Cathedral of Saint 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: 10:00 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

Hours: Mon. - Fri. 9:00 to 5:00  · Phone: (912)233-4709  Fax: (912)233-8229  · E-mail: office@savannahcathedral.org
Cathedral Website: www.savannahcathedral.org  · Cathedral Music: music@savannahcathedral.org
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PRELUDE
Prelude in C minor, BWV 546  
Bach

INTROIT
Salus populi ego sum  
Mode IV

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress,
I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever. Psalm 36

HYMN
WESTMINSTER ABBEY

1. Christ is made our sure foundation, Christ the head and
corner stone; Chosen of the Lord and precious,
bind ing all the Church in one, Holy Zion's
help for ever, And her confidence alone.

2. To this temple where we call you, Come, O Lord of
hosts, today; With your wonted loving kindness
hearing your servants as they pray, And your fullest
bene diction Shed in all its bright array.

4. Praise and honor to the Father, Praise and honor
to the Son, Praise and honor to the Spirit,
Ever Three and ever One: Unified in
pow'r and glory, While unending ages run.

GREETING

PENITENTIAL ACT
Missa de angelis

1., 3. Lord, have mercy on us. 2. Christ, have mercy on us.  
Vatican Mass VIII
GLORIA

A New Mass for Congregations

Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we ad-ore you, we glo-ri-fy you, we give you thanks for your great glo-ry, Lord God, heav’n-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.

COLLECT (OPENING PRAYER)

READING I

Against those who buy the poor for money.

Amos 8:4–7

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.

Psalm 113
Guimont

READING II

Let prayers be offered for everyone to God who wills everyone to be saved.

1 Timothy 2:1–8
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION


GOSPEL

You cannot serve both God and mammon.

Luke 16:10–13

HOMILY

CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. 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 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.

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.

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)

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.

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.

UNIVERSAL PRAYER

Lord, hear our prayer.

DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

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

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Bless ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

MYSTERIUM FIDEI

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

GREAT AMEN

Amen, amen, amen.

AGNUS DEI

Missa de angelis

1., 2. Have mercy on us. 3. Grant us peace.
COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Tu mandasti
Mode V

You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept;
may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes. Psalm 118

COMMUNION MOTET

Tantum ergo

Therefore so great a Sacrament let us fall down and worship,
and let the old law give way to a new rite,
and let faith stand forward to make good the defects of sense.
St. Thomas Aquinas

HYMN

GROSSER GOTT

1. Holy God, we praise thy name!
2. Hark! the loud celestial hymn

Lord of all, we bow before thee;
Angel choirs above are raising;

All on earth thy scepter claim,
Cherubim and Seraphim

All in heav’n a-dore thee;
In unceasing chorus praising,

Infinite thy vast dominion,
Fill the heav’ns with sweet accord:

Everlasting is thy reign.
Holy, holy, holy Lord!

POSTLUDE

Fugue in C minor, BWV 546

Bach

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Mark your Calendars and Join Us!

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 13, 2019
in Lafayette Square 5:00PM – 8:00PM

BBQ, Italian sausage, cole-slaw, baked beans, rolls, drinks and dessert by Leopold’s Ice Cream. The Equinox Quartet will entertain us again this year. Please RSVP the number attending from your family, along with your email address, by Monday, October 7, 2019 to 912-233-4709 or office@savannahcathedral.org.
As summer turns to autumn, many of the Gospel selections we hear concern themselves with the Last Judgment. Our worthiness for eternal life in heaven can be indicated by the way we treat each other and the way we handle our possessions. As we celebrate today’s Eucharist, let us reflect on whether we are using our wealth for the benefit of others or if our pursuit of wealth is blinding us to the needs of our neighbor.

### Mass Intentions for the week of September 22, 2019

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Flowers on the Blessed Mother’s Altar are in memory of Stephen Francis Saunders.
The Cathedral is decorated each week with a seasonal rotation of flowers that are beautifully arranged to adorn the various altars in the church. These beautiful arrangements remain on the altars for about a week. Once the blossoms that have enhanced sacred liturgies begin to decline, they are harvested, taken to the drying room, and processed for use in the Potpourri Project. The individual petals are separated and dried. The drying process takes about three weeks. They are then blended with the fragrance mixture and packaged as potpourri. We now offer Cathedral Flowers Potpourri Bags and Sachet products for sale. Available in Lavender and Rose fragrances, priced as follows: Sachet Packets are $10.00. Potpourri Bags are $15.00. They may be purchased on the Cathedral website savannahcathedral.org or at the Docent’s desk Monday thru Saturday in the rear of the Cathedral.

**Respect Life Ministry Events**

**Life Chain**
Silent prayer and witness for the sacredness of all human life. Sunday, October 6th, 2:30 to 3:30 PM at Daffin Park, Victory Drive Side.

**Rosary Coast to Coast**
Join Catholics in more than 1,200 sites from the Atlantic to the Pacific who will pray the Rosary simultaneously across the United States for healing for our nation and for our Church. Sunday, October 13th at 4:00 PM at St. Peter the Apostle Church.

**Calling All College Students!**
CREED is a Catholic Campus Ministry student club at SCAD and run by Savannah Catholic Campus Ministry. With Krystyna Swierczewski, a SCAD Alumn, as the Campus Minister and Fr. Pablo Migone as the Chaplain; they both strive to serve all SCAD students and guide them towards an encounter with Christ. CREED meets on a weekly basis with events ranging from a celebration of the Sacraments, theology talks, craft night, and fellowship. There are also small groups that meet on a weekly basis. The women's group meets Thursday nights and the men's group meets Sunday afternoons; both meet at the Cathedral Parish Center. For more information, contact Krystyna at savannahccm@diosav.org or visit their website www.savannahccm.wordpress.com/scad-creed.

**Adoration Chapel Openings**
Adoration is very important, especially now there is confusion among some Catholics about the reality of the Eucharist. On August 18, Pope Francis said, “I invite everyone to discover the beauty of the prayer of Adoration and to exercise it often.” Adoration of God is necessary to allow the fire of love that Jesus brought to the earth to save and change the world. We now have openings in our chapel for Wednesday at 4:00 and Thursday at 9:00 and 11:00 AM. Contact Gretchen at 912-658-3848. Be sure to leave a message if there is no answer.
Friends of Cathedral Music present

Musica noctis: Music of the Night

Friday, October 18
7:30 p.m.

Featuring the Cathedral Choral Scholars performing music composed for the evening offices of Vespers and Compline

Free and open to the public
SavannahCathedral.org/Music
CATHEDRAL PARISH OFFERTORY
Offertory Sep. 15, 2019: $22,719.50
Offertory Sep. 16, 2018: $21,386.36

VISITOR’S DEPOSITORY BOX
Week Prior to Sep. 15, 2019: $4,634.00
Week Prior to Sep. 16, 2018: $3,613.50

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

NEW PARISHIONERS & ADDRESS CHANGES
Anyone wishing to become a parishioner of the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist can 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 can also let us know if your address has changed.
To register online go to www.savannahcathedral.org.

(Circle One) New Parishioner / Change of Address

Name ______________________________
Address ______________________________
______________________________________________________________________________
Telephone Number ________________________

Children's Religious Ed. Schedule
Sep. 22 - First Day of Class
Sep. 29 - Class and Children’s Mass at 10:00