



The Catholic Center

Serving the Athens and University of Georgia
Communities Since 1952



ALL ARE WELCOME

Mass Intentions

Saturday 5PM - Catholic Center Men	Tuesday 5:30PM - Don Desmond †
Sunday 8AM - All Fathers 10:30AM - Isobelle Ellis †	Wednesday 5:30PM - All Fathers
Monday 5:30PM - Mirian Portel & Laura Diaz-Royas	Thursday 5:30PM - All Fathers
	Friday 8AM - All Fathers

We Love Our Volunteers - Join Us For Lunch!

Thank you to all of 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 25 at 12PM in the Center Hall. Please join us to celebrate your service. "A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed" (Proverbs 11:25).

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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
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Weekly Calendar

Saturday 6/24

1PM Sanchez Wedding
2PM Graduate Student
BBQ
3:30PM Reconciliation
5PM Mass
6:30 PM Korean Mass &
Potluck

Sunday 6/25

8AM Mass
10:30AM Mass
12PM Volunteer
Appreciation Lunch

Monday 6/26

5:30 PM Mass

Tuesday 6/27

9AM Our Daily Bread
5:30PM Mass

Wednesday 6/28

4PM Reconciliation
5:30PM Mass

Thursday 6/29

5:30PM Mass

Friday 6/30

8AM Mass

Saturday 7/1

3:30PM Reconciliation
5:00PM Mass

A Message from Fr. Brian

Dear Catholic Center Community,

At Mass, we 'remember' the passion, death and resurrection of Christ. In a mysterious way, it becomes present by our act of remembering. We recall not an event in the past, but an event that is in the past and now also in the present. We are only able to do this by the grace of God.

This 'remembering' is a special aspect of our Catholic faith. If you remember, each Sunday during the Easter season, we 'remember' our baptism by the sprinkling of water at the beginning of mass. We aren't just remembering an event that is in the past, but a currently reality, namely, that we are beloved sons and daughters of God today and every day.

In the Old Testament, the Jewish people always 'remembered' how God freed them from captivity in Egypt. They actively and intentionally 'remembered' each year together as a community. This brought into their consciousness how their God of deliverance is alive and present with them.

Jesus tells us to take the true bread and the true wine and to do this in 'remembrance' of Him. He is not only present during the event, and we're not only recalling an event, but we are united with Him at the event. It's something mysterious and perhaps confusing, but it is a gift for us. The Eucharist is a gift for us and for our families. We are invited to 'remember.'

In Christ,
Fr. Brian

Next Week's Second Collection

Next weekend's 2nd collection will be for Peter's Pence, the financial support offered to the Holy Father as a sign of sharing in the concern of the Successor of Peter for the different needs of the Universal Church and for the relief of those in need. Peter's Pence supports the Holy Father's mission throughout the world. Donations also aid people in difficulty, populations afflicted by natural disasters and wars, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance or support for development.

Visiting Priests for Daily Masses

We will have visiting priests for a few daily Masses this summer. Below are the dates that we will have a visiting priest at Daily Mass.

Thursday, 7/6	Friday, 7/21
Friday, 7/7	Thursday, 8/3
Thursday, 7/20	Friday, 8/4

Announcements

5 Year Anniversary

Fr. Brian and Fr. Michael celebrated 5 years of priesthood this past weekend! Feel free to send them an email, a card, make Fr. Michael your favorite dessert, or simply say an extra prayer. Please know that warm wishes are more than enough. We will be praying for them at Mass this weekend in thanksgiving for their vocations and for their service here at the Catholic Center!

Join Fr. Brian on Pilgrimage

If you are signed up or considering the Ireland Pilgrimage with Fr. Brian (Oct 28-Nov 6, 2023), you are invited to an informational Meeting on Friday, July 7, at 6PM in the Center. A representative from the Archdiocese Pilgrimage Journey will discuss the trip in detail and answer any questions you have. Please RSVP to Lynn Renna at 706-338-3434.

Our Daily Bread Sign ups

The Catholic Center partners with Downtown Ministries to serve our neighbors the love of God through the vehicle of food. We provide a nutritious meal for 150 guests with gracious hospitality. The meals are prepared at the Catholic Center kitchen and delivered and served to guests at First Baptist Church on the 4th Tuesday of each month. Volunteers are needed each month. The Sign-up Genius can be found on Facebook.

A/V Volunteers

We are so thankful for our group of A/V volunteers, but they deserve a break every now and then. Running the slides at mass is easier than you might think! If you are interested in serving the Catholic Center community in this capacity, please contact Jayne Edwards at music@ccatuga.org

St. Joseph School is Hiring

St. Joseph Catholic Parish School is seeking elementary teachers for the 2023-2024 school year! If you or anyone you know is interested in working at a wonderful Catholic school, please email the principal, Dr. Theresa Bangert - Jenni and our office can get you the contact information!

Register for the Dooley Classic

Mark your calendar for the 21st Annual Dooley Classic Golf Tournament on **September 8** at the UGA Golf Course. Proceeds benefit the Catholic Student Association. We hope you can join us this year! Registration is live on the CC website!



Religious Ed Sign Ups for 2023-2024

We are pleased to Welcome four new families to the CC Community and our RE Program: The Cockrans, Fairmans, Kalims and Revaks. We are looking forward to having your children in our RE Program this fall. Presently, we have 18 Families Registered with a total of 31 students. Please consider registering for RE online at ccatuga.org.

Knights of Columbus Golf Fundraiser

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank all who participated in our 23rd annual golf outing at the UGA golf course. We had a great day with 92 golfers. Most importantly, we raised over \$9,500 to support the charitable works of the Knights of Columbus. We thank you again and look forward to another great tournament in the upcoming year!

Piano Donation Thank You

The Catholic Center staff would like to express their immense gratitude to Roger and Karen Stonecipher, who generously donated their baby grand piano. It is truly a gift to the church. Please thank the Stoneciphers when you see them!

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).

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
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
Brenda Thomas
Frank Trocino
Bryan Vaughn
Joanne Waldron
Paul Waring
Amanda Wershing
Don Young
Edwin Valido

With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones, especially David Buchanan and Dolores Wilson

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.

June 11, 2023

\$9,550.65 - Offertory
\$550.00 - Donations
\$988.10 - Alms

June 18, 2023

\$11,634.09 - Offertory
\$6,505.00 - Donations
\$154.00 - Alms

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