

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.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education registration is now open for the 2016-17 school year. To register, please visit our website at ccatuga.org.

Wednesday RE classes begin September 7 (Grades 1-7) ***Please note that 1st grade will now meet on Wednesday.*** Sunday RE classes begin September 11 (Pre K & K) Confirmation classes begin Monday, September 12 (Grades 8-9)

> For more information please contact: David Briones, Director of Religious Education brionesda@gmail.com



SACRAMENTAL OPPORTUNITIES

Baptism: Parents are required to attend a Baptism Preparation Class. Classes are held every month. Please contact the office to enroll. Marriage: Arrangements must be made at least six

months in advance. Contact the office for an appointment.

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

Sick/shut-in: Please contact the office to make arrangements for a visit by the Eucharistic Ministers.

Funeral Arrangements: Arrangements can be made by contacting the Catholic Center office.

> For more information, please contact Sr. Barbara Daniels, msc **Sacramental Coordinator** 706-543-2293 or ccuga.srbarbara@gmail.com



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN ALTAR SERVER?

Being an Altar Server is a great way for students in 4th to 12th grade to serve our faith community while becoming more involved in the Mass. Please contact coordinator Sharon Gamble at sgamble3.athens@gmail.com or

706-248-4823 for information.

Altar Servers

For the week of June 5, 2016

CATHOLIC CENTER SUMMER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MASSES: Saturday 5pm Vigil Sunday 8am & 10am

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday 8am (Morning prayer begins at 7:45am) Tuesday 5pm (Evening prayer begins at 4:45pm) Wednesday 8am (Morning prayer - 7:45am) Thursday 5pm (Evening prayer - 4:45pm) Friday 8am (Morning prayer - 7:45am)

RECONCILIATION: 4pm on Wednesdays and Saturdays or by appt ADORATION will resume in the fall.

READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS (+) indicates In Memory

SUNDAY: 1 Kgs 17:17-24 Gal 1:11-19 Lk 7:11-17 5:00 pm - David McElhannon (+) Saturday, 6/4 Sunday, 6/5 8:00 am - Robert Martin (+) 10:00 am - The Catholic Center Community

MASS READINGS & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:

NEXT SUNDAY:	2 Sm 12:7-10.13 Gal		
Friday, 6/10	1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16 & Mt 5:27-32 8:00 am -		
Thursday, 6/9	1 Kgs 18:41-46 & Mt 5:20-26 5:00 pm -		
Wednesday, 6/8	1 Kgs 18:20-39 & Mt 5:17-19 8:00 am -		
Tuesday, 6/7	1 Kgs 17:7-16 & Mt 5:13-16 5:00 pm -		
Monday, 6/6	1 Kgs 17:1-6 & Mt 5:1-12 8:00 am -		

Gal 2:16, 19-21 Lk 7:36-8:3 or 7:36-50



Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions June 2016

Universal: Human Solidarity. That the aged, marginalized, and those who have no one may find-even within the huge cities of the world-opportunities for encounter and solidarity.

Evangelization: Seminarians and Novices. That seminarians and men and women entering religious life may have mentors who live the joy of the Gospel and prepare them wisely for their mission.

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June 5, 2015

SUNDAY BULLETIN

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
June	5 8am Mass 10am Mass	6 8am Mass 10am Book Group 7pm GSYPF 7pm Book Group		8 8am Mass 6:30pm Couples Bible Study	9 10am Painting Group 11am Contemplative Prayer 5pm Mass 6pm Social Graces	10 8am Mass	11 5pm Mass

LADY

VAN

BOOK DISCUSSION WITH FR. SCOTT

Join Fr. Scott on Monday, June 6, for a book discussion on The Lady in the Van by Alan Bennett. Two sessions will be offered -- at 10a.m. and at 7p.m. -- in the Catholic Center Library.

Based on a true story, a woman of uncertain origins

"temporarily" parks her van in Alan Bennett's London driveway and proceeds to live there for 15 years. What begins as a begrudged favor

becomes a relationship that will change both their lives.



Calling all artists! Starting this week we will have an open studio for artists in the Center Hall on Thursdays from 10AM to 1PM during the summer. All skill levels are welcome, but you must be able to work without supervision. Bring your lunch, art supplies, a trash bag and a vinyl

tablecloth and join us for a supportive and affirming gathering of artists.

Our Daily Bread Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed to prepare and serve bag lunches for Our Daily Bread soup kitchen on Saturday, June 18th, July 16th, and August 20th. Lunches will be assembled at the Catholic Center from 10:00- 11:30 and distributed at Athens First Baptist Church (downtown) from 11:45-1:00. Email or call George Dougherty to volunteer or get more information 706-247-1933 or gdoughertysr@gmail.com.



Surf's Up! It's a Beach Party

Celebrate summer with the Social Graces on Thursday, June 9th, at 6PM at our monthly women's dinner. All women of the Catholic Center over 21 are invited. The cost is \$10 per person and our charity is Interfaith Hospitality Network of Athens. RSVP by Monday.

ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2016 - LOVE NEVER FAILS

The Catholic Center needs every member's participation to make our goal of \$50,000 for 2016. We have not yet received sufficient <u>pledges</u> to meet our goal and statistics show that we need to overachieve in pledges in order to get sufficient payments to close the gap. We are currently \$15,000 short of goal in total pledges. Last year over 300 members participated. This year we have only 160 participating so far. If another 100 members would pledge \$150 each, that would put us on track to make the goal. Any shortfall at the end of the year will be paid out of the Catholic Center's operating expenses. If we exceed our goal, any overage will be returned to the Catholic Center in full to be used for student scholarships.

If you have not already made a pledge for 2016, we ask that you prayerfully consider supporting this important initiative. Thank you. WE NEED YOUR HELP

FINANCIAL UPDATE for 5/29

Weekly Collection \$ 8,771.00 Children's Collection \$ 20.65

\$ 1,077.00 **Online** Giving Online Givers: 39

\$ 182.00 Alms **Alms disbursement is temporarily suspended.** GRADUATE STUDENT/YOUNG PROFESSIONAL FELLOWSHIP **BIBLE STUDY** will have the first meeting of the summer study on Mon., June 6 at 7:00 p.m. at the Center. Newcomers are always welcome. For more info, contact Christy Sinksen at 706-613-0921 or csinksen@uga.edu.

Our Faith Community Prayer List



We lift up in prayer all of our faith family members who suffer physically, emotionally, or spiritually, especially:

Raul Alvarez, Teresa Angle, Bill Ball, Margaret Bell, Josef Broder, Irene Bullock, Grace Byrne, Joe Castro, Lee Cochran, Clare Collica, Leonard Copley, Helen Coughlin, Lynn Cruickshank, Bernadette Dempsey, George Dougherty, Anna Maria Gamble, Charo Garcia-Pozo, Kurt Gelfand, Ben Greenspan, Jim Hunt, Harsh Jain, James Jones III, Jo Keane, Tom Kerr, Agnes Kim, Sarah Kurtz, Barbara Laubert, Meredith Lind, Gail Lopes, Jerry Michniewicz, Michael Michniewicz, Tina Montgomery, Bill Ozburn, Becky Parker, Myra Pawlowski, Rose Ann Presley, Jackie Rains, Addy Reinz, Jean Roley, Leslie Rose, Leopold Saquing, Marie Sunseri, & Joan Weiss

Please also keep our Confirmation students who will be traveling to Grenada in your prayers. May they experience and share God's grace while serving others.

In Memory

With deepest sympathy our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones, especially: David McElhannon & Christine Pavlak

Through the mercy of God may they rest in peace.

QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

"...real healing comes from realizing that your own particular pain is a share in humanity's pain. That realization allows you to forgive your enemies and enter into a truly compassionate life."

> Henri J.M. Nouwen (20th century Dutch Catholic priest, professor, and spiritual writer)

CATHOLIC TRIVIA

What American actor and comedian founded St. Jude Children's Hospital in Memphis and why?

Last week's answer: St. Ignatius was the first of many to refer to the entire community of Christians as the "Catholic Church."

Couples' Bible Study Resumes June 8th at the Catholic Center from 6:30pm to 8:00pm. New members are invited to join us. We will be using The Little Rock Catholic Study Guide: The Gospel of Luke as our discussion guide. The Couples' Bible Study group will meet every two weeks. Please



contact the Catholic Center office with questions or to sign up. Each couple will be responsible for purchasing the study guide.

CRISIS HOTLINES

GA CRISIS AND ACCESS LINE- (24 hour crisis hotline) 800-715-4225

THE COTTAGE- crisis line 877-363-1912

SUICIDE HOTLINE 800-784-2433

Bulletin Announcements: Send to ccuga.emily@gmail.com. All announcements must be approved by Fr. John and must be received Tuesday prior to publication.