

MASS TIMES & SACRAMENTS

Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 PM Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM (Nursery available at 10AM Mass)

Sunday Student Mass 5:00 PM (Student Dinner following Mass)

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday - Friday 8:00 AM Tuesday - Thursday 5:00 PM

<u>Morning Prayer</u> Monday - Friday 7:45 AM

 Adoration

 Tuesday
 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM

 Wednesday
 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM

Reconciliation Wed. & Sat. 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM



Fr. Bill at the Tate Center Ash Wednesday

THE CATHOLIC CENTER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Lent Schedule

TUESDAY'S - Lenten Talk & Soup at 12:00 noon in the Center Hall Feb. 20th, Feb. 27th, Mar. 6th, Mar. 20th

WEDNESDAY'S - Yoga - 8:45 to 9:30 in the Hall Feb. 21st, Feb. 28th, Mar. 7th, Mar. 28th

WEDNESDAY'S - Fr. Bill Reflection - 6:30 to 7:00 pm in the Chapel Beginning March 7th

THURSDAY'S - Adoration at 8:30 am until Friday at 7:30 am Feb. 15th, Feb. 22nd, Mar. 1st, Mar. 8th, Mar. 22nd

FRIDAY'S - Stations of the Cross & Fish Fry - at 6:00 pm Feb. 23rd, Mar. 23rd

FRIDAY'S - Stations of the Cross & Soup - at 6:00 pm Feb. 16th, Mar. 2nd, Mar. 9th



Our Lenten Soup Reflection Series is back beginning Tuesday Feb.20th at 12 Noon. Our first guest speaker is Sara Horvath, a student at UGA and CSA Board Member. Her talk is: "My Connection to Mary of Magdala". We hope all will join us for Fr Frank's soup and Sara's reflection.

THE SEASON OF LENT

We began the Lenten Season on Ash Wednesday, February 14th. While many look forward to this time for opportunities for spiritual growth and renewal, quite often many of us see it as a liturgical season to dread. We focus on "What am I going to give up?" "How long can I live without whatever it is I am going to give up?" "How many more days before I don't have to give up what ever it is that I am giving up?" Who wouldn't dread a liturgical season with such a narrow focus? Over these next few weeks, we are all encouraged to begin reflecting anew on the real purpose of Lent, the power such a season can be for us, and the real potential for a deeper commitment to our Catholic faith, and most important, a deeper communion of love with God. Such a deeper understanding could give us a new attitude for Lent.

ACTIVITIES, ANNOUNCEMENTS, FAITH FORMATION & OUTREACH

DURING LENT..... Fasting and Abstinence on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Traditionally, fasting consists of eating only one meal, with the possibility of two smaller snacks that do not add up to a single full meal. Abstinence from Meat on Fridays: Canon 1251, specifies that Catholics refrain from eating meat on Fridays, as an act of penance. Penance during Lent: The season of Lent is a penitential time, and should be marked by some form of self-denial. Alms for Lent Oasis Catholica is in need of a small chapel for the Sister's and the community. They have people to build, but need the funding. As a community, we have agreed to commit ourselves to this task during Lent. The amount of money needed is \$2,000.00. If you would like to contribute, please place a check or send in a donation marked "Oasis Catholica" and we will pass this on to the wonderful sisters who minister so faithfully to this ministry. Fr. Frank

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

If you did not pick up your Offertory Envelopes from the Chapel, or if you would like to receive your own set of Offertory Envelopes for the first time, please contact Victoria at: (706) 543-2293.

FRIDAY FISH FRY

Come join us for our Fish Fry on Feb. 23rd and March 23rd. The fish fry will follow the Stations of the Cross at 6:00 pm and is being hosted by CSA. A noncompulsory donation of \$5.00 per person.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please remember, Tuesday's any information for the bulletin, must be to the secretary the Tuesday before at noon. (bulletins will be printed on Tuesday's) Please send all bulletin announcements to *ccugaoffice2@gmail.com*.

2018 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

If you have not yet made a gift to the 2018 Archbishop's Annual Appeal, there will be pledge envelopes at the back of the chapel or you can donate online at www.appeal.archatl.com. Once completed, please place your pledge envelope in the offertory basket. The campaign goal is \$8,430,100 and our church goal is \$52,000. Every gift to the Annual Appeal is vitally important to assure the continued support of many important programs that help thousands in our archdiocese each vear. Education of our children and seminary students, evangelization and Christian Initiation, on-going formation for our priests, and more!

A BIBLE STUDY FOR ALL

The Men meet every Thursday at 7:00 am. The Women meet every Thursday at 9:30 am. All are invited to join these groups for insight and spiritual needs. For more information, call the center at 706-543-2293.



Featuring our very own Fr. Bill

McConville, ofm on Athens Catholic Radio, 105.7 FM. Tune in daily at 7:20 AM for Fr. Bill's broadcast: "Simple Word on the Inspired Word". Repeated daily at 3:00 pm.

SILVER ANGELS

February's potluck luncheon is Wed., Feb. 21st at 11:30 am. After the luncheon, we will play BINGO. Call Elena Lyons for information at 706-583-8833.

CALLING ALL KNITTERS &

CRAFTERS - The Catholic Center Knitting Group meets on the second Wed. of the month at 1:00PM just off the Center Hall. If you are interested in learning, and would like more information, please contact Teddy Dempsey <u>teddyandlarry@gmail.com</u>.

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

The Catholic Center Bereavement Group Ministry offers comfort and support to individuals who are going through the grieving process. Please join this group of caring and compassionate members for help and support. For more information, please contact Mary Ellen Quinn at 706-546-1870 or

mquinn@augusta.edu..

HOST A PRIEST

Fr. Les Schmidt, a Glenmary Home Missioner and former pastor at Sacred Heart in Big Stone Gap, Virginia, is presently looking for a place to stay while he works on a project, *Gathering for Mission*, for the Catholic Committee of the South (CCS). He will be in Athens off and on for the next number of months. If you can host Fr. Les, please contact him at 704-408-3989 or

fatherles@gatheringformission.org

JUST FAITH / EXPLORING MIGRATION

Join us for an eight-week session that looks at the issues of migration/immigration. The sessions are organized around three main themes: history and facts surrounding migration, biblical and theological perspectives on migration, and actions steps to address some of the challenges related to migration. For more information contact Leanne Purdum at <u>leannekp@gmail.com</u>

CSA BULLETIN BOARD

The State GA Codes 19-7-5(b)(5) and 31-9-80 states you have 24 hours to report child/vulnerable abuse from the moment you feel there is reasonable cause to believe a child/vulnerable is being abused. The procedure for reporting are located in the back of the vestibule main office and on CSA Bulletin Board.

THE STUDENT SECTION (CATHOLIC STUDENT ASSOCIATION)

GSYPF will meet on Monday, Feb.19 at 7:00 to discuss Chapter 1 in the study guide "Genesis 25-33: Jacob's Blessing." Newcomers are always welcome. For more information, contact Christy Sinksen at (706) 613-0921 or *csinksen@uga.edu*.

LENTEN YOGA AT THE CENTER

Beginning Wed., Feb. 21st at 8:45 to 9:30 am, we will have weekly yoga sessions (Feb. 21, Feb. 28 and March 7) at the Catholic Center. This is to help focus on mindfulness during the Lenten season. All are welcome to join us!

"BYOM" (bring your own mat)

IGNITE

A Freshmen student program designed to help build a deeper Catholic faith and increase our presence on campus. Join us in the Center every Wednesday evening at 8:00 PM for food, fellowship and great discussions about being a freshman on campus. ALL FRESHMEN ARE WELCOME!



SEEKING WATER, a student-led praise and worship! Adoration is at 7:00-7:45 pm. Music will be from 8:00-9:00 pm. Everyone is welcome to come worship with us!

STUDENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of students to help lead the Friday Stations of the Cross and help with the fish fry on Friday February 23 and March 23. The Stations will begin at 6:00 pm with the fish fry to follow. If you are interested in helping with either please contact David Briones at *brionesda@gmail.com* or call the Catholic Center office at 706-543-2293.



UNIVERSITY NURSING | MONDAY FEBRUARY 19TH Option for the Poor and Vulnerable

ATHENS HOMELESS SHELTER | MONDAY FEBRUARY 26TH Call to Family Community and Participation

INTERFAITH DAY OF SERVICE | SATURDAY MARCH 24TH

Please contact Ashley Alvarez (713-409-5399) OR Emma Toland (678-521-7931) for questions/comments/concerns.

Check the cATHolic GroupMe for reminders and the <u>link</u> to sign up for upcoming service events!



TRIVIA QUESTION

What was Luke's occupation?

a. Soldier b. fisherman c. tax collector d. physician

LAST WEEKS TRIVIA

"Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall _____." Answer: (d) see God



Our 40th Annual 5K Human Race will be held on Saturday, March 3rd at 8:00 am. All proceeds go to the Franciscan Outreach to support our Alternative Spring Break trips as well as to help various outreach in the Athens community. There will be a pancake breakfast immediately following the race. Registration is \$20 for Individuals and \$80 for Families of 4 or more. Sponsor forms and Registration Forms may be picked up in the Chapel or Center Office. Registration may also be done online at <u>www.active.com</u>.

MASS READINGS & INTENTIONS

Sat., 2/17	5:00 PM - Armando Rois-Mendez†
Sun., 2/18	Gn 9:8-15 / 1 Pt 3:18-22 / Mk 1:12-15
	8:00 AM - Gloria Vacchio†
	10:00 AM - Franciscan Missionary Union
	5:00 PM - Franciscan Missionary Union
Mon., 2/19	Lv 19:1-2, 11-18 / Mt 25:31-46
	8:00 AM - Asconcio Lara Family
Tues., 2/20	Is 55:10-11 / Mt 6:7-15
	8:00 AM - Franciscan Missionary Union
	5:00 PM - Franciscan Missionary Union
Wed., 2/21	Jon 3:1-10 / Lk 11:29-32
	8:00 AM - Souls in Purgatory†
	5:00 PM - Franciscan Missionary Union
Thurs, 2/22	1 Pt 5:1-4 / Mt 16:13-19
	8:00 AM - Franciscan Missionary Union
	5:00 PM - Franciscan Missionary Union
Fri., 2/23	Ez 18:21-28 / Mt 16:13-19
	8:00 AM - Franciscan Missionary Union

AT THE CATHOLIC CENTER

SUNDAY - Feb. 18 FRIDAY - Feb. 23 8:30 AM - Breakfast Club 6:00 PM - Student Dinner MONDAY - Feb. 19 (Hall & Kit) 7:00 PM - GSYPF (TV) 6:00 PM - Stations & TUESDAY - Feb. 20 Fish Fry (Chpl & Hall) 12:00 PM - Lent Talk & Soup (Hall) SATURDAY - Feb. 24 7:00 PM - RCIA (TV & Hall) 6:30 PM - Korean Mass & 8:00 PM - Seeking Water (Chapel) Potluck (Chpl, Hall, Kit) WEDNESDAY - Feb. 21 8:45 AM - Yoga (Hall) 11:30 AM - Silver Angels Potluck (Hall) 6:00 PM - RE Classes (All Rms) 6:30 PM - Fr. Bill Reflection (Chapel) 8:00 PM - Ignite (All Rms & Chapel) THURSDAY - Feb. 22 7:00 AM - Men's Bible Study (TV) 8:30 AM - 7:30 AM Feb. 16 - Adoration (Chpl) 9:30 AM - Women's Bible Study (TV) 6:00 PM - Adult Confirmation (Lib)

THE CATHOLIC CENTER AT UGA

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PRAYER LIST



WE LIFT UP IN PRAYER

Margaret Bell, Jill Bittle, Andrew Paul Blanton, Lurdes Barreto, Grace Byrne, Tracy Dempsey Capizzi, Brenda Critch, Betty DeGuilo, Norma d'Azzo, Elena

Dekazos, Karla Dougan, Eileen English, Jill Ennis, Robert Ennis, Jr, James Flannigan, Elizabeth Fox, Carol Garbon, Max Germaine, Phyllis Ginn, Gregory Glander, Harsh Jain, Mary Kurtz, Richard Lynch, Adam Martin, Kate McCall, Camilla Mims, Bill Ozburn, Karen O'Boyle Pagoda, Denise Quinn, Sharon Perrine, Joyce Ragan, Melissa Reilly, Tom Risher, Joel Rivera, David Salum, Michael Torpy, Grant Tyner, Hanna Whitehead

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

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR FEBRUARY 2018: That those who have material, political or spiritual power may resist any lure of corruption.

FINANCIAL & BUSINESS



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for regular tithes and offerings or one-time donations. AVAILABLE ON SMARTPHONE AND ANDROID MOBILE DEVICES. Visit our web site at <u>ccatuga.org</u> to learn more and sign up.

YOUR RETURN FOR GOD'S GENEROSITY February 11, 2018 - OFFERTORY

 IN CHURCH
 \$ 6,662.62

 CHILDREN'S
 \$ 21.75

 ONLINE GIVING
 \$ 2,347.44

 ALMS
 \$ 27.00

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