



# The Catholic Center

Thanks to everyone who participated in the 5k Human Race! It's a great way to build community and to challenge ourselves to healthy living.

February is Black History Month. This past week we celebrated one of our saints in the Church, St Josephine Bakhita. St Josephine is the patron saint of Human Trafficking victims. At daily mass this past week on her feast day, I read a homily from St John Paul II who canonized her. He went to Sudan in 1993 and spoke to the Sudanese people about how St Josephine is an inspiration to us all.

We are already into the month of February - praying for rhythm, balance and success in studies. I try to encourage balance in the lives of our students. As humans we all have mental, physical, emotional, spiritual, and relational needs. All of these needs somehow need to be cared for! I've learned in my own life that finding balance is an art. You all can probably agree that it doesn't always come easy but it is possible and the result is good living.

Our student activity in the month of January included: a pro-life evening of reflection, a night of writing letters to those who are imprisoned, hearing from visiting speakers on the topics of prayer, saints, and relationships, gathering together for small groups, social activities, multiple bonfires, and evenings of prayer led by our music ministry. Thanks to everyone who is cooking meals for our students. It's very helpful for us and very kind of you to help cook a good meal for them.

Happy Valentine's day to you all!

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## Mass Readings

**Saturday** - Gn 3:9-24/Mk 8:1-10  
**5PM** - Carl Huberty †

**Sunday** - Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/1  
Cor 10:31-11:1/Mk 1:40-45

**8AM** - Connie Gilreath (int)

**11AM** - Matthew Michael Taylor †

**4PM** - CC Members

**6PM** - Betty DeGuilo (int)

**Monday** - Gn 4:1-15, 25/Mk  
8:11-13

**5:30PM** - GSYPF Group

**Tuesday** - Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/  
Mk 8:14-21

**5:30PM** - Lumen Valido †

**Wednesday** - Jl 2:12-18/2 Cor  
5:20—6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

**8AM** - Don Kraus †

**12:15PM** - CC Students & Staff

**5:30PM** - CC Members

**Thursday** - Dt 30:15-20/Lk  
9:22-25

**5:30 PM** - Jenni Toutkoushian  
(int)

**Friday** - Is 58:1-9/Mt 9:14-15

**8AM** - Joanne Cutler (int)



## ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2021

### 2021 Archbishop's Annual Appeal - Commitment Weekend

Serving over 1,000,000 Catholics, the mission of the Archdiocese of Atlanta is to proclaim the Gospel of the Lord, and grow all of North and Central Georgia in faith, hope, love, and service to others. This weekend is commitment weekend, to learn more about the appeal and to donate visit [www.archatl.com/appeal](http://www.archatl.com/appeal)

- Under resourced school support
- Parish pre-school programs
- Campus ministry
- Religious education
- Youth and young adult ministry
- Family Life ministry
- Hospital Ministry
- Seminarian education
- Permanent Diaconate
- Priest support and retirement care
- Parish and Mission support
- Cemeteries
- Office of Intercultural Ministries
- Office of Youth and Child Protection

**LENT****Ash Wednesday - February 17**

Ashes Service with Liturgy of the Word - 6:30AM, 7PM

Mass with Ashes - 8AM, 12:15PM, 5:30PM

Staff in the Chapel distributing Ashes - throughout the day

**24 Hour Adoration - Weekly beginning February 22**

Mondays 6PM to Tuesday 5:15PM

There will be a student led sign-up to guarantee guardians.

**Stations of the Cross - Fridays at 6PM**

Beginning February 19

**FINDING CHRIST IN THE CRISIS**

Be sure to pick up a copy of the booklet "Finding Christ in the Crisis: What the Pandemic Can Teach Us" in the CC Chapel or Center. This booklet sheds a light on what God might be saying to us now, both in the church and in the world. Through scriptural interpretation and examination of particular realities of the Faith, we can realize that, while we may at times be restricted in our access to the sacraments and even from parish life, the effects of this pandemic are by no means a defeat.

**FRATELLI TUTTI: ON FRATERNITY AND SOCIAL FRIENDSHIP**

Join us on Tuesday, February 16, 2021, 3:30PM to 4:30PM for a Brief Introduction (via Zoom\*\*) to Fratelli Tutti: On Fraternity and Social Friendship - the most recent encyclical of Pope Francis presented by Brian Cudahy, Ph.D. As the papacy of Pope Francis continues, the formal documents he has issued deserve to be studied in some detail. This short lecture will explore major themes found in his most recent encyclical, Fratelli Tutti, which was issued on October 3rd, 2020 ... the Vigil of the Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi. This lecture will be presented by Dr. Brian J. Cudahy, an Adjunct Professor of Religious Studies at the University of South Carolina in Beaufort and author of the recently published *From Blackmoor Lane to Capitol Hill: An Irish Capuchin's Influence on Bishop John England of Charleston, SC* (St. Bonaventure, NY: Franciscan Institute Press, 2019). Dr. Cudahy earned his Ph.D. in philosophy from St. Bonaventure University. Questions: Contact Dr. Peter Balsamo (pb9665@gmail.com)

Visit our facebook for the link to register!

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORNER**

Welcome to the Knights of Columbus Corner at the Catholic Center UGA.

Come one! Come all! The Knights of Columbus at the Catholic Center invite you to enjoy a delicious Fish Fry dinner. Every Friday during Lent (except March 19) between 5:00PM and 7:00PM.

On the menu: Fish, fries, mac & cheese, salad, and a cookie. Price: \$ 8.00 adult; \$5.00 student. One plate serves 1 adult or 2 children.

All proceeds will go to support Catholic Center activities. Format will be Preorder, Curbside pick-up, To Go. Email us your order at: [KOF6514@GMAIL.COM](mailto:KOF6514@GMAIL.COM). Form is attached!

**GSYPF BIBLE STUDY**

The GSYPF Bible study will meet via Zoom on Monday, February 15 at 7:00 pm to discuss Chapter 2 in the study guide "Job: A Good Man Asks Why." Newcomers are always welcome. For more info, contact Christy Sinksen at 706-613-0921 or csinksen@uga.edu

**MONSIGNOR DONOVAN**

Mardi Gras: A Virtual Affair 2021 on February 16 from 6-8PM. Raffle, Silent Auction & more!

High School Open House on Thursday, February 25 from 6-8PM.

For more info please visit <https://donovancatholics.org/>

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**Ash Wednesday** February 17 - No RE Classes

**Fish Fry Fridays** -You can pre-order meals by emailing me your orders. Flyer Attached!

\*Confirmation Students can volunteer to make individually wrapped cookies for the dinners and/or help with delivering the Fish Dinners to the cars.

**Stations of the Cross** Fridays at 6PM, beginning February 19, RE Ministry will host the 1st Stations of the Cross

\*Please let me know if your family would like to volunteer to do a Station of the Cross on the 19th in the Chapel.

**FINANCIAL GIVING UPDATES**

Thank you for continuing to generously share your treasures with the Catholic Center for its operations, ministries,

**January 31, 2021**

Offertory \$7,565.40

Alms \$99.50

**January 24, 2021**

Offertory \$16,233.00

Alms \$528.00

**WE LIFT UP IN PRAYER**

Diane Ambrose, Huguette Bourger, Mim & Nick Bourke, Shirley Bundy, Bill Burden, Grace Byrne, Brian Carr, Connie Gilreath, Lori Craig, Norma d'Azzo, Lindsey Davis, Betty DeGuilo, Elena Dekazos, MaryAnn Deom, Morgan Doorley, Tom Eaton, Alice Gallagher, Carol Garbon, Nicole Garris, Mildred George, the Glisson family, Amy Hartwell, Bob Henry, Ann Johnson, Gordan Manning, Jim Miller, Jim Mueller, Joel Alesi, Mikel Nicolo, Barbara O'Brien, Sharon Perrine, Lee Prendergast, Norah Risher, Tom Risher, Joel Rivera, Caleb Sanders, Ann Schrauth, Carole Seeley, Jimmy Simons, Eileen Sinda, Doug Tigert, and Joan Weiss.

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

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for February:** We pray for women who are victims of violence, that they may be protected by society and have their sufferings considered and heeded.

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# Fish Fry Fridays

Fridays during Lent, 5:00 – 7:00 PM

During Lent, our Knights of Columbus will be cooking the first annual FISH FRY FRIDAY DINNERS! Please join us in pre-ordering your meal by Thursday of each week. Due to the social distancing policy at the Catholic Center, all dinners will be delivered by “vehicle curbside to-go” orders. Walk-up “to go” orders are also welcomed.

All profits from the FISH FRY FRIDAY meal sales will go to the Catholic Center’s Charities and Ministries.

*Price: All meals are \$8.00      UGA student meal is \$5:00*

*Meals include: 2-Baked or Fried Fish, French Fries, Mac-n-Cheese, Coleslaw, and a Cookie*

Email your Pre-orders to [dre@ccatuga.org](mailto:dre@ccatuga.org) by Thursday of each week. Please indicate the number of meals, approximate time of pick-up, along with your Name and date.

*Payment is due when meals are brought to your car. Credit Cards, Cash, and Checks are acceptable. Make checks payable to the Catholic Center.*

Number of meals \_\_\_\_\_ Approx. time of pick-up \_\_\_\_\_

Name on order \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Fish Fry    \_\_\_ 2/19    \_\_\_ 2/26    \_\_\_ 3/5    \_\_\_ 3/12    \_\_\_ 3/26