



# ST. FRANCIS of ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH

*January 16, 2022*

**UNITED IN OUR CATHOLIC FAITH, WE STRIVE TO LOVE AND SERVE GOD AS JESUS DID.**

## Daily Schedule

Rosary.....8:20 am

Service.....9:00 am

Monday .....Mass

Tuesday.....Communion Service

Wednesday ..Mass

Thursday.....Mass

Friday.....Mass



## Weekend Mass Schedule

### *Horario de Misa*

Saturday Vigil.....4:00pm

.....6:00pm (Español)

Sunday.....8:00am

.....10:00am

.....12:00 pm (Español)

*Kenyan Mass the 3rd Sunday of the month*

.....4:00pm

## 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." - Jn 2:1-3

Hubo una boda en Caná de Galilea, a la cual asistió la madre de Jesús. Este y sus discípulos también fueron invitados. Como llegara a faltar el vino, María le dijo a Jesús: "Ya no tienen vino". - Jn 2, 1-3

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD  
Leccionario II © 1987 Comisión Episcopal de Pastoral Litúrgica de la Conferencia del Episcopado Mexicano.

©LPI

## ADORATION

Thursday

9:30 am to 7:00 pm

## St. Francis of Assisi office hours

Monday– Friday .....8:00am to 2:00pm

Closed for lunch .....12:00pm to 12:30pm

## Confessions/ Confesiones

Saturday/ Sabados.....3:00pm to 3:45pm

or by appointment / por cita



St. Francis of Assisi-Cartersville



St. Francis Assisi



WeConnect Parish App



www.stfac.org

**PARISH OFFICE  
CONTACT INFORMATION:  
(770) 382-4549**

**PASTOR**

Rev. Juan F. Anzora..... janzora@stfac.org  
Sacramental Emergency..... 678-558-1331

**PASTOR ASSOCIATE**

Rev. Mr. Miguel A. Echevarria .....EX:4  
mechevarria@stfac.org

**Deacon**

Rev. Mr. Tom Coffey.....  
tcoffey@stfac.org

**BOOKKEEPER**

Debi Borgelt .....EX:5  
dborgelt@stfac.org

**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

.....EX:2

**FAITH FORMATION ADMIN ASSISTANT**

Nakole Preister.....EX: 6  
npreister@stfac.org

**YOUTH COORDINATOR**

Allie Brown.....EX: 7  
abrown@stfac.org

**BUILDING MANAGEMENT**

Rodolfo Peña.....EX: 8  
rpena@stfac.org

**DIRECTOR OF FORMATION AND DISCIPLESHIP**

Cindy Caughman.....EX: 9  
ccaughman@stfac.org

**MUSIC**

Robert Oliver.....(770)310-5699  
robert.oliver99@gmail.com

Fidel Cruz (español).....(706) 879-0895

**Ministry Directory**

*R.C.I.A.*.....Rev. Mr. Tom Coffey.....770-382-4549  
*Homebound* ..... Ms. Marie Haney..... 770-548-9198  
*Funerals* ..... Mrs. Rae Weimer..... 770-367-8776  
*Guardian Angels*... Mrs. Kristy Mitchell..... 770-324-9834  
*Finance*..... Mr. Bill Overcash..... 770-382-1622  
*K of C*..... Mr. Robert Hauss..... 770-687-9678  
*Loving Hands* ..... Ms. Kay Nealey..... 770-382-3296  
*Military Ministry*.....Emily Waters..... 770-231-5074  
*SVdP*..... Mrs. Carol McNavish.....svdpofsf@gmail.com  
(\*Email or text)  
*Skunks & Scooters* .....Zach Brown .....770-580-9074  
Email: zmb2306@gmail.com  
*Morning Coffee*.....Susan Sweet..... 770-719-8491  
*Faith Share*..... Paul Eberhart ..... 770-881-0132  
*C.C.W*..... Susan Sweet..... 770-719-8491  
*St. Francis Feeds the need*..... Theresa Corcoran..... 770-386-9413  
*Women in Faith*.....Kristy Leischow ..... 770-316-4904  
*Grief Support Ministry*.....Betty Grant ..... 770-386-4089

**Directorio de Ministerios**

*R.I.C.A.*..... Rev. Mr. Miguel Echevarria.....678-656-4306  
*Grupo de Oracion*..... Jesus Rios..... 770-276-8050  
*Quinceañeras*..... Rev. Mr. Miguel Echevarria.....678-656-4306  
*Lectura Biblica*..... Abelardo Diaz..... 404-446-8565  
*Funerales*..... Rev. Mr. Miguel Echevarria.....678-656-4306

**Spotlight for Our Ministries**

**LOVING HANDS**

**‘In every way I have shown you that by hard work of that sort we must help the weak, and keep in mind the words of the Lord Jesus who himself said, “It is more blessed to give than to receive,” Acts 20:35**

Loving Hands began in 2008, we are knitters and crocheters who are committed to helping out the community by using the talents that God has given us. We have made and donated Afghans, lap robes, scarves, hats, mittens, etc. to a number of needy organizations as well as to our soldiers in the war zones. If you are interested, we are willing to teach.

We meet one Friday a month at 10am  
(generally the first Friday)

**Contact Information:  
Kay Nealey at 770-382-3296  
or Mimifishes2014@outlook.com**



**Counting our Blessings January 1st & 2nd**

OFFERTORY ..... \$ 10,882.00  
ONLINE GIVING .....\$ 5,105.00  
ST. VINCENT THE PAUL .....\$ 1,629.05

**Counting our Blessings January 8th & 9th**

OFFERTORY ..... \$ 14,017.07  
ONLINE GIVING .....\$ 2,860.00

**Weekly Offertory  
\$12,360 needed per week to meet  
the church's expenses**

◆ Online Giving Link: <https://www.myowngiving.com/Default.aspx?cid=557>

◆ Online Giving Questions: Contact Debi Borgelt if you have any questions on our Online Giving.

◆ For questions concerning our finances, please contact our Finance Committee at [stfrancisfinancecouncil@stfac.org](mailto:stfrancisfinancecouncil@stfac.org).

## Parish Information/VIDA DE LA COMUNIDAD PARROQUIAL

Remembering those that need our prayers / *Recordando a los que necesitan nuestras oraciones*



Lisa Escutia     Brad Bonner  
Tiffany Preister     Elijah Preister  
Macaria Mejorada+     Lafanda Shutley  
The Cole Family     Jimmy Nelson  
Patricia Bohn+     Kevin O'Neil+  
Muriel Pittaluga+

If you would like to add a name to our prayer list, please visit our website [sffac.org](http://sffac.org).

### WEEKLY READINGS

**Sunday:** Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

**Monday:** 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

**Tuesday:** 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

**Wednesday:** 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

**Thursday:** 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

**Friday:** 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

**Saturday:** 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

**Next Sunday:** Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21



### LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

**Domingo:** Is 62, 1-5/Sal 95, 1-2. 2-3. 7-8. 9-10 [3]/1 Co 12, 4-11/Jn 2, 1-11

**Lunes:** 1 Sm 15, 16-23/Sal 49, 8-9. 16-17. 21 y 23/Mc 2, 18-22

**Martes:** 1 Sm 16, 1-13/Sal 88, 20. 21-22. 27-28/Mc 2, 23-28

**Miércoles:** 1 Sm 17, 32-33. 37. 40-51/Sal 143, 1. 2. 9-10/Mc 3, 1-6

**Jueves:** 1 Sm 18, 6-9; 19, 1-7/Sal 55, 2-3. 9-10. 10-11. 12-13/Mc 3, 7-12

**Viernes:** 1 Sm 24, 3-21/Sal 56, 2. 3-4. 6 y 11/Mc 3, 13-19

**Sábado:** 2 Sm 1, 1-4. 11-12. 17. 19. 23-27/Sal 79, 2-3. 5-7/Mc 3, 20-21

**Domingo Prximo:** Neh 8, 2-4.5-6. 8-10/Sal 18, 8. 9. 10. 15/1 Co 12, 12-30o 12, 12-14. 27/Lc 1,1-4;4-1421



## January Youth Night

Sunday, January 23rd

Middle School 4p-6p

High School 5p-7p

Scan QR Code to RSVP



## Parish Information/VIDA DE



### La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl

*"El que tiene ojos agradables será bienaventurado, porque comparte su pan con los pobres". Proverbios 22: 9*

La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl brinda asistencia a las personas necesitadas. Si conoce a alguien que esté luchando durante este tiempo, por favor refiéralos al ministerio SVdP de San Francisco de Asís en [svdpofsf@gmail.com](mailto:svdpofsf@gmail.com). Seguimos aceptando alimentos no perecederos después de cada misa. Junto con el sobre de donación mensual, tenemos una página de donación en línea fácil en el sitio web de la iglesia. Gracias por su apoyo a nuestra comunidad a los necesitados a través de donaciones financieras y de Alimentos.

## This Weekend Second Collection

Archdiocese Hispanic Ministries

Esta semana la segunda colecta

Ministerios Hispanos de la Arquidiócesis



## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Francis invites each of us to be generous and spend time with Jesus Christ in Adoration of the Most Holy Eucharist as a Guardian. Feel Jesus' love and mercy present in the Holy Eucharist and allow him to heal and renew your soul.

**Adoration each Thursday from 9:30am – 7:00pm.**

### *What is Adoration?*

Adoration is adoring and honoring the presence of Christ in the Eucharist. The Blessed Sacrament is held within a holder called a monstrance. During this time with Jesus, recite your favorite prayers, read the bible, pray a rosary, or other types of prayerful devotions. You can talk to God or sit in total stillness. All are invited for as much time as you wish to spend.

### *Becoming an Adoration Guardian!*

Everyone is invited to come visit, worship, and adore the Blessed Sacrament. To make sure adoration can safely take place, at least one person, but preferably two, is with our Lord at all times. These guardians make it possible for all parishioners to experience the blessings of Eucharistic adoration. Guardians can commit to spending time in adoration a specific hour each Thursday. Also, Adoration guardian substitutes fill in for guardians or during open adoration hours.

*If you can spend some time with Him in Adoration, please call the front office (770) 382-4549. We need Guardians during each hour that the Blessed Sacrament is exposed.*



**SUPPORT**  
AFTER ABORTION



MILITARY, VETERANS  
& THEIR FAMILIES

JOIN US FOR AN  
ABORTION  
RECOVERY RETREAT

NORTH ATLANTA AREA

**February 11 - 13, 2022**

You have served... let us serve you!

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat is a weekend focused on abortion healing.

RSVP @ LINK BELOW:  
<https://qrco.de/bcPCLI>



For more info contact  
Jody Duffy @ 404.247.9046 or  
[militaryandveterans@supportafterabortion.com](mailto:militaryandveterans@supportafterabortion.com)

# VIDA DE LA COMUNIDAD PARROQUIAL

## Quinceañera CELEBRATION

Los padres que deseen celebrar una Misa para los quince años de su niña o niño, deberán comunicarse con nuestra oficina, seis (6) meses antes de la fecha, al número de teléfono 770-382-4549 ext. 4, preguntar por Diacono Miguel.

### Información general:

1. La familia de la quinceañera debe estar registrada en la oficina de nuestra Iglesia y participar activamente para solicitar una quinceañera.
2. La quinceañera debe haber recibido el sacramento del Bautismo, Comunión y Confirmación (o estar en clases de confirmación ahora). Si estos sacramentos se llevaron a cabo en otra iglesia, por favor envíenos una copia de los certificados de esos sacramentos.
3. La quinceañera debe ser un miembro activo del grupo de jóvenes de la parroquia y estar inscrita en las clases de formación de fe. Todas las cuotas sacramentales de formación en la fe deben pagarse actualmente.
4. La quinceañera debe asistir a una clase de preparación para quinceañeras, ya sea aquí (se ofrece solo dos veces al año) o en otra iglesia (traiga el certificado o carta de asistencia de la clase a nuestra Oficina de Formación en la Fe). Se anunciarán las fechas y la hora de la clase una vez el formulario sea aprobado.

## Grupo Carismático "El Buen Pastor"

### ¿Qué es el Grupo de Oración Carismático?

El grupo de oración ha sido organizado para mover y alimentar la necesidad de la oración dentro de la comunidad.

### ¿Qué hacemos?

Profundizamos el amor a Dios encontramos en el Espíritu Santo la fuerza y el consuelo para orar en comunidad donde cada uno de nosotros nos expresamos libremente, ayudamos, sostenemos y alimentamos la oración de los demás.

### ¿Quiénes somos?

Somos personas laicas de la comunidad que nos reunimos para alabar, glorificar, adorar y dar gracias a Dios.

### ¿Cuándo y dónde nos reunimos?

**Nos reunimos todos los Jueves de 7:00 PM a 9:00 PM en el salón parroquial La Sallete.**

*Para mas información, por favor póngase en contacto con el coordinador*

*Jesús Ríos al 770-235-8254 o sub coordinador*

*Ismael Arredondo al 770-896-4710*

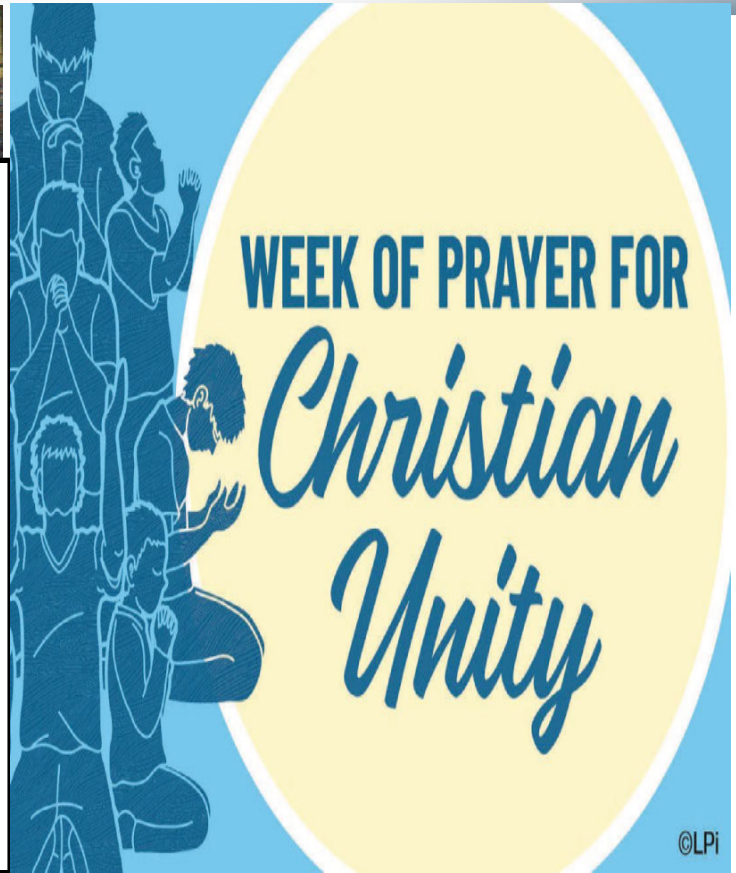
# Parish Information



## St Vincent de Paul Society

*"He who has a bountiful eye will be blessed, for he shares his bread with the poor."  
-Proverbs 22:9*

The St Vincent de Paul Society provides assistance to people in need. If you know of anyone struggling during this time, please refer them to the St Francis of Assisi SVdP ministry at [svdpofs@gmail.com](mailto:svdpofs@gmail.com). We continue to accept nonperishable food items after each mass. Along with the monthly donation envelope, we have an easy online giving page on the church website. Thank you for your support to our community to those in need through financial and food donations.



## Mass Intentions What, Why and How

Pope Paul VI said, "The Mass is the most perfect form of prayer!" The Mass has immense power and countless miracles and conversions have occurred throughout the centuries by offering Masses for a specific intention or person. Mass intentions are a great treasure of the Church and have a spiritual weight that is incalculable. The practice of offering Mass for intentions is an ancient one, dating back to the early church.

Mass intentions are a vital part of an active participating catholic community. This is because the Church considers the Mass as the greatest possible prayer of intercession insofar as it is the Perfect offering of Christ to the Father by making present the paschal mystery of his death and resurrection.

### **An individual may ask a priest to offer a Mass for several reasons:**

In thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday or anniversary), in petition for health concerns (such as illness or hospitalization) or, as is most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died.

As Catholics, we believe praying for the others to be one of the greatest forms of prayer we can offer someone. In the words of Saint John Paul II: 'If you really wish to follow Christ, if you want your love for him to grow and last, then you must be faithful to prayer. It is the key to the vitality of your life in Christ. Without prayer, your faith and love will die.'

***If you would like a Mass intention requests for daily or weekend Masses. Please call our office at 770-382-4549, ext 2 to discuss availability.***

## **GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE**

God delights in you. How do you feel when you hear that? Delight usually comes with an exuberant flow of joy that seemingly arises from one's toes with the expression of great glee. Reflecting upon the deep measure of joy God has in us can be a source of joy for ourselves. Delight is infectious. A very young brother and sister were playing on the beach when the all too familiar ice cream truck made its daily rounds. The boy shook with excitement and delight as he took his sister's hand and exclaimed, "The ice cream man is here, isn't it great!" As they ran off toward the truck, one could hear the girl reply, "Yeah, I can't wait!" The experience of a child's delight in something so simple as ice cream, lifts our spirits from our burdens and transports us to the lighter, more innocent side of life.

Life is not meant to be a burden. Believe it or not, God actually wants us to be happy! In fact, the wedding feast at Cana shows us that God even puts His blessing on our happiness. It is okay to celebrate the wonder of ourselves and others. Life is good. It is always interesting to note that Jesus saves the good wine until last. You would think it would be the other way around. The superb quality of Jesus' wine points to the superior quality of life we find in Christ. It is not a life of burdens but a life of wonder and delight! In Christ, we are lifted from the superficial and mundane to a life of purpose, hope, and love.

God is with us through the long haul, through the challenges and sorrows as well as the successes and accomplishments. In spite of the fact that we often wander from the path, God's celebratory delight in us remains. As spouses are asked to remain faithful to each other through whatever life brings, God remains faithful too. This promise remains through this life and into the next. All we have to do is take the advice of Jesus' mother to heart when she says, "Listen to him." This wisdom saves us from foolishly giving in to the illusion that we can make better wine than Jesus.

©LPi

## **MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO – ALENTAR UN ENTENDIMIENTO MÁS PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA**

Con la fiesta de la Epifanía y el Bautismo del Señor se cierra el Tiempo de Navidad, que siempre es precedido por el Adviento. Ahora, comenzamos el Tiempo Ordinario. Serán siete domingos de este corto periodo, que termina el día anterior al Miércoles de Ceniza. La segunda etapa de este Tiempo es más larga, da comienzo después del domingo de Pentecostés y termina hasta el sábado antes del primer domingo de Adviento. ¿Para qué sirve a los cristianos este Tiempo Ordinario? ¿Qué nos pide la Liturgia de este tiempo? Pues, es muy sencillo, nos pide meditar en el misterio de Cristo. En su invitación de participar en su Reino con alegría y compromiso verdadero. La Iglesia tiene diversidad de carismas, donde podemos entregarnos al servicio de los demás.

Por ejemplo, hoy el Evangelio nos invita a participar junto con María y Jesús en las bodas de Caná. Y es ahí en esa boda, donde Jesús hace su primer milagro a petición de su Madre María. El diálogo de ambos viene a ser a causa de la falta de vino. Por lo tanto, los novios estaban en apuros por esta razón. Este relato es muy profundo, el hecho de que Jesús participa en la boda, tiene como significado la boda de Dios con la humanidad, que más adelante será la Sangre de Jesús derramada para la salvación de la humanidad. "Alegrémonos, regocijémonos démosle honor y gloria, porque han llegado las bodas del Cordero" (Apocalipsis 19,7). También, el profeta en la primera lectura lo pone claro: "No te llamaran más 'Abandonada', ni a tu tierra 'Desolada', sino que te llamaran 'Mi Preferida' y a tu tierra 'Desposada'. Porque Yavé se complacerá en ti y tu tierra tendrá un esposo" (Isaías 62,4).

©LPi



Stiles

JEWELERS

More Than You Expect from a Jewelry Store



**OLGA & KURT STILES**  
 DCA & GIA DIAMOND CERTIFIED  
 PARISHIONER  
 SE HABLA ESPAÑOL

402 E. Church St., Ste. 110  
 Cartersville, GA  
 770-382-0076 | www.stilesjewelers.com

LET US PLACE  
 YOUR AD HERE.

**ADT-Monitored Home Security**

Get 24-Hour Protection From a Name You Can Trust

- Burglary
- Flood Detection
- Fire Safety
- Carbon Monoxide

ADT Authorized Provider SafeStreets 1-855-225-4251

**FAMILY DENTISTRY**  
 770.943.9616  
 JOHN WARREN, DMD  
 20 QUAIL RIDGE ROAD • HIRAM, GA 30141



**PIANO DAY**  
 Sales, rentals, tuning  
 & repair, rebuilding,  
 refinishing, storage  
 404-563-3951

**Owen  
 Funeral Home**



770-382-3030  
 12 Collins Dr SE

www.owenfunerals.com

I'M NOT JUST A REALTOR,  
 I'M ALSO YOUR neighbor!

E-mail: Gina@GinaSellsGeorgia.com  
 Website: www.GinaSellsGeorgia.com  
 MOBILE: 770-653-9328  
 OFFICE: 770-387-1706

Professional Realty Group  
 25 Stonewall St.  
 Cartersville, GA 30120

**GINA SCOGGINS D'URBANO**  
 PARISHIONER



ESTABLISHED 2003  
 REAL ESTATE CLOSINGS | ADOPTIONS | WILLS  
 1105 N Tennessee Street  
 Cartersville, Georgia 30120  
 770-382-4702

**MAINE STREET**  
 COASTAL CUISINE

24 West Main Street  
 770-334-3813  
 Open at 11:00 AM Daily  
 Sunday Brunch



**MELE COUSLING & SOLUTIONS, INC.**  
 Jeanine Mele - LCSW, CAC II Parish Member  
 • Individual, Couples & Family  
 • Alcohol & Drug Addiction  
 • Short-Term / Solution Focused  
 (404) 918-3301 • www.melecounseling.com  
 75 Wade Green Business Center,  
 1301 Shiloh Rd, Ste 840, Kennesaw, GA

**Viviana Norman,  
 Realtor®**  
 Se habla Español

Asesoría en la  
 Compra, Venta o  
 Inversión de Casas.

404-789-7704  
 www.viviananorman.com

**EL CHARRO**  
 Authentic Mexican Grill

700 Douthit Ferry Rd  
 Cartersville, GA 30120  
 (770) 606-0041

Parish Family

**WE'RE HIRING**  
 AD SALES EXECUTIVES

BE YOURSELF. BRING YOUR PASSION.  
 WORK WITH PURPOSE.

- Paid Training
- Some Travel
- Work-Life Balance
- Full-Time with Benefits
- Serve Your Community

Contact us at careers@4lpi.com  
 www.4lpi.com/careers

*We've Missed You!*  
 Welcome Back to Mass

Stay connected to our faith community no matter where you are  
 by signing up to get our bulletin delivered straight to your email!

www.ParishesOnline.com

**AVAILABLE FOR  
 A LIMITED TIME!**  
**ADVERTISE HERE NOW!**

Contact **Morgan Cook**  
 to place an ad today!  
 mcook@4LPi.com or  
 (800) 477-4574 x6314

**PARNICK JENNINGS  
 FUNERAL HOME  
 & CREMATION SERVICES**

Cartersville's Locally Owned Funeral Home

770-382-0034  
 430 Cassville Road • Cartersville, GA 30120  
 www.parnickjenningsfuneral.com

Ask a Family we have served...



2-D-4-2-B

For ad info. call 1-800-477-4574 • www.4lpi.com

16-0361