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.

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.
Sacerdote - Lynne Everett, MD
Director of Religious Education - Mrs. Jane Polk Przybylek
Bookkeeper/Admin. Assistant - Ms. Jan Cunningham
Office Assistant - Mrs. Brenda Price
Music Director - Mr. McDowell Fogle, MM
Cantor - Jillian Pashke Durant, Rebecca Flaherty
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: csjbsav@aol.com
Cathedral Website: www.savannahcathedral.org  •  Diocesan Website: www.diosav.org  •  Cathedral Music: sjbmusic.org
TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON
All that you have done to us, o Lord, you have done with true judgement. Daniel 3:31

HYMN: For the Beauty of the Earth 986

+ LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING Amos 6:1a, 4-7
Missal, p. 72

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 146:7-10

SECOND READING: 1 Timothy 6:11-16
Missal, p. 73

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:
All stand.

REFRAIN

G O S P E L Luke 16:19-31
Missal, p. 74

HOMILY

NICENE CREED All stand. Missal, p. 104

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL
All stand.

THE LORD’S PRAYER
SIGN OF PEACE
LAMB OF GOD

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

All kneel.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

By this we came to know the love of God: that Christ laid down his life for us; so we ought to lay down our lives for one another. 1 John 3:16

COMMUNION HYMN Ubi Caritas #852

MARIAN ANTIPHON Salve Regina #1008

+CONCLUDING RITE

HYMN: Go to the World #917

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Words: Orthodox Funeral Liturgy, Shakespeare’s Hamlet
Music: John Tavener (1944-2013)

+LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS
Organ Instrumental

CHORAL ANTHEM (10AM): Song for Athene

Alleluia. May flights of angels sing thee to thy rest. Alleluia. Remember me, O Lord, when you come into your kingdom. Alleluia. Give rest, O Lord, to your servant, who has fallen asleep. Alleluia. The Choir of Saints have found the well-spring of life and door of Paradise. Alleluia. Life: a shadow and a dream. Alleluia. Weeping at the grave creates the song: Alleluia. Come, enjoy rewards and crowns I have prepared for you.

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Join us for The Cathedral of St. John the Baptist
Stewardship Appreciation Dinner

“I invite all of our registered members to come. I want to thank you for your generosity to the Cathedral Parish.”

“Please come!”

Father Schreck

Sunday, October 09, 2016
in Lafayette Square 5:00PM – 8:00PM

BBQ, veggie burgers, desserts, entertainment, lemonade, tea. RSVP the number attending from your family by October 3, 2016 to 233-4709 or email csjbsav@aol.com.

In case of rain, join us in the SVA gym @ Harris & Lincoln
As we gather at God’s invitation, we will hear the parable of the rich man and Lazarus. It interprets our first reading’s condemnation of those who hoard their own wealth with vivid imagery. Both passages are about the choices that we can make in this life. As we continue this celebration, may our prayers be for the grace to make the right choices in our own lives.

Columbus Day Mass

All people of Italian descent are invited to attend the **10:00 AM** Mass on **Sunday October 9th** at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist to honor Christopher Columbus, the discoverer of the Americas, who brought Christianity to the New World. We will celebrate our Italian ancestors, who came to America in pursuit of freedom and opportunity, strengthened by their faith, which helped them endure hardship and adversity. Join together with Italian families from throughout the Savannah area in this special celebration that remembers the struggles and triumphs of our forebears in helping to build this great nation, and salutes the vibrant cultural heritage of Italian Americans.

Mass Intentions for the week of September 25, 2016

**SUNDAY**
- Pro Populo
- **Jacob Kuebler (Anni)**
- Chris Salien
- **Daniel Joseph Sheehan, Jr. (Anni)**
- Fred & Josephine Doyle
- **Kathryn Twiggs Curran (Anni)**

**MONDAY**
- Intentions of Katherine Glusica
- Intentions of Elizabeth Rugh

**TUESDAY**
- Intentions of William Boyle
- Intentions of Craig Wheeler

**WEDNESDAY**
- Kathryn Twiggs Curran
- Charlene Webber

**THURSDAY**
- **Sean Christopher Haire (Anni)**
- Msgr. Francis Nelson

**FRIDAY**
- Kathryn Twiggs Curran
- Charlene Webber

**SATURDAY**
- Ruth Koprowski
- Sam D. Tootle, Sr.

Please Pray for:
Blessing of the Pets

Every year, to celebrate the feast day of the Patron Saint of Animals, Saint Francis of Assis, we have the “Blessing of the Pets.” This custom is conducted in remembrance of St. Francis’ love for all creatures. Bring your pets to Lafayette Square next Saturday, October 1st at 11:00 AM to receive a special blessing by Fr. Schreck. All creatures great and small are welcome!

Respect Life Ministry Events

Opportunities are many this Fall for parishioners to witness for Life in Savannah. Here are three upcoming events:

1. **October is Respect Life Month.** The annual LIFE CHAIN will be held next Sunday, October 2nd from 2:30 to 3:30 PM. Our church and many churches in the Savannah area will line both sides of Abercorn Extension in silent, prayerful witness for the unborn. You are encouraged to sign up to participate after all Masses this weekend.

2. The **40 Days for Life Campaign** from September 28 through November 6, from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM. 40 Days for Life is a community-based campaign that puts into action a desire to cooperate with God in carrying out His plan for children and families. It takes a peaceful approach to ending abortion in our city by emphasizing prayer, fasting, vigil and outreach. For more information go to [https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/savannah/](https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/savannah/)

3. There will be a rosary in honor of Our Lady of Fatima on Saturday, October 15th at Noon on 34th Street. This is our annual Rosary Procession with emphasis on Prayer for Families, Life, Marriage and Religious Freedom. Contact Gretchen at 912-658-3848 for more information.

Savannah Deanery Youth Mass

with Bishop Hartmayer
This Sunday at 5:00 PM
Cathedral of St. John the Baptist
Middle and High School Youth Families Welcome

White Elephant Sale

Saturday, October 1st, 8:00AM to 2:00PM in Saints Peter & Paul Parish Hall at Nativity of Our Lord Church, 3115 E Victory Drive, Thunderbolt, GA. Furniture, appliances, housewares, clothes, toys, books, and many great bargains.

Social Apostolate Golf Tournament

The 16th annual Social Apostolate Open Golf Tournament will be held on October 31, 2016 at 9:00 AM at the Palmetto Course at the Landings Club on Skidaway Island. If you are interested in playing in the tournament, sponsoring a hole or would like more information, please contact Kate Haase at 912-604-9669 or kthaze@mac.com. The golf tournament is the biggest fund raiser of the year for the Social Apostolate, an organization which focuses on employability, self-sufficiency and stability for Savannah’s poor, homeless, disabled and at-risk. In addition to providing employment support services the Social Apostolate provides approximately 17,000 meals annually, showers, transportation, prescription assistance, baby needs, groceries and hygiene items for families or individuals in crisis. Participation as a hole sponsor at levels from $150 to $1,000 or an amount of your choice and/or participation as a player in the tournament ($135 per player) will help provide essential services to those in need. Players can choose their own format – scramble or net 2 best balls. Please consider participating as a player, hole sponsor or donor. Forms to play or sponsor and additional information are available at [www.socialapostolate.org](http://www.socialapostolate.org).
CATHEDRAL PARISH OFFERTORY
Offertory September 18, 2016: $18,565.00
Offertory September 20, 2015: $20,430.00,

VISITOR’S DEPOSITORY BOX
Week Prior to September 18, 2016: $3,666.50
Week Prior to September 20, 2015: $4,375.50

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

2016 BISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL
Parish Target $ 108,174
Pledge Balance $ 14,611
Collected $ 108,290

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.)

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.

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Some Interesting Groups to Join Here at the Cathedral

Book Club
The Brothers Karamazov by Fyodor Dostoyevsky: The Brothers Karamazov is considered to be one of the greatest novels in Western Literature. It is a passionate philosophical novel set in 19th century Russia, that enters deeply into the ethical debates of God, free will, and morality. It is a spiritual drama of moral struggles concerning faith, doubt, and reason, set against a modernizing Russia. Discussions start on October 13th in the Parish Hall Library from 10:15 to 12:00. For more information: threenovacks@gmail.com

Prayer Group
The request for prayers has increased a great deal and we need your help. Would you consider praying each day for a list of names you will receive each month? If so email sandersgks53@aol.com

Adult Enrichment Committee
Are you interested in helping choose, organize, market, or facilitate activities for the parish? We are hoping to offer different learning opportunities (speakers, bible studies, etc) throughout the year and need your input. Please email threenovacks@gmail.com about our next meeting.