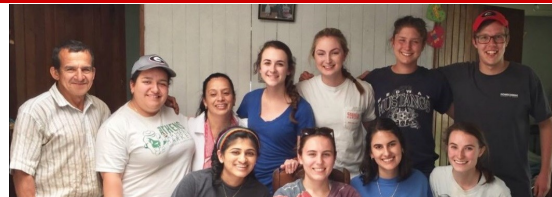
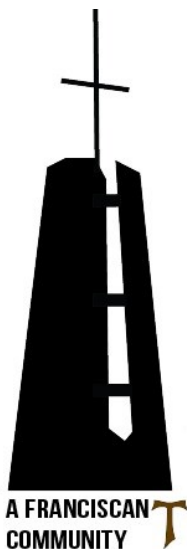


MARCH 25, 2018 - PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

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Thank You!



We would like to say THANK YOU to the Catholic Center Community for all your prayers and support for our students while they were away on their Alternative Spring Break Trips. Our students were able to work and serve in four different locations last week; Arizona and Mexico Border; Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, South Dakota; Havana, Cuba; and San Luis, Costa Rica.

Holy Week

The following is a reflection for today and for the week ahead. Please join us as we journey to the Cross and ultimately to the celebration of the Resurrection. Thank you in advance to the many who volunteer, who through ministry enliven our community with dedication, time and talent. May this week be one of healing, of embracing the struggles, the pain, the joys and the hopes of all our lives.

Peace, Fr. Frank



“Suffering is part and parcel of being human and, while we must readily acknowledge this fact, it is also true that we usually do all in our power to avoid it. The readings for today are an invitation to reflect on how it is that the passion of Jesus can change our outlook on suffering. Our Savior may be seen in these texts as a model of patient endurance and of faithfulness. We are not asked to believe that suffering is good in itself but to see that good can come of it and to recognize in Jesus God’s solidarity with all those who endure suffering for doing what is right.” Sean Goan



SECOND ANNUAL PARISH PILGRIMAGE

The Catholic Center, in association with the Franciscan Missionary Union of Holy Name Province, is sponsoring its Second Annual Parish Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi from Friday, October 12, through Monday, October 22, 2018. On this pilgrimage, you will enter into a deeper understanding of the lives and ministries of St. Francis and St. Clare. You will leave from this experience with a greater knowledge of the Franciscan values. The pilgrimage includes visits to Greccio, Assisi, Siena, and Rome with guided tours by Br. Paul O’Keeffe, OFM and Fr. Tom Hartle, OFM. Transportation, accommodations, meals, and all tours included in one reasonable price. Please contact the Center Office for more details.

PARKING OPTIONS

A reminder for all. Parking is prohibited at the Cloverhurst Condominiums located behind the International Building. All cars parked in this lot will be towed at owner's expense.

Overflow parking is allowed at the International Building, Barrow Elementary School, and UGA Deck Parking Lot (next to Georgia Center) for all Easter Masses.

If you have any questions please contact the Center Office.

RCIA THIS WEEK

We will meet at our regular scheduled time on Tuesday, March 27th at 7:00 PM in the TV Room. **RCIA Practice** is Saturday, March 31st at 1:30 PM in the Chapel.



PRAYING FOR RCIA MEMBERS

Please keep in your prayers all those who will be joining the church at the Easter Vigil Mass.

These eighteen candidates include those being Baptized, making their Profession of the Faith, and being Confirmed.

All Community members are invited to congratulate these candidates at the reception in the Hall after The Easter Vigil.



HOME BOUND BASKETS

We will meet on Sunday, March 25th at 1:00 PM in the Hall to prep all the Easter baskets for the home bound.

EASTER EGG HUNT

We are in need of individually wrapped candy for our Easter Egg Hunt at Oasis Católica. Donated candy can be dropped off in the Center office by Monday, March 26. Thank you for your support.

LENTEN YOGA

Join us for the last session of Lenten Yoga on Wednesday, March 28th from 8:45-9:30 am in the Center Hall. **All are welcome!**

March 4th TRIVIA ANSWER

"Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a _____, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house"

Answer: (d) bushel basket

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (RE)

While we celebrate Holy Week here at the Center, Religious Education classes are canceled for Wednesday, March 28th and Sunday, April 1st. We will resume our regular RE schedule starting Wednesday, April 4th at 6:00 PM.

RE PICTURE BELOW

On Wednesday night during Religious Education, about 50 of our children and teachers gathered

around the altar and talked about Palm Sunday and Holy Week. We are truly blessed as a community to have such a wonderful group of children and Catechists involved in our RE Program.



OTHER ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, March 25

5:00 PM - Student Night Dinner

MONDAY, March 26

6:00 PM - Just Faith (Lib)

7:00 PM - GSYPF (TV)

THURSDAY, March 29

4:30 PM KOC Meeting (Lib)

BREAKFAST CLUB

The Breakfast Club will not meet on Good Friday, March 30th. We will resume Breakfast Club on Friday, April 6th at the 8:00 AM mass.

GRADUATE STUDENT/YOUNG PROFESSIONALS FELLOWSHIP (GSYPF) BIBLE STUDY

will meet on Monday, March 26th at 7:00 PM to discuss Chapter 5 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.

GRADUATING SENIORS AND GRAD STUDENTS

Please submit your full name and degree to the Catholic Center office by Friday, April 20th. We will be honoring all graduates at the Baccalaureate Mass on Friday, May 4th at 10:00 AM followed by a brunch. Graduates, please email your information to David Briones at brionesda@gmail.com.



Lenten Schedule for this week

Lenten Yoga

Wednesday, March 28th at 8:45 to 9:30 am in the Hall

Holy Week

Mass of Healing

Tuesday, March 27th at 7:00 PM

Women of Jerusalem

Wednesday, March 28th at 7:00 PM

Mass of the Lord's Supper

Thursday, March 29th at 7:00 PM

Altar of the Repose until Mid-Night (in the Hall)

Good Friday

Stations of the Cross at 3:00 PM

Celebration of the Lord's Passion (Communion) at 7:00 PM

Blessing of the Easter Food Baskets

Saturday, March 31st at 12:00 Noon

Easter Schedule

Easter Vigil Mass

Saturday, March 31st at 8:30 PM

Easter Sunday Masses

Sunday, April 1st at 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM (Chapel)

Sunday, April 1st at 8:15 AM & 10:15 AM (Center)

MASS OF HEALING: All who are hurting and in need of healing in any part of their lives, we will come together in a community for strength and courage.

WOMEN OF JERUSALM: Experience the Way of the Cross in word and song through the eyes and heart of the women Jesus touched throughout His ministry.

MASS OF THE LORDS'S SUPPER: Let us come together as a community to celebrate the Church as a servant gathering around the table of thanksgiving.

GOOD FRIDAY: Commemorate this "Good" day through the Stations of the Cross with our students then celebrate the Lord's Passion in the evening with the veneration of the Cross.

Other Weekday Masses for Holy Week

Monday - Wednesday 8:00 AM
Wednesday at 5:00 PM

Morning Prayer

Monday - Wednesday 7:45 AM

Adoration and Confessions

Wednesday 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM

Office Hours for Holy Week

Monday - Wednesday 10:00 AM - 4:00PM
Holy Thursday 10:00 AM - NOON
Good Friday the office is Closed
Easter Monday the office is Closed

Sat., 3/24 5 PM - Armando Rois-Mendez†
 Sun., 3/25 Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/
 Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39
 8 AM - Gloria Vacchio† 10 AM - Richard Cliber†
 5 PM - Franciscan Missionary Union
 Mon., 3/26 Is 42:1-7 / Jn 12:1-11
 8 AM - Franciscan Missionary Union
 Tues., 3/27 Is 49:1-6 / Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
 8 AM - Franciscan Missionary Union
 7 PM - Ginger Epley (L)
 Wed., 3/28 Is 50:4-9a / Mt 26:14-25
 8 AM - FMU 5 PM - FMU 7:00 PM - FMU
 Thurs, 3/29 Ex 12:1-8, 11-14 / 1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15
 8 AM - FMU 7 PM - FMU
 Fri., 3/30 Is 52:13-53 / Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9 / Jn 18:1-19:42
 7 PM - FMU



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, Michele Flaherty, James Flannigan, Elizabeth Fox, Carol Garbon, Max Germaine, Phyllis Ginn, Gregory Glander, Harsh Jain, Richard Lynch, Adam Martin, Kate McCall, Camilla Mims, Barbara O'Brien, Bill Ozburn, Karen O'Boyle Pagoda, Denise Quinn, Sharon Perrine, Joyce Ragan, Melissa Reilly, Tom Risher, Joel Rivera, David Salum, Anne Schrauth, Michael Torpy, Grant Tyner, Hanna Whitehead

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

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR MARCH 2018: That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment, both on the personal and communitarian levels.

ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2018

For those of you who have not had an opportunity to make a pledge or a gift this year, but still desire to be a part of the 2018 Archbishop's Annual Appeal, please visit our website at appealarchatl.com to make an on-line gift, or you may contact Nancy Stoehr 404-920-7614 or nstoehr@archatl.com.

Once the pledge payments have surpassed our goal, all of the additional funds are returned to The Center for use in our ministries. Thank you to those who have given to the Appeal thus far.

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| Center Goal: | \$52,600.00 |
| Amount Pledged: | \$33,345.00 |
| Amount Paid: | \$16,365.00 |
| Remaining Balance: | (\$19,255.00) |

FINANCIAL & BUSINESS

March 18, 2018

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| CHURCH | \$6,605.12 | CHILDREN'S | \$ 61.25 |
| ONLINE | \$1,400.44 | ALMS | \$ 98.69 |

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: If you would like to receive Offertory Envelopes please contact Victoria in the Center office.



Online Giving

Online giving is available for regular tithes and offerings or one-time donations.

AVAILABLE ON SMARTPHONE AND ANDROID MOBILE DEVICES. Visit our web site at ccatuga.org to learn more and sign up.

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SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Parents are required to attend a Baptism Preparation Class (Godparents welcomed). Classes are held every month.

MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance for preparation.

RCIA: A program for those who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith

To schedule all Sacraments, please contact the office.

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