



# Holy Rosary Catholic Church

<http://holyrosarybirmingham.org>

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**Sundays-Rosary: 8:30 am**

**Ordinary Form of the Roman Rite Mass at 9:00**

**Wednesday Mass: 8:00am Rosary: 7:30am Confession Before all Masses**

**The Food Pantry & Clothes Closet are open Mon, Wed. & Fri. 10:00-12:00 for residents of the 35212 zip code; registration is required.**

*Bringing Jesus Christ to Gate City, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, since 1889 and with the help of the Salesians from 1955-2014*



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**5/19/19 Fifth Sunday of Easter**

## **Our Prayers Go Out**

For the sick especially: Andrew Maenza, Cathy Condon, Don and Carmela, Marshal, Helen, Katie White, Wyatt, Edna, Sheila and Traci

For all those making their First Communion: especially Alice

For Romel who still need God's help.

**Contact Mike at 266-3065 or [mhfggeerts@gmail.com](mailto:mhfggeerts@gmail.com) with anything for the bulletin.**

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After Mass Father we will be with us as we think through 15, 16, 17 of "God is Love". Copies are available in the back of the church. Please join in the discussion.

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**5/16 Knights of Columbus Memorial Day Fundraiser, Please Order Today.**

Technically we can take orders up until 9 tonight or maybe you could even call real early Monday but please order from Mike after Mass-Butts \$30, Ribs \$25 chickens \$8

**6/9 Celebration of Msgr. O'Connor's 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination**

There will be a Pot-luck at approximately 11:15 (After 10:00 Mass) at St Barnabas

**June 28-29, 2019 Eucharistic Congress for the Dioceses of Birmingham at the BJCC (SBOC)**

For updates go to [BHM CATHOLIC.COM](http://BHM CATHOLIC.COM)



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## **Additional Thoughts from of Saint Teresa of Calcutta:**

*"Love begins at home; love lives in homes, and that is why there is so much suffering and so much unhappiness in the world today. If we listen to Jesus, He will tell us what he said before: "Love one another, as I have loved you. He has loved us through suffering, dying on the Cross for us, and so if we are to love one another, if we are to bring that love into life again, we have to begin at home."*

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**Have you visited <http://www.liturgy.slu.edu> yet?**

Take a look. This simple site offers different ways to engage your thoughts in the week's liturgy.

## **Happy Hello From Kenny Sutton**

Our ex-organist Kenny called the other night to wish us all well and to see what was going on. He seems in great spirits and says his health is much improved.



**Last Chance to see the older children play –**

**Tonight 5:30 vs Parker**

Helena United Sports Complex -110 Sports Complex Dr, Helena, AL 35080

The Soccer Banquet was Wednesday. Harri extends a big thank you to all those who helped throughout the season and with the banquet.

**Food Pantry:** We can again receive food from Aldi on Crestwood Blvd on Tuesdays. Please, speak with Sister Jackie or Mike Geerts if you think you' like to help with this or other "runs". Our new truck is here! Thank you most gracious donor!

**7/19-21 They say "Your whole family deserves the love Mom & Dad will bring home.."**

from a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend in Huntsville. Focus on each other. If you'd like greater depth, growth and enrichment in your relationship, you'll like it.

For info call Barney & Kathy Bellard (205) 530-3607 or register online at [www.ALFL-wwme.org](http://www.ALFL-wwme.org)

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**Mon. 5/20 Saint Bernardine of Siena**

As a young man he cared for the sick during the plague and also for a family member and then prayed to know God's will for him. He became a Franciscan and walked from town to town preaching tirelessly to the point of being compared by the Pope to St Paul. The symbol shown here cause controversy but was designed by St Bernardine to be remembered by his audiences in place of other non-Catholic symbology of his day. It was loosely based on Greek Letters in Jesus' name. He used it in preaching about the Holy Name of Jesus, the Paschal Mystery, the Passion of the Cross and the Resurrection.



**Wed. 5/22 Saints of this day: Saint Rita of Cascia**

Forced to marry she outlived her husband and children and then pursued a religious life. She did become a nun and was known for her prayer and charity as well as the care for the sick and counsel she provided to those in need. Known for praying, "There is nothing impossible to God." She is a patron saint of lost causes.

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**5/26/19 Sixth Sunday of Easter**

**Next Sunday's Scripture Readings**

1st Reading: Acts. 15:1-2 + 22-29

2nd Reading: Rev. 21:10-14 + 22-23

Responsorial: Ps. 67

Gospel: Jn. 14:23-29

**Lector's Schedule**

1) John McPherson

2) Kay Kornmeier

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**GENERAL PARISH INFORMATION**

**Baptisms** Contact Father Jon to make arrangements as soon after birth as possible.

**Weddings** Contact Father Jon at least six months in advance, to begin preparations.

**Anointing of the Sick** For those who begin to be in danger of death due to serious illness and/or old age - discuss the situation with Father Jon.

**PARISH GROUPS AND CONTACTS**

**Volunteers Are Always Needed**

**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Learning Center-**

**Holy Rosary Youth Soccer-**

**Youth Program-**

**Food Pantry-**

**Clothes Closet-**

**Knights of Columbus -**

Sister Mary Robert 837-5117

Coach Harri Haikala 492-4245

Coach Murphy 835-7769

**Your Name and Number Here**

Delores Jackson 527-6988

Mike Geerts 508-3070

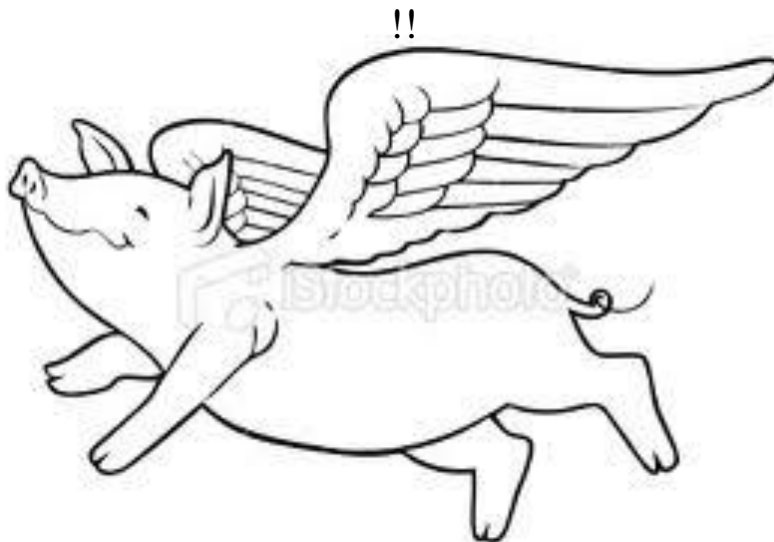
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**11<sup>th</sup> Annual Knights of Columbus Memorial Day  
Smoked Meat Sale**



# MEMORIAL DAY IS COMING!!! THE FIRST HOLIDAY OF SUMMER!!!



In an effort to make your **Memorial Day 2019** weekend less work and provide funds for our charitable activities, **the Cathedral Knights of Columbus** is offering **Heavenly Smoked Boston Butts, Spare Ribs, and Chicken.**

These butts will average 8 lbs., uncooked weight, and the ribs will average 4 lbs. uncooked. They will be cooked on a commercial grade smoker until they reach the peak of flavor and tenderness and are ready for you to pick-up and enjoy with family and friends.

**ALL FOR THE NOMINAL DONATION OF  
\$30.00 for butts, \$25.00 for ribs, and \$8 for a whole chicken.**

You may place your order by calling Andrew Maenza @ 205-527-0192;  
Tell Alessio @ 205-566-0172 ; Jack Boggan @ 205-706-1209 or  
Mike Geerts 205-266-3065.

You may email your order to [amaenza7645@charter.net](mailto:amaenza7645@charter.net).

Orders Must Be to Andrew by 9AM Monday 5/21 to be sure they will be filled!

Pick up times for Memorial Day 2019 at the Cathedral will be as follows:

Friday May 24<sup>th</sup> 10:00 A M-5:00 P.M.

Saturday May 25<sup>th</sup> after 5:00 P.M. Mass until 6:30P.M.

Sunday May 27<sup>th</sup> 8:30am until 12:30pm.

*If these times do not meet your needs, please contact one of the Knights.  
at the phone numbers listed above and we will endeavor to accommodate your needs.*