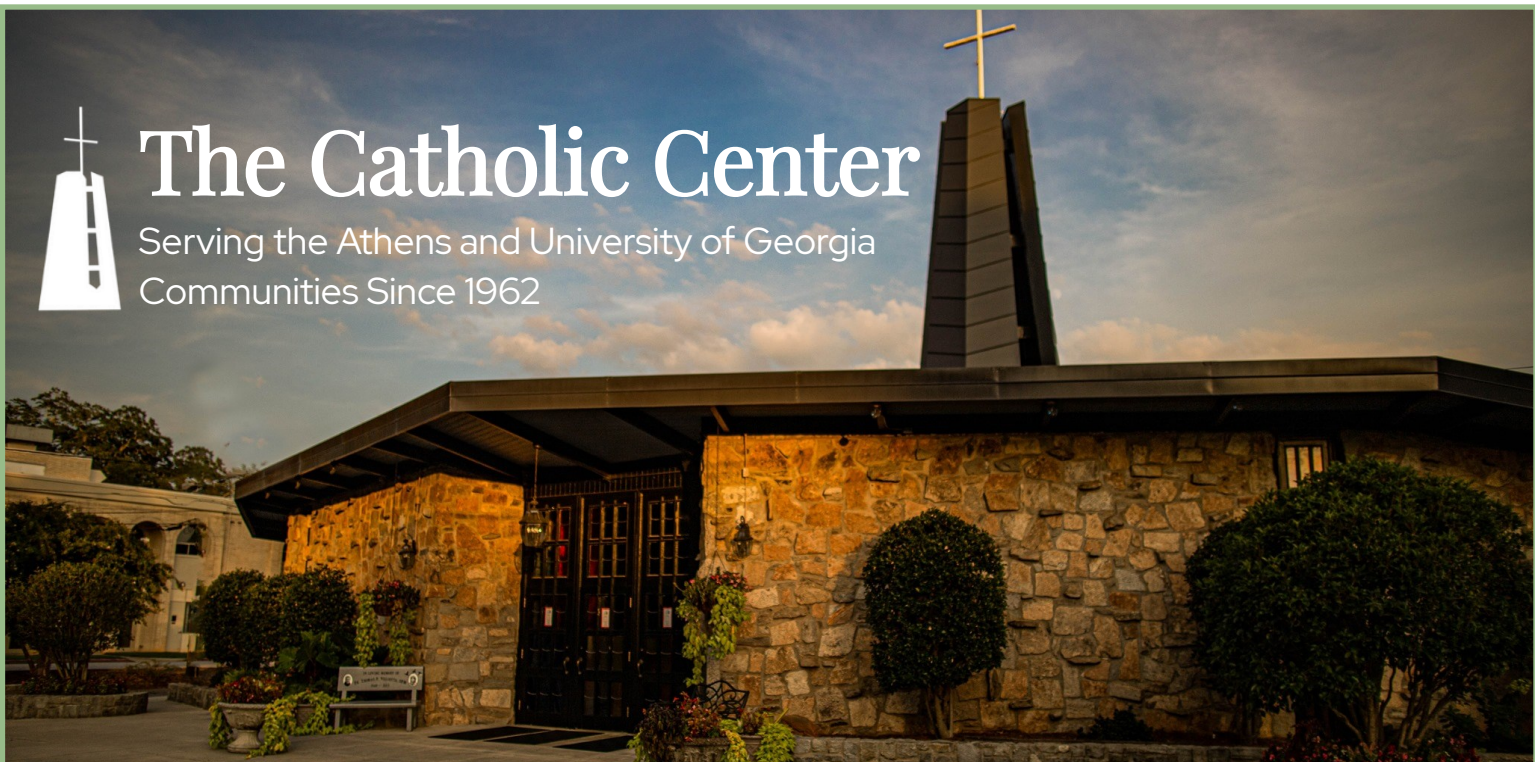




The Catholic Center

Serving the Athens and University of Georgia
Communities Since 1962



ALL ARE WELCOME

Mass Intentions

Saturday 5PM - Gerard Mirandilla	Tuesday 5:30PM - E. Doyle
Sunday 8AM - Catholic Center Members	Wednesday 5:30PM - Cherie Frankson
10:30AM - Nora Risher †	Thursday 5:30PM - Victor Alvarez
5PM - Matthew Michael Taylor †	Friday 8AM - James V. Teofilo †
Monday 5:30PM - Joel & Charlotte Alesi	

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It's Race Week at the Center!

There is still time to register, for the 5K! Shirts are still available for those who register soon while supplies last. **Important notice, the race has been moved to Oconee Veterans Park.** Pick up a form in the front office or register at runsignup.com. You can also sponsor a runner with our Phantom Runner program. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please contact Sr. Uyen-Chi at admincsa@ccatuga.org or call the office!



Liturgical Schedule

Mass: Saturday: 5PM Sunday: 8AM, 10:30AM & 5PM Monday-Thursday: 5:30PM Friday: 8AM	Confession: Wednesday 4-5PM Saturday: 3:30-4:30PM Weekly Adoration: Monday from 6PM through Tuesday 5:30PM (except on UGA breaks)
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Weekly Calendar

Saturday 2/12
3:30PM Reconciliation
5PM Mass

Sunday 2/13
8AM Mass
10:30AM Mass & RE
3:30PM Collegiate RCIA
5PM Mass
6PM Sunday Night Dinner

Monday 2/14
5:30PM Mass
7PM Collegiate Valentines Day Social

Tuesday 2/15
9:30AM Our Daily Bread
5:30PM Mass
8PM Seeking Water

Wednesday 2/16
10AM Men's Bible Study
4PM Reconciliation
6:15PM 1st-8th RE
8PM Ignite

Thursday 2/17
10AM Women's Bible Study
5:30PM Mass
7PM RCIA
8PM CSA Social

Friday 2/18
8AM Mass
12PM 5K Race Packet Pickup

Saturday 2/19
8:30AM 5K Human Race
3:30PM Reconciliation
5PM Mass

A Message from Fr. Brian

Dear Catholic Center Community,

Last weekend we had a number of students attend a retreat in the North Georgia mountains. The theme centered around navigating and praying through the storms of college and the storms of life. It was a great time for new students and familiar students alike. Fr Fred, Sister Uyen-Chi, Sister Catherine, Colin and I were all able to join them. It was an exciting time! We are always looking to foster spiritual and retreat opportunities to our students! Praise God! Unfortunately, we had to cancel our Spring Break Mission Trips this year for our students because of Covid. We did not think it was prudent to travel under our current Covid conditions. Let us pray for those who are sick and for an end to this pandemic!

Our 5K Human Race is approaching quickly! This year it will take place at Oconee Veteran's Park. We hope that it is a community building opportunity for our entire Catholic Center! Thanks to Sister Uyen-Chi, Jenni, Abby, Julie, George, Virginia, and all our other volunteers for all the hard work! It is a team effort! :)

Thanks to our Knights of Columbus for the coffee & donuts that they host the first weekend of the month after the 8am and 1030am masses. This is such a good way to gather together as a church and be in fellowship with one another! Stay tuned for our upcoming Fish Fries! Our students are creating a Knights of Columbus council for our student community. This will be a good opportunity for some of our male students to do fraternity, engage in service, and grow in their faith. Keep them in prayer!

Next weekend we are going to be speaking about the Archbishop's Annual Appeal. The Annual Appeal goes to support the larger Catholic Church in North Georgia. Some things that our donations go toward are supporting seminarian and religious vocations, furthering environmental sustainability efforts in our Churches and schools, and assisting Catholic Charities in their outreach to the poor and marginalized. The Annual Appeal also furthers evangelization efforts in our Archdiocese, such as the assistance to college campus ministry. This past year, we exceeded the goal that we set out to meet. This next year we hope to do the same!

Stay tuned for Lent and our Lenten programming for all of our members! We are looking forward to entering into the new season together. We will begin with Ash Wednesday and will go towards Holy Week and Easter!

Enjoy the Superbowl!

Blessings,
Fr. Brian

Announcements

Sunday Night Dinner Sign-Ups

Signups for Sunday Night Dinner are located using the link on the bottom of the home page of the Catholic Center website. Also, If you would like to volunteer but not in person, donations of bake goods for dessert at Sunday Night Dinner can be delivered to the church hall prior to 5 pm mass on Sunday.



Men's Bible Study this Wednesday

Fr. Fred is leading the Catholic Center Men's Bible Study at 10AM on Weds. 2/16 in the Center. Mark your calendars for the next meetings: 3/3, 3/17, 3/24, 3/31. All Catholic Center men including students are welcome.

Knights of Columbus Corner

We are excited to announce that the University of Georgia will be starting a Knights of Columbus college council. KoC is an organization of men dedicated to the faith through community, charity, and prayer. If you are a student and you wish to do charitable work for our community and experience the brotherhood of being a Knight, you can sign up for the college council online at kofc.org/join. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Stephen at stephen.goodlett25@gmail.com.

A Look at Retreat

Thank you for all of your prayers and support for our students last weekend during their retreat! Our students were well fed thanks to the generosity of our community! Catherine Arra and Mark Piendel, our retreat organizers put on a wonderful weekend of spiritual growth and fellowship!



2022 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

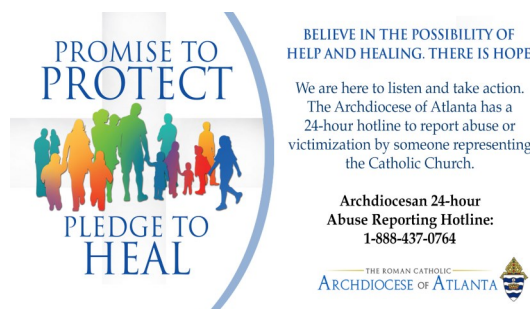
Serving more than 1,000,000 Catholics, the mission of the Archdiocese of Atlanta is to proclaim the Gospel of the Lord, and grow all of north and central Georgia in faith, hope, love, and service to others. Each of us is called to be "Transformed in Christ," by renewing and deepening our encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist through the Eucharistic Renewal initiative and our Eucharistic Congress. Your gift to the 2022 Archbishop's Annual Appeal helps fund vocations & schools, religious education programs, Catholic Charities, formation and discipleship work, and special initiatives like Laudato Si Care for Creation in the Archdiocese of Atlanta.

Please give prayerful consideration to your level of support to help fund the essential ministries and services supported by the Appeal. The goal for the 2022 appeal is \$8,500,000 and the goal for the Catholic Center is \$71,400. Remember, 100% of the money raised above our goal will be returned to the Catholic Center. To learn more about the appeal, and to donate online, visit www.archatl.com/appeal.



Religious Education

Confirmation Candidates, please let me know if you will be volunteering at the 5K RACE on Saturday, February 19th. Even if you have your required Service Hours, we could really use your help. There will be no Pre-K and Kindergarten Classes on Sunday, February 20th. First Reconciliation will be on Saturday, February 26th, 10:00 AM in the Chapel.



We Lift Up in Prayer

Charlotte & Joel Alesi
Bill Burden
Grace Byrne
Shannon Campbell
Joan Cleary
Rick Cook

Denise Goins
Ricardo Guerra
Charlene Hall
Victor Kalla
David Lauth
Nikki Rae Lucas

Bruce Norton
James Valido
George Valido
***To add to our prayer intentions,
please email
stewardship@ccatuga.org**

With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones, especially Joseph Burden and Al Garbin.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for February: We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times.

Financial Giving Updates

Thank you so very much for your generous contributions to our offertory throughout the year. Your support of the Catholic Center and our ministries is heartwarming. Thank you for sharing your time, treasure and talent.

January 30, 2022
\$9,821.87- Offertory \$223.00 - Alms

February 6, 2022
\$13,816.00- Offertory \$415.00 - Alms

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