



The Catholic Center

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ALL ARE WELCOME

Mass Intentions

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| Saturday
5PM - Vince Dooley † | Tuesday
5:30PM - Olivia Portel |
| Sunday
8AM - Catherine Pfeiffer Shershin † | Wednesday
8AM - All Souls' Novena |
| 10:30AM - Karla Diaz | 12PM - All Souls |
| 5PM - Arling Eugene Whittington † | 5:30PM - Edith Ellsworth † |
| Monday
5:30PM - Bernadette McKinney | Thursday
5:30PM - William J. McCarthy † |
| | Friday
8AM - All Souls |

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In Memory of Our Loved Ones

Throughout November, the Book of the Dead will be in the Chapel to write the names of your deceased loved ones. If you are not able to come to the Chapel, please contact the Catholic Center Office at 706-543-2293. The book will be processed with the gifts at each Mass in November.

All Saints' & All Souls' Schedule

- Wednesday, November 1 - All Saints' Day:
Mass - 8AM, 12PM & 5:30PM
- Thursday, November 2 - All Souls' Day:
Mass - 5:30PM

Liturgical Schedule

Mass: Saturday: 5PM (except on football home games) Sunday: 8AM, 10:30AM & 5PM Mon-Thurs: 5:30PM Fri: 8AM	Adoration: Mon & Thurs: 9AM-5PM Tues, Wed, Fri: 9AM-10AM
	Confession: Wednesday: 4-5PM Saturday: 3:30-4:30PM (except on football home games)

Weekly Calendar

- Saturday 10/28**
3:30PM Reconciliation
5PM Mass
6:30PM Korean Mass & Potluck
- Sunday 10/29**
8AM Mass & Ebot/Ojong Baptism
10:30AM Mass
1:30PM Apologetics Class
5PM Mass
7PM Men's Discernment Group
- Monday 10/30**
9AM Adoration
10AM Men's Bible Study
5:30PM Mass
- Tuesday 10/31**
9AM Adoration
5:30PM Mass
8PM CSA Seeking Water
- Wednesday 11/1**
All Saints' Day- Office Closed
8AM Mass
9AM Adoration
12PM Mass
4PM Reconciliation
5:30PM Mass
8PM CSA Ignite
- Thursday 11/2**
All Souls' Day
9AM Adoration
10AM Women's Bible Study
5:30PM Mass
6PM Aquinas 101
7PM RCIA
- Friday 11/3**
8AM Mass
8:30AM Adoration
CSA Semi-Formal
- Saturday 11/4**
No Mass- Home Football Game

A Message from Lynn Renna

Dear Catholic Center Community,

"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind." This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is this, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." The whole law and the prophets depend on these two commandments (Mt 22:24-30).

In other words, everything we believe is summed up in these decrees and represents a homily unto itself.

The following story puts flesh and blood on Jesus' words in today's Gospel. Dan Begley boarded his plane in Seattle, hoping to get a lot of work done before arriving in Dallas. Just then, a mother and three little boys got on.

You guessed it: the two older ones took the seats next to him. The mother and a four-year-old sat directly behind him.

Once the plane was airborne, the two boys began to argue. They also turned around every 10 minutes to ask their mother: "Where are we now?"

Dan's irritation rose to a high level of anger. Then a strange inner voice said: "Love these kids as if they were your own."

So Dan set aside his planned work, got out the in-flight magazine, turned to the flight map, and showed the two boys the route from Seattle to Dallas.

Dan then divided the route into 15-minute lengths so that they could see exactly where there were at any given moment. Finally, Dan went on to explain to them a lot of interesting facts about planes.

As the plane touched down in Dallas, Dan happened to ask about their father. There was a short silence. Then one of the boys said softly: "He died. We just buried him in Seattle."

When they entered the terminal, the two boys thanked Dan warmly. Dan fought back tears and said: "And I thank you for what you just taught me."

We learn from the story of Dan Begley and today's Gospel that Jesus encourages us to strive more and more to love as He did - not in a minimal way, but in a maximal way - with all our heart, with all our soul and with all our mind.

Ask yourself: "How readily do I express my feelings to my loved ones?" These feelings are summed up in a letter written by my late Uncle Jack Holmes. While stationed in Europe during WWII 1945, Army Air Corp, he wrote to his sweet young wife, Aunt Susie, during a dangerous time in his military service: "I shall always be with you in the brightest day and in the darkest of nights."

Loving God with all your heart means to love Him with your life. Love God with your heart by living a loving, faith-filled and purpose-driven life.

God enables us to obey this command and love Him with all that we are, so God is delighted in the love He receives from His people. After all, an intense desire to love God with all of our being is the only proper response "to the One who did not spare His own Son, but handed Him over for us all, how will He not also give us everything else along with Him" (Rom. 8:32)?

Always,

Lynn Renna

Announcements

Denny Towers Thanksgiving Dinner

It's that time again! Our annual Denny Towers Thanksgiving Dinner is just a few weeks away! Denny Towers is a low income/affordable housing community high-rise in downtown Athens. Every year, the Catholic Center sponsors a Thanksgiving Dinner for the residents. We have several opportunities available for anyone who would like to share their time, talent and treasure with us. This year, we will again be preparing the dinner over a two-day period—Saturday, Nov. 18, and Sunday, Nov. 19. If cooking and serving are not something you can do at this time, we definitely need grocery items! Please check the bulletin next week for our Sign-Up Genius link to volunteer! We REALLY need you! Please email any questions to Sherre Watwood at sgwatwood@gmail.com or Ann Evans at annmariee@me.com. Please visit ccatuga.org/ volunteer to find out more specific information!

Cooks Needed for Veterans Day!

We are in need of casseroles for our Veterans Mass and Brunch. If you would like to make a casserole (or 2) email Leta Salazar at lsalazar.sc@gmail.com or Stephanie Chirello at rschirello@gmail.com by October 31, 2023.

Veterans Day Mass & Brunch

The Catholic Center is hosting a Mass and Brunch on Friday, November 10, at 9AM to honor all of the veterans in our parish. All veterans, family and friends are invited to attend this event!

Craft Fair on November 18!

Start your Christmas shopping early at the Artist and Craft Fair on Saturday, Nov. 18, from 9AM-2PM. Check out the products that many of the talented artists in our community have made. Refreshments will be available. Please contact 706-543-2293 or stewardship@ccatuga.org for more information.

Knights of Columbus Donut Ministry

The Georgia Martyrs Knights of Columbus will be have donuts available after the 8AM & 10:30AM Masses on Sunday, November 5.

All Souls' Novena

We will remember and honor our deceased with a Novena beginning on Nov. 2 for All Souls' Day. Pick up an envelope in the back of the Chapel. You may add the names of your deceased loved ones and return it to the offertory basket or the Center Office by Nov. 1. Please take the All Souls' Day prayer card out of the envelope before you return it.

All Saints' Day Parking Information

All Saints' Day Mass times on Wednesday, Nov. 1, are at 8AM, 12PM & 5:30PM. Parking for 8AM & 12PM will ONLY be available in official Catholic Center lots. Parking for 5:30PM will be available in Catholic Center lots, the Global Engagement Center and at Campus View Church. Parking is also available at the UGA South Campus Parking Deck next to the Georgia Center during all Mass times. Though, this is subject to availability and an hourly fee.

Home Football Game Reminders

There is a home football game on Saturday, Nov. 4. The parking lot will be closed on Friday at 6PM and will reopen on Sunday for 8AM Mass. Additionally, there will be no mass or confession that Saturday.

Religious Education

THANKS to our Confirmation Candidates for hosting the RE Family Fun Carnival. Thanks also to their parents, who supplied all the donation for this fun event, our Knights of Columbus who supplied and grilled all of the dinner food, our sweet Ladies from Social Graces who baked all of the delicious cookies, and our Catechists who helped with the Carnival Needless to say, it was a huge success because our RE Families came to support this annual ministry event. Thank you to everyone. Just a reminder that there will be no RE on All Saints' Day.

St. Joseph's All Saints' Party

All are invited to join the St. Joseph's Parish for an All Saints' Party on Thursday, Nov. 2, from 5:30-7:30 PM in the St. Joe's Gym. Children are encouraged to wear a Saint costume. There will be games, prizes and a dinner including hotdog, chips, fruit, cookie and a drink for \$5/person or \$20/family.

We Lift Up in Prayer

John Paul Abrigo
Charlotte & Joel Alesi
Sally Allen
Melani Atmodjo
Peter Bryan
Cindy Bullist
Grace Byrne
Joanne Cabrera
Jeanette Campbell
Seymour Castro
Lora Bernstein Cooley
Mia Corte

Sylvia Floyd
Patty Goodwin
Jonathan Guerra
Victoria Guerra
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Amor Mendoza Perez
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Lou Richt
Sophia Rodriguez
Ann Schrauth
Deborah Scott

Tom Shuster
David Simmons
Eileen Sinda
Terri Strickland
Alyssa Thomas
Brenda Thomas
Edwin Valido
Bryan Vaughn
Joanne Waldron
Dorothy Wasko
Amanda Wershing

With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones, especially Patrick Dempsey, Mike Jenkins and Tom Jones

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for October: We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of 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.

October 15, 2023

\$13,091.21 - Offertory
\$3,363.00 - Donations
\$221.05 - Alms

October 22, 2023

\$8,204.94 - Offertory
\$4,690.00 - Donations
\$349.00 - Alms

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