



The Catholic Center

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Communities Since 1952



ALL ARE WELCOME

Mass Intentions

Saturday
5PM - Charles Alesi †

Sunday
8AM - Carl Orlando †
10:30AM - Pam Carson †

Monday
5:30PM - Nate Grider †

Tuesday
5:30PM - Amanda Frankson

Wednesday
5:30PM - Carol Mazurek

Thursday
5:30PM - Elaine Patricia Lynch †

Friday
8AM - CC Members



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Dear Catholic Center Community,
Fr Brian and Fr Michael are celebrating 5 years of priesthood on Father's day weekend!



Feel free to send them an email, a card, make Fr Michael your favorite dessert, or simply say an extra prayer. Know that warm wishes are more than enough. We will have baskets in the Chapel for cards.

We will be praying for them at Mass the next two weekends in thanksgiving for their vocations and for their service here at the Catholic Center!

Liturgical Schedule

Mass:
Saturday: 5PM
Sunday: 8AM & 10:30AM
Mon-Thurs: 5:30PM
Fri: 8AM

Weekly Adoration:
On Break

Confession:
Wednesday: 4-5PM
Saturday: 3:30-4:30

Weekly Calendar

Saturday 6/10
3:30PM Reconciliation
5PM Mass

Sunday 6/11
8AM Mass
10:30AM Mass

Monday 6/12
5:30PM Mass

Tuesday 6/13
5:30PM Mass

Wednesday 6/14
4PM Reconciliation
5:30PM Mass

Thursday 6/15
5:30PM Mass
6:00PM Women's Dinner

Friday 6/16
8AM Mass
11:00AM Funeral for Thomas Lauth

Saturday 6/17
1:00PM Funeral for
3:30PM Reconciliation
5PM Mass & Diaz Baptism

Monday 6/19
CC Office Closed

Tuesday 6/20
4:00PM Golf Committee Meeting
5:30PM Mass
6:00PM Collegiate Knights

Religious Education Registration is Open!

Dear Catholic Center Community,

This year has flown by and what a wonderful RE year it was! We had 97 RE families register 130 students for the Religious Education Program and 47 adult Catechists that shared their Catholic Faith through commitment, Word, experience, prayer, and liturgy. We had 27 students who made their First Reconciliation and First Eucharist this May, along with 32 Confirmation Candidates, confirmed by Bishop Joel Konzen. Thank you to all the Parents, Catechists, and students who made this year extra special! If you know of anyone who is interested in our Religious Program here at the Catholic Center, please let me know. I would love to share what we are all about. I am always looking for Catechists for the 2023-2024 RE School Year, so parents and college students, if interested, let me hear from you, too. We wish you a safe and happy summer and looking forward in seeing you back in RE this September. Many blessings to all of you!

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We Love Our Volunteers - Join Us For Lunch!

Thank you to all the great volunteers that have helped here at the Catholic Center over the last few years. We will have an appreciation lunch for you, the volunteers, on June 25th at 12 pm in the center's hall. If you could, please RSVP by calling the front office or emailing Kitchen@ccatuga.org.

Women's Bible Study

On May 25, the Women's Bible Study gathered for the last time this academic year to thank God and celebrate the year of studying Psalms. We are off for the summer, and will resume in September. No background needed! Just come and learn with other women who desire to deepen their faith and enjoy fellowship with one another! If you are interested in participating in September, please contact Kathy McGill, kdm1941@gmail.com.



Announcements

RCIA Coordinator Job Opening

We are seeking an experienced and pastoral Sacramental Coordinator to work with adults and families preparing to receive the sacraments. They are responsible for all aspects of RCIA/OCIA, Adult Confirmation and Baptism preparation. The ideal candidate is rooted in their Catholic faith and passionate about accompanying others in their journey with God. Check the Catholic Center website for more information. Please email your resume to Fr. Brian McNavish to apply (frbrian@ccatuga.org).

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. For more information, contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation at jgreco@cfnga.org or 404.497.9440 or go to cfnga.org

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.



Religious Ed Sign Ups for

2023-2024

Registration for Religious Education for the 2023-2024 school year is open and available online on the CC website under the Religious Education tab. Please let me know if you have any questions or

St. Joseph School is Hiring

St. Joseph Catholic Parish School is hiring for the 2023-2024 school year! Open positions include; full-time elementary teachers, part-time elementary assistant teacher, part-time school counselor, and part-time art teacher. Please email the principal, Dr. Theresa Bangert, resume/CV, letter of interest, and references - theresa.bangert@sjsathens.org

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!



Join Fr. Brian on Pilgrimage

Journey to the Emerald Isle for a 10 day pilgrimage (Oct 28-Nov 6, 2023). The cost of the trip is \$4299 per person and includes round trip airfare, hotels, daily breakfast and select meals. Stop by the front office to pick up more information about the trip!

Women's Dinner

The Women's Dinner will be on Thursday, June 15th at 6:00PM. Please RSVP by Monday, June 12th.

Secular Franciscans

Two attendees of the Catholic Center - Tams Nicolson and Allison Salerno - were professed on June 3 as Secular Franciscans in the for the Stigmata of St. Francis Fraternity in Johns Creek. Please keep Tams and Allison in your prayers as they will keep you in theirs. Their professions took place at Our Lady of the Mountains in Jasper, Ga, and included two other professions. Mass was celebrated by Father Tri Nguyen, whose mother is a Secular Franciscan. Becoming a professed member involves three stages—orientation, inquiry, and a candidacy period of at least 18 months.

SJS Coaches

St. Joseph Catholic School in Athens is looking for a Middle School Cross Country coach and a Middle School Volleyball coach for the fall season. Coaching experience is preferred, but not mandatory. The volleyball season runs August-September, while the cross country season runs August through mid-October. Any applicant would have to pass a background check and be Virtus certified prior to the start of the season. Both are paid positions. If you are interested and want more information, please contact Chris Moore at chris.moore@sjsathens.org.

We Lift Up in Prayer

John Paul Abrigo
Charlotte & Joel Alesi
Sally Allen
Tory Bowles
Peter Bryan
Cindy Bullist
Grace Byrne
Joanne Cabrera
Jeanette Campbell
Lora Bernstein Cooley
Mia Corte
Tony DiPietro

John Doyle
Henry Eckles
Sylvia Floyd
Alberta Foster
Elia Fuentes
Denise Goins
Jonathan Guerra
Victoria Guerra
Charlene Hall
Bob Henry
Geraldine Higgins
George Huban

James Law
Michelle Linton
Ginny Lynch
Cecille Maher
Gina Maherka
Carol Mazurek
Kevin Noble
Margaretta O'Shea
Daniel O'Sullivan
Amor Mendoza Perez
Lou Perno
Lou Richt

Sophia Rodriguez
David Simmons
Dave Sterberg
Alyssa Thomas
Frank Trocino
Bryan Vaughn
Joanne Waldron
Paul Waring
Don Young

With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones, especially Richard Lynch, Georgiann Garratt, Thomas Lauth, and Ricardo Guerra.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for June: We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

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.

May 28, 2023	June 4, 2023
\$11,671.67 - Offertory	\$14,672.91 - Offertory
\$2,375.00 - Donations	\$1,196.00 - Donations
\$1314.00 - Alms	\$491.00 - Alms

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