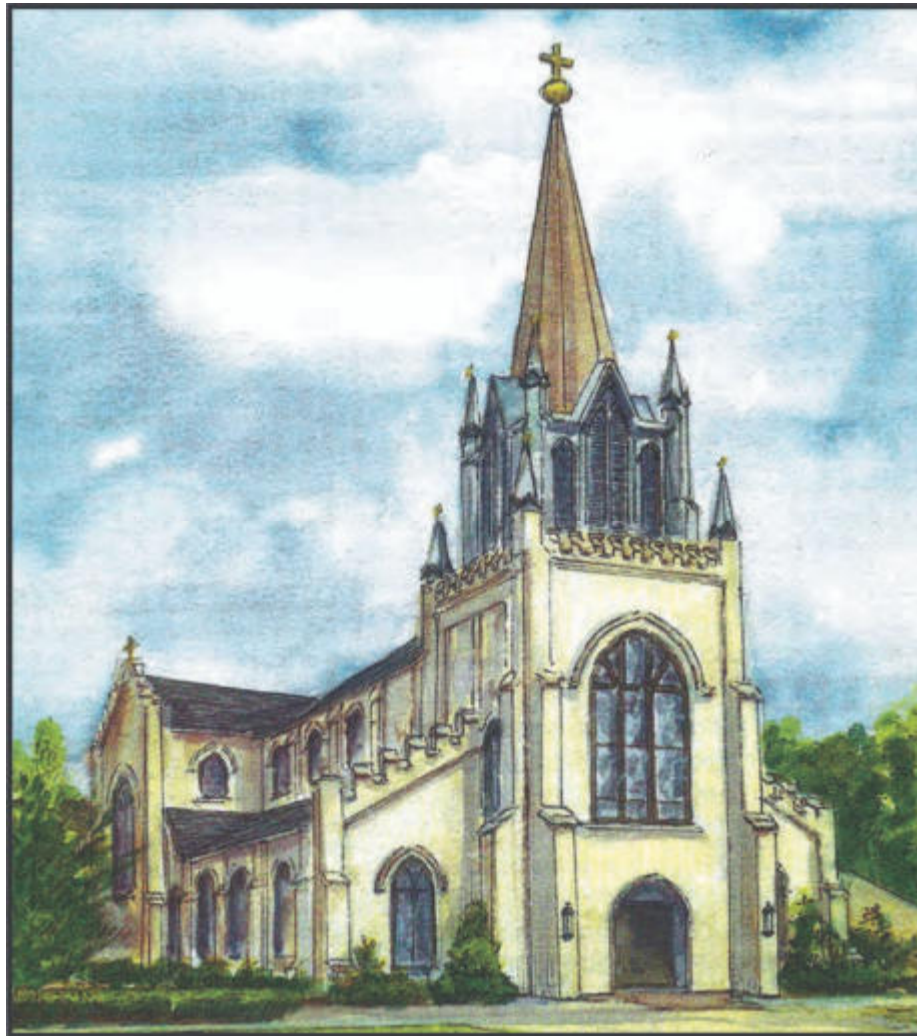


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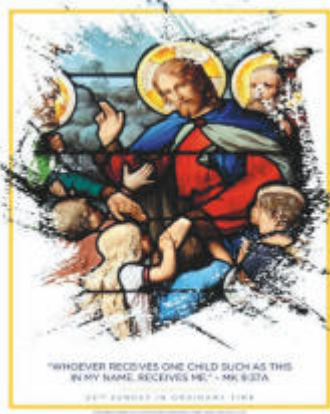


## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday:** 5:00 pm  
**Sunday:** 8:30 am & 11:00 am  
**Mon, Tue, Wed, Thurs:** 12:10 pm  
**Holy Hour:** Mon, Tue, Wed, Thurs: 11 am

**Sacred Heart Devotion/Healing Mass:**  
First Friday of the Month 6:30-7:30 pm

**CONFESSION:** M,T,W,Th: 11-11:45 am  
Saturdays: 4:00 pm



## September 19, 2021 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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 God forever.



### **HELPING AFGHAN REFUGEES:**

**Catholic Charities of South Georgia has posted a page of resources for those looking to help Afghan refugees resettle in the US: <https://diosav.org/ccharities/afghanistan>**

**FOR OUR SICK:** Joan Reilly, Bryan Evans, Wendy Northington, Maria Eugenia Pena, Antonio Alfonso, “Juliana”, Charlene and Brace Feldbush, Fr. Dan O’Connell, Edwina Cruz, Tony Allen, Shaija Simon, Gustavo Fernandez, Christa Berrill, Elvira Lisi, Judge Michael Cielinski, Joyce Waters, Mehret Berhan, Pat Mullane, Rachael Sandri, Jason Janney, Dylan Presley, Noah Beals, Bob Crawford, Matthew Galapon, Shelby Holley, Dickie Minter, Jack Kasych, Larry Imo, Margaret Buckner, Robert Daniels, Nasaneth Yohannes, Joseph Burke, Charles Smith, Carrie Miller, Deborah Khoury, Richard Grantham, Elizabeth Grey, Charles D. Woody, Roberta Battersby, John Redman, Dorothy J. Gallagher, Jeffrey Victor, Pat Roper, Kendra Haddock, Sharon Pritchett, Vivian Bonamy, Robin Bangart, Chris Batastini, Monika Waller, Joe Waller, Lewis Brewer, Darrell Wilson, Ed Stewart, Richard DeNoia, Sandi Smith, Jessica Watts, Joseph Picariello, Steve Karr, Ashley Priest.

### **LIVE THE LITURGY – INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK**

What does it mean to be God’s servant? In essence, it means being willing to call the world back to its childlike innocence, showing all that a joy-filled playfulness has a place in life. The servant of God serves to foster the Kingdom of God. God’s kingdom is not a sterile, unhappy, strict, and rigid reality. It is quite the opposite. It is a kingdom devoid of jealousy and selfish ambition where peace, gentleness, mercy, and good works abound. To be a servant of this kingdom means that selfish ambition must be set aside so that others can be first, and justice pursued at all cost. The prayer of this kind of servant is not focused on self-advancement or need. Rather, the servant’s prayer seeks to detach from self-concern in order to be used by God. In this way, we who are servants can be inspired, guided, empowered, and led by God. We can then be used to lay the cornerstones of the kingdom: faith, hope, and love. It is upon these that God’s firm dwelling is built. Accepting this call may place us last in the world’s eyes but first in God’s.

**FAITH FORMATION 2021-2022:** The new religious education year began on Sunday, September 12<sup>th</sup>. Registration is ongoing in St. Joseph’s Hall at 9:30 a.m. on Sundays. REGISTRATION FEES are \$50. for one child, \$75. for two children, and \$100. for three or more children. Scholarship is available. Classes are held between the Masses 9:30 – 10:45. **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY** – if you love sharing your faith and growing in your faith in ways you never imagined, please consider volunteering to help with our program. We need catechists and helpers. Contact Julie at [holyfamily4706@gmail.com](mailto:holyfamily4706@gmail.com) or 706-289-9322 if you would like more information. We look forward to tapping into the new energy that Fr. Dallas brings to our parish and to working with children, youth and family catechesis. Get ready for an amazing year!

**FEELING CALLED TO BECOME CATHOLIC? RCIA:** The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a process that explores the beliefs and practices of the Catholic faith. We call it a “class” but it is more of a “journey”. If you feel called to explore becoming Catholic, if you have been away from the faith and wish to know God’s embrace, contact Julie Hird at 706-289-9322 for more information or join us on Tuesdays, at 7:00 p.m. in St. Mary’s Hall.

**REST IN PEACE:** Please pray for the repose of the souls of the following parishioners and for the consolation of their loved ones: Howard Rhodes who died September 1, 2021; Ramon Cruz-Sabater who died September 4, 2021 and Amos Ivey who died September 9, 2021. May they rest in peace and be among the blessed in heaven.

**CATECHETICAL SUNDAY 2021:** Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. This year, the Church will celebrate Catechetical Sunday on September 19, 2021, and the theme is: *“Say the Word and My Soul Shall be Healed.”* Those who the parish community has designated to serve as catechists will be called forth to be commissioned for their ministry. **Prayer for Catechists:** *Loving Father, we pray today for our catechists. We thank you for their gift of ministry in your Church. Grant them your wisdom that they may grow in the understanding and teaching of your Word. Grant them also your love that they may be fruitful heralds of your Word and lead others to love you. Pour forth your Holy Spirit upon them to grant them wisdom about what is important; knowledge of the truths of faith; understanding of their meaning; right judgement about how to apply them in life; courage to persevere even in the face of adversity; reverence before all that is sacred and holy; and that loving seal which leads others to a transforming encounter with your son. We pray this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.*



# CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

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**Weekend of September 11/12, 2021**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sept 18</b>	<b>Oscar Marchesini &amp; Edita Burghini</b>	<b>Memorial</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Sept 19</b>	<b>Pro Populo</b>	
		<b>Randy Schmidt</b>	<b>Memorial</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Sept 20</b>	<b>Joseph Maliakal</b>	<b>Memorial</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Sept 21</b>	<b>Paulouse Maliakal</b>	<b>Memorial</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Sept 22</b>	<b>Rosy Maliakal</b>	<b>Memorial</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Sept 23</b>	<b>Rosie Longoria</b>	<b>Memorial</b>

<u>DATE</u>	<u>MASS</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>HOST MINISTER</u>
Sept 18	5:00 PM	D. Buchholz	E. Balauitan
Sept 19	8:30 AM	L. Huff	W. Vaughn
	11:00 AM	M. Tillman	Dcn Tillman

**SUNDAY’S READINGS - SEPTEMBER 26th, 2021 TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**First Reading:**

But Moses answered him, “Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the people of the LORD were prophets!” (Nm 11:29)

**Psalm:**

The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart. (Ps 19)

**Second Reading:**

Your wealth has rotted away, your clothes have become moth-eaten, your gold and silver have corroded, and that corrosion will be a testimony against you; it will devour your flesh like fire.” (Jas 5:3)

**Gospel:**

“If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter into life maimed than with two hands to go into Gehenna, into the unquenchable fire.” (Mk 9:43)



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