

News From Fabio

New Auxiliary Bishop:

Once more, the Archdiocese of Atlanta has been blessed with a new auxiliary Bishop. Reverend Joel M. Konzen; he is a priest of the community of the Marists. His **Episcopal Ordination** will be on April 13 of this year. Please keep him in your prayers.

What is happening to Catholics?

On January 29, a bill introduced in the senate, did not pass. It would have prohibited abortion after 20 weeks of gestation. The bill was known as; "Law for the Protection of the Unborn Child with Ability to Pain" This project required 60 votes, but only got 51. It did not get the required number. The 14 "Catholic" Senators who voted against this Bill are: Maria Cantwell Susan Collins, Dick Durbin, Kirsten Gillibrand, Heidi Heitkamp, Tim Kaine, Patrick Leahy, Ed Markey Catherine Cortez Masto, Claire McCaskill, Bob Menendez, Lisa Murkowski, Patrick Murray, and Jack Reed. These public figures and others, make this inhumane procedure still available in the United States of North America. (For more information see Aciprensa.com)

Surely they do not realize that they are in this world and in those positions, thanks to the respect that was given to each one of them in their mother's womb.

Lent: Once again we are approaching the Lenten season; time of fasting, prayer, and time to spend with God and with ourselves. It is a time for us to discover and realize the great love God has for us. A time to reflect on the way we respond to Him day by day, with our actions toward others and ourselves. This time of reflection shows us the Life, Passion, Death and Resurrection of Christ our Savior.

Until when: This week Edwin Jackson, a football player, tragically passed away in a car accident. I invite you to instead of us, as a community placing blame, lets lift all families involved up in prayer. And for all those who have lost a loved one in a car accident. One needs to be respectful to the pain of others, we are all children of God. **Lord Jesus, I place in your hands our brothers and sisters who have passed away.**



Serving God By Serving Others

In Search for a Youth Minister

The Youth Ministry in the Mountains Program is the recipient of a \$5000 grant from the North Georgia Catholic Foundation! The search has begun for a part-time Youth Minister:

The Catholic Parishes of Saint Mark in Clarkesville and Saint Paul the Apostle in Cleveland seek to hire a part-time **Youth Minister responsible for ministry to students in grades 7 through 12.** Applicant should be a practicing, committed Catholic with an education in current Catholic theology, training in education or relative field, and experience working in a youth ministry program. Responsibilities include organization and implementation of the newly formed Youth Ministry in the Mountains program;, which is dedicated to the continuing formation of Catholic Teens in Northeast Georgia through outreach in the community, social activities and Catholic spiritual development. Must be willing to organize and work in collaboration with a team of volunteers. Computer proficiency is a must. Youth Minister will be directly responsible to the Pastors and supported by the Youth Ministry in the Mountains Commission. Please send resume/inquiries to: Mary Ruth Jones, St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church, 1243 Hulsey Road Cleveland, GA 30528, or by email: maryruthjones8@gmail.com

Adult Faith Formation Begins

We will study "Matthew - The King and His Kingdom" **beginning Sunday, February 18 at 11:30 am.** Please register ahead of class time, so that you will have a book. Contact Kirk Broom at 832-567-7654 or kfbroom@aol.com. Or, contact Laurie Vittek to sign up.

Matrimony: A calling to forgive! "Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope."

Retrouvaille offers a welcoming and loving space to couples who have been living with the misery of a failing marriage. Retrouvaille offers hope: hope that it is not too late, hope of a different and better marriage. Retrouvaille helps couples to show each other mercy through the opportunities it provides to listen, to forgive, to be reconciled and to move into their futures believing that God loves them and with His help and their efforts, their marriages can be healed and restored. Retrouvaille provides help for marriage problems/difficulties/crises. For more information about our upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend, March 2nd – 4th, 2018 program for couples, contact: Zack & Heather @ 317-691-2258 or visit our website: HelpOurMarriage.com

Romantic Valentine's Day Dinner

Love is in the air, come to a Dinner



Date: February 17, 2018

Time: 6:30 – 10:00 pm

Cost: \$30 A Couple

Saint Paul The Apostle Catholic Church

1243 Hulsey Rd

Cleveland GA 30528 (Parish Hall)



ALTAR SERVER
A JOB SO BIG ONLY A KID CAN DO IT

Join our great group of altar servers who assist Father Fabio at Mass! Participation in church as a server builds self-discipline, responsibility and humility.

The only requirements: reception of First Holy Communion and a willingness to serve the Church!

The next training for current and new servers will be held on Sunday, February 25th at 2:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Contact Mary Ruth Jones, 706-348-7384, maryruthjones8@gmail.com for more information.

Youth Ministry in the Mountains



Upcoming Events and Activities!
All youth grades 7-12 are welcome!



Sunday, February 11

St. Paul: Assist the K of C with the Pancake Breakfast after 8 and 10 am Masses

Contact: Ben Foley, 706-725-9226

Friday, February 16, 6 pm

St. Paul: Stations of the Cross, 6:00 p.m.: teens lead the stations Contact: Mary Ruth 706-892-4438



Fish Fry, 7:00 p.m.; help serve and clean-up Contact: Ben Foley, 706-725-9226

Saturday, March 3

Middle School Catholic Fest at Notre Dame Academy in Atlanta: this event is open to all Middle School students grades 6-8. \$10 per person. Transportation will be provided. Registration deadline, February 13.

Contact: Mary Ruth Jones, 706-892-4438

Noticias de Fabio

Nuevo Obispo Auxiliar: Nuevamente la Arquidiócesis de Atlanta, ha sido bendecida con nuevo Obispo auxiliar, se trata del Reverendo Joel M. Konzen; quien es sacerdote de la comunidad de los Maristas. Su Ordenación Episcopal será el 13 de abril del presente año. Favor tenerlo muy presente en sus oraciones.

¿Qué nos está pasando a los Católicos?

El pasado 29 de enero, no paso un proyecto de ley del Senado de este país, para prohibir el aborto, después de las 20 semanas de gestación. El proyecto de ley era conocido como; “**Ley de Protección del Niño por Nacer con Capacidad para el Dolor**” Este proyecto requería de 60 votos, pero sólo obtuvo 51. Y no consiguió el número requerido, gracias a que 14 senadores que se hacen llamar católicos votaron en contra. Con católicos así para que enemigos en la Iglesia Católica. Ellos son: Maria Cantwell Susan Collins, Dick Durbin, Kirsten Gillibrand, Heidi Heitkamp, Tim kaine, Patrick Leahy, Ed Markey Catherine Cortez Masto, Claire McCaskill, Bob Menendez, Lisa Murkowski, Patrick Murray, y Jack Reed. Estas figuras públicas y otras más, hacen que este procedimiento inhumano aún sea legal en los Estados Unidos de Norte América. (Para mayor información ver Aciprensa.com)

Seguramente el cerebro no les da, para darse cuenta que están en este mundo y en esos cargos, gracias a que sus vidas fueron respetadas en el vientre de la madre.

Cuaresma: Una vez más estamos a las puertas del tiempo de Cuaresma; tiempo de ayuno, oración, y tiempo para encontrarnos con Dios, y con nosotros mismos. Es un tiempo para que descubramos y nos demos cuenta del gran amor que Dios tiene para con nosotros. De la manera en que le respondemos día a día, con nuestra forma de actuar con él, con los demás y con nosotros mismos. Este tiempo nos muestra la Vida, Pasión, Muerte y Resurrección de Cristo nuestro Salvador.

Hasta cuándo:

Esta semana murió en un trágico accidente de automóvil, Edwin Jackson, un jugador de futbol americano. Les invito a que en vez de buscar culpables, nos unamos en oración por ambas familias, y por todos aquellos que han perdido a un ser querido a causa de un accidente de carro. Necesitamos ser más respetuosos ante el dolor ajeno, pues todos, absolutamente todos somos hijos de Dios. **Señor Jesús, pongo en tus manos a quienes han partido de este mundo.**



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¡Unete a nuestro gran grupo de servidores del altar que ayudan al Padre Fabio en la Misa! La participación en la iglesia como servidor fortalece la autodisciplina, la responsabilidad y la humildad. Los únicos requisitos: haber recibido la Primera Comunión y tener voluntad de servir a la Iglesia!

La próxima reunión para monaguillos nuevos o actuales se llevará a cabo el domingo, 25 de febrero a las 2:00 p.m. en el Salón Parroquial.

Comunicarse con Adriana Jimenez (706) 949-1760 para obtener más información.

Ministerio de Jóvenes en las Montañas

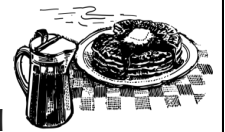


Próximos eventos y actividades!

¡Jóvenes de los grados del 7-12 son bienvenidos!

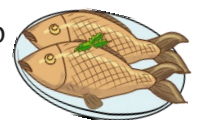
Domingo, 11 de febrero

San Pablo: Asistir a K de C con el **Desayuno de Pancake** después de las misas de 8am y 10 am. Contacto: Ben Foley, 706-725-9226



Viernes, 16 de febrero, 6 p. m.

St. Paul: Estaciones de la Cruz, 6:00 p.m.: los adolescentes guiaran las estaciones Contactar: Mary Ruth (706)-892-4438



Pescado Frito, 7:00 pm; ayudar a servir y limpiar Contactar: Ben Foley, (706)-725-9226

Sábado, 3 de marzo

Middle School Catholic Fest en la Academia Notre Dame en Atlanta: este evento está abierto a todos los estudiantes de la escuela intermedia de los grados 6-8. \$ 10 por persona. Se proporcionará transporte. Fecha límite de inscripción, 13 de febrero: Contactar: Mary Ruth Jones, (706)-892-4438



Martes, 13 de febrero de 2018 a las 7PM. Cena POTLUCK en el salón parroquial. Traer un platillo para compartir y su elección de bebida!

Cena Romántica del Día de San Valentín



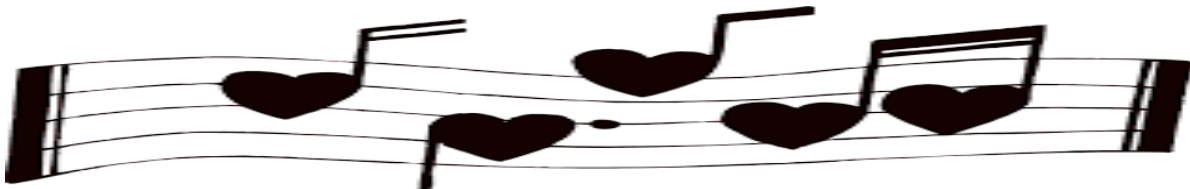
El amor esta en el Aire

Comparte con tu ser querido
una cena romántica para parejas

Fecha: 17 de febrero 2018

Horario: 6:30 – 10:00 pm

Costo: \$30 Por Pareja



Para mas informacion:

Ana M Ramirez (706) 968-6700

Iglesia Católica

San Pablo el Apóstol

1243 Hulsey Rd., Cleveland, GA. 30528

(Salón Parroquial)





Knights of Columbus Fat Tuesday Celebration

Tuesday, February 13th, 2018 @ 7pm.

POTLUCK dinner in the parish hall.

Bring a dish to share and your
choice of beverage!

