

St. Augustine Catholic Church

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HEADLINES

- Solemnity of Mary, January 1
- Santo Niño Feast Day Mass
- Marian Pilgrimage

Our warmest welcome to all who worship with our parish family, whether long time residents or newly arrived in the parish. If you are not registered, please do so in the vestibule, visit the parish office, or go on line at www.staugustinessf.org.

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday 8:40am, 5:30pm
Saturday 8:40am, 4:30pm
Sunday 7:45am, 9:30am
11:00am, 12:30pm
5:30pm
Holy Day 8:40am, 12:15pm
5:30pm, 7:00pm

CONFESSION

Friday 4:30pm - 5:00pm
Saturday 3:30pm - 4:00 pm

BAPTISM

Saturday 2nd & 4th at 12:00N
Sunday 2:30 pm

Parents must contact the office at least one month before baptism. Parents and godparents are required to attend a pre-baptismal catechesis.

WEDDING

Parishioners who wish to be wed in St. Augustine Catholic Church must contact the parish office at least 6 months before the desired date.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Friday 9:15am - 5:15pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm
Saturday 9:00am-3:00pm
Closed between 12noon-1:00pm
Web: www.staugustinessf.org
Email staugustinessf@aol.com

CCD Office 650-873-2878

CCD OFFICE HOURS

M-W-F 9:30am-12:00pm
1:00pm-5:30pm
Sat 8:30am-1:00pm, 2:00pm-4:30pm
1st & 3rd Wed-Thu 1pm-5:30pm, 6:30-9pm

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Rene Ramoso, Pastor
Rev. Ed Dura, Associate Pastor
Rev. Mr. Nestor L. Fernandez II, Deacon
Rev. Mr. Virgil Capetti, Deacon
Sr. Nona Barairo, CCD & Confirmation Director
Patricia Abdelalim, Operations Manager
Amor Baldomero, Administrative Assistant

YOUTH MINISTER

Melanie Macaraeg
Daniel Diaz

Youth Office
Open 2nd &
4th Sundays
9:30am to 2:30pm

BAPTISMAL COORDINATORS

Deacon Virgil Capetti
Lari Collins

OUR VISION

St. Augustine Parish is a worshipping community that enthusiastically manifests faith through action, with open arms for all of God's children.

OUR MISSION

We live God's Word and continue His Work.



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Mary, the Holy Mother of God

January 1, 2017

Mary kept all these things, reflecting on them in her heart.

— *Luke 2:19*

THE BLESSING WE RECEIVE

The blessing we experience in Christ Jesus is proclaimed in Numbers as the special blessing for the people of Israel. They and we are to be blessed by the invocation of God's loving kindness, the shining glory of God's face turned toward us in love, not away from us in anger. We are blessed by God's own peace!

Our wish and our hope are fulfilled in this blessing, which is made visible in the coming of Jesus. In Jesus, the image of the invisible God, God's face is shown to us and God's presence is made known to us in faithful and loving kindness.

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Christmas didn't claim the honor of a continuous feast, but it did get an Octave Day. January 1 is the oldest Marian feast, the Octave of Christmas. It was originally a feast of the motherhood of Mary, although for centuries until 1969 it was called the Feast of the Circumcision. Our reformed calendar follows the earlier tradition of celebrating Mary as Mother of God.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD bless you and keep you! The LORD look upon you kindly and give you peace! (Numbers 6:22-27).

Psalm — May God bless us in his mercy (Psalm 67).

Second Reading — God sent the Spirit of the Son into our hearts, crying out, "Abba, Father!" So you are no longer a slave but an heir, through God (Galatians 4:4-7).

Gospel — The shepherds glorified and praised God for all they had heard and seen (Luke 2:16-21).

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

"Octave" comes from the Latin word for "eight," and since eight is one step beyond seven, the number of days in a week, it has long been seen as a symbol of perfection, completion, and new beginnings. Early Christians called Sunday the "eighth day," since it was the day after the Sabbath and a day of resurrected life, the Lord's Day. By the seventh century, people regarded the eight days after Easter Sunday as one great day, an octave, one glorious feast when people were forbidden to fast or kneel. In the seventh century, Pentecost acquired an Octave, too.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28
 Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:29 — 3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-6; Jn 1:29-34
 Wednesday: 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Jn 1:35-42
 Thursday: 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 4:14-22a
 Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-28 [23, 31-34, 36, 38]
 Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21; Sal 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 2:1-11
 Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

Parish Office closed on Jan 2, 2017

"Stewardship is the grateful response of a Christian disciple who recognizes and receives God's gifts and shares these gifts in love of God and neighbor."

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH
January 02 - January 08

Monday - January 02

Mass 8:40am Church

HOLIDAY, PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday - January 03

Bible Study 7:00pm Chapel

Wednesday - January 04

Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. C

Divine Will 6:30pm Conf. A

K of C Rosary 7:00pm Chapel

2nd Yr. Confirmation 7:00pm Hall

Thursday - January 05

CCD 4:30pm Hall

Santo Niño 6:30pm Chapel

1st Yr. Confirmation 7:00pm Hall

Friday - January 06

Youth Choir 4:00pm Hall

Children's Choir 5:30pm Hall

St. Augustine Choir 7:30pm Hall

Saturday - January 07

CCD 9:00am Hall

Sunday - January 08

K of C 9:00am Hall

Legion of Mary 9:00am Conf. C

RCIA 9:30am Conf. B

Legion of Mary 11:00am Conf. A

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK
January 02 - January 08

Mon	8:40am	COMMUNITY MASS
	5:30pm	NO AFTERNOON MASS
Tue	8:40am	Danilo Zagala
	5:30pm	Romeo Moscardon (Birthday)
Wed	8:40am	Raina Oquendo (Birthday)
	5:30pm	Anna Hoa Nguyen
Thu	8:40am	Tony Regidor (Birthday)
	5:30pm	Lourdes V. Ignacio (Birthday)
Fri	8:40am	Janessa Rozal (Birthday)
	5:30pm	Adoracion Ballesteros (Thanks)
Sat	8:40am	Frank Reyes
	4:30pm	Sean Concepcion
Sun	7:45am	Noah Reyes (Birthday)
	9:30am	People of St. Augustine
	11:00am	Theodore Steiner
	12:30pm	Remedios Cagadoc
	5:30pm	Lourdes Herras (Thanks)

OFFERINGS

Offertory collections will be published after the holidays.



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Date	Weekly First Collection	Second Collection
11/06/2016	\$ 10,465.00	\$ 4,720.00
11/13/2016	\$ 10,463.00	\$ 8,494.00
11/20/2016	\$ 10,168.50	\$ 4,023 .00
11/27/2016	\$ 10,836.50	\$ 4,434 .00

**This Sunday's second collection is for the
Altar Renovation Project.**

**Next Sunday's second collection is for the
Archdiocesan Annual Appeal.**

Happy New Year!

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Santo Niño


Saturday, January 28, 2017

4:30 PM Mass

Fellowship in the parish hall



For participation and donations for the fellowship, please contact Vilma Lorenzo, Coordinator of Para-Liturgy. Her contact #: 650-922-9322 or email her at vilorenzo@comcast.net.

 Pray for ... HEALING

Tim Abiera, Sr.
Rose Badua * Lina Broas
Fran Baumann
Clarita Cajuguiran
Josie Calimlim
Marianne Courbis
Jim Davis * Erik Fernandez
Olive Nuñez
Tarciana Mones * Jun Panelo
Elette Padilla * Lynda Pelimiano
Jason Ramoso
Aaron Rauls

PRAYER FOR THE NEW YEAR FROM THE UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS

Remember us, O God; from age to age be our comforter.
You have given us the wonder of time, blessings in days and nights, seasons and years.
Bless your children at the turning of the year and fill the months ahead with the bright hope that is ours in the coming of Christ.
You are our God, living and reigning, forever and ever. Amen.

- *From Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers*

MARIAN PILGRIMAGE to PORTUGAL, SPAIN & FRANCE May 21 to June 2, 2017 SFO/SFO \$3,499

Lisbon → Santarem → Fatima → Porto → Santiago de Compostela → Loyola →
San Sebastian → Lourdes → Montserrat → Barcelona → Zaragoza → Madrid → Avila

Rev. Rene Ramoso, Chaplain
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