



# The Catholic Center

## "WHAT DOES IT MATTER?"

Each of our readings this week remind us that certain treasures are not worth keeping. What good, we might ask, is money when we are dead? It cannot bring us happiness, nor buy our way into heaven. But it's more than just money and material wealth: anything that does not bring us closer to God and God's people is useless folly. How true the words are of Qoheleth in our first reading: "All things are vanity!" When we find ourselves stressed, angry, sad, or anxious, weighed down by the many "things" in which we invest our lives, it might be helpful to ask a simple question: what does it matter? If something does not benefit God's kingdom, does not bring us closer to one another in love, then it's probably vanity, and we should give it up for true treasure in heaven.

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday	5:30 PM
Wednesday	7:30 AM
Thursday	5:30 PM
Friday	7:30 AM

#### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday:	5:00 PM
Sunday:	8:00 AM, 10:00 AM

#### Reconciliation

Saturday:	3:45 PM - 4:30 PM
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### MASS SCHEDULE FOR FALL SEMESTER

(Beginning Sunday, August 11)

<b>Weekend Masses:</b>	Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00PM Sunday 8:00AM & 10:00AM 6:00PM (Student Mass)
<b>Daily Masses:</b>	Monday-Thursday 5:30PM Friday 7:30AM
<b>Reconciliation:</b>	Wednesday 3:30PM - 4:45PM (Beginning 8/21) Saturday 3:45PM - 4:30PM

### Readings & Intentions

**Saturday** - Lv 25:1, 8-17/Mt 14:1-12

5:00 PM - Elsie Horton †

**Sunday** - Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/  
Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

8:00 AM - Joanne Kerbs †

10:00 AM - Catholic Center  
Members †

**Monday** -Nm 11:4b-15/Mt 14:13-21

**Tuesday** - Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/  
2Pt 1:16-19/Lk 9:28b-36

5:30 PM - Donald Stegeman †

**Wednesday** - Nm 13:1-2, 25;14:1,  
26-29a, 34-35/Mt 15:21-28

7:30 AM - Virginia Whitaker †

**Thursday** - Nm 20:1-13/  
Mt 16:13-23

5:30 PM - FMU\*

**Friday** - Dt 4:32-40/Mt 16:24-28

7:30 AM - FMU\*

\*Franciscan Missionary Union

## Community Announcements

### 17TH ANNUAL CATHOLIC CENTER DOOLEY CLASSIC



Join us Friday, September 6 at the UGA Golf Course for a day of golfing, prizes, delicious food and more. Proceeds from the tournament will support the Catholic Center's activities and ministries. To register to golf or to become a sponsor, pick up a brochure in the back of the Chapel or go to the Catholic Center website at [ccatuga.org](http://ccatuga.org). Volunteers are needed on the day of the event. Contact Jenni at [stewardship@ccatuga.org](mailto:stewardship@ccatuga.org) to volunteer.

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES BEGIN SOON!

We are excited to begin a new school year of Religious Education. If you have not yet registered your student for RE, please pick up a registration form in the back of the Chapel or go to the website at [ccatuga.org](http://ccatuga.org) to register online. RE Payment is expected by the first class.

**Start Dates for RE Classes**  
Wednesday 6:00PM - Grades 1-8  
**Begins August 28**  
(Note: new start time)

Sunday 10:00AM - PreK &  
Kindergarten  
**Begins September 8**

Monday 6:00PM - Confirmation  
**Begins September 9**

Contact Lynn Renna at [dre@ccatuga.org](mailto:dre@ccatuga.org) with questions.

### CATECHISTS NEEDED FOR THE RE PROGRAM

We are looking for volunteers to help teach the RE classes. If you are interested in sharing your time and talent with our wonderful students, contact Lynn Renna, DRE at 706-338-3434

### ST. CLARE FEAST DAY CELEBRATION AT OASIS CATÓLICO

We are hosting a celebration this Saturday, August 10 at 1:00PM to celebrate the Feast of St. Clare! There will be food, pinatas, and more. We will need volunteers to prepare the lunch at the Center starting at 10:00AM on August 10 as well as volunteers to serve the food at Oasis and help with the festivities. If you would like to volunteer for any part of the day, please contact Jenni at [stewardship@ccatuga.org](mailto:stewardship@ccatuga.org).

### Summer Office Hours

Monday -Thursday  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Friday  
Closed

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

**Tuesday, 8/6**

9:30 AM Tailgate Tuesday  
6:00 PM OFS (Library)  
6:30 PM Tuesday Night Bible Study (TV Room)

**Thursday, 8/8**

6:00 PM Women's Dinner (Hall)

**Saturday, 8/10**

1:00 PM St. Clare Feast Day  
Celebration at Oasis Catolico

**Sunday, 8/11**

**School Year Mass Schedule Begins**  
6:00 PM First Student Mass

**Monday, 8/12**

5:30 PM Daily Mass

**Tuesday, 8/13**

9:30 AM Tailgate Tuesday

**Wednesday, 8/14**

UGA Classes Begin

**Thursday, 8/15**

7:30 AM Men's Spirituality Group Begins (TV Room)

**MEN'S SPIRITUALITY GROUP**

The Catholic Center's Men's Spirituality Group will begin meeting on August 15 at 7:00AM in the TV room of the Center hall. We will be reading and discussing the newest book by Fr. Richard Rohr, The Universal Christ. All men including students are invited to join us. If you have questions or need more information, please contact Glenn Farrar at: [gm\\_farrar@icloud.com](mailto:gm_farrar@icloud.com) or 706-254-8090.



**Congratulations to Kieran Ezra Allen on his Baptism. Welcome to the Catholic Center Community!**

**GRADUATE STUDENT AND YOUNG PROFESSIONAL FELLOWSHIP (GSYPF)**

The GSYPF Bible study is currently on break and will begin a new study guide this fall. The date of our first meeting will be announced in this bulletin. Newcomers are always welcome! For more information, contact Christy Sinksen at (706) 613-0921 or [csinksen@uga.edu](mailto:csinksen@uga.edu).

**BACK TO SCHOOL BULLETINS DEADLINE ALERT**

The traffic is picking up around campus and there is excitement in the air. We will start publishing our full size bulletin on August 11. All bulletin announcements must be submitted by **Monday** for the following weekend. Your announcement must include all of the pertinent details (date, time, location, etc.) Announcements should be submitted to Jenni at [stewardship@ccatuga.org](mailto:stewardship@ccatuga.org).



**IHNA TRAINING DATES**

The Interfaith Hospitality Network of Athens (IHNA) will host training for new volunteers on September 5 at 5:30PM. IHNA provides shelter and guidance to homeless families with children. The Catholic Center works with Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Athens to host families. The next host week at Emmanuel is November 10-17. Visit [ihna.org](http://ihna.org) to learn more. Contact Nathan Byrd, [assist.ihnathens@gmail.com](mailto:assist.ihnathens@gmail.com) or Ginny Lynch, [lynch@uga.edu](mailto:lynch@uga.edu) if interested in training.

**We Lift Up In Prayer**

Rosilyn Andrews, Jill Bittle, Bill Burden, Shirley Bundy, Grace Byrne, Noleen Casey, Brenda Critch, Norma d'Azzo, Betty DeGuilo, Elena Dekazos, George Dougherty, Jill Ennis, Belén Epperson, Michele Flaherty, James Flannigan, Carol Garbon, Phyllis Ginn, Pat Goggin, Jacklyn Harding, Ann Johnson, Richard Lynch, Kate McCall, Barbara O'Brien, Bill Ozburn, Sharon Perrine, Melissa Reilly, Tom Risher, Joel Rivera, Raif Sejdi, Marge Smith, Samuel Thompson, Martha Tucker, Grant Tyner, Joan Weiss, Angel and Pearl Wells, and Don Young

**FINANCIAL GIVING UPDATES**

Thank you for generously sharing your treasures with the Catholic Center and it's ministries. If you have any questions regarding the financials of the Catholic Center, contact Jessica Fox, business manager, at 706-543-2293.

**July 21, 2019**

Offertory \$9908.10 Alms \$368.29

**July 28, 2019**

Offertory \$7,677.25 Alms \$110.00

**With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones, especially Donald Stegeman and Virginia Whitaker.**

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for August**

That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth."

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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.**

**INFO**

**OFFICE HOURS**  
**Mon. - Thurs. 10-4PM**  
**Friday Closed**

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