



**THE CATHOLIC CENTER AT  
THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA**

**TO OUR VETERANS...THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE**

All Veterans, their families, and anyone who would like to honor our veterans are welcome to attend our annual Veterans Day Mass on Monday, November 11 at 9:00AM followed by a short program at the flagpole (weather permitting). The Silver Angels will then host a potluck brunch in the Center Hall. You are welcome to bring a dish to share. Join our Catholic Center members in thanking our Veterans who are serving our country and those who have given their lives in service to our country.



**UPDATE YOUR REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

If you have not updated your registration and contact information after the Masses or online, please do so as soon as possible. In order to be sure that end-of-year tax statements and other important communications reach all of our members, we need to ensure that the contact information is up-to-date. You may update your registration online or by calling the Catholic Center office.

To the UGA Catholic Center Community,

Your warm welcome for Fr. Michael and me, as we came to preach about the Franciscan Challenge, was truly an example of the wonderful Franciscan hospitality for which your community is known.

Your care and support of the Franciscan Friars who serve you now, and those to come in the future is evidence of the love you have for those who have served in the past.

Thank you for your participation in our annual Provincial fundraising event. Your gift ensures that the Franciscan spirit will endure in our world and in our church. A special thank you to Fr. Frank for welcoming us in such a wonderful fraternal way.

Many blessings,  
Fr. David Convertino, OFM

**MASS TIMES &  
SACRAMENTS**

**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM  
Sunday Student Mass: 5:00 PM  
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM

**Communion Service Schedule**

Tuesday/Thursday 5:00 PM  
Wednesday/Friday 8:00 AM

**Adoration**

Tuesday 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM

**Confessions**

There will be no Confessions this week since Fr. Frank will be away.

**ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK AT THE CENTER**

**Sunday 11/11**

10:00AM - RCIA Rite of Acceptance  
11:00AM - Jordan Baptism  
6:00PM - Student Dinner

**Monday 11/12**

9:00AM - Veterans Days Mass and Brunch (Chapel/Hall)  
7:00PM - GSYPF Meeting (TV)

**Tuesday 11/13**

6:00PM - Secular Franciscans (Library)  
6:30PM - Couples Bible Study (Lounge)  
7:00PM - Adoration (Chapel)  
7:00PM - RCIA Meeting (Hall)  
8:00PM - Seeking Water (Chapel)

**Wednesday 11/14**

6:15PM - Religious Education (Hall)  
8:00PM - IGNITE (Hall)

**Thursday 11/15**

7:00AM - Men's Bible Study (TV room)  
10:00AM - Women's Bible Study (TV)  
6:00PM - CSA Friendsgiving (Hall)

**Friday 11/16**

8:30AM - Breakfast Club (Hall)

**Saturday 11/17**

Home Football Game - No Mass

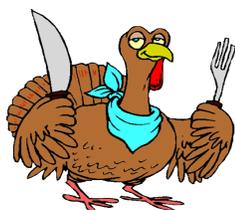
**Home Football Weekends**

Sat., Nov. 10, 17, and 24  
Remember:  
No Vigil Mass/Confession  
Parking lots close on  
Saturday at 8PM and Reopen  
Sunday at 8AM

To add activities/events to the Center calendar, email all requests to Jenni at [stewardship@cctuga.org](mailto:stewardship@cctuga.org).

**ANNUAL DENNY TOWERS  
THANKSGIVING DINNER**

The Catholic Center will host our 23rd Annual Thanksgiving Dinner at Denny Towers on Sunday, November 18th at 12:30 PM. As tradition, we will be serving the senior residents with a traditional Thanksgiving feast of turkey and all the trimmings, not forgetting LOTS of delicious desserts! It takes many hands to whip up this feast, so we are asking for volunteers to help with purchasing food items, cooking, setting up, serving, and cleaning up. If you are interested in helping – and kicking off your holiday season on a very positive note! – please contact Cathy Clutter at



**SUPPORT THE CATHOLIC CENTER ON GIVING TUESDAY.**

The Tuesday after Thanksgiving is officially named “Giving Tuesday”. The Catholic Center has opted to participate in #iGiveCatholic! Make a donation on the #iGiveCatholic website and the money will go towards Catholic Center ministries and CSA activities. Be sure to click on the Catholic Center at UGA.

#iGIVECATHOLIC



**TURKEYPALOOZA**

**SPECIAL CHALLENGE! THE CATHOLIC CENTER HAS BEEN CHALLENGED TO COLLECT AT LEAST 80 CANS OF PUMPKIN PUREE!!! LET’S GO!**

The Catholic Center is once again participating in Turkeypalooza, a seasonal event that provides holiday groceries and meals to older adult families and homebound individuals, organized by the Campus Kitchen organization at UGA and the Athens Community Council on Aging. Across Athens, members of our community will donate food to provide over 200 families with holiday meals and groceries. **We will be collecting cans of pumpkin puree until November 15th.**

**Donate Coats beginning November 17th!** The Knights of Columbus will conduct our annual **Coats for Kids** drive November 17th-18th and 24th-25th. We will be collecting gently used coats for kids and adults as well as monetary donations after all masses. \$18.33 will buy a coat for a child who would otherwise be cold this winter. Last year we were able to serve the needs of The Oasis at St. Raphael, NE GA food bank, and ACT Oconee food bank. With your generous support we will be able to help them, again. “When I was naked you clothed me...” - Matthew 25:36. Thank you for your support. For more information contact John Steffel at 706-338-5551.

**FR. FRANK IS SEEKING CREATIVE, ENTHUSIASTIC, FUN CATHOLIC CENTER MEMBERS FOR OUR FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE.**

The time commitment will be minimal. The committee will oversee and coordinate our fundraising efforts. Contact Fr. Frank at [frankofm@ccatuga.org](mailto:frankofm@ccatuga.org).



**THE BEREAVEMENT GROUP** meets at the Catholic Center on an as-needed basis. Meetings typically involve listening, optional sharing and helping each other on our journey in grief. No matter where you are in your journey (anticipatory grief, acute grief or long-standing grief) or if you feel you can contribute, please join us in our healing process. All are invited to attend! For more information please contact Mary Ellen Quinn at [mqumquienmqmquinn@augusta.edu](mailto:mqumquienmqmquinn@augusta.edu) or 706-546-1870.

**GRADUATE STUDENT/YOUNG PROFESSIONAL FELLOWSHIP (GSYPF) BIBLE STUDY** will next meet on Monday, November 12th at the Catholic Center to discuss Chapter 6 in the study guide "Colossians & Philemon: New Life in Christ." Newcomers are always welcome. For more information, contact Christy Sinksen at (706) 613-0921 or [csinksen@uga.edu](mailto:csinksen@uga.edu).

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS AND NOTES**

**No Religious Classes** from November 15th-25th due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

**ADVENT WREATHMAKING AND CHILI/HOTDOG LUNCH** on Sunday, December 2 at 11:00am (after 10:00am Mass). Students in our RE classes will be receiving more information and an order form.

**High School Student Mass on Sunday, December 2 at the 10:00AM Mass** Our Confirmation students will be helping with the Mass on this first Sunday in Advent.



Celebrating Halloween with our Ignite leaders and participants!!

Just a reminder that Ignite meets every Wednesday at 8:00PM. All freshmen are welcome!



The Catholic Beer Club will be making its debut in Athens on November 15th at 8pm at Little Kings Shuffle Club. The purpose of the Catholic Beer Club is to help young adult Catholics build authentic community. Their motto is “No agendas, just community and relationships”. If you are a graduate student or young professional, you are welcome to join us for our first event on November 15th! Look for the Pope Francis bobblehead. If you have any questions, please contact Angie at [csadirector@ccatuga.org](mailto:csadirector@ccatuga.org).



The Catholic Center's 4th Annual Interfaith Student

# Friendsgiving

November 15th from 6pm-8pm.  
Please bring a dish to share for this interfaith potluck.

ACTIVITIES, ANNOUNCEMENTS, FAITH FORMATION & OUTREACH (continued)

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HONORING OUR VETERANS:**

Our 4th Degree Knights of Columbus will be honoring Veterans Day by asking for donations as they pass out American Flags after masses on November 10th & 11th in the Narthex. All proceeds go to the Purple Heart Foundation. The 4th Degree of the Knights of Columbus is the Patriotic degree of the Order and teaches a high and noble patriotism, instills a love of country and holds up the Constitution of our Country as the richest and most precious possession of a Knight of the Order. The Purple Heart Foundation is the fundraising engine of the Military Order of the Purple Heart. They raise money to support The Order's programs and services. Through donations, grants and outreach programs, they lend support to and make direct contributions to veterans facing exceptionally difficult financial challenges. Please help us support our Veterans!



**FROM THE CATHOLIC CENTER WITH LOVE!** Greg Reece set off down the road to St. Domincs with a truck loaded with supplies for Hurricane Michael victims. A huge thank you to the Catholic Center members for their generosity. Also, thank you to our volunteers who helped load the truck and coordinate this effort.

**THANK YOU FOR DELIVERING HALLOWEEN CHEER!** Special thanks to our Catholic Center Faith Community for the generous donations of healthy snacks, note cards, and greeting cards. We filled and delivered 32 baskets to members of the Catholic Center who are homebound. Your kindness and generosity brought many smiles and messages of appreciation.



Sunday: 1Kgs 17:10-16; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44

**8AM – Maury Maher †**

**10AM – Don Desmond †**

**5PM – Jessica Kerber (int)**

Monday: Ti 1:1-9; Lk 17:1-6

**9AM - For All Deceased Veterans †**

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

Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7; Lk 17:11-19

Thursday: Phlm 7-20; Lk 17:20-25

Friday: 2Jn 4-9; Lk 17:20-25

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for November 2018: That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.**

**WE LIFT UP IN PRAYER**

Rosilyn Andrews, Jill Bittle, Andrew Paul Blanton, Grace Byrne, Tracy Dempsey Capizzi, Katie Beth Carey, Brenda Critch, Betty DeGuilo, Norma d'Azzo, Elena Dekazos, Steve Duncan, Jill Ennis, Valerie Fagan, Michele Flaherty, James Flannigan, Elizabeth Fox, Denise Gannon, Carol Garbon, Roxanne Gil, Phyllis Ginn, Gregory Glander, Ann Johnson, Richard Lynch, Adam Martin, Kate McCall, Camilla Mims, Barbara O'Brien, Bill Ozburn, Karen O'Boyle Pagoda, Myra Pawloski, Lee Prendergast, Denise Quinn, Sharon Perrine, Melissa Reilly, Tom Risher, Joel Rivera, Holiday Genevieve Ross, David Salum, Marge Smith, Martha Tucker, Grant Tyner, Larry Quattrocchi, Mary Lou Zeitler, Agnes and Dennis Adrian

**WITH DEEPEST SYMPATHY** our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones especially Elizabeth Nell Chambers, Elizabeth DePaolo and Kathy Dominguez

**FINANCIAL & BUSINESS**

**Archbishop Annual Appeal: Status as of 11/6/2018**

Goal:	\$52,600.00
Total Pledged & Received:	\$43,080.00
Amount Received:	\$34,732.76
Over/(Under) Goal:	(\$9,520.00)
Percent of Goal Pledged:	81.9%
Percent of Goal Received:	66.03%
Average Gift Amount:	\$224.38



Number of 2018 Donors: 192

Number of 2017 Donors: 259

**Offertory November 4, 2018**

Offertory	\$11,144.11	Alms	\$388.00
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**September, 2018 Monthly Re-Cap**

Offertory	\$44,597.04	Donations	\$5,545
Alms	\$896	Parent Fund	\$700
Building Fund	\$50	Franciscan Outreach	\$50
Football Parking	\$1140	CSA Activities	\$100

**Second Collections September 2018**

Cath. University	\$180	Mission Co-Op	\$10
World Mission	\$10	St. Vincent	\$605
GA Bulletin	\$15		

Thank you for your generous donations to the Catholic Center. Financial information is now uploaded to the our website. If you have question, contact our office.

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**BAPTISM:** Parents are required to attend a Baptism Preparation Class (Godparents welcomed). Classes are held every month.

**MARRIAGE:** Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance for preparation.

**RCIA:** A program for those who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith

**To schedule all Sacraments, please contact the office.**

**OFFICE HOURS**

Mon. - Thurs. 10-4PM  
Friday 10-2PM

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