



# The Catholic Center

Dear Catholic Community at UGA:

I want us to think of all the college young adults, faculty and staff that have passed through the Catholic Center over the decades. Since I've arrived here at UGA, I've discovered that we do not have an ALUMNI LIST. It's my hope that we can begin to compile names and contact info. You all are the best way of connecting us with names and contact information. We want to begin a quarterly newsletter that we send out via email to make people aware of what's happening at the Catholic Center.

On our website we'll have the link to adding alumni names and contact information. SPREAD THE WORD!

Blessings,

*Fr. Fred*

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## Mass Readings

### Saturday

5PM - CC Members (int)

**Sunday** - Wis 6:12-16/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13

8AM - Don Desmond †

11AM - Christopher E. Kalafut †

4PM - UGA Students

6PM - CSA Board Members

**Monday** - Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

5:30PM - Oasis Catolico (int.)

**Tuesday** - Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Lk 17:7-10

5:30PM - Seeking Water Ministry

**Wednesday** - Ti 3:1-7/Lk 17:11-19

5:30PM - Military Veterans

**Thursday** - Phlm 7-20/Lk 17:20-25

5:30PM - RCIA Catechumens & Sponsors

**Friday** - 2 Jn 4-9/Lk 17:26-37

8:00 AM - Deceased Friars of the Holy Name Province

## PRAYER FOR VETERANS DAY

Lord, today we seek to honor your sons and daughters who have served or who are serving our country. We are reminded that because of their service we can live in safety.

We ask that you abundantly bless those who have previously served. May their service time be rewarded in every way. May they gain many blessings from their unselfish love of country.

We remember those who are currently serving and ask that you provide them with your protection, your strength, and your peace. We ask that you would abundantly provide for all their needs. Enable them to overcome every personal and professional obstacle and protect their families from hurt and harm.

Loving God, give special recognition to our wounded warriors. We realize that many of our heroes are dealing with physical and emotional wounds that occurred as a result of their time of service to our country. May they be given the best treatments available and that you would add your blessings to all the efforts given to them to help them. Please show them miracles as they seek to gain health, stability, and wholeness.

May each of our veterans feel honored not just today but every day.

Amen

**GRADUATE STUDENT/YOUNG PROFESSIONAL FELLOWSHIP (GSYPF) BIBLE STUDY**

The GSYPF Bible study is on break through the holiday season and will resume in the New Year. For more info, contact Christy Sinksen at 706-613-0921 or [csinksen@uga.edu](mailto:csinksen@uga.edu).

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

Women's Bible Study has resumed on Thursdays at 10AM via Zoom. Sister Uyen-Chi is the moderator of the group. All are welcome! Please email Kathy McGill at [jmmcgill2@bellsouth.net](mailto:jmmcgill2@bellsouth.net) if you are interested.

**ANNUAL TURKEYPALOOZA DRIVE**

The Catholic Center will again participate in the 9th Annual Turkeypalooza. This can drive will collect food to provide holiday meals for older adults and families and home bound individuals. Turkeypalooza is a partnership between Campus Kitchen and the Athens Community Council on Aging (ACCA). This year the Catholic Center's Can Drive Goal will be 200 cans of Green Beans. We will start collecting cans from NOW until Nov. 13th. There will be a box in the Center lobby to collect the cans. Thank you for helping these families and individuals celebrate Thanksgiving!

**Congratulations** to Taylor Muir and Camille Davenport for their confirmation on October 24 at St. Joseph Church!

**SAVE THE DATE**

This year Giving Tuesday will be December 1st, the first Tuesday after Thanksgiving. During this pandemic, the Catholic Center is asking the community to financially support families who have been greatly affected by Covid-19 through the ministry of Oasis Católico Santa Rafaela. Donations from Giving Tuesday will be used to buy rice and beans, pay utility and internet bills, help with rent payments, repair damaged roofs, and continue to provide virtual tutoring to students in 2nd grade through 5th. The link to donate will be provided in the next bulletin.

**THE WAY FOR MEN RETREAT NOVEMBER 20-22**

**The Way for Men** is a 3-day retreat for adult male survivors of abuse offered by the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Victim Assistance Program. **The registration deadline is Friday, November 13.** Please contact Sue Stubbs at (404) 920-7550 or [sstubbs@archatl.com](mailto:sstubbs@archatl.com) for more information.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORNER**

Welcome to the Knights of Columbus Corner at the Catholic Center UGA.

Veterans Day is a holiday instituted to remember our military personnel that voluntarily acted as the protectors of our nation while keeping us safe behind them.

The Knights of Columbus acknowledges this unselfish act of patriotism by promoting the "Serving Those Who Served" program.

The philosophy is simple: the men and women of the Armed Forces did not let the Nation down on the battlefield, and the Knights of Columbus will not let these veterans down now.

At the local level and as a token of remembrance we give away small national flags to the community. Your gracious donations will help us assist those veterans in need.

Join us in supporting our Veterans this weekend.

Mark your calendars for:

- Coats for Kids. November 14/15 & 21/22.
- Keep Christ in Christmas November 14/15 & 21/22.

See you next week

**KOC COAT DRIVE**

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting donations for our annual Coats for Kids drive after masses November 14-15 and November 22. We will accept monetary donations, new coats and lightly-used coats. \$18.33 will purchase a new coat for a child who might not otherwise have one to get through the winter. All coats go to kids in the Athens area through several outlets. We are always grateful for the support we get from the UGA Catholic Center. For more information contact John Steffl at 706-338-5551. "I was naked and you clothed me."

**ST. ANNA'S MUSIC DIRECTOR NEEDED**

St. Anna's in Monroe is looking for a Music Director who performs all duties relevant to the parish music program; works to coordinate all aspects of music for liturgical and worship services of the parish community. The candidate would recruit new members, handle organizational matters, help coordinate and plan music for special feasts, services and functions in the parish/ church, working in consultation with the pastor and other music staff personnel, work with RCIA and other staff persons in planning for special rites/ music in liturgies, conduct rehearsals and liturgy services as designated for assigned choir activities, arrange substitutes when unable to be present. Must be the main musician as one Mass each weekend, must equal to at least 60 Masses per year. The position starts at \$14,000 yearly. Please email your resume to [blake@st-annas.com](mailto:blake@st-annas.com).

**Catholic Center at UGA Financial Statement Available for Fiscal Year Ending 6/30/2020**

The Financial Statement for the Fiscal Year ending 6/30/2020 is posted on the Catholic Center website at [www.ccatuga.org/finances](http://www.ccatuga.org/finances). The Financial Statements have been reviewed and approved by the director and finance council. In addition, the Year End Parish Certification Letter has been submitted to the Archdiocese.

**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, please contact the Center.

**October 18, 2020**

Offertory \$10,563.00 Alms \$99.00

**November 1, 2020**

Offertory \$9,672.40 Alms \$754.00

**GIFTS PROVIDING TAX BENEFITS**

All 401Ks and retirement plans have beneficiaries. Leaving these plans to children can result in a large percentage going to taxes. Please consider naming the parish endowment fund as a beneficiary of your retirement plan – even if just a percentage. For information on changing beneficiaries on retirement plans, contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation of North Georgia at [jgreco@cfnga.org](mailto:jgreco@cfnga.org) or (404) 497- 9440. Learn more at [www.cfnga.org](http://www.cfnga.org).

**WE LIFT UP IN PRAYER**

Rosilyn Andrews, Huguette Bourgerly, Shirley Bundy, Bill Burden, Grace Byrne, Brian Carr, May Colley, Marty Connell, Lori Craig, Norma d'Azzo, Betty DeGuilo, Elena Dekazos, MaryAnn Deom, Carlos Figueroa, Carol Garbon, Mildred George, Amy Hartwell, Bob Henry, Kurt Huberty, Ann Johnson, Gordan Manning, 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, Dorothy Wasko and Joan Weiss.

**With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones especially Edward Shlesinger, Jr.**

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for November**

We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind.

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