Cathedral of Saint John the Baptist

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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.

Faith Formation

Children’s Religious Ed Sundays: 8:45 am to 9:50 am
R. C. I. A. Tuesdays: 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 - Dr. Paul Thornock
Director of Religious Education - Mrs. Janee Przybyl
Bookkeeper/Admin. Assistant - Ms. Jan Cunningham
Office Assistant - Mrs. Brenda Price
Maintenance - Mr. Jimmy Joseph Sheehan III
Housekeeper/Food Services - Ms. Alma Young
Docents - Mrs. Peggy Baker
Mrs. Gloria Keane

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TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Prelude

Méditation

Duruflé

Introit

Inclina Domine
Mode I

Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in you, my God.
Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. Psalm 85

Hymn

Laude Dominum

PENITENTIAL ACT

Mass of Wisdom

Deacon, then all:

GLORIA

Mass of Wisdom

Janco

Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace to
people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-
dore you, we glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry,

Lord God, heav-en-ly King, O God, al - might-y Fa - ther.

Cantor/Choir: Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the
sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,
You a - lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir-it,
in the glo-ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

READING I

They shall bring all your brothers and sisters from all the nations.

Psalm 117

Guimont

READING II

Those whom the Lord loves, he disciplines.

Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13
CREED
I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (bow) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. (rise)
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

UNIVERSAL PRAYER
Lord, hear our prayer.

DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS
O God, hear our prayer and let our cry come unto You. Bless our Diocese of Savannah with many vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate, and Religious Life.
Give the men and women You call the light to understand Your gift and the love to follow always in the footsteps of Your priestly Son.
PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR

O How Amiable

O how amiable are thy dwellings: thou Lord of hosts! My soul hath a desire and longing to enter into the courts of the Lord: my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God. Psalm 83

SANCTUS

Mass of Wisdom

Janco

MYSTERIUM FIDEI

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

GREAT AMEN

Janco
AGNUS DEI  Cantor: Lamb of God,  Janco

1. you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

2. you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

De fructu operum tuorum  
Mode VI

The earth is replete with the fruits of your work, O Lord; you bring forth bread from the earth and wine to cheer the heart; oil to make his face shine, and bread to strengthen man's heart. Psalm 103

COMMUNION MOTET

O salutaris hostia  
Villette

O saving Victim! opening wide the gate of heaven to man below,  
Our foes press hard on every side, thine aid supply, thy strength bestow. St. Thomas Aquinas

HYMN

LAND OF REST

1. Je - ru - sa - lem, my hap - py home, When shall I come to thee?  
2. Your saints are crowned with glory great; They see God face to face;  
shall I see?  
When shall my sorrows have an end?  
They triumph still, they still rejoice: In that most holy place.
WELCOME THE BENEDICTINES!

I am delighted to say that the Priests of the Benedictine Priory have offered their assistance to us at the Cathedral. After consultation with Father Jean-Luc Zadroga, the Prior at Benedictine, we have worked out a schedule. One of the Priests from BC will be celebrating the 12 noon Mass on Tuesdays and Saturdays, and hear confessions on Saturday at 11:00. On Weekends, the Benedictines will take one of our five Masses, on a rotating schedule. Also, on those occasions when I must be out of town I will be able to call on the Benedictines for coverage of Masses.

This is great news for the Cathedral parishioners and for me! I know that you will make them feel very much at home at the Cathedral. You will be seeing the Prior, Fr. Jean-Luc Zadroga, the Headmaster of BC, Fr. Frank Ziemkiewicz, Father Ronald Gatman, Father Jean-Paul Heiser, and Father David Klecker. They are all very good men and fine Priests.

Monsignor O’Neill and Father Peyton will still be in residence at the Cathedral and will be available for Masses, as much as their health will allow. Monsignor is currently in Ireland and will be returning to the Cathedral the end of September. He continues to deal with the worsening of his eyesight and ability to read. Father Tom Peyton has had some surgeries this summer and is recovering from them, so that he can then have the knee replacement surgery that he has been anticipating.

Father Pablo Migone, the Bishop’s Secretary and Vocations Director, has moved out of the Cathedral after four years. He suffers greatly from allergies and the “age” of the Cathedral Rectory was not helping him. We will still see him often for Diocesan Liturgies at the Cathedral.

Finally, my brother, Monsignor Chris Schreck, is currently on sabbatical, having completed his term as Rector of the Pontifical College Josephinum in Ohio. He will spending some time in Savannah and has offered to help his miserable brother.

Rev. J. Gerard Schreck
Rector
We gather together today in our own local communities, while millions of others gather together in their communities all over the world. When Isaiah wrote that the LORD comes to “gather nations of every language,” could he have imagined over a billion believers, millions from a hemisphere not even conceived of by those of his place and time? Let us celebrate that hundreds of years and thousands of miles away, we are welcomed just as much as people in Isaiah’s or Jesus’ time.

Cathedral Ornaments are available to purchase for $20 each. You may purchase at the back of the church or online at www.savannahcathedral.org.

Mass Intentions for the week of August 25, 2019

SUNDAY  Pro Populo
Jude Attianese
Luis B. Baez (Anni)
John O’Brien

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY  Jack Faucette (MM)

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Please Pray For:
**Children’s Religious Education**

Attention Parents! The school year is about to begin. Registration will take place after 5:30 mass on Saturday, September 7th and 8:00, 10:00 and 11:30 masses on Sunday, September 8th. Bring your child’s baptismal certificate if you are new to the Cathedral’s CRE program. Classes begin on Sunday morning, September 22nd at 8:45 in the parish center building. If you miss this registration, bring your child to the parish center on the first day of class for registration and enrollment. Remember to talk about your Catholic faith with your children everyday.

**Adult Religious Education Classes Begin this Week!**

Classes will begin August 27th, at 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall. These classes are intended for adults and provide a forum in which questions can be asked and information given regarding the teachings and life of the Catholic Church. We meet each Tuesday evening for about one hour and the classes conclude with Easter 2020. There is a schedule of classes and topics to be discussed, a text book which will be provided for your use, as well as DVDs that will be used for some of the instruction. **If you are interested in attending our classes, it is not too late to sign up!** Please contact Deacon Dewain Smith in the Church Office at 912-233-4709. Deacon Smith will make an appointment for a brief meeting with you prior to the start of our classes on August 27th.

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**Unpack the Mysteries of Revelation An 11 Part Bible Study**

An intriguing look at one of the most talked-about books in Scripture. Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come shows how the Kingdom established by Christ in his Church is intimately connected with the Kingdom of Heaven. Discover what the mysterious figures and images of Revelation mean and see how Revelation is more than an apocalyptic vision of the “end Times.”

**Mondays 6:00 to 8:00 PM - Parish Center**

**Starts September 9th**

**Meeting Dates**

September 9, 16, 23, 30
October 7, 14, 21, 28
November 4, 11, 18

**Cost** - workbook and online access $26.96

For more information, please email Moira at threenovacks@gmail.com to receive link to register online.

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**Word on Fire and the Cathedral of Saint John the Baptist presents ENGAGE**

Word on Fire ENGAGE provides you the ability to explore all the goodness, truth and beauty of our Faith with Bishop Robert Barron. By signing up for free you gain instant access to all of Bishop Robert Barron’s high quality videos. There are no apps or downloads required. You can study on your own or join one of our small groups throughout the year. You simply open your messages, click and play. You do not need any technical expertise, just access to a computer with internet access or a cell phone.

**TWO WAYS TO JOIN**

**Text the phrase:** EngageMe to the number 84576 from your cell phone.

**From your computer type in:** CathedralSavannah.flocknote.com.
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Called “the world’s reigning male chorus” by the New Yorker, Chanticleer's blend of twelve male voices and their original interpretations of vocal literature is not to be missed. Get your tickets now!

IN CONCERT
SUNDAY, JANUARY 19, 2020
5:00 P.M.

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FOR CATHEDRAL HOUSEHOLDS
AUGUST 17 - SEPTEMBER 1

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Offertory Aug. 18, 2019: $18,673.00
Offertory Aug. 19, 2018: $18,468.75

VISITOR’S DEPOSITORY BOX
Week Prior to Aug. 18, 2019: $4,271.00
Week Prior to Aug. 19, 2018: $3,549.50

Adoration Chapel Openings
An hour a week in our Adoration Chapel is a wonderful opportunity for praise and thanksgiving, prayer, and petition for ourselves and others. We have openings at 4:00 PM on Wednesday and 9:00 and 11:00 AM on Thursday. Call Gretchen at 658-3848 today for questions or to sign up.

Cathedral Stewardship Picnic
Mark your calendars and join us!
Sunday October 13, 2019
In Lafayette Square
5:00 to 8:00 PM

BBQ, Italian sausage, cold-slaw, bake beans, rolls, drinks, and dessert by Leopold’s Ice Cream. The Equinox Quartet will entertain us again this year.

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