



The Catholic Center

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ALL ARE WELCOME

Mass Intentions

Saturday 5PM - Luis Alfonso Sanchez & Hedy Ramos 65th Wedding Anniv.	Tuesday 5:30PM - Chad Wingo †
Sunday 8AM - Chad Wingo † 10:30AM - Thelma Barzottini † 5PM - Milton Lopes	Wednesday 5:30PM - Cindy Kulikowski †
Monday 5:30PM - Chad Wingo †	Thursday 5:30PM - Marc Bourgerly †
	Friday 8AM - Daniel O'Sullivan

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Synod Listening Sessions This Weekend!

There is still time to join one of the Synod prayer centered listening sessions:

- **3/19** from 10-12PM over zoom (register in advance using the QR code below).
- **3/20** from 12-2PM after 10:30AM Mass in the hall. Lunch will be provided register at <https://forms.gle/H2gPVAMPKhyttm6>
- **3/31** from 7-9PM at St. Joe's for a regional session with Archbishop Hartmeyer

Learn more about the Synod on the Catholic Center's website: <https://ccatuga.org/synod>.



Liturgical Schedule

Mass: Saturday: 5PM Sunday: 8AM, 10:30AM & 5PM Mon-Thurs: 5:30PM Friday: 8AM	Confession: Wednesday: 4-5PM Saturday: 3:30-4:30PM Weekly Adoration: Monday 9AM-9PM Tuesday 9AM-5PM (except on UGA breaks)
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Weekly Calendar

Saturday 3/19
10AM Synod Zoom Listening Session
3:30PM Reconciliation
5PM Mass

Sunday 3/20
8AM Mass
10:30AM Mass & RE
12PM Synod Listening Session
3:30PM Collegiate RCIA
5PM Mass
6PM Sunday Night Dinner

Monday 3/21
5:30PM Mass
7PM Adult Confirmation

Tuesday 3/22
9AM Our Daily Bread
5:30PM Mass
8PM Seeking Water

Wednesday 3/23
4PM Reconciliation
5:30PM Mass
6:15PM Religious Education
8PM Ignite Freshmen Ministry

Thursday 3/24
10AM Women's Bible Study
10AM Men's Bible Study
5:30PM Mass
7PM RCIA

Friday 3/25
SEEK Conference
8AM Mass
5:30PM KofC Fish Fry
6:30PM Stations of the Cross

Saturday 3/26
SEEK Conference
9AM Virtus Training Session
3:30PM Reconciliation
4:30PM Seek Dinner
5PM Mass

A Message from Sr. Uyen-Chi

Dear Catholic Center Community,

During UGA Spring Break, I had an opportunity to make an 8-Day Silent Retreat in Philadelphia. I normally make this annual retreat in the summer, but it was a very special gift to have it at the beginning of Lent. I would like to share with you something from the retreat in hope that you might find it also helpful in your own Lenten journey. I started my retreat with the image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the prayer Anima Christi. In contemplating the Heart of Jesus, I was drawn to the tenderness of Jesus' heart that gently whispered "[I] loved [my] own in the world and [I] loved them to the end" (John 13:1). It is this selfless love that yearns for our return when we wander off. It is also this selfless love that flows into our heart that heals it, transforms it, and enables it to love others as He loved us. The prayer Anima Christi I have prayed many times in my life, but this time I prayed it differently, that is, by listening to Jesus praying this prayer to me.

"May all that is me flow into you.

May my body and blood be your food and drink.

May my passion and death be your strength and life.

With me by your side enough has been given.

May the shelter you seek be the shadow of my cross.

Please do not run from the love which I offer.

I will hold you safe from the forces of evil.

On each of your dyings I will shed my light and my love.

I will keep calling to you until that day comes

When with my saints, you may praise me forever."

Amen.

I cannot even tell you which line was dearest to me because all of it spoke to me so profoundly. My hope in sharing this experience with you is so that we can encourage one another during this Lent to know how much Jesus loves us and that his love transforms our hearts and world. Through the pierced heart of Jesus, let us trust in His redeeming love for all those who are suffering greatly in Ukraine and Russia.

United in Christ,
Sister Uyen-Chi

Easter Flower Donations

Help make our Catholic Center chapel beautiful with Easter Flowers. If you would like to participate by donating a flower in honor or memory of a loved one, pick up a form in the back of the Chapel or in the office and return to the CC office by Mon., April 4. The suggested donation is \$20



Announcements

Sunday Night Dinner Casseroles

We are in need of casserole dishes for Sunday Night Dinner on March 27th. We will have casserole pans available for pickup in the front office. Please return before Sunday, 3/27, at 3PM. We are also in need of desserts that can be dropped off in the office as well. Thank you for your help to feed our students!

Thank You to Our Silver Angels!

Thank you to all of our Silver Angels who came out for a delicious lunch followed by bingo! We had a wonderful time seeing everyone after our 2 year break. Save the date for our next meeting on 4/20 at 11:30AM for an afternoon of fellowship and fun.



Religious Education

We welcomed back our Wednesday RE students after, by sharing the life of St. Patrick. Pre-K and Kindergarten will have class Sun., during the 10:30AM Mass. Confirmation Class will be on Mon., March 28th at 7PM. Year 2 Candidates, don't forget your Sponsor Forms and Letters to Fr. Fred are due by March 28th. Please note the 1st Communion retreat & rehearsal are now on 3/30 at 9 & 10:30AM and 1st Communion Mass will be on 4/17 at 10AM.

Knights of Columbus Corner

Lenten Fish Fry Dinners are back! Join us **Every FRIDAY** for our weekly Fish Fry Dinners. We offer sit-down or to-go dinner from 5:30-7:30PM. Accepting orders on our website: <https://tinyurl.com/kofcfishfryorder> proceeds will go to local Athens and surrounding area charities.

KOC Golf Tournament

Knights of Columbus will be having our 20th annual golf tournament on April 30th at the UGA golf course. Cost is \$125 per player. All proceeds benefit the charitable works of the KofC. Sign up on the website www.kofc6514.com/ or the back of the church. Questions? John Steffl 706-338-5551.

Lenten Soup Lunches & Reflection

Thank you to Melina, one of our UGA students, who gave a profound reflection on the Lenten season. Join us on March 29th at noon for the 2nd reflection and a simple lunch of soup and bread. All (students and members) are welcome to join us. We are asking community members for donations of a pot of soup or bread for these lunches. If you would like to bring a crockpot of soup or a loaf of bread, please contact Jenni at the CC office.



Social Graces Dinner Thank You

Thank you to Anne Marie Vencill for cooking a delicious St. Patrick's Day themed meal for the women at the Catholic Center. We had a great turnout and can't wait to see you at the next Social Graces dinner.

Virtus Training Session

Get Virtus trained at the Catholic Center on 3/26 from 9-12PM or at St. Joe's 3/28 and 4/14. Please contact Lynn Renna at dre@ccatuga.org if you are interested.

Operation Rice Bowl

As we begin our Lenten journey, reflect on how your prayers, fasting and almsgiving can guide you. Pope Francis explains, these are "elements which, when lived sincerely, can transform life and provide a sure foundation for dignity and fraternity." How can the Lenten pillars transform your life and the lives of our sisters and brothers around the world? Be sure to pick up a CRS Rice Bowl in the back of the Chapel to collect change. Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.

Save the Date for the Dooley Classic

Mark your calendar for the 20th Annual Dooley Classic Golf Tournament on **September 19th** at the UGA Golf Course. We hope you can join us this year! Look for sponsor and player registration soon!

We Lift Up in Prayer

Charlotte & Joel Alesi
Bill Burden
Grace Byrne
Shannon Campbell
Rick Cook
Colin & Lindsey Davis
Larry Davis
Josephine Eckles
Denise Goins
Ricardo Guerra

Charlene Hall
Rene Halligan
Victor Kalla
David Lauth
Milton Lopes
Nikki Rae Lucas
James Law
Hudson Masters
Tams Nicholson
Kevin Noble

Sr. Sagrario Nuñez
Daniel O'Sullivan
Lou Perno
Eileen Martin
Jerry Fincher
Conrad Valido
Mo Saiidi
James Valido
George Valido

With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones, especially Kevin Fincher, Beatrice Gauld, and Virginia Rives.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for March: We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action

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.

March 6, 2022		March 13, 2022	
\$14,236.87 - Offertory	\$402.00 - Alms	\$9,914.19 - Offertory	\$246.58 - Alms

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