

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC PARISH

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Rev. Jose Raphy Ambooken
 881-4781 ext. 212

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fathersessions@holyspirithsv.com
 882-1132

**Deacon Bob Becher, Deacon Louis Citrano,
 Deacon Lee Heckman, Deacon Tony Moreno,
 Deacon Mike Sudnik**

Korean Catholic Community
 867-1679

Rev. John the Baptist Lee
Deacon Matthew Koh

HOSPITAL CARE

If you or a member of your family are sick or in the hospital and need Deacon Mike Sudnik, please call him at 604-3374. If you need a Priest, you may call Fr. Daniel at 882-1132 or Fr. Jose at 881-4781 ext 212, **day or night.**

The Baptism of the Lord



PARISH ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF/OFICINA

8:00 AM-4:30 PM Monday/Lunes-Thursday/Jueves
 8:00 AM-1:00 PM Friday/Viernes

**THE HOLY SPIRIT BOOKSTORE IS OPEN
 DURING PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

MASS SCHEDULE/HORARIO

Saturday/Sabado 5:00 PM
**Sunday/Domingo 7:30, 9:00, 11:45 AM and
 (Spanish) 2:00 & 6:30 PM**

RECONCILIATION/CONFESIONES

5:00-7:00 PM Wednesdays
3:00-4:45 PM Saturday & by appointment.

WEEKDAY/DIA DE SEMANA

Monday/Lunes 7:30 AM, 12:00 Noon
Tuesday/Martes 7:30 AM, 12:00 Noon
Wednesday/Miercoles 7:30 AM, 7:00 PM
Thursday/Jueves 7:30 AM, 12:00 Noon
Friday/Viernes 7:30 AM

KOREAN MASS

Sunday at 4:00PM in Holy Spirit Church
 Wednesday~Saturday 10:00AM in the Korean Rectory

HOLY SPIRIT REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL



256-881-4852

SAINT JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL



256-430-1760

January 12, 2025

WELCOME!...to our parishioners and to our visitors.

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH...

...invites everyone to "...full, conscious, and active participation" in the sacred liturgy. We hope you will join us in lifting our hearts and voices to God!

THE VESTIBULE...

...is the place for meeting old friends and greeting visitors! Reverence and quiet are expected in the church! Please turn off cell phones and beepers.

AT HOLY COMMUNION...

... it is appropriate to make a sign of reverence, a bow or a genuflection, before you receive Communion. To maintain the flow of the Communion procession, please make the sign of reverence while the person in front of you receives Communion. If you choose to receive Holy Communion in your hand, please do not reach for the host, but present your palm, flat out and high enough to receive Communion. Intinction is not permitted.

Parish Registration

If you attend Holy Spirit Church on a regular basis and have not registered with our Parish, we invite you to do so. Please call the Church Office or visit the webpage to register.

[Parish Registration – Holy Spirit Catholic Church](#)

EMAIL UPDATES PLEASE!!!

Please email cbender@holyspirithsv.com, with your name and updated email address, so our database can be kept current.. We only use email to notify you of something important.

Bulletins are available online at holyspirithsv.com

LECTORS January 11/12

5:00p B. Joly (OT) — RJ Sollohub (NT)
 7:30a J. Gallardo (OT) — L. Brunegraff (NT)
 9:00a C. Puett (OT) — E. Sanders (NT)
 11:45a Youth Mass

LECTORS January 18/19

5:00p J. Fontenot (OT) — A. Brocato (NT)
 7:30a M. Ortega (OT) — M. Juede (NT)
 9:00a E. Lichay (OT) — K. Frew (NT)
 11:45a Youth Mass

Purificator Laundering

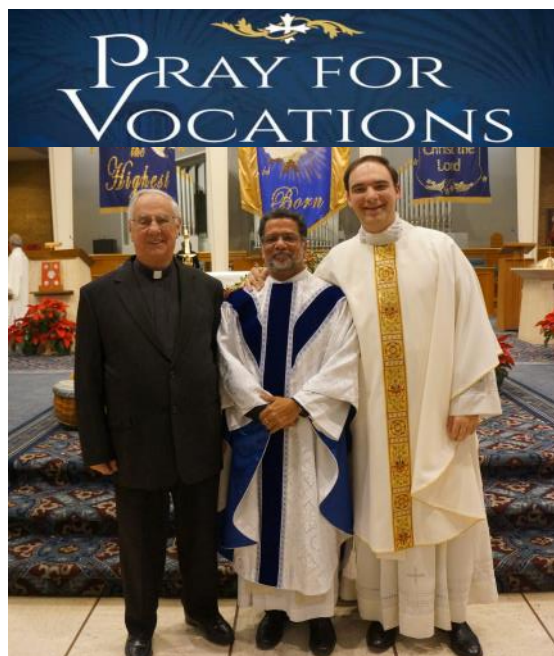
January 12: Donna Shergy
 January 19: Gabriela Nicolas

Altar Duty:

January 17/18: Bridget Sanders
 January 24/25: Therese Wesley & Judy Hawke

Weekly Mass Intentions: January 13-19

Monday	7:30 AM 12:00 PM	† †	Al Rossi Harry Chaffee
Tuesday	7:30 AM 12:00 PM	† †	Maria Lucia Sanchez Sally Owings
Wednesday	7:30 AM 7:00 PM	† †	Gertrude Weber Clyde Toland
Thursday	7:30 AM 12:00 PM	†	Fr. Mike, Fr. Jose & Fr. Daniel Luis Noriega
Friday	7:30 AM 9:00 AM	† †	Margaret LaRose Chet McNeil
Saturday	5:00 PM	†	Sally Marie Owings
Sunday	7:30 AM 9:00 AM 11:45 AM 2:00 PM 6:30 PM	 † † † †	Parishioners Tom & Doris Pape Caterina Martini Edgar Manzanero Family of Rubio Aguilar



THE WEEKLY OFFERING DEC. 26 - JAN 5

Weekly Offertory	\$ 86,956.96
Development Fund	\$ 11,182.26
St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$ 1,733.70
Bishop's 2025 Appeal Pledges to date (goal \$300,000)	\$ 235,777.65

Our Week at a Glance

Today January 12	10:15 Neely Baptism
Monday January 13	6:15p OCIA –A/B
Tuesday January 14	9:30a SVDP Mtg –MP 7:00p Womens Group –MP
Wednesday January 15	1:00p Seasons of Hope —Lib
Thursday January 16	6:00p SVDP Meeting—MP
Friday January 17	Parents Night Out
Saturday January 18	
Sunday January 19	K of C Pancake Breakfast 10:20a Men’s Faith Sharing Group–MP



Please pray for all our sick and homebound

Jackie Ambrose	Cameron Langford	Mary Alice Simmonds
Jim Daniel	& family	Anne Smith
Jerry DeBacker	Joe Sandrick	Andrew Steffenson
Kristen Frick	Sandra Shady	Elsye Wijaya

Rest in Peace!

Guy Graves, husband of Janiss Graves
John Patrick Butas



Baptisms



Annette Laird, daughter of Samuel & Leslie



New Parishioners

The Weber Family of Madison, Alabama

Parish News and Events

How to Donate Flowers and Candles for the Church and Chapel

Did you know you could donate the weekly Altar Flowers or Candles for the Church or the Chapel in honor or memory of a friend or family member, or to celebrate a wedding, birthday or an anniversary?

The cost for Church or Chapel Flowers is \$150.
The cost for Church or Chapel Candles is \$ 25.

Call the Parish Office: 256-881-4781 or
the Hispanic Ministries Office: 256-881-2211
or email cbender@holyspirithsv.com and we will gladly assist you with scheduling.



PANCAKE BREAKFAST!
Sunday, January 19th
8:30 am —11:00 am

Pancakes, Scrambled Eggs, Hash-brown Casserole, Bacon, Biscuits and Gravy.

NO CHARGE!!

Donations accepted and appreciated!
Sponsored by our Knights of Columbus Council 764.

The Holy Spirit Choirs
are starting up again



Children’s Choir Rehearsals begin Wednesday January 15th at 4pm in the choir room.

Chancel Choir rehearsals are Wednesdays at 6pm.
Saturday Ensemble rehearses on Saturdays at 4pm.

If you or your child are interested in joining the choir, come to rehearsal or email avasile@holyspirithsv.com.

Parish Community

Veterans and Military Families Retreat

A comprehensive spiritual outreach and renewal program for our military men and women and their families

Serving in the military or having a loved one wear the uniform creates a common bond that is never forgotten. St. Ignatius Loyola believed that God is hidden in the stories of our lives. So gather with other vets or with the members of other military families to tell whatever part of your story you're comfortable naming. Come look for God in the place you might least expect... in the pages of your life story.

This Retreat is free to attend

**February 8, 2025 at
Holy Spirit Catholic Church, Huntsville, AL**

Registration is required

[Registration Form](#)

Scan to Register



For more information, contact:

Deacon Lee Heckman: (256)714-7027 lee.g.heckman@gmail.com

Deacon Paul Keil: (256) 701-7145 pkeil@goodshephsv.org

Em Bataille: (847) 220-2971 embataille48@gmail.com

Seasons of Hope Grief Support Group

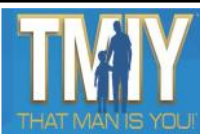
Seasons of Hope will meet Wednesdays

January 15, 22 & 29

February 5, 12 & 19

at 1:00 pm in the Parish Library.

Please call Kathy Heckman at 489-7389
for information.



THAT MAN IS YOU!

Meetings are Thursday Mornings at
6:15am in the Holy Spirit
Parish Life Center.

All men 18 and older are welcome to attend.

For more information reach out to T J
Prue at tjprue@gmail.com or Scan the QR
Code to register.



Fraternus: Thursdays from 6-8p
in the Parish Life Center (PLC).
Please reach out to Kevin Nishimuta at
(256-289-6178), TJ Prue, John Durant or send
an email to fraternushtvl@gmail.com
for more information.



Daughter of the King Dance

A fun event for dads and daughters of all ages!

When: February 1st from 6pm to 8pm.

Where: Holy Spirit Parish Life Center

Cost: \$5 per person

Light appetizers, drinks, and desserts
will be served! Come dressed in
anything that makes you feel like
royalty!

Tickets will be sold after all Masses January
18th, 19th, 25th, and 26th, or in the Parish
Office. Space is limited! Get your tickets early!



Knights of Columbus Council 764

Together, we're empowering Catholic men to live their faith at home, in their parish, at work and in their community. Of note, huge thanks to Tom White, Kevin Henriksen, and Gail

Henriksen for their help in putting together the Epiphany Blessed Chalk Kits for Parishioners!

Visit kofc.org/joinus to learn more about the many benefits of membership in the Knights of Columbus, or feel free to email our Grand Knight at Chris-Karigan@live.com!

Upcoming events this month include:

7-Jan	Officer's Meeting, 6:30 pm in PLC
19-Jan	Pancake Breakfast in PLC 8am - 11 am
21-Jan	Council Business Meeting, 7:00 pm in PLC

For the most up to date calendar for the Council, visit <http://kofc764.com>, and click on "Calendar".

Holy Spirit Ladies Auxiliary



The Holy Spirit Ladies Auxiliary promotes friendship among members and participates in charitable, church, community and family activities while having fun. We would love for you to

join us!

Our only requirement for membership is that you are a Catholic woman 18 or older. Register using this link <https://forms.gle/N8T4bWGXd3Pkb7>, the QR code, or come to a meeting and complete a paper form.

Meetings are on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7PM in the Parish Life Center A/B room, snacks are provided!



2024-2025 Scholarship Opportunity

The State Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary is offering a \$1,000 scholarship this year to a catholic woman to continue her education. See the links below for the Application requirements and application deadlines (in both English and Spanish).

[Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship Info \(English\)](#)

[Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship Info \(Spanish\)](#)

Society of St. Vincent dePaul

FOOD PANTRY
Donations

The Pantry is in need of Jelly and Boxed Milk.



Meals on Wheels needs a driver once a month.

The Holy Spirits Meals on Wheels team needs a volunteer to fill in for someone who is leaving. They deliver lunch from 10:30 to noon, once a month on 2nd Friday.

Contact the parish office for more information.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

Sign up online for a Holy Hour at:

[Holy Spirit - Huntsville, AL - AdorationPro.](#)



Adorers are needed:

Thursday 4 PM
Saturday 4 PM

Come visit Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.

New Adorers are always needed and welcome!

St. Jude Rosary Group

St Jude rosary group will meet for prayer and the rosary at 10 am on the first Wednesday of each month in the church. Please send prayer requests to:



judymanlove@icloud.com
or chapuranal@gmail.com

NEW MEN'S FAITH SHARING GROUP Sunday Mornings from 10:15- 11:30am Beginning in January 2025

The group will focus on the Ten Commandments as presented and explained in the Catechism by Fr. Mike Schmitz for Ascension Press. Saint Joseph is our patron. He stepped out in total Faith.

Somewhere in this Bulletin a needle is hiding...
See if you can find it!
January 5 -pg 6 in the PNO ad.

Faith Formation

Sunday Religious Education Classes for Children

Ages 4 through 12th grade meet from 10:15-11:30am during the school year. Contact the Religious Ed. Office for more information.

Classes resume this Sunday, January 12th.

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4. Find Holy Spirit by name or zip-code
5. Enter your email - and you're in!



The Youth Mass Ensemble is looking for new members

If you are in grades 6-12 and you love to sing, we would love for you to sing at our Youth Mass, every Sunday at 11:45AM.

If you are interested and would like more information, please contact John Onder, either after 11:45 AM Mass or email him at: jonder@hstigers.org

Holy Spirit Women's Group

Tuesdays 7-8:30pm

Now Meeting Weekly

Parish Multipurpose Room

The Holy Spirit Women's Group is starting again for 2025!

Please join us for faith, fellowship and friendship!

This group is open to any woman college grad age (22+) and older!

Any questions?

Please contact Carly Hale at hs womensgroup@gmail.com

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults



If you are interested in becoming Catholic please contact the Parish Office at 256-881-4781 ext 100 or email OCIA@holyspirithsv.com

Classes will resume January 6th

RCIA / OCIA Alumni and Friends Monthly Gatherings will begin soon

All RCIA / OCIA students, alumni, sponsors and friends are warmly invited to our recurring monthly gathering. We will start with Adoration in the Adoration Chapel from 6 – 7 pm, and then go out for dinner and fellowship.

Dates—TBD

Questions? Contact Michelle Southerland at 256.527.6558. We can't wait to see you!

From the Librarian...



The library is open for one hour after the noon Mass on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday and after the 11:45 on Sunday.

The library supplies in the cabinet beneath the statue of Mary were moved into the new filing cabinet. The Mary and Rosary books are now beneath the statue of Mary.

Highlighting 3 recently donated books and some Children's books.

"The Roman Catacombs – A History of the Christian City Beneath Pagan Rome", by Fr. James Spencer Northcote, 152 pages in the Early History section N&O1.

"Into the Heart of the Father – Learning from and Giving Yourself through Christ in Prayer", by Leonard J. DeLorenzo, 144 pages in the Meditation section A6-7.

"Purgatory – Explained by the Lives and Legends of the Saints", by Fr. F. X. Schoupe, S.J., 468 pages in the Four Last Things section K5.

"Jesus, I Feel Close to You", by Denise Stuckey, illustrated by Phyllis Saroff, 28 pages

"You're Something Special", by Bill & Gloria Gaither, 34 page book and record.

Books can be donated or returned to the Parish Office.

"We love because He first loved us."



Youth Group News

Youth Ministry Contact Information llai@holyspirithsv.com
Office: 256-882-6483/cell: 256-642-9508

High School Youth Group

Sunday Nights Social Time 5:30-6,

Dinner & Meeting 6-8 pm in the Youth Room

Dinner Provided

Open to 9th-12th grade teens

Schedule is online

<https://holyspirithsv.com/youth/high-school-youth-group/>

Call, text or email with any questions

llai@holyspirithsv.com 256-642-9508

LOOKING FOR SPONSORS!

Stuebenville 2025

Would you like to make a difference in the life of a teen? Consider sponsoring a teen to attend this conference. For further information, please reach out to our Director of Youth Ministry, Lori Lai at llai@holyspirithsv.com or call, 256-642-9508.

You may also donate online by following this QR code:



Middle School Youth Group

Open to Current 6th/7th and 8th Graders!

Two Wednesdays each month

Dinner and Meeting 5:15-7:00pm

Next Meeting Dates:

1/29, 2/12, 2/19

Schedule and forms are up on our youth group website:

<https://holyspirithsv.com/youth/middle-school-youth-groups/>

Follow us on Facebook:

Holy Spirit Huntsville Youth Ministry

or Instagram: [@hsyghsv](https://www.instagram.com/hsyghsv)



256-881-4852

<https://hstigers.org/>

"After Jesus was baptized, he came up from the water and behold, the heavens were opened for him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon him. And a voice came from the heavens, saying, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." Matthew 3: 16 - 17

Holy Spirit Enrollment Information

2025-2026 Application for New Students

OPENS January 6, 2025 - \$65 per application.

All new students enrollment fees will be \$165

Financial Aid for the 2025-2026 school year will close April 15, 2025.

Follow us on Facebook and Instagram:



Holy Spirit School is hiring a **PreK aide for the 2024-2025 school year**. Please send resume to Mrs. Cathy Jodon at cjodon@hstigers.org.



Saint John Paul II Catholic High School

256-430-1760 www.jp2falcons.org

JPII Admissions for the 2025-2026

School Year are Open!

Visit www.jp2falcons.org/admissionsprocess to learn more about our new admissions process and timeline, or contact our Admissions office at 256-430-1760 (ext. 117) or admissions@jp2falcons.org for more information.

St. John Paul II Catholic High School is seeking applicants for a full-time School Bookkeeper.

Job Description: St. John Paul II Catholic High School is seeking applicants for a full-time School Bookkeeper. The school bookkeeper provides day-to-day fiscal and operational services in accordance with diocesan recommended internal control procedures. The bookkeeper is accountable to the principal, and is expected to implement the school mission and philosophy, follow the policies of the Diocese of Birmingham and in the staff and parent handbooks of St. John Paul II Catholic High School, and adhere to the directives set by school administration. Visit www.jp2falcons.org/employment for more details.



Are you college-aged ?

Get Connected:

uahccm.org
catholicministry@uah.edu
discord.gg/DpHER5K
Instagram/Facebook:
[@uahccm](https://www.instagram.com/uahccm)

MARRIAGE

Arrangements for weddings must be made six months in advance with our priests. A Marriage Preparation Class is required.

Baptism Preparation Class

Please call Deacon Lee Heckman for information,
256-714-7027

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you are ill and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick and/or the Eucharist please contact the parish office to make arrangements. Contact parish office prior to hospitalization, surgery or during illness.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #764

Grand Knight Chris Karigan 256-509-3299
www.KofC764.com

Parish Ministries & Contact Persons

ADMINISTRATIVE

Adopt-A-Plot	Cathy White	316-5605
Money Counters	Pat Carrigan	882-1911
	Connie Robert	882-0033
Pastoral Council	Jon Hollihan	882-2666
Print Shop	Jon Duerr	ext 211 881-4781

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Knights of Columbus #764	http://www.kofc764.com	
Ladies' Auxiliary #764	Patti Anderson	651-9260
	LadiesAux764@holyspirithsv.com	

HISPANIC OFFICE

Hispanic Ministry Coordinator	Maria Jose Bonilla	ext 225	881-4781
Hispanic Ministry Office	Magalis Justiniano		881-2211
Hispanic Rel. Ed. Coordinator	Mayra Solares	ext. 235	881-4781

MUSIC

Adult Choirs and			
St. Cecilia Choir	Anne Vasile	ext. 219	881-4781
St. Gregory Youth Choir	Marjorie Arnston	ext. 219	881-4781
Youth Mass Ensemble	John Onder	jonder@hstigers.org	

LITURGY

Altar Guild	Catherine Trenkle	683-4629
Altar Servers	Anne Vasile	ext. 219 881-4781
Eucharistic Ministers	Debbie Troncone	348-0864
Lectors	Vicki Pape	509-1487
Altar Linens	Connie Beveridge	655-3002
Wedding and Funeral		
Coordinator	Cheryl Bender	ext. 218 881-4781

FAITH FORMATION

Religious Education –PSR (pre-K-12)	256-881-0345
OCIA Michelle Southerland	OCIA@holyspirithsv.com

YOUTH

Boy Scouts	Chris Brightwell	hstrop361@gmail.com
Cub Scouts	Wm. Messervy	hspack361@gmail.com
American Heritage Girls	Jennifer Butler	
		ahgtroopal7361@gmail.com
Youth Ministry	Lori Lai	882-6483

PARISH LIFE

Hospitality Committee		881-4781
Nursery	Sharon Brown	881-4781
Parish Life Center Library	Jim Anderson	603-883-5418
Perpetual Adoration Committee		
	Bob Dineen	880-0221
	Pete Robert	882-0033
	Malen Colberg (Spanish)	650-5194

Seasons of Hope

Grief Support Group	Kathy Heckman	714-7028
Widowed Group	Hugo Jenrath	682-1694
Our Lady's Rosary Makers	Maritza Holland	(text) 361-9290
Marriage Encounter	Jason & Susan Poyer	881-1526

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Catholic Center of Concern	1010 Church Street	963-9355
Catholic Family Services	4920 Corporate Dr.	536-0073
Haiti Mission	Bob McCoy	603-7398
Habitat for Humanity	Marianne Higgins	653-1843
Ministry to the Sick and Homebound		
	Deacon Michael Sudnik	604-3374
	msudnik@comcast.net	
Pro-Life	Tom White	513-913-7475
	hsprolife@protonmail.com	
Society of St. Vincent DePaul	Steve Monaco	881-4781
Meals on Wheels	Tom Rathz	683-7910

HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH TELEPHONE DIRECTORY 881-4781 + extension

Fr. Jose Ambooken	212	Magalis Justiniano	251
Fr. Daniel Sessions	217	Maria Jose Bonilla	225
Anne Vasile	219	Mayra Solares	235
Cheryl Bender	218	Mary Walker	100
Judy Rebman	224		
Print Shop	211		

BULLETIN NOTICES

Send Bulletin Notices to
cbender@holyspirithsv.com (subject to approval)
Deadline for notices: Tuesday at Noon.