Cathedral of St. John the Baptist

222 East Harris Street, Savannah, Georgia 31401 - Located at Abercorn and East Harris Streets
Most Reverend Gregory J. Hartmayer OFM Conv.— Bishop of Savannah
Most Reverend J. Kevin Boland — Bishop Emeritus

Faith Formation

Children’s Religious Ed Sunday 8:45 am to 9:50 am
R. C. L. A. Tuesday 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Parish Staff

Rector - Very Rev. J. Gerard Schreck, JCD
In Residence - Msgr. William O’Neill, Rector Emeritus
In Residence - Rev. Pablo Migone
In Residence - Rev. Tom Peyton
Permanent Deacon - Rev. Dr. Dewain E. Smith
Director of Music - Mr. McDowell Fogle, MM
Sacristan - Lynne Everett, MD
Director of Religious Education - Mrs. Jane Przybyl
Bookkeeper/Admin. Assistant - Ms. Jan Cunningham
Office Assistant - Mrs. Brenda Price
Music Associate - Erica Gillette
Maintenance - Mr. Jimmy Joseph Sheehan III
Housekeeper/Food Services - Ms. Alma Young
Docents - Mrs. Peggy Baker, Mrs. Gloria Keane

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 12 Noon & 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, & 11:30 a.m.
Latin Mass 1:00 p.m.
Weekdays: Mon thru Fri: 7:30 am & 12 Noon
Holy Days: 7:30 am, 12 Noon, 6:00 pm
Nursery: 10:00 am Mass on Sundays.

Sacraments

Baptisms Arrangements should be made in advance.
Confessions Fridays: 4:00 to 5:00 pm
Saturdays: 11:00 am to 11:45 am & 4:15 pm to 5:00 pm
Also by request at other times.
Weddings
Arrangements should be made at least four months in advance. Participation in a marriage preparation program is required. Please call parish office for more information.
Anointing of the Sick By request for those who are seriously ill.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm • Phone: (912)233-4709 Fax: (912)233-8229 • E-mail: csbsav@aol.com
Cathedral Website: www.savannahcathedral.org • Diocesan Website: www.diosav.org • Cathedral Music: sjbmusic.org
TWELFTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON
The Lord is the strength of his people, a saving refuge for the one he has anointed. Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage, and govern them for ever.
Ps 27:8-9

HYMN: O God Our Help in Ages Past 867, Hymnal

PENITENTIAL ACT Mass of Wisdom Janco

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SECOND READING: Romans 5:12-15
Missal, p. 19

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

REFRAIN

GOSPEL Matthew 10:26-33
Homily
Nicene Creed Missal, p. 94
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL
PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS:

**ANthem:** Eternal Light (Schweitzer)
**HYMN:** Organ Instrumental

**Mass Ordinary**  
Mass of Wisdom  
Music: Janco

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*For guidelines for the reception of Holy Communion, please refer to the back page of the missal.

**Communion Anthem (10 AM)**  
Sacrum Convivium (Messiaen)

**Communion Song**

The eyes of all look to you, Lord.  
and you give them their food in due season.

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**Marian Antiphon**

Salve Regina  
1008, Hymnal

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**Concluding Rite**

**Greeting and Blessing**  
Stand

**Dismissal**

**Hymn:** Lord You Give the Great Commission 788

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Rector’s Corner

UPDATING OUR RECORDS

According to our current parishioner database, the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist has 1,361 registered households or members. It seems to me that our parish has been growing in size for the past seven or eight years. It certainly seems that there are more people at the weekend Masses. That is a wonderful thing! We have great families and people at the Cathedral, and it is a beautiful place to worship God and experience life in the Catholic Church.

It is important that we be able to keep our records current and know, to the best of our ability, how many households and individuals we actually have in the parish. It happens frequently that people move away from Savannah, or begin to attend a different parish, or have health issues or transportation problems which make it difficult for them to participate. If any of those things have occurred, we would like to know so that we can be of assistance to those who are ill, and keep our records up to date.

Last week I wrote to approximately 600 households or individuals from whom we have had no contact in over a year. The purpose of that letter was to ask, “Are you still here, and do you want to remain on our parish database as an active member?” I am asking that those who receive the letter respond by July 14th. My purpose is not to “get rid” of anyone!!! On the contrary, I would be delighted to know that you are still here and that you will continue to be a member of the Cathedral parish. If you have received my letter by mistake, please do not be offended. This is just an attempt to keep our records current and to give the Bishop a more accurate figure of the number of people who belong to the Cathedral parish. I don’t want to hide the fact that there is also a bit of a financial motive. The Cathedral pays for monthly envelopes and annual subscriptions to The Southern Cross for every registered household in the parish. If someone has moved, it would be wise for us to know that so that we are not billed for those items that are no longer applicable.

I hope our Cathedral parish continues to grow. The best persuasion or “advertisement” comes from the wonderful people of our parish who invite others to join us in worshipping God and proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ each Sunday and in our daily lives. God bless you all.

Rev. J. Gerard Schreck
Rector
After more than three months of Lent and Easter, we return today to Sundays in Ordinary Time. We will be hearing from the Gospel of Saint Matthew for the rest of the year, with the first reading intended to prepare us in some ways for the day’s Gospel. The second readings proceed through several of Saint Paul’s letters. As we settle down to summer living, these next few Sundays focus on what it is like to be a disciple. Let us pray to have hearts open to what the Lord is telling us.

**Mass Intentions for the week of June 25, 2017**

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Feats of our Lady of Mount Carmel

The Carmelite Nuns invite everyone to attend the Evenings of Prayer for the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel at the Carmelite Monastery. Priests are welcome to come and concelebrate. The Liturgy of the Word and Eucharist will be celebrated each evening July 14th thru the 16th at 6:00 PM. The following will be both celebrant and homilist.

Friday, July 14th - Rev. Michael Kavanaugh
Saturday, July 15th - Rev. Paul Cabrita, SM
Sunday, July 16th - Very Rev. Gerard Schreck

Those who cannot be present are encouraged to send their petitions to the Carmelite Monastery, 11 W. Back St., Savannah, GA 31419. These petitions will be remembered during the services and in the life of prayer of the Nuns.

Low Country Catholics Young Adult Group

All people 21-35 years old; married, single, widowed, or divorced; with or without children are welcome to join our group and attend events. We focus on four areas of ministry: Service, Social, Serious (current events, etc.) and Spiritual.

Our Four goals are: Connect young adults to God through Jesus Christ. Connect young adults to the Church and the Christian Community. Connect young adults to the mission of the Church in the world. Connect young adults to a peer community.

Upcoming events include Kayaking and a Beach Party on Tybee. Every Tuesday is Trivia at Mellow Mushroom. As always, Mass and Brunch at the Cathedral the first Sunday of the month. The next Mass and Brunch is July 2nd at 1:00 PM Latin Mass. For any questions or to join this ministry, e-mail vamssavannah@gmail.com.

Georgia Southern Campus Ministry

It is the mission of the Catholic Eagles to engage in bible studies, fellowship, apologetics, and to help them get involved at Mass. St. Matthew Parish supports this effort by offering a 6:00 PM University Mass each Sunday evening during Fall and Spring semesters. Students are offered a free home-cooked meal after every University Mass, which provides a great opportunity for the missionaries to meet students and invite them to bible studies and other events. This Mass is student-centered, with students serving as lectors, Extraordinary Eucharist ministers, ushers and in the choir. We also offer a weekly Holy Hour on Tuesday evenings so students can come spend an hour with Jesus. For more information go to www.saintmatthewparish.com or call 912-681-6726.

2017 Bishop’s Annual Appeal Progress Report

Thank you to those who have made their BAA pledge. As of June 6th, you have given $104,763 which is 92% of our target of $114,459. Please help us reach our target! The BAA supports Catholic Schools and the education of our future priests and deacons. It also supports ministries that change lives for the better. Our support of diocesan agencies and ministries is one way that we respond to God for all we have received. If you are not able to make a pledge, please consider a one-time gift. Envelopes are available on the tables at the back of the church. We are blessed with much; let us be a blessing to others. Any donation is greatly appreciated.

Rummage Sale

The Cathedral Council of Catholic Women will be having a rummage sale on September 9, 2017 from 8:00 AM to 12:30 PM. Please think of us as you do your spring cleaning. Drop off days will be the following Sundays: June 25, July 30, and August 20. After the 8:00, 10:00 and 11:30 AM Masses. Unfortunately we are not able to pick up items. Please, no computers, clothes, or big heavy televisions. We appreciate the support you have shown our organization. Any questions, please call Carol at 912-677-6800 or Mary at 912-660-7406.
CATHEDRAL PARISH OFFERTORY
Offertory June 18, 2017: $18,291.00
Offertory June 19, 2016: $20,914.00

VISITOR’S DEPOSITORY BOX
Week Prior to June 18, 2017: $3,245.00
Week Prior to June 19, 2016: $4,080.50

Cathedral Christmas Ornaments are available to purchase for $20 each. We have all years available, including the new 2017. You may purchase them online or at the back of the church.

Adoration Chapel
Jesus waits for you in the Adoration Chapel here at the Cathedral. We now have a vacancy on Thursday at noon and other hours need Adoration Partners. Please call Gretchen at 912-658-3848.

BC Sports Camps
Baseball Camp
June 26-28 ($75) 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM at BC
Boys who are rising 4th-8th graders are invited to attend. Individual attention will be provided in the areas of pitching, hitting, throwing, fielding, base-running and conditioning, and leadership skills. Contact Mr. Kevin Farmer at 912-655-6532 or kevin.farmer@bcsav.net.

Middle School Football Camp
July 17-19th, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM at BC ($75 early bird discount if registered by June 22; $100 if registered after June 22). Boys and girls who are rising 5th-8th graders are invited to attend. Individual attention will be provided in the areas of passing, catching, route-running, kicking, blocking, tackling, and offensive and defensive strategies. Contact Mr. Noel Barnidge at 912-644-7008 or noel.barnidge@bcsav.net for more information.

Soccer Camp
July 17-21 ($170) 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM at Minick Youth Complex
Boys and girls will learn ball handling, shooting, passing and defensive skills. Contact Coach Charles Moore at 912-224-5253 or charlesmoore6796@gmail.com for more information.

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New Parishioners & Address Changes
Anyone wishing to become a parishioner of the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, should complete the following, cut out and drop it in the offertory collection basket. A census form will be mailed to you, which must be completed and mailed back. You may also register online at www.savannahcathedral.org. Thank you.

New Parishioner □
Change of Address □

Name ________________________________
Address ________________________________
Telephone Number ____________________
Email Address _______________________

To register online, go to www.savannahcathedral.org

Camp Villa Marie Summer Camp
Camp Villa Marie is a daily summer camp run by the Catholic Diocese of Savannah. CVM is held on Villa Marie Center, on Isle of Hope, Savannah, Monday-Friday, 9:00 to 3:30, beginning June 5. Each week has a different theme of the week with different activities relating to the theme. Campers must be at least 6 years old and have completed Kindergarten, and no older than 12 years. For more information and to register, visit https://diosav.org/faith_formation-cvm-summer2017.