



The Catholic Center

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ALL ARE WELCOME

Mass Intentions

Saturday 5PM - Eileen Sapera †	Tuesday 5:30PM - CC Members
Sunday 8AM - Carol Mazurek	Wednesday 5:30PM - Elizabeth Portel
10:30AM - Celia Graves †	Thursday 5:30PM - The Franciscans of Our Lady of the Angels Province
1PM - Confirmation Students	Friday 11:15AM - UGA Graduates
5PM - UGA Graduates	
Monday 5:30PM - Dolores Rebellon	

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Congratulations to Our Confirmands!

Congratulations to all who completed the sacrament of confirmation on May 7th at 1 PM!

Thomas Borst	Jenna Shanni	Caroline Nowatowski
Riley David	Lacy Szczepanski	Dalma Arteaga Rosales
Emma Donahue	Rachel Wicker	Juan Diaz Ureta
William Dugas	Antonio Annable	Guillermo Hernandez Villasenor
Emily Forschler	Mckinnon Braswell	
Madeleine Forschler	Jack Derochers	
Sean Harron	Madeline Franz	
Adam LaFontaine	Eleya Gonzalez	
Anna Ogilvie	Hannah Matthewson	
George Ogilvie	Emily Monda	
Jackson Ogilvie	Diego Serrano	



Liturgical Schedule

Mass: Saturday: 5PM Sunday: 8AM, 10:30AM & 5PM Mon-Thurs: 5:30PM Fri: 11:15AM	Holy Hours: *will resume with classes in the fall Confession: Wednesday: 4-5PM Saturday: 3:30-4:30
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Weekly Calendar

Saturday 5/6
8:30AM First Communion
Retreat
1PM Virtus Training
3:30PM Reconciliation
5PM Mass & Ramirez Roca
Baptism

Sunday 5/7
8AM Mass
10:30AM Mass
1PM Confirmation
5PM Mass
6PM Student Dinner

Monday 5/8
10AM Men's Bible
Study
5:30PM Mass
7PM Finals Dinner

Tuesday 5/9
Last Day of UGA Finals
12PM Silver Angels
Luncheon
5:30PM Mass

Wednesday 5/10
4PM Reconciliation
5:30PM Mass

Thursday 5/11
5:30PM Mass
6PM Woman's Dinner

Friday 5/12
UGA Commencement
11:15AM Baccalaureate Mass
& Lunch

Saturday 5/13
11AM First Communion
3:30PM Reconciliation
5PM Mass & Talaske
Baptism

A Message from Fr. Brian

Friends,

This weekend we are blessed to have Bishop Joel Konzen come and celebrate our Confirmation mass. We have many high school students and adults who are receiving the sacrament of Confirmation. Please keep them in your prayers! Come Holy Spirit!

Next week we have the opportunity to celebrate First Communion for many of our young children of the community! We are so thankful for all the families and catechists who have walked with our young kids in preparation for this important celebration!

This is finals week for our students, faculty and staff! Please keep them in your prayers as they transition into summer. The Catholic Center will be a bit quieter this summer and we are looking forward to resting, getting organized, cleaning, and planning for the next academic year. Please keep our staff in your prayers!

Fr. Michael and I will be in and out this summer so we may have some canceled daily masses on Thursday and Fridays, but we will keep you updated. Please keep an eye on the mass schedule for weekdays.

I look forward to praying together and being with each other this summer. While I enjoy the excitement of the school year, summers are a nice change of pace! Let's keep each other in prayer!

In Christ,
Fr. Brian

Feed My Starving Children Update

The first annual Athens Feed My Starving Children event was held over the weekend, and it was a great success! Thanks to the Catholic Center donors and volunteers who were a major part of the effort. 500 volunteers packed 101,088 meals for starving children in desperate need around the world. Google the "Athens Feed My Starving Children MobilePack" Facebook page for photos and more details. As great as this year's event was, it was only the beginning. We can and should do a lot more to provide life and hope to children around the world. Our neighbors in Lawrenceville packed 820,000 meals at their event in March, so let's set our sights on packing 200,000 meals next year!

Please contact Tom Spencer at athensmobilepack@gmail.com or 706-340-3785 with any questions.

Announcements

Are You Graduating this Spring/Summer?



The Catholic Center would like to celebrate this milestone with you and your family. We will have a Baccalaureate Mass at 11:15 AM followed by lunch on Friday, May 12, for graduating seniors and graduate students. Please RSVP by filling out the Google Form: <https://forms.gle/fRcwSnGkB9KpjPD48> or use this QR code.



Silver Angels Meets Tuesday

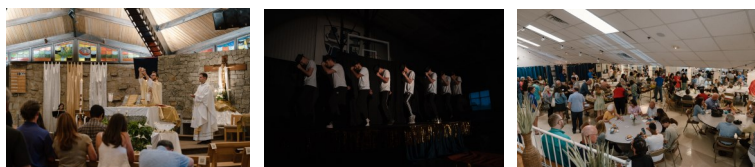
All those 60+ and young at heart are invited to join UGA students for lunch, games and fellowship in the Center Hall this Tuesday at 12PM. You are encouraged to write letters of encouragement and advice to our graduating seniors as they move on to the next chapter of their lives. Silver Angels will be taking a break for the summer and will be back with the beginning of the fall semester!

Summer Schedule

Beginning May 14th and through the Summer, we will return to our Summer schedule. Weekend Masses will be Saturday at 5PM and Sunday mornings at 8AM & 10:30AM.

Mr. Catholic Center & Family Weekend at the Catholic Center!

The CSA hosted our first ever family weekend on April 21-22! They kicked off the weekend with a hugely successful Mr. Catholic Center competition. With over 200 people in attendance this has been the largest production to date. On Saturday, we hosted all of our college students and families at the Catholic Center beginning with Mass and a reception after. The Catholic Center has been a home away from home to all of our college students and we were so excited to share this community!



Attention graduates and alumni!

The Catholic Center wants to engage alumni and provide opportunities to remain connected with and give back to the Catholic Center after graduation. Scan the QR code to register and stay in touch!



Consider Donating to the CC!

Naming the parish endowment fund as a full or partial beneficiary of your individual retirement account or 401(k) is a simple way to benefit your parish forever. This is easy and costs you nothing during your lifetime. For more information, contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation at jgreco@cfnga.org or 404.497.9440 or go to cfnga.org

Honor Your Mother With a Novena

Mother's Day is coming up. We have Mother's Day cards for a Mother's Day Novena. Mothers, both living and deceased will be remembered at all of the Masses beginning on Mother's Day. Cards can be picked up in the chapel and in the front office. Fill out the large envelope and return with your donation to the office by Wednesday, May 10th and then give the card to your loved one! Suggested donation is \$10. We will remember & honor our mothers in the bulletin!

Help With Funeral Receptions

We are looking for help with funeral receptions here at the Catholic Center. If you feel called to serve in this ministry, please consider signing up to be on our Funeral Receptions Committee. You may sign up on the website or with the QR code.



Save the Date for the Dooley Classic

Mark your calendar for the 21st Annual Dooley Classic Golf Tournament on **September 8th** 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	Alberta Foster	Michelle Linton	Sophia Rodriguez
Sally Allen	Sylvia Floyd	Ginny Lynch	David Simmons
Tory Bowles	Denise Goins	Cecille Maher	Dave Sterberg
Peter Bryan	Jonathan Guerra	Ron Makula	Alyssa Thomas
Cindy Bullist	Victoria Guerra	Carol Mazurek	Frank Trocino
Grace Byrne	Charlene Hall	Kevin Noble	Thelma Tuley
Joanne Cabrera	Bob Henry	Janna Nugent	Jake Wilson
Jeanette Campbell	Geraldine Higgins	Margaretta O'Shea	Bryan Vaughn
Lora Bernstein Cooley	George Huban	Daniel O'Sullivan	Joanne Waldron
Tony DiPietro	Dean Kimbaris	Lou Perno	Paul Waring
John Doyle	James Law	Shirley Puskarz	Don Young
Henry Eckles	Tom Lauth	Lou Richt	

With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones, especially Richard Lynch, Nate Grider and Joan Weiss.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for May: We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

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.

April 23, 2023	April 30, 2023
\$8,744.20 - Offertory	\$12,147.62 - Offertory
\$3,500.00 - Donations	\$3,046.00 - Donations
\$426.00 - Alms	\$311.00 - Alms

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