**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** - 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** - By request for those who are seriously ill.

**Cathedral of St. John the Baptist**

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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. 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. Janee Przybyl
- **Bookkeeper/Admin. Assistant** - Ms. Jan Cunningham
- **Office Assistant** - Mrs. Brenda Price
- **Music Director** - Mr. McDowell Fogle, MM
- **Assistant Organist** - Dr. Jonathan Murphy
- **Maintenance** - Mr. Jimmy Joseph Sheehan III
- **Housekeeper/Food Services** - Ms. Alma Young
- **Docents** - Mrs. Peggy Baker, Mrs. Gloria Keane

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THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON
Forsake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me!
Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong
salvation!
Ps 37: 22,23

Hymn: Holy, Holy, Holy

FIRST READING
Wisdom 11:22-12:2
Missal, p. 86

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:
Psalm 145: 1,2,8-14

SECOND READING:
2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2
Missal, p. 87

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

All stand.

REFRAIN

GOSPEL
Luke 19: 1-10
Missal, p. 88

The Gospel Acclamation is repeated, then all sit.

HOMILY

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL
LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS (5:30/11:30):
My Shepherd Will Supply My Need 886

CHORAL ANTHEM (10AM):
Kyrie (Requiem, Op. 9) Maurice Durufle’ (1902-1986)

Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

EUCARISTIC PRAYER
All stand.

PRIEST: The Lord be with you.
ASSEMBLY: And with your spirit.
PRIEST: Lift up your hearts.
ASSEMBLY: We lift them up to the Lord.
PRIEST: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
ASSEMBLY: It is right and just.

All stand.

THE LORD’S PRAYER

SIGN OF PEACE

LAMB OF GOD

All kneel.

COMMUNION ANTHEM (10 A.M.)

Restless is the Heart Paraphrase of Psalm 90
Bernadette Farrell (b. 1957)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord. Psalm 15:11

MARIAN ANTIPHON

Salve Regina 1008

+CONCLUDING RITE

GREETING AND BLESSING STAND

PRIEST: The Lord be with You.
ASSEMBLY: And with your spirit.

DISMISSAL

HYMN: Let All Things Now Living 984

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PARISH APPRECIATION PICNIC IN THE PARK

As you already know, our parish appreciation picnic in Lafayette Square was scheduled for Sunday evening, October 9th. However, Hurricane Matthew made it impossible for us to have that event. Although the storm had passed us by Sunday evening, many people had evacuated and many others had no power and tree damage in their neighborhoods. Lafayette Square was filled with debris. Because the fall schedule for everyone is so busy, we are not planning to reschedule the appreciation picnic this year. If things seem opportune, we may try to do something in the spring. I will keep you posted.

I regret that we were not able to have this event, because I think it is so important to say “thank you” to our wonderful Cathedral parishioners and volunteers. The sacrifices that you make and the effort that you put forth to make our parish “a vibrant center of Catholic faith and culture” are not unnoticed and most appreciated.

ALL SAINTS DAY AND ALL SOULS DAY

Tuesday, November 1st, is the Feast of All Saints and it is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses at the Cathedral will be at 7:30, 12:00 and 6:00.

For the commemoration of All Souls, the annual blessing of graves will take place at the Catholic Cemetery on Sunday, November 6th, at 3:00. At that time, the names of all who have died during the past 12 months in the Savannah Deanery will be read, and prayed for, and graves blessed. Please don’t forget Solemn Vespers for All Souls which will be sung at the Cathedral on Sunday evening, November 6th, at 6:00. As part of that service, those who would like to light a candle in memory of a departed loved one may do so.

Rev. J. Gerard Schreck
Rector

The Friends of Cathedral Music, the sacred music series supported by patrons and parishioners of the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, invite you to this Choral Vespers in Commemoration of All Souls. Names of deceased loved ones submitted by Monday, October 31st will be included in the Vespers program. Also, a 7-day votive candle will be lit in their memory.

Please fill out this form, cut it or tear it out, and drop it in the collection basket; or bring it by the Rectory Office by Monday. For more information, visit: www.savannahcathedral.org

Name of the Deceased: _______________________________________________________________

Your contact information: _____________________________________________________________
What a beautiful first reading we have today! It almost sings of God’s tender care for all creation. As we gather for our celebration today, it is comforting to know how much God loves us and wants only the best for us. As this Jubilee Year of Mercy winds down, it is good to be reminded that God has mercy on all. Let us give thanks for such a gracious and merciful God!

Priesthood Sunday
This Sunday is Priesthood Sunday, a special day set aside to celebrate the Priesthood and honor Christ as Priest as well as the men who were called to be his priests here on earth. Catholic parishes throughout the country will rally in support of their priests in a celebration of the American priesthood, honoring both the priesthood and their own priests. Please make your appreciation known to our priests for their courage and generosity.
A simple note, a smile, a phone call or even a “Nice sermon Father” to let them know how much they are appreciated!

Mass Intentions for the week of October 30, 2016

SUNDAY: Pro Populo
Chris Salien
Jack Thompson
Ron Weiher

MONDAY: Fred & Josephine Doyle
Freda Joyce Davis
Fernando Lopez

TUESDAY: Maria Caisip
Mary Jo Haner
Intentions of Stanley Rydzewski

WEDNESDAY: Dorothy Long Corcoran (Anni)
Paul Murphy (MM)

THURSDAY: Camille Figurelli
Msgr. Francis J. Nelson

FRIDAY: Ann Frances Herb Connolly
Bertie Palmer Skinner

SATURDAY: Sam D. Tootle, Sr.
Dr. Edward J. Whelan Jr. (MM)

Which Opportunity Did You Pick?

Last weekend, in this bulletin, you found an insert listing all active ministries and some future possibilities for volunteering. If you haven’t made a decision yet or just need a little more information, look for the volunteers staffing the ministry table after each mass this weekend. You might find a treat – or a trick!

Volunteer Appreciation Weekend

Next weekend, Nov 5th and 6th, we will celebrate our many volunteers. Each time you come to mass you encounter dozens of volunteers. Dozens more contribute outside of mass times. We want to thank all of them for faithful service. After 8:00 and 10:00 AM masses on Sunday, a special coffee and doughnuts will say “thank you.” If you are a volunteer who has worked with one of our ministries in the last year, please join us, pick up your thank you gift, and let us recognize your contribution of time and talents.

From the Fishbowl:

Liturgical Ministries

The Cathedral has liturgical ministries which are also welcoming new volunteers. The Usher Team greets parishioners and visitors at each mass. Men and women, college age or older, are welcome. Join this great group of people and see the mass from a different perspective. The Extra-ordinary Ministers are the people you see helping with communion. Your interest is welcome. Membership must be approved by the pastor. The Lectors Ministry are those who read the scriptures at each mass. A good clear speaking voice is a requirement. Special training is provided. The Choir Ministry is a ministry for which the Cathedral is well-known. We have two choirs – the Adult Choir participates at 10:00 AM Mass each Sunday and at special services – Christmas, Good Friday, etc. They also lead other special events throughout the year including St Patrick’s Day Mass, the Christmas Concert, and more. The Stella Maris Choir sings each Sunday at the 1:00 PM Latin Mass. Choristers membership is by audition with McDougal Fogle, the Cathedral’s director of music. Choir members may be male or female of any age but with adult range voices. If one of these weekend mass volunteer opportunities interest you, please contact the church office and the ministry lead will get in touch with you to follow-up.

Two Upcoming Events You Don’t Want to Miss!

Donuts and Coffee Next Sunday!

Join us for donuts and coffee next Sunday, November 6, after the 8:00 and 10:00 AM Masses in the Parish Center. This is a great way to meet some of your fellow parishioners!

Parish Supper - Save the Date!

Join us for the "Light Up For Christ" and Blessing of the Crèche Parish Supper Wednesday, December 7, 2016. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, Post 631 will provide the meat. Parishioners bring a covered dish or dessert (family size)! This is a GREAT way to begin your Christmas Season! 6:00PM Prayer Service/Sing-a-Long at Crèche in front window of Cathedral Parish Center 6:30PM Parish Supper

Low Country Catholics

The Low Country Catholics, Savannah's Catholic Young Adult Group, invites young adults ages 21-35 to attend a 5-week book study on Christopher West's Theology of the Body for Beginners, which is based on Pope John Paul II's writings on topics like sexuality, marriage and celibacy. No preparation will be required before each discussion, though you are encouraged to purchase your own copy of the book. Each of the 5 sessions (Oct. 19, Oct. 26, Nov. 2, Nov. 9, Nov. 16) will take place at 7:00 p.m. at a private residence. Email bgoslin@diosav.org or yamsavannah@gmail.com for more details.

NET Ministries

Savannah Deanery Youth is proud to bring the NET Ministries retreat team to Savannah on Sunday, November 5. NET Ministries is an international youth ministry that conducts over 1000 retreats for teens each year. This year's retreat theme is "Strength in Numbers (Authentic Friendships)" and will be held at Villa Marie Center from 2:00-7:30. All high school teens are encouraged to attend and no registration is required. Mass is included in the day. For more information check out netusa.org or contact Leigh Ebberwein at Ebberwein@aol.com.
CATHEDRAL PARISH OFFERTORY
Offertory October 16, 2016: $19,923.50
Offertory October 18, 2015: $21,590.30

VISITOR’S DEPOSITORY BOX
Week Prior to October 16, 2016: $4,618.00
Week Prior to October 18, 2015: $5,333.50

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

Upcoming VIRTUS Training
A VIRTUS class has been scheduled at St. Peter the Apostle Church on November 16th. This training is required for Safe Environment Compliance for any adult who will come into contact with youth as part of their ministry (a listing of those ministries can be found at http://bit.ly/1vU4Yk6, and must be completed before they begin ministry. We also invite adults who are not currently volunteers to attend this training to learn tools they can use to help keep children safe. Seating is limited at this session and you must pre-registration online to save your seat. To register, go to www.diosav.org, and find the training listed on the Upcoming Events Calendar.

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.

Name ________________________________
Change of Address ____________________

Address ________________________________
_____________________________________

Telephone Number ____________________

Email Address _________________________

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2016 BISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL
Parish Target $ 108,174
Pledge Balance $ 12,173
Collected $ 110,828

Children’s Religious Ed. Schedule
Oct 30 - CLASS
Nov 6 - CLASS - Daylight Savings Time Ends

Cathedral Christmas Ornaments
We currently have all years ornaments available, but they are beginning to go fast! We only have a limited number remaining. If you wish to purchase one, you should do so soon. Last year, we sold out of many of them by November. We will not be ordering more this year! We ask for a donation of $20.00 per ornament. These make great gifts for any occasion!

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