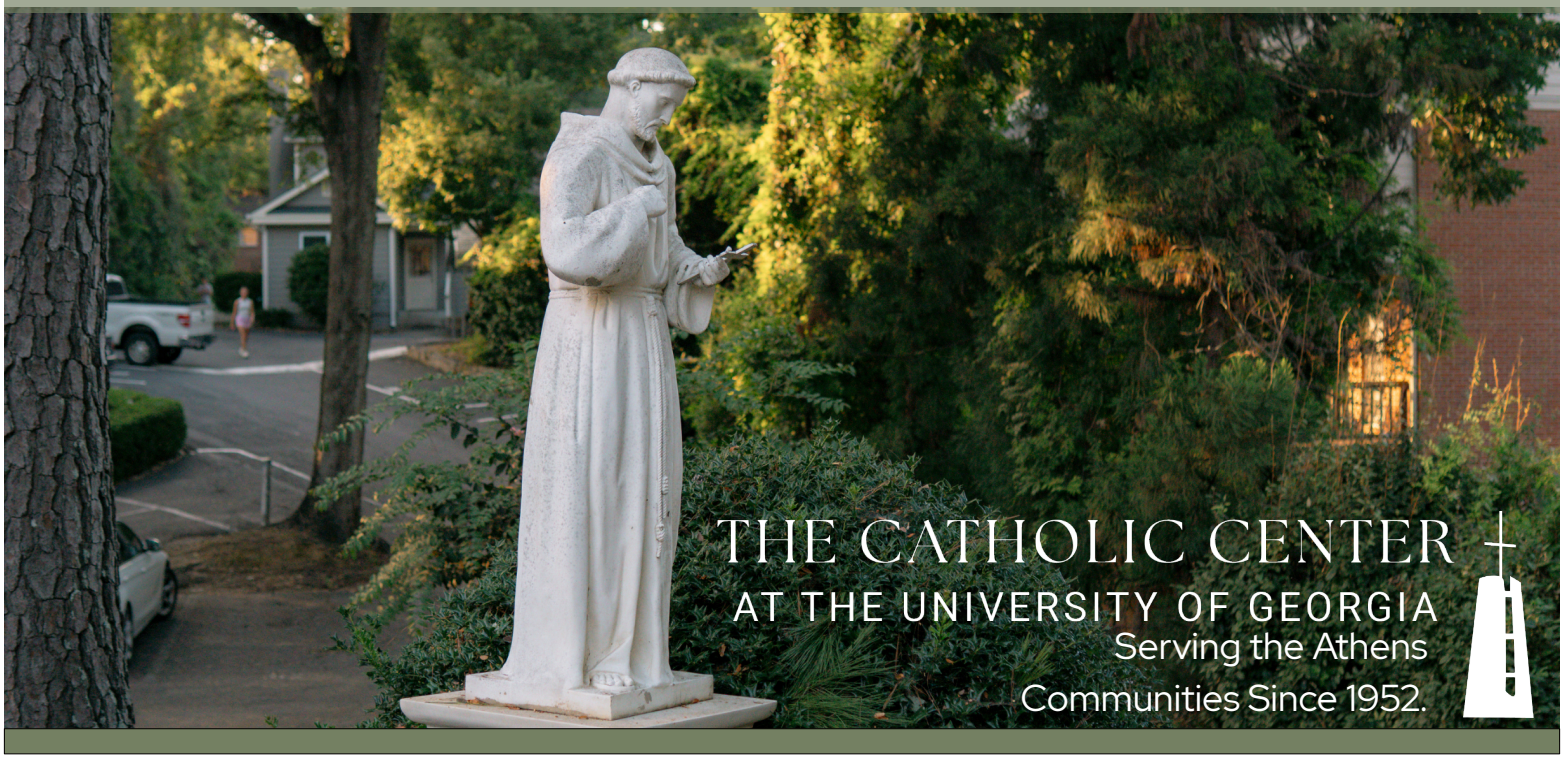
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time | November 15, 2026

All Are Welcome



Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday

No Mass

Sunday

8AM - Diane Connellr †

10:30AM - Frank D'Amato III†

12:30PM - Claire Marie Devlin †

5PM -Chet Malanoski †

Monday

5:30PM - Jianhan Liu †

Tuesday

5:30PM - John Younger †

Wednesday

5:30PM - Susan Herda †

Thursday

5:30PM - Susan Gearheart †

Friday

8AM - Communion Service

Silver Angles

The Silver Angels will meet Tuesday, November 17th at noon. Silver Angels meet each month on the third Tuesday. All those 60 and older (and young at heart) are welcome to attend for an afternoon of good food, fellowship and to hear from our seminarian Tony Carosone. There is no cost to attend and reservations are not needed. For more information, contact the Catholic Center office.

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Liturgical Schedule

Mass:

Saturday | No Mass (UGA Home Footballl)

Sunday | 8am, 10:30am, 12:30pm, & 5pm

Monday – Thursday | 5:30pm

Friday | 8am (Communion Service)

Confession:

Monday | 4 – 5pm

Tuesday | 4 – 5pm

Wednesday | 4 – 5pm

Adoration:

Mon. & Thurs. | 9am – 5pm

Tues. & Wed. | 9 – 10am

Friday | 8:30 – 9:30am

Weekly Events

Saturday 11/14
Home Football Game
No Mass/CC Closed

Sunday 11/15
8:00AM Mass
10:30AM PreK & Kindergarden RE 10:30AM Mass
12:30PM Mass
12:30PM Oni Baptism
2:00PM Confirmation Class
3:30PM KoC Meeting
5:00PM Mass
6:00PM Student Dinner
7:30PM Senioritis

Monday 11/16
10:00AM Men's Bible Study
4:00PM Reconciliation
4:30PM Grief & Bereavement Group
5:30PM Daily Mass
6:00PM OCIA

Tuesday 11/17
12:00PM Silver Angels
4:00PM Reconciliation
5:30PM Daily Mass
8:00PM Ablaze

Wednesday 11/18
4:00PM Reconciliation
5:30PM Daily Mass
6:15PM Religious Education
7:30PM OCIA Small Group
8:00PM Ignite

Thursday 11/19
10:00AM Women's Bible Study
5:30PM Daily Mass
6:00PM Youth Group
6:30PM Choir Rehearsal
7:00PM YACC Friendsgiving

Friday 11/20
8:00AM Communion Service

Letter from Fr. Brian



Hey friends,

The month of November marks the end of our calendar year for the Church. It is the end of the liturgical cycle, and we finish reading the Gospel of Matthew, which we have been going through all year. One of the things this month offers us is the invitation to recall that we are finite, that we are limited, and that this isn't all there is.

Without the hope of Christ, this can become very bleak. But the invitation to recall that we are finite keeps us humble, keeps us sober, and allows us to move forward in truth. To live truthfully means to look at the world, look at our lives, and walk toward that which is good and that which is important. I invite you to reflect on your own life and identify something important that you feel called to respond to.

For me, this looks like disconnecting from technology and being present to the people in front of me. This is challenging because we live in such a technological universe. There is always news, 24/7. There are sports throughout the year to keep up with. There is always something competing for our attention. Nonetheless, a sober look at reality reminds us that life today is important and good. And to engage it is really a beautiful and satisfying thing.

This is another reason why Jesus propels us to serve those in need, to serve the poor, and to serve those who are overlooked. We're all in need of brothers and sisters in this world, and we can easily fall into isolation and aloneness. To reach out to friends, family, and neighbors, to check up on them, offer them some words of encouragement, or do a simple activity with them connects us to each other. It helps us engage life truthfully and soberly.

I am very thankful for this community that truly does show up to church with this kind of sober mindset. While it is sometimes difficult to get to church on time, to find parking, to focus and center ourselves, nonetheless, we do it. We put away our phones. We step away from so many distractions. And we focus on what is most important in our lives: our faith, how much God loves us, and praying for the needs of those around us and throughout the world. This type of sobriety is really a gift that makes us more human. It's humanizing to live truthfully.

And so, as we venture through this month of November and recall the finiteness of our lives, I invite you to look around at what is important and affirm it. While there is suffering in this life, the hope of Jesus Christ helps us engage these difficulties, not with bleakness, but with a true conviction of faith.

Let us keep each other in prayer as we celebrate this month of November and reflect on these readings of Scripture that are wise, prudent, and sobering. We have thanksgiving approaching, and we will also celebrate Christ the King Sunday which wraps of the liturgical calendar year. Then we will begin Advent!

Announcements

We Need Parking Volunteers

We are creating a parking ministry, beginning next semester, to monitor the overflow lots we hope to lease with the funds from #iGiveCatholic. Four volunteers are needed 45 minutes before each Sunday Mass. Volunteers will enjoy reserved seating at Mass so as to facilitate parking and join for worship. Please help us be good stewards of our parking partners' lots and assist Massgoers in navigating parking options. If you are interested in learning more, scan the QR code.

Advent Small Groups

This Advent, take time to prepare your heart for the coming of Christ. Small groups will gather weekly throughout Advent for prayer, reflection, and fellowship. Both daytime and evening groups are being formed. If you're interested in participating, please email Clorinda Roache at roache.clorinda@gmail.com. Be sure to indicate whether you prefer a daytime or evening group and if you would be willing to host in your home.

Grief & Bereavement

The Grief and Bereavement Group will meet Monday, November 13th at 4:30 pm. Everyone, including students and resident members, are welcome. No matter where you are in your journey you are invited to join us.

Second Collection

This weekend's second collection is for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. This second collection supports programs to heal the wounds of crime and violence, advocate for more just policies, protect God's creation and develop strong communities. With this collection, you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection and support those working on the margins. For more information, visit lifeofthechurch.com/donate

Advent Wreathmaking

All Catholic Center RE families are invited to join us in our annual Advent wreathmaking and chili/hotdog lunch. The event will take place on November 29th after the 12:30 pm Mass as we prepare ourselves for Advent season and the birth of Christ. Please pick up a form in the back of the Chapel and return it to the RE office.

Mass Changes

Please be aware that because of UGA's Thanksgiving break we will not have our **12:30 pm** and **5 pm** Sunday Masses on November 22nd. Our normal Sunday Mass times will resume on November 29th.

Catholic Center Parking

We understand that arriving to Sunday Mass is a hassle when our available lots are full. That's why this year for #iGiveCatholic, we are fundraising to lease parking from neighboring campus ministries on Sundays. Our goal of $7,500 will secure this extra parking for the spring and fall 2027 semesters! We invite you to participate in this exciting effort so all families, students, and visitors can easily come and gather around the Lord's table! Advanced giving opens Monday, November 16, and Giving Tuesday is December 1. Please scan the QR code to read more about our campaign and our parking partners and to make a gift.

Denny Towers

Our annual Denny Towers Thanksgiving Dinner will be on Sunday, November 22. Denny Towers is a low income/affordable housing community high rise in downtown Athens. Every year, the Catholic Center prepares and serves a Thanksgiving Dinner for approximately 80 residents. We have many opportunities available for anyone who would like to share thier time, talent, and treasure with us. Follow the link below to sign up: https://tinyurl.com/dennytowers27

Prayers for the Pannell Family

Dean Pannell, owner of Pannell Design Events, passed away in October. Dean designed the beautiful floral arrangements in the Chapel. We appreciated the beauty he brought to our church. Please keep the Panell family in your prayers.

Catholic Schools Week

November 16-20 is Discover Catholic Schools Week. In celebration, Donovan Catholic School, a Catholic college preparatory school that serves grades 7-12, is offering tours during this week. Those who choose to tour will receive a waived application fee and the eligibility to lock in this year's tuition price for the 2027-2028 school year. If you have any questions, please contact Megan Wentworth at mwentworth@donovanathens.org .

We Lift Up in Prayer

With deepest sympathy, our community prays for the souls of the faithful departed and for their loved ones especially Stephen Ryan Hughes.

Charlotte & Joel Alesi
Timothy A. Almy
Megan Barton
Guy Bassini
Andy Beach
Erin Benbry
Pam Bickley
Katy Britton
Dan Bloor
Peter Bryan
Grace Burger
Grace Byrne
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Jeanette Campbell
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Rick Madera
Gina Maherka
Marie McDonald
Kathy McGill
John McMillan
Tim McNally
Scott Melina
Bénédicte Milward
Tim Parsons
Dan Perrine
Avila Peters
Bryan Rieken
Sophia Rodriguez
Aeriel Ross
Charlie Schrauth
Susan Schwab
Deborah Scott
Sue Sinksen
Derek Smith
Eileen Speight
Joyce Teague
Alyssa Thomas
Nile Thomson
Natalie Vaughn
Chuck Vickery
Julie Wallace
James Warring

The Pope's Prayer Intention for November

Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

Financial Giving Updates

Thank you 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.

November 1, 2026	November 8, 2026
$16,071.00 - Offertory	$14,439.00 - Offertory
$3,941.76.00 - Donation	$4,393.00 - Donation
$725 - Alms	$203.10 - Alms

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