

August 16, 2020

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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In the past month, our students have been working hard converting the upstairs apartment into additional meeting and study spaces. With the approval of the Finance Committee, small renovations and additions have taken place. This expansion allows our college young adults to have a welcoming space to spread out. Although there are increased restrictions right now with COVID, this space will be an appreciated addition in the long run. Starting next Sunday, August 23 we will add Student Masses at 4PM and 6PM. Also, instead of the regular meal that was served after Mass, there will be food To-Go. We are need of additional volunteers for both cooking and preparing these to-go boxes. To sign-up please visit the link on our website homepage.

While we know this school year is bound to look very different, Fr. Brian and I are increasingly excited for it to begin. Fr. Brian has been actively planning with the CSA Board in designing opportunities for both spiritual and community growth. Let us continue to pray for those working to find a vaccine and for that time when life may return to a more “normal” pace.

Thanks again for your support, encouragement and prayers for our college youth. Let’s keep all returning faculty, staff, students and administration in our prayers.

Blessings in Christ,

Fr. Fred

Mass Readings

Saturday - Eileen Sopera †

Sunday - Is 56:1, 6-7/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28

8AM - Jerry Foley †

11AM - Patrick Critch †

Monday - Ez 24:15-24/Mt 19:16-22

5:30PM - Sara Burns (int)

Tuesday - Ez 28:1-10/Mt 19:23-30

5:30PM - Sara Burns (int)

Wednesday - Ez 34:1-11/Mt 20:1-16

8:00AM - Fr. Jim Blount (int)

Thursday - Ez 36:23-28/Mt 22:1-14

5:30PM - Martin Burns (int)

Friday - Ez 37:1-14/Mt 22:34-40

8:00 AM—Sarah Burns (int)

SCHEDULE UPDATES!

Our new Liturgy Schedule will go into effect Monday, August 17.

Mass Schedule

Mon-Thurs	5:30 PM
Friday	8:00 AM
Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	8:00 AM
	11:00 AM
	4:00 PM
	6:00 PM

Confession

Wednesday	4:00 - 5:00 PM
Saturday	3:30 - 4:30 PM

Office Hours

Mon - Fri 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Student Ministries

*Meet in the Chapel with Masks

Seeking Water

Every Other Tuesday at 8:00 PM

Ignite

Wednesdays at 8:00 PM

Arch

Thursdays at 8:00 PM

Other ministries will be announced on our

VOLUNTEER WITH US!

We have a number of upcoming volunteer opportunities here at the Catholic Center. Our Catholic Center members are incredibly generous with their time and talents. Thank you so, so much! If you have been wanting to volunteer but just don't know how to begin, here's your chance. Check out these awesome opportunities! As always, if you have any questions, please contact the Catholic Center office at 706-543-2293.

Money Counter- Money counters are needed every Monday morning at 9:30AM to count the offertory and other income for the week. You will be scheduled once every 4 weeks to count. Training is provided. To volunteer, please contact the Catholic Center office.

Desserts for Our Students - We are asking for individually wrapped desserts (brownies, cookies, etc.) for our first Sunday Night Dinner on August 23. Please deliver these by Friday, August 21. We will keep any extra desserts for our Welcome Week Cookout! It is important to have the desserts individually wrapped so that we minimize the number of people handling the food.

Our Daily Bread - The Catholic Center prepares a meal to be distributed at Our Daily Bread with Downtown Ministries. We need 6 volunteers each week to prepare the meal, box it up and deliver it. The sign-up is posted on our website homepage.

Chapel Cleaning - Every Friday morning after the 8AM Mass, we are asking for volunteers to help us keep the Chapel beautiful with light cleaning such as vacuuming, wiping down pews, etc. This should take less than one hour. The sign-up is posted on our website homepage.

Welcome Week Cookout and Sunday Night Dinners - We still want to feed our students! Help is needed to help prepare food and package to-go foods. The cookout is on Friday, August 28 and Sunday Night Dinners are each week. Both of the sign-ups are on our website homepage.

Red Cross Blood Drive - The Catholic Center will hold a Blood Drive on Monday, August 24th, from 2:30PM to 7:00PM. The American Red Cross has an urgent need for blood donations to prevent blood shortage as hospitals resume surgical procedures and patient treatments that were temporarily paused earlier this spring in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Healthy individuals who are feeling well are asked to make an appointment to donate. Sign up online at redcrossblood.org using sponsor code: UGACC or call the office at 706-543-2293.

We appreciate all our volunteers and coordinators. Thank you for your service.

GRADUATE STUDENT/YOUNG PROFESSIONAL FELLOWSHIP (GSYPF) BIBLE STUDY

The GSYPF Bible study will begin its Fall study on Monday, September 14 at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom. Newcomers are always welcome. For more information, contact Christy Sinksen at 706-613-0921 or csinksen@uga.edu.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education Classes will begin virtually on Wednesday, September 16 for grades 1-8, from 6:00-7:15PM.
Confirmation Classes will begin virtually Monday, September 14 from 7:00-8:45PM.
Pre-K and Kindergarten will begin virtually on Sunday, September 13, from 9:15-10:30AM.

If you haven't already registered, please do so on-line at the Catholic Center's website. Our religious education program will begin digitally on zoom. If you have any questions, please contact Lynn Renna at dre@ccatuga.org.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Congratulations to the following students who received their First Holy Communion.

Annabella Bergquist, Harrison Bluhm, Cooper Davenport, Everett Ewing, Sam Fishburn, Colin Frew, Brice Giliespie, Will Grayson, McClellan Greer, Reagan Johnson, Kylie Katt, Courtney Muench, Tommy Nix, Stella Palladino, William Pearson, Charlotte Pegan, John Ashley Reese, Nadine Silk, Rebekah Vongkunthong, Judah Watwood, Cameron Wegmann, Charlie Whitworth, Mary Margaret Williams

FINANCIAL GIVING UPDATES

Thank you for continuing to generously share your treasures with the Catholic Center for its operations, ministries, and outreach programs. For any questions or concerns, please contact the Center.

August 2, 2020

Offertory \$8,980.49 Alms \$523.00

August 9, 2020

Offertory \$8,173.22 Alms \$62.00

WE LIFT UP IN PRAYER

Rosilyn Andrews, Bob Brownlie, Shirley Bundy, Bill Burden, Grace Byrne, Brian Carr, Marty Connell, Lori Craig, Patrick Critch, Fr. Noel Danielewicz, OFM, Conv., Norma d'Azzo, Betty DeGuilo, Elena Dekazos, Pilar Delaplane, George Dougherty, Carlos Figueroa, Carol Garbon, Mildred George, Amy Hartwell, Kurt Huberty, Ann Johnson, Mikel Nicolo, Barbara O'Brien, Sharon Perrine, Norah Risher, Tom Risher, Joel Rivera, Ann Schrauth, Carole Seeley, Jimmy Simons, Eileen Sinda, Peggy Sudruth, Doug Tigert and Joan Weiss.

With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones especially Joey Costyn.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for August

We pray for all those who work and live from the sea, among them sailors, fishermen and their families.

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