministry of Hospitality. Join us on Mon, June 26th from 7p-9p in Adult Room of Activities Building OR Thurs, June 29, 2017 same time & location. Questions, please contact Celeste at usischon@stmm.net

Family Promise!



Family Promise-STMM will support Family Promise by volunteering time and donating items to homeless families that will be housed at St. Andrews June 18-24. We could not do this without you. Family Promise is a county-wide program that provides support to pre-screened homeless families as they transition into

permanent housing (<http://wihn.org/>). **Reminder-All donations are dropped off at St. Andrew's.** Please contact Mary Wire at mbwire@gmail.com or 919-749-8932 with questions.

Boy Scout Windshield Wash Fundraiser



StMM Boy Scout Troop 224 will hold their annual **Windshield Wash Fundraiser** on June 24th & 25th during the weekend Masses. Donations from the Windshield Wash help Troop 24 with things such as summer camp, troop activities and needed gear throughout the year. Your support is greatly appreciated!

StMM Summer Camps



StMM Summer Camps - StMM School will again be offering a variety of Summer Camps for Preschool (Ages 3-5, must be potty-trained) to 8th grade. Camps will be offered from June 12th to July 31st. Click [HERE](#) for camp dates and descriptions. Questions? Email summercamp@stmm.net

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