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

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: 10:00am Masses on Sundays.

Sacraments
Baptisms
Arrangements should be made in advance.
Confessions
Saturday: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

Faith Formation
Children’s Religious Ed Sunday 8:45 am to 9:50 am
R. C. I. 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 - Very Rev. Daniel F. Firmin, JCL, VG
In Residence - Rev. Pablo Migone
Permanent Deacon - Rev. Dr. Dewain E. Smith, Ph.D.
Sacristan - Lynne Everett, MD
Director of Religious Education - Mrs. Jane Przybyl
Bookkeeper/Admin. Assistant - Ms. Jan Cunningham
Office Assistant - Mrs. Brenda Price
Music Director - Mr. McDowell Fogle, MM
Asst. Organist - Ms. Heidi Ordaz, MM
Cantors - Rebecca Flaherty and Jillian Pashke Durant
Maintenance - Mr. Jimmy Joseph Sheehan III
Housekeeper/Food Services - Ms. Alma Young
Docents - Mrs. Peggy Baker, Mrs. Gloria Keane

Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm • Phone: (912)233-4709 Fax: (912)233-8229 • E-mail: csjsav@aol.com
Cathedral Website: www.savannahcathedral.org • Diocesan Website: www.diosav.org • Cathedral Music: sjbmusic.org
LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING
Acts 2: 1-11
Missal, p. 142

PSALM: “Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.” Psalm 104: 1,24,29,30,31,34

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12,13
Missal, p. 143

SEQUENCE: Veni, Sancte Spiritus 923 Hymnal

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

GOSPEL
John 20: 19-23
Missal, p. 145

HOMILY

NICENE CREED
Missal, p. 17

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS:

HYMN (5:30/11:30): Veni Creator, Spiritus 625, Hymnal

CHORAL ANTHEM (10 A.M.)
O Come, Thou Sweet Redeeming Fire
Music: Daniel Gawthrop
Text: Jane Griner

**Eucharistic Prayer**  Missal, page 22

**HOLY, HOLY, HOLY-JUBILATION MASS**

*Refer to the back page of the missal for guidelines for the reception of Communion.*

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON**

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia. Acts 2:4,11

**COMMUNION HYMN**

Come Down, O Love 628, Hymnal

**MARIAN ANTIPHON**

Regina caeli, letare, alleluia:
Quia quem meruisti portare, alleluia,
Resurrexit, sicut dixit, alleluia,
Ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia.

Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia.
The Son whom you merited to bear, alleluia.
Has risen, as He said, alleluia.
Pray for us to God, alleluia

**+CONCLUDING RITE**

**GREETING AND BLESSING** STAND DISMISSAL

**HYMN: Go to the World** 917, Hymnal

**Music Notes: Go to the World**

Ralph Vaughan Williams, considered by many to be among the finest composers of the twentieth century, composed the melody of our final hymn and published it in the English Hymnal in 1906. Equipped with a “walking” bass, the tune to “Go to the World” is a glorious marching tune for this great text. Many consider this tune to be among the finest of twentieth-century hymn tunes (it is, perhaps, the cathedral’s equivalent to “When the Saints Go Marching In”). Allowing the “alleluia” phrase to enter before our expectation of it is a typical and very effective Vaughan Williams touch.

All music reprinted under onelicense.net #4-701964, licensingorlinc.org #601628 and wlp #D6514A

**Participant Release**

Please be aware that by entering this area, you consent to your voice, name, and/or likeness being used without compensation, in films, and tapes for use in any and all media associated with the Catholic Diocese of Savannah and you release the Catholic Diocese of Savannah, its successors, assigns and licenses from any liability whatsoever of any nature. Please speak with an usher or Diocesan representative if you have any questions or concerns.
**Rector’s Corner**

**First Communion and Confirmation**

The following children in the Children's Religious Education program received their First Communion last Sunday May 8th. They are: Sofia Allman, Julia Ball, John Brenton, Ryan Coyle, Sienna Doane, Amilcaz Gutierrez, Caroline Heaney, Eileen Heaney, Michael Heaney, Henry Holton, Macie Kelly, Sebastian Perez, Declan Sheehan, Jude Stubbs, Sophia Thompson, Julian Velez-Fernandez, Cash Vinas and Yasmine Zambrano.

The following children were confirmed by Bishop Gregory Hartmayer on Monday, May 9th. They are: Zane Ingwersen, Makaili Kelly, Coleman Nesmith, Alexander Perpinan, Cassie Reynolds, Sam Rougeux, Glenda Sanders, Edward Sapanaro, Sarah Sapanaro, Lily Beth Senkowski, Charlotte Tucker, Margo Tucker and Catalina Velez.
On this final Sunday of the Easter season, we celebrate what some have called the “birthday of the church.” Let us pray today that the promise of the church on the day of its birth may continue to be realized through God’s grace in us as we attend to the movement of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

Flowers on the Blessed Mother Altar are in Memory of Tom and Ann White

### Mass Intentions for the week of May 8, 2016

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Intentions</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>SUNDAY</strong></td>
<td>Pro Populo&lt;br&gt;Charles Laughton&lt;br&gt;Maud D. Schwarz (Anni)&lt;br&gt;Tom and Ann White&lt;br&gt;Fred &amp; Josephine Doyle&lt;br&gt;Lydia Taglieri</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>MONDAY</strong></td>
<td>Judy Beck&lt;br&gt;Patricia Kelly</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>TUESDAY</strong></td>
<td>Geraldine R. Garrison&lt;br&gt;Kathleen McCarthy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>WEDNESDAY</strong></td>
<td>Joseph McDonald&lt;br&gt;Paul DeSala</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>THURSDAY</strong></td>
<td>Stephen O’Keefe&lt;br&gt;Intentions of Chris Salien&lt;br&gt;Joseph Vieira</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>FRIDAY</strong></td>
<td>Sam D. Tootle, Sr&lt;br&gt;Int. of Katherine Glusica &amp; Elizabeth Rugh</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>


If you know of someone sick or injured that needs praying for, please contact the parish office at 912-233-4709.
Second Collection This Weekend

Today, we will take up the Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). This collection communicates the Gospel through Catholic social media activities and enriches our faith through television, radio, social media, podcasts, and print media. Please be generous in this week’s collection and support this important work. Remember, half of your donation stays in our diocese to support local communications needs. The CCC is how we share our experience of faith, worship, and witness to the world.

Catholic Night at the Ballpark

Catholics will pack the park at Grayson Stadium on Monday, June 6th at 7:00 PM to benefit the Social Apostolate. Bishop Hartmayer will throw out the first pitch. Catholic Schools sing the National Anthem. Fun and games for the family (and maybe your favorite priest).

Tickets this year include:
$5 donation to the Social Apostolate
All you can eat and bottomless sodas
An evening of family fun with your catholic friends and neighbors.

Tickets options:
$15 tickets include all of the above
$20 tickets include above and two beers

For more information and to purchase tickets, go to www.diosav.org/baseball-2016.

Camp Villa Marie Summer Camp

June 6th though August 5th, Monday through Friday from 8:30AM to 3:30PM for children ages 6-12. The camp offers lots of fun and learning with campers enjoying swimming, arts and crafts, field games, and bible stories. There will be special activities focused on the theme of the week. Go to www.diosav.org/vmc for more information and to register.

Baby Bottle Collection Update

The Baby Bottle Campaign in support of the work of the Savannah Care Center has ended. If you were out of town last weekend or simply forgot to turn in your baby bottle, please return it to the church office as soon as possible. Envelopes may be mailed to the address shown.

We thank you for supporting the Savannah Care Center and its work with local mothers in crisis. In 2015, your donations raised nearly $4,000 for SCC. Because the Care Center does not receive funding from the federal or state government, your generosity is key to continuing the services they provide. Thank you for supporting this important effort. An announcement about the funds raised for the 2016 fund drive will be reported in this bulletin by the end of May.

Memorial Day Crosses

The Catholic War Veterans of Savannah place white memorial crosses (bearing the name, conflict and branch of service) for deceased veterans in the Catholic Cemetery. For Requests: Tommy Brunson 655-4165 or Jerry Counihan 656-0917, jerrycounihan@yahoo.com. Loved one does not need to be interned in the Catholic Cemetery or Savannah. There is a one time $25 fee for materials.

On May 26 at 6:00 PM, Mass will be celebrated at the Catholic Cemetery to recognize deceased veterans with prayer of dedication and blessings in the Gartland section at the Holy Cross. The service is open to all. Allow time for parking and bring a lawn chair.

Fr. Brannen’s 25th Anniversary of Ordination

Celebrate Fr. Brett Brannen’s 25th Ordination Anniversary on Sunday, June 25th at the 10:30 AM Mass at Blessed Sacrament Church. Reception to follow.
CATHEDRAL PARISH OFFERTORY

Offertory May 8, 2016: $19,163.50  
Offertory May 10, 2015: $18,200.50

VISITOR’S DEPOSITORY BOX

Week Prior to May 8, 2016: $4,690.50  
Week Prior to May 10, 2015: $6,203.50

You can contribute online by going to www.savannahcathedral.org and clicking on Give.

2016 BISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL

Parish Target $108,174  
Parish Pledges $55,140  
Collected $75,576

Jan Cunningham in the Cathedral rectory is a Notary. Please call in advance to make arrangements if you are in need of a Notary for documents. (No fee.)

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

Prayer volunteers are always welcome at the Savannah Medical Clinic, 120 East 34th St. on Wednesdays and Fridays 10:30-11:30 am, and Thursdays 9:30 am to Noon. Support and pray with your parish Respect Life Ministry. Please contact Gretchen Reese at 912-658-3848 if you have questions about this ministry. Thank you for your continued prayers, and may God bless you and your families.

NEW PARISHIONERS & ADDRESS CHANGES

Those 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

PRAYER GROUP

Join us to pray, discuss the upcoming Sunday gospel and grow closer to God. For the month of May we will be starting with Rosary. Meets Tuesday’s 10:15-11:45 in Parish Hall Library. For more information, contact Glenda at sandersgks53@aol.com

BOOK CLUB

Meets Thursdays 10:15-11:45 in Parish Hall Library. Starting May 12th, we will be discussing Elijah in Jerusalem by Michael D. O’Brien. For more information, Moira at threenovacks@gmail.com

CRE Schedule

May 15 - CLASS

May 22 - Last Day Celebration Families Invited

Follow Us

www.savannahcathedral.org

During this Jubilee Year of Mercy, on Fridays of each week, the Most Blessed Sacrament will be exposed on the Sacred Heart Altar, from 8:00AM until 5:00PM. You can make a visit and pray before the Blessed Sacrament. From 4:00PM to 5:00PM on the Fridays of each week, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available in the confessional of the Cathedral.