



APRIL 21, 2019

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

The Catholic Center



My Dear Friends,

The question asked by the angel to the women on Easter morning is asked of us every morning of our lives: Why do we seek the living among the dead? Why do we expect meaning from what is doomed to nothing? Why do we center our days on things of limited value when God's love and grace abounds in our lives?

Easter is God's never-ending invitation to freedom, his raising us up from "tombs" of selfishness and fear and anger and hatred. In the light of Easter's empty tomb, every moment of forgiveness, every triumph of justice over persecution, every insistence of goodness in the face of horrendous evil, every act of compassion (no matter how simple or small) proclaims the good news that **Christ is Risen**. On this Easter Sunday, may we seek to bring such resurrection to the darkness and shadows around us; may we "bury" our own self-interests and wants for the sake of the greater good; may we allow ourselves to "die" in order that God may restore us to life in the wellspring of compassion and mercy that is the Risen Christ.

May the joy, peace and hope of Easter be yours. Thank you so much for all you have contributed and for all you have shared during this past Lenten season through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. You have lifted up many people in prayer and through your generosity have heeded the message of Christ, "What you have done to the least of these, you have done to me."

Thank you for blessing so many people.

Peace, Fr. Frank

Daily Mass	
Monday	12:15 PM
Tuesday	5:30 PM
Wednesday	7:30 AM
Thursday	5:30 PM
Friday	7:30 AM
Weekend Mass Schedule	
Saturday Vigil Mass	: 5:00 PM
Korean Mass (4/27)	: 6:30 PM
Sunday	: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 5:00 PM
Adoration	
Tuesday	: 7:00-7:45 PM
Reconciliation	
Wednesday	: 3:30 PM
Saturday	: 3:45 PM

Readings & Intentions	
Saturday - Easter Vigil Readings	8:30 PM - New RCIA Members
Sunday - Acts 10:34, 37-43, Col 3:1-4, Jn 20:1-9	8:00 AM - Catholic Center Members
	8:15 AM - Catholic Center Members
	10:00 AM - Kersten Kielly †
	10:15 AM - FMU*
Monday - Acts 2:14, 22-23, Mt 28:8-15	12:15PM- FMU*
Tuesday - Acts 2:36-41, Jn 20:11-18	5:30PM - Tailgate Tuesday Recipients (int.)
Wednesday - Acts 3:1-10, Lk 24: 13-35	7:30 AM - Ignite Program (int.)
Thursday - Acts 3:11-26, Lk 24: 35-48	5:30 PM - FMU*
Friday - Acts 4:1-12, Jn 21:1-14	7:30 AM - FMU*
*Franciscan Missionary Union	

IMPORTANT MASS CHANGES

Beginning Monday, April 29, there will be **NO** daily Mass on Mondays.

Daily Mass Schedule: Tuesdays and Thursdays 5:30PM
Wednesdays and Fridays 7:30AM

Sunday, May 5, 5PM will be the last Sunday 5PM Mass for the Spring semester. Sunday 5PM Masses will resume at the start of the Fall semester on August 11.

Weekly Calendar

The office will be CLOSED:
Easter Monday all day

Tuesday 4/23

9:30 AM Tailgate Tuesday (K)

7:00 PM Adoration (CH)

7:00 PM RCIA (H)

8:00 PM Seeking Fire (G)

Wednesday 4/24

6:15 PM RE Family Fun Night (H)

8:00 PM Ignite (H)

Thursday 4/25

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study (TV)

10:00 AM Women's Bible Study (TV)

Friday 4/26

8:00 AM Breakfast Club (H)

5:00 PM Reich/Lotz Wedding (CH)

Saturday 4/27

9:00 AM First Communion

Retreat & Rehearsal (CH, H)

1:00 PM Phi Kappa Theta Ceremony (CH)

6:00 PM Maloney Baptism (CH)

6:30 PM Korean Mass & Potluck



LENTEN DRIVES UPDATE

Thank you for your generosity during Lent and as we finish off these last donation drives. You truly showed the Lenten spirit of giving during this time, and through that we were able to help so many people!

STUFF THE SHELTER

If you picked up a tag in the chapel, please bring back your items to the stage by Wednesday, April 24. Monetary donations should be delivered to the front office. Thank you for helping us "stuff the shelter!"

HOMEBOUND EASTER GIFTS

Thank you to everyone who donated items for our Easter gifts to the homebound Catholic Center members. They joyfully expressed their gratitude as we delivered the Easter gifts. Special thanks to our Homebound Basket committee members, Linda DiPietro, Pat English, Alayne Makula, Marilyn Dapkus, and Annette Richt. If you know a Catholic Center member who is homebound and would like to receive a gift or Communion, please contact the office at 706-543-2293.

PRISON MINISTRY

The Catholic Center at UGA has done it again! The chaplain of the Transition Center in Atlanta said our donation was the largest haul they have ever received in one delivery. We assured him this is how we celebrate Palm Sunday in our little chapel at the north end of the Archdiocese. All the prisoners called on to help were very grateful and some corrections officers even pitched in to help us unload the items. It was a very festive mood in a usually dark environment.

Thank you for making this happen.



Religious Education

RE REGISTRATION

Religious Education Registration for the 2019-2020 school year will begin on Wednesday, April 24.

FAMILY RE FUN NIGHT

Saturday, April 27, starting at 6:00 PM, we will celebrate the last RE of the year with a family fun night! **All parents are asked to attend, no drop-offs!**

FIRST COMMUNION

RETREAT/REHEARSAL
The First Holy Communion Retreat is Saturday, April 27, at 8:45AM in the Center Hall. Retreat cost is \$5. A parent is required to join us in the Center Hall at 10:30 AM to help his/her child make their First Communion Banner. Rehearsal will begin at 11:30AM in the Chapel.

SUMMER BIBLE CAMP

Registration for the Catholic Center's Summer Bible Camp opens Wednesday, April 24. The camp is for Kindergarten to 8th Grade students. The theme is, "Mary, the Mother of Jesus." Bible Camp will run June 3-7 (Monday through Friday) from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. The cost for the week long Bible Camp is \$50.

Community Announcements

THANK YOU FATHER GERRY!

A huge thank you to Fr. Gerry Mudd, OFM, for joining us at the Catholic Center during Lent. Fr. Gerry was willing to lend a helping hand throughout the Catholic Center, from visiting the sick to liturgical help to helping with the Sunday night dinners. We wish Fr. Gerry well on his next adventure.

BR. CASEY COLE, OFM VISITING APRIL 24-27

Br. Casey will be making a brief visit to Athens on Wednesday, April 24, through Saturday, April 27. Be sure to welcome him if you see him around the Center. We look forward to having Br. Casey join us this summer.

SAVE THE DATE!

Mark your calendars for our 2019 Golf Tournament! The Catholic Center Classic will take place Saturday, August 24. More information coming soon!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GOLF TOURNAMENT

The 18th Annual KOC Charity Golf Tournament is Saturday, April 27, at the UGA Golf Course. Registrations forms are located in the Center Hall. For more information, contact Don Ragona at 706-207-9852.

CATHOLIC BEER CLUB

If you are 22+, a graduate student, or a young professional, we welcome you to join the Catholic Beer Club. The next event is Thursday, April 25, 8PM at Creature Comforts. Look for us with the Pope Francis Bobblehand. Contact Angie Hall for more info at csadirector@ccatuga.org.

GRADUATE STUDENT/YOUNG PROFESSIONAL FELLOWSHIP (GSYPF) BIBLE STUDY

The GSYPF Bible study is currently on break and will begin its summer study on Monday, June 3, at 7:00 PM at the Catholic Center. Newcomers are always welcome. For more info, contact Christy Sinksen at 706-613-0921 or csinksen@uga.edu.

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK

The Interfaith Hospitality Network is looking for volunteers to work as evening hosts with homeless families at Emmanuel Church. Volunteer training is on Tuesday, April 23, from 5:30 to 6:30 PM at Emmanuel Church. If you interested in volunteering with this organization or would like more information, please contact Robin Catmur-Smith at rvc062@gmail.com.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY AFFINIS HOSPICE



WE NEED YOU! VOLUNTEER WITH HOSPICE



SPECIAL PEOPLE THAT GIVE THE GIFT OF THEMSELVES TO OTHERS

VOLUNTEER A FEW HOURS A WEEK, A COUPLE HOURS A MONTH, OR ONE-TIME!

For more information or to volunteer, please contact Rebekah Goodson, Volunteer Coordinator 706-705-6000, rgoodson@affinishospice.org.

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Financial Giving

Thank you for generously sharing your gifts to the Catholic Center and its ministries. These totals reflect in church giving and on-line giving.

If you have any questions regarding the financials of the Catholic Center, please do not hesitate to contact Jessica Fox in our office at 706-543-2293.

April 14, 2019

Offertory \$8060.18 Alms \$152.01

February 2019 Monthly Income Re-Cap

Offertory	39,991.25
Alms	864.80
Donations	9,845.00
Chapel Rental	600.00
Donuts	174.39
Mass Stipends	1,130.00
Parent Fund	110.88
Building Fund	200.00
Football Parking	2,240.00
Religious Education	100.00
Silver Angels	41.00
Student Parking	100.00
Women's Dinner	432.00
CSA Fundraisers	368.00
CSA Sanctify Student Fees	810.00
Spring Break Student Fees	6,500.00

February 2019 Second Collections

Hispanic Ministry	103.00
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We Lift Up In Prayer

Rosilyn Andrews, Sugianto Atmodjo, Jill Bittle, Bill Burden, Shirley Bundy, Grace Byrne, Tracy Dempsey Capizzi, Katie Beth Carey, Brenda Critch, Norma d'Azzo, Betty DeGuilo, Elena Dekazos, George Dougherty, Steve Duncan, Jill Ennis, Michele Flaherty, James Flannigan, Denise Gannon, Carol Garbon, Roslyn Jain Gil, Phyllis Ginn, Gregory Glander, Pat Goggin, Ann Johnson, Richard Lynch, Kate McCall, Barbara O'Brien, Bill Ozburn, Karen O'Boyle Pagoda, Sharon Perrine, Lee Prendergast, Larry Quattrocchi, Denise Quinn, Melissa Reilly, Tom Risher, Joel Rivera, Rosemarie Russo, David Salum, Marge Smith, Michael Torpy, Martha Tucker, Grant Tyner, and Angel and Pearl Wells.

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

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for April

For doctors and their humanitarian collaborators in war zones, who risk their lives to save the lives of others.



This weekend we welcomed Alexis Alexander, Joseph Barr, Megan Carrion, Jodie Ehorn, John Glisson, Thomas Grantham and Chase Lyndale as members of our faith community!

Student Announcements

Seeking Fire

Seeking Fire is Tuesday, April 23, at 8:00 PM in the Catholic Center parking lot. Come join us as we will be honoring and praying for our seniors with praise and worship music while enjoying s'mores by the fire.

Ignite

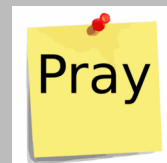
Come for fellowship and food at 8PM on Wednesday, April 24. We will be having a bonfire social, and our new friar, Br. Casey, will be attending

May Graduates!

We will honor our graduates with a Baccalaureate Mass on Friday, May 10, at 9:00 AM with brunch to follow. If you are graduating this semester, please email Angie Hall at csadirector@ccatuga.org by Sunday, April 21.

Blessing of the Brains

On Wednesday, May 1, at 9PM, come spiritually prepare for exam week! There will be a short prayer service followed by the "Blessing of the Brains" in the Chapel.



Center Hours During Exams

The Center Hall will remain open 24/7 beginning on Reading Day through the last day of finals week.

Late Night Breakfasts

Join us during Finals Week for late night breakfasts. More information to come!



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SACRAMENTS

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.

INFO

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

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