



# THE CATHOLIC CENTER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

## CATHOLIC CENTER MISSION STATEMENT

The Catholic Center at the University of Georgia is a Eucharistic Community that seeks to live the gospel of Jesus Christ in the tradition of our Roman Catholic faith and the spirit of St. Francis. As Christian disciples we are charged to answer Christ's call for compassion by becoming instruments of peace, charity and justice. We seek to stand in solidarity with the poor, the stranger, the alienated and to collaborate with those who serve them in local and global communities. We endeavor to respect a universe created by God in Love.

### MASS TIMES & SACRAMENTS MARCH 5-MARCH 12

#### Weekend Mass Schedule

Sunday - March 5  
8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

#### Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday - March 6 8:00 AM  
 Tuesday - March 7 5:00 PM  
 Wednesday - March 8 8:00 AM  
     **Confession** 4:00 PM  
 Thursday - March 9 5:00 PM  
 Friday - March 10 8:00 AM  
 Saturday - March 11 5:00 PM  
 Sunday - March 12  
 8:00 AM 10:00 AM & 5:00 PM

#### Morning Prayer:

Mon-Wed-Fri before 8:00 AM Mass

#### Evening Prayer

Tuesday & Thursday 4:45 PM

#### Adoration:

Wednesday 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM

#### Reconciliation:

Wednesday & Saturday  
 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM  
 or by appointment

### THIS WEEK AT THE CENTER MARCH 4 - MARCH 12

#### SATURDAY

- 5:00 PM - RICA Rite of Sending

#### SUNDAY

- 8:00 AM - Mass
- 10:00 AM - Mass
- 10:00 AM - Nursery

#### MONDAY

- 8:00 AM - Mass
- 10:00 AM - Book Club
- 4:30 PM - Knights of Columbus
- 7:00 PM - Book Club

#### TUESDAY

- 4:30 PM - Knights of Columbus Committee
- 5:00 PM - Mass
- 5:30 PM - OSF

#### WEDNESDAY

- 8:00 AM - Mass
- 4:00 PM - Confessions

#### THURSDAY

- 7:00 AM - Men's Bible Study
- 5:00 PM - Mass

#### FRIDAY

- 8:00 AM - Mass
- 8:30 AM - Breakfast Club

#### SATURDAY

- 5:00 PM - Mass
- SUNDAY - March 12**

- 8:00 AM - Mass
- 10:00 AM - Mass
- 5:00 PM - Mass - No Student Dinner

#### FUTURE DATES TO NOTE:

- March 13 - GSYPF 7:00 PM
- March 14 Lenten Soup Reflection - 12:00 PM
- March 14 - Seeking Water - 9:00 PM
- March 15 - Couples Bible Study - 6:30 PM
- March 15 - Ignite - 8:00 PM
- March 16 - Adult Confirmation - 6:00 PM
- March 16 - Men's Bible Study - 7:00 AM
- March 16 - Woman's Bible Study - 10:00 AM

### CATHOLIC TRIVIA

For the ceremonial washing of the priest's hands at Mass, what is the receptacle called into which the water is poured called?

#### ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S TRIVIA

St. Helen (d. 327), mother of Constantine, traveled to the Holy Land where she questioned Christians and Jews to learn that the Cross was buried under the Temple of Venus. Helen had the temple demolished and excavated, and there discovered the Holy Sepulcher, three crosses, a board with Pilate's inscription, and the nails which had pierced Jesus' Sacred Body. In order to determine which cross was the Lord's, the Bishop of Jerusalem touched them to a corpse, causing the man to come back to life.

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### QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

"Faith is to believe what you do not see; the reward of this faith is to see what you believe."

St. Augustine

## MASS READINGS & INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY: First Sunday of Lent

Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7 / Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12-19/ Mt 4:1-11

Saturday, 3/4 5:00PM - Franciscan Missionary Union

Sunday, 3/5 8:00AM - Franciscan Missionary Union  
10:00AM - Charlie Seger †

Monday, 3/6 Lv 19:1-2, 11-18 / Mt 25:31-46  
8:00AM - Franciscan Missionary Union

Tuesday, 3/7 Is 55:10-11 / Mt 6:7-15  
5:00PM - Franciscan Missionary Union

Wednesday, 3/8 Jon 3:1-10/ Lk 11:29-32  
8:00AM - Franciscan Missionary Union

Thursday, 3/9 Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25 / Mt 7:7-12  
5:00PM - Franciscan Missionary Union

Friday, 3/10 Ez 18:21-28 / Mt 5:20-26  
8:00AM - Franciscan Missionary Union

### NEXT SUNDAY: Second Sunday of Lent

Gn 12:1-4a / 2 Tm 1:8b-10 / Mt 17:1-9

## PRAYER LIST

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**WE LIFT UP IN PRAYER** all of our faith family members who suffer physically, emotionally, or spiritually. This week we remember:

Samantha Adams, Teresa Angle, Bill Ball, David Bauman, Grace Byrne, Sr. Margaret Carney, OSF, Martha Carr, Lee Cochran, Lynn Cruickshank, Sr. Barbara Daniels, Betty DeGuilo, Elena DeKazos, Frank DiPalma, Karla Dougan, George Dougherty, Mary Dukes, Eileen English, Jill Ennis, Jerry Foley, Anna Maria Gamble, Mary Gould, Tim Guillemine, Gerald Isom, Harsh Jain, Margaret Jordan, Gail Lopes, Harper McCrary, David Miller, Camilla Mims, Terry Mitchell, Tina Montgomery, Karen O'Boyle Pagoda, George Osterkamp, Bill Ozburn, Brenda Patrick, Myra Pawlowski, John Perkins, Janet Pieper, Tom Risher, David Salum, Matt Sams, Janice Sigur, Craig Smith, Marie Sunseri, Kathy Kelley Syron, Margaret West and Roger Winston

**WITH DEEPEST SYMPATHY** our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones

### POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTIONS FEBRUARY 2017 Comfort for the Afflicted.

That all those who are afflicted, especially the poor, refugees, and marginalized, may be welcomed and comfort in our communities.

## SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION



**BAPTISM:** Parents are required to attend a Baptism Preparation Class and Godparents are welcome. Classes are held every month. Please contact the office to enroll.

**MARRIAGE:** Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance for wedding scheduling and required marriage preparation. Contact the office for an appointment.

**RCIA:** RCIA is a program for those who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith with a possible interest in joining the Church.

**FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS:** Arrangements can be made by contacting the office.

For more information, please contact the church office. 706-543-2293 or [ccuga.srbarbara@gmail.com](mailto:ccuga.srbarbara@gmail.com)

## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

### COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Please contact the office to make arrangements if you or a family member is unable to come to Mass and would like to receive a visit by a Eucharistic Minister.

### ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN ALTAR SERVER?

Being an Altar Server is a great way for students in grades 4 to 12 and college students to serve our faith community while becoming more involved in the Mass. Please contact coordinator Sharon Gamble at [sgamble3.athens@gmail.com](mailto:sgamble3.athens@gmail.com) or 706-248-4823 for information.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Spring semester Religious Education and Confirmation classes have begun!

### CONFIRMATION CLASS

Monday, Apr. 10<sup>th</sup> @  
6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

### ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASS

Thursday March 16 at  
6:00 PM to 8:30 PM



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR CHILDREN

† First Communicants  
† RCIA Candidates.

David Briones,  
Director of Religious Education  
Email: [brionesda@gmail.com](mailto:brionesda@gmail.com)

Register online at [ccatuga.org](http://ccatuga.org)



**THURSDAY'S DURING LENT**

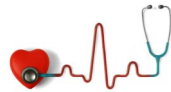
The Catholic Center will be having 24 hour adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, starting at 8:30 AM, after the 8 AM Mass on Thursday, and going until the 8AM Mass on Friday morning. We will be devising hour long time slots to be a guardian and to pray in front of the Blessed Sacrament. If you are interested, please contact Alec Pienta at [alecpnta@gmail.com](mailto:alecpnta@gmail.com). Lent is a beautiful time to deepen your relationship with Christ, and to offer an hour of your week to prayer. Even if you cannot be a guardian, please feel welcome to stop by and be with the Lord. Adoration will be canceled during spring break.



**FRANCIS WALLIS SCHOLARSHIP**

**Attention Students:**

The Francis Wallis Catholic Center Scholarship Application is now available online. This scholarship is offered to all who are registered at the Catholic Center at UGA and are undergraduate and graduate students and is based on service work performed. Deadline to apply is April 26th at 4:00PM. Visit the Catholic Center website at [ccatuga.org](http://ccatuga.org) for more information and to complete the application online.



**HEALTH FAIR**

Cristian Escalera, a UGA Catholic Center student, and with UGA Pharmacy students are hosting a health fair within the local community. Members of the community will be able to have their blood pressure and blood glucose levels checked and learn about public health issues and how to maintain a healthier lifestyle. Each community member who gets screened, will receive a free personal hygiene goodie bag. They are asking for your assistance by donating travel sizes of toothbrushes, dental floss, toothpaste, deodorant, etc. Donations can be taken to the UGA Catholic Center. If you have any questions, please feel free to email Cris Escalera at: [escalera@uga.edu](mailto:escalera@uga.edu).

**GRADUATE STUDENT/  
YOUNG PROFESSIONAL**

FELLOWSHIP BIBLE STUDY will NOT meet on Monday, Mar. 6 due to UGA's spring break. The next discussion will be on the following Monday, Mar. 13 at 7:00 p.m. at the Center. For more information, contact Christy Sinksen at [\(706\) 613-0921](tel:7066130921) or [csinksen@uga.edu](mailto:csinksen@uga.edu).

**CLOTHING AND TOILETRIES DRIVE**

*Coordinated by the Office of Prison and Jail Ministry*  
Donated items will be going to assist males and females in transitional centers working outside the prison with 2 years or less on their sentence. Clothing for all seasons and toiletries such as soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo are appreciated. Donations can be dropped off at the Catholic Center.

**FINANCIAL & BUSINESS INFORMATION**

**OUR RETURN FOR GOD'S GENEROSITY**

February 26, 2017 OFFERTORY

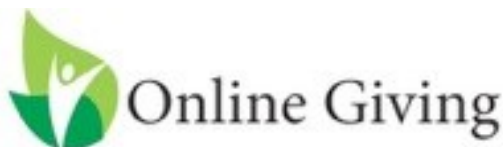
IN CHURCH	\$ 6,707.94
ONLINE	\$ 2,192.44
CHILDREN'S	\$ 33.20
ALMS	\$ 189.50

**CC Alms Program Supports Local Charities**

The Catholic Center will be donating alms to various charities in the area to assist the needy. We will no longer distribute the funds directly from the Catholic Center Office.

The charities we will be supporting for 2017 are:

- PROJECT SAFE
- UGA FOOD PANTRY
- ST. JOSEPH CHARITIES
- INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK



For your convenience, online giving is available for regular tithes and offerings or one-time donations. AVAILABLE ON SMARTPHONE AND ANDROID MOBILE DEVICES.

**INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK OF ATHENS** is a network of churches that provides shelter, meals and compassionate assistance for three local families in crisis situations. As a group, the families rotate from church to church on a weekly basis. The Catholic Center teams up with Emmanuel Episcopal Church to assist the homeless families in the network. The next host week is March 5-12, 2017 at Emmanuel. If you would like to learn more about IHNA and/or attend the training to become a volunteer, please email or call Ginny Lynch at [lynch@uga.edu](mailto:lynch@uga.edu) or (706) 369-0045.

**2017 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

The Archbishop's Annual Appeal has been receiving a great response. If you have not yet made your pledge, there are envelopes in the Chapel and the Catholic Center Office. You can also donate online at our website, [ccatuga.org](http://ccatuga.org). Thank you for your generous support.

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT**

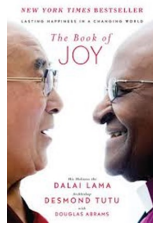
The Catholic Center Bereavement Group Ministry offers comfort and support to individuals who are going through the grieving process. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, March 15<sup>th</sup> at 2:30PM in the Catholic Center Library. Please join this group of caring and compassionate members for help and support. All are welcome! For more information, please contact the Center office or Mary Ellen Quinn at [mquinn@augusta.edu](mailto:mquinn@augusta.edu)

**NURSERY**

Our nursery will be open during Spring Break (March 5<sup>th</sup> and March 12<sup>th</sup>) during the 10:00 AM mass.

**LENTEN SOUP AND BREAD**

Tuesday, March 14<sup>th</sup> is our first Lenten Soup Reflection. Our guest speaker will be Glenn Farrar. Lunch begins at 12:00 noon.



**LENTEN BOOK E-DISCUSSION ON FACEBOOK**

Please join me on my Facebook page *Fr. Scott's Book Discussion Group* during Lent. I will be reading *The Book of Joy* by His

Holiness, the Dalai Lama and Archbishop Desmond Tutu during Lent. I will be reading it in sections and placing a comment on the Facebook page on Monday and I encourage you to do the same. I hope this will start a good discussion. This is a way for people who are too busy to attend a book club to join in.

- Monday, March 6            pages 83-113
- Monday, March 13        pages 115-188
- Monday, March 20        pages 193-228
- Monday, March 27        pages 229-275
- Monday, April 3            pages 227-348

**MYSTERY OF SCIENCE AND FAITH RETREAT May 4<sup>th</sup> thru May 7<sup>th</sup> at**

Ignatius House Jesuit Retreat Center 6700 Riverside Dr., NW, Atlanta, GA Phone: 404-255-0503. Please see flyer at back of chapel or in Catholic Center hall for more information.

**MENS BIBLE STUDY**

The Catholic Center's Men's Bible Study group will meet on Thursday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00AM in the TV Room of the Catholic Center Hall. We wish to invite all men who are interested, to come and join us for a lively discussion and fellowship. If you have any questions or would like to be added to our mailing list, please contact Glenn Farrar at: [gm\\_farrar@icloud.com](mailto:gm_farrar@icloud.com) or call 706-254-8090.



**PARISH PILGRIMAGE**

The Catholic Center, in association with the Franciscan Missionary Union of Holy Name Province, is sponsoring a Parish Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi on October 6-16, 2017. The Pilgrimage will consist of four nights in Assisi, four nights in Rome and one night in Florence. Contact Fr. John Coughlin for more details and to get your name on the list for this fantastic opportunity.

**MONASTIC IMMERSION EXPERIENCE FOR WOMEN - May 14 thru May 27**

The Poor Clare Nuns in Travelers' Rest, South Carolina are hosting a retreat for Single Women aged 21 and older who may be interested in experiencing the life of a woman in a Catholic monastic community. For more information, please contact: Sr. Nancy at 864-834-8015 or [nancy@poorclares.com](mailto:nancy@poorclares.com).

**CALLING ALL KNITTERS & CRAFTERS -**

**March 14<sup>th</sup>** The Catholic Center Knitting Group meets at 1:00PM on the second Tuesday of every month just off the Center Hall. If you are interested in learning how, please join us. If you have questions or would like more information, please contact Teddy Dempsey at [teddyandlarry@charter.net](mailto:teddyandlarry@charter.net).

**SAVE THE DATE: GOLF TOURNAMENT**

The Deacon Bill Lakin Council 6514 of the Knights of Columbus will hold its 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Charity Golf Tournament Saturday morning April 22, 2017 at theUGA Golf Course. Please contact Paul to sign up: [706-340-4963](tel:706-340-4963).

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**OFFICE HOURS**

10AM until 4PM Mon-Thurs  
10AM until 3PM Friday