

FEBRUARY 21, 2021

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT



The Catholic Center

Dear Catholic Community at UGA:

Welcome to the beginning of Lent. I pray that this be a special time of growth in your faith. Hopefully this year, we'll be able to experience the fullness of Lent, Holy Week and Easter. It's hard to believe that we had only the 1st Sunday of Lent last year when everything shut down. Just to give you insight about that; last year on Easter I was going to celebrate Easter Mass with just a couple of people in their home. As I was going over Spaghetti Junction, I was the only car on the road. It was the weirdest experience I ever had in Atlanta. It felt like the world had ended and all that left were structures. Although we're still dealing with the pandemic, I believe we'll have a different experience this year with precautions.

Fr. Brian is speaking this weekend about Operation Rice Bowl. I really encourage your participation. Although you contribute in many other ways, this is something we can do all together as a Catholic Community this Lent. Thanks in advance for your generosity.

Please remember that the chapel is open 24 hours a day for prayer and reflection, except for Saturday night. I invite you to pay a visit to the Blessed Sacrament. I keep you all in prayer everyday.

Blessings on the journey,

Fr. Fred

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Mass Readings

Saturday - Is 58:9-14/Lk 5:27-32
5PM – Carl Huberty †

Sunday - Gn 9:8-15/1 Pt 3:18-22/Mk 1:12-15

8AM - E. Doyle (int)

11AM - Charlene Rosenthal(int)

4PM - Students of the CC (int)

6PM - CC Members

Monday - 1Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19

5:30PM - Shannon Campbell (int)

Tuesday - Is 55:10-11/Mt 6:7-15

5:30PM - Charlene Rosenthal(int)

Wednesday - Jon 3:1-10/Lk

11:29-32

5:30PM - Teri Travis (int)

Thursday - Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Mt 7:7-12

5:30 PM - Charlene Rosenthal (int)

Friday - Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26

8AM - Eileen Sinda (int)

THIS WEEK IN LENT

24 Hour Adoration

Monday 6PM to Tuesday 5:15PM

Stations of the Cross

Friday at 6PM

Fish Fry Fridays

Friday between 5:00PM and 7:00PM.

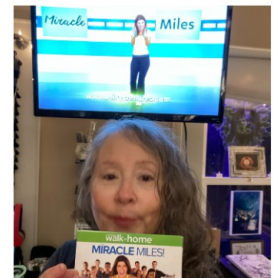
Email order to dre@ccatuga.org.

EASTER FLOWERS

To make our church beautiful during this holiday season, we will be decorating with Easter Flowers. If you would like to participate by making a donation in honor of or in memory of someone, please pick up a form and return it with payment in the offertory baskets or to the office by Monday, March 29. The suggested donation for the flowers is \$20.



Thank you to all who participated in our virtual 5K!



RCIA UPDATES

Our RCIA candidates are continuing to meet weekly with Sr. Carmen on their journey toward the Easter Vigil. Please keep our 10 candidates in your prayers this Sunday at 2:30PM as they celebrate the Rite of Call to Continuing Conversion. We are seeking a volunteer to be a sponsor for one of our adult Confirmation candidates. This is a wonderful opportunity to share your faith. Contact Sr. Carmen at sacraments@ccatuga.org to volunteer.

FISH FRY FRIDAYS

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: dre@ccatuga.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We have 24 RE students who will be making their first reconciliation on February 27, at 10:00 AM in the Chapel! Please keep them in your prayers.

GSYPF BIBLE STUDY

The GSYPF Bible study will meet via Zoom on Monday, February 22 at 7:00 pm to discuss Chapter 3 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.



ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2021

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If you have not yet made a gift to the 2021 Archbishop's Annual Appeal there are pledge envelopes in the Chapel and in the Center or you can easily donate online at www.archatl.com/appeal. Remember to write the Catholic Center at UGA, Athens for the Parish. The campaign goal is \$8,700,000 and our parish goal is \$58,900. 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 year; education of our children and seminary students, evangelization and Christian Initiation, on-going formation for our priests, and more!

FINANCIAL GIVING UPDATES

Thank you for continuing to generously share your treasures with the Catholic Center for its operations, ministries, and outreach programs. For any questions, please contact the Center.

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 Bourgerly, Mim & Nick Bourke, Shirley Bundy, Bill Burden, Grace Byrne, Brian Carr, 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, Jonathon Guerra, Mikel Nicolo, Barbara O'Brien, Ricardo Guerra, Shannon Campbell, Sharon Perrine, Teri Travis, 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.

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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