



# Rotary Club of Georgetown

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**March 26, 2019**



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## Wedding Anniversaries

None

## Birthdays

**Daniel F. Siau** - March 31

**Ted Gagliano** - April 1

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## Prayer Schedule

**March 26** - John Stalvey

**April 2** - George Chastain

**April 9** - Alan Walters

**April 16** - George Blalock

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## Upcoming Events

**April 12, 2019** - Service at Friendship

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## Today's Speaker

**JOHN KENNY - Director, Georgetown Innovation Center**

It's not every day that you meet someone who has been a professor, attorney, radio news director, congressional legislative assistant, and on-air disc jockey. John Kenny has done all of that - and more - in his 40 years of hands-on, tactical entrepreneurial and management experience. An education and technology expert, John specializes in the integration of information technology into education, business and government. He has established a solid reputation as an insightful business, marketing and management strategist and advisor to startup, emerging and established companies.

John regularly demonstrates to clients how information technology can improve the delivery of services. His practical experience is gleaned from his past work with diverse companies from health care and education providers to electric utilities, international satellite firms, and broad-based trade associations and local governments. John has assisted numerous companies with CEO visibility, corporate positioning and strategic alliances.

John is the Executive Director of the Georgetown Innovation Center headquartered on Front Street, offering free business consulting to start ups and other small businesses. Prior to founding the e-Luminate Group (formerly Infotech Strategies), John held the following positions: president and chief operating officer of U.S. Strategies Corp.; vice president and general counsel of Sprint/Southern Pacific Communications Corporation; assistant general counsel of the National Cable Television Association; associate attorney with the Washington, D.C. law firm of Haley, Bader, and Potts; legislative assistant to a U.S. Congressman, law clerk for a U.S. District Court Judge; and associate professor/instructor at several academic institutions. John has been an adjunct professor at the Catholic University School of Law, where he specialized in law and technology. He was a book reviewer for the *StreetSense* newspaper and a volunteer lawyer for the Washington Legal Clinic for the Homeless. John received his law degree from the Columbus School of Law at

Place

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### Missed a Meeting?

There are several locations to choose for a make up:

**Andrews:** Tony's Famous Pizza - Monday @ 1:00 P.M.

**Georgetown Evening:** Wedgefield - Monday @ 6:00 P.M.

**Pawleys Island:** Litchfield Country Club - Thursday @ 1:00 P.M.

**Murrells Inlet:** Hot Fish Club - Tuesday @ 12:30 P.M.

**Surfside:** Prestwick Country Club - Wednesday @ 12:00 Noon

**Conway:** First United Methodist Church - Thursday @ 12:30 P.M.

**Kingstree:** Brown's BBQ - Monday @ 1:00 P.M.

## WE WON!!!!

President Anne Hartis and Past President Betty Roberts accepted awards at the All Clubs Conference this past weekend recognizing the club for leadership in public image and highest giving to the CART fund for Alzheimer's research. Great job everyone!

the Catholic University of America and his Bachelor of Arts from Providence College. He currently serves as Chairman of the Board of Tara Hall Home for Boys and was Chairman of Osher LifeLong Learning/Coastal Carolina University.

A proud husband and father of three and grandfather of eight, John is an avid chess player and collector of chess sets. He also enjoys outdoor activities including kayaking and biking, and he is a certified scuba diver and sailor. He loves the ocean and spends as many hours in, on or under it as humanly possible. He has published a book entitled: A VERY SPECIAL FAMILY, The House of Raad, chronically the 125 history of his wife's amazing immigration from Lebanon to Georgetown, SC. As part of this effort, he and Mary Lou conducted numerous video-taped oral histories with the 80 and 90 year old members of the Lebanese Community in South Carolina.

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## Rotarian of the Week

### Danny Siau

Danny was born on March 31<sup>st</sup> in Columbus, MS and joined Rotary on December 1, 1992.

He attended Fairborn Baker High School in Fairborn, OH and is a graduate of the University of SC with a bachelor's degree in management science. He has been married to Wendy since June 24, 1989 and they have two children.

Danny is the Senior Vice-President of South Atlantic Bank in Georgetown. Danny serves on the Finance Committee for Georgetown Presbyterian Church; is a member of Winyah Indigo Society; Past Chairman of Ducks Unlimited Georgetown; Past Chairman for Georgetown County Chamber of Commerce; Past Chairman of SC Young Bankers Association PEP Program For Georgetown County.

His hobbies include hunting, fishing, & boating with family and friends.