

Saint Augustine Parish Golden Jubilee

J U B I L E E T H E M E

- Reflect -

The jubilee year is a time to recall how St. Augustine Parish played a huge part in the lives of many parish families. Over the last 50 years, parish families have received countless blessings through the Daily or Weekly Eucharist, and Sacramental celebrations, to name a few.

- Rejoice -

It is a time to celebrate and give thanks for the vast parish-family we have become. St. Augustine Parish has been the largest parish in the Archdiocese of San Francisco.

- Renew -

It is a time to renew our baptismal call to love God (Worship), to deeply understand and share our faith (Evangelization), and to serve the poor in our midst (Service).

J U B I L E E L O G O



- Crosier -

Shaped like a shepherd's crook, it represents the metaphorical reference to bishops as shepherds of their flock. Saint Augustine, a bishop, has been a source of great intercession and care for our parish. Inspired by his role as a shepherd and teacher, our parish continues to grow and remains the largest parish in the entire Archdiocese.

- Restless Heart -

On the right of the crosier takes us to the great saying of Saint Augustine, "You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it rests in you." The Restless Heart captures something that resonates deep within us. Many try to ignore it but still it remains. The Restless Heart actually directs us to God.

- City of God -

The Parish's Silhouette on the left side of the crosier, represents THE CITY OF GOD that Saint Augustine wrote about in his classical writings. For Saint Augustine, the City of God is marked by people who dedicate themselves to the things of heaven and the eternal truths of God now revealed fully in the Christian Faith. Our parish, where we receive the sacraments, is the center of our spiritual life. It nurtures our relationship with God and shows us the path to Eternity.

To learn more about the Saint Augustine Parish Golden Jubilee celebration, please visit the parish website:

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Saint Augustine Parish Prepares for Its Jubilee 1970-2020



The word "jubilee" comes from the Hebrew word *jobel*, which means a "ram's horn." In biblical times, a ram's horn was often used as a trumpet, whose sound indicated to everybody the beginning of the jubilee year. This is told in the 25th chapter of the book of Leviticus, the code of holiness. This book tells us of the significance of the jubilee year, which is a year of liberation "par excellence." This extraordinary event often occurred at the end of seven weeks, the fiftieth year. It is on that fiftieth year that the trumpet is blown to proclaim liberty throughout and during which everyone would return to one's family and everyone's property is retrieved (Leviticus 25: 8-10).

We symbolically blow the trumpet this weekend to signal our preparation for the jubilee year of Saint Augustine parish next year. Our Jubilee Theme and Logo bear the significance of our parish anticipation of this gracious year as well as the mission that faithful parishioners today hope to accomplish with greater zeal in the coming years. The jubilee year ahead of us is a time to REFLECT how Saint Augustine Parish played a huge part in the lives of many parish families. It is also a time to REJOICE and give thanks for the vast parish-family we have become. Today, Saint Augustine Parish has been the largest parish in the Archdiocese of San Francisco. The jubilee year is a time to RE-NEW our common call as baptized to love God, to understand and share our faith and to serve the poor in our midst.

Three important symbols dear to the life of our patronal saint, Saint Augustine, have been incorporated in the Jubilee Parish Logo. The CROSIER, shaped like a shepherd's crook, represents the metaphorical reference to bishops as shepherds of their flock. Saint Augustine, a bishop, has been a source of great intercession and care for our parish. Inspired by his role as a teacher, our parish continues to grow and remains the largest parish in the entire Archdiocese. The RESTLESS HEART takes us to the great saying of Saint Augustine, "*You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it rests in you.*" The Restless Heart captures something that resonates deep within us. Many try to ignore it but still it remains. The Restless Heart actually directs us to God. And St. Augustine Church's silhouette represents the CITY OF GOD that Saint Augustine wrote about in his classical writings. For our patronal saint, the City of God is marked by people who aspire for the things of heaven. We pray and hope that our parish, which has been providing spiritual nourishment for the last 50 years, will remain the center of our spiritual life and path to our journey to Eternity.

Once again, I am grateful for the excitement and dedication of Mila Braganza and Romy Quevedo and the rest of the different chairs and members of the Parish Jubilee committees. Let us support and promise them our prayers that together we'd be able to prepare and celebrate with grateful hearts God's invaluable gift to our parish.

Some News...

Please note that beginning December 1, 2019, the First Sunday of Advent, the mass times for the first two Sunday morning masses will change. **The 7:45am Mass will now be at 7:30am and the 9:30am Missa Pro Populo (Mass of the People) will now be at 9:00am.** These time adjustments will definitely provide ample time for fellowship after the *Missa Pro Populo* as well as for the transition in the parking lot for the folks at the following mass. Likewise on that same week, **the 8:40am weekday masses, from Monday to Saturday, will now be at 8:30am.** Thank you.

May I also acknowledge and thank **an Anonymous Parishioner** who gave the parish a donation of \$15,000 last month. The anonymous donor asked that I apply it "*to the parish needs that currently need the most financial support.*" The donation came so timely at that time I was looking to fund the installation of two water fountains that will benefit mostly our CCD students and youth group. This donation also helped start the building of our *temporary* overflow meeting places in the space between the parish hall and rectory.

PARISH FELLOWSHIP - Every Sunday after the 9:30 am Mass this month of November. In December, the Parish Fellowship will be after the 9:00 am Mass. Donuts and coffee will be served. This gathering is always a great way to catch up with friends and meeting new people. We are grateful to Deo and Khay Acosta for spearheading this important ministry. If there are other parish ministries or groups that would like to host one of the Sunday fellowships after the *Missa Pro Populo* Mass, please contact Deo and Khay at 650-455-1060, email at khay_r@yahoo.com.

VETERANS DAY is a holiday. There will be one mass for the day at 8:40 AM. Let us honor the veterans.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH
Stewardship of Ministry
November 11 - November 17

Monday - November 11		
Legion of Mary	6:30 pm	Conf. A
Tuesday - November 12		
ICF	4:00 pm	Hall
Bible Study	7:00 pm	Chapel
Wednesday - November 13		
Legion of Mary	6:00 pm	Conf. A
Legion of Mary	6:00 pm	Conf. C
K of C Rosary	7:00 pm	Chapel
Thursday - November 14		
Legion of Mary	9:30 am	Conf. A
CCD	4:30 pm	Hall
CCD	4:30 pm	YC
Children's Choir	5:30 pm	Hall
Santo Nino	6:30 pm	Chapel
Zumba Night	7:00 pm	Hall
Friday - November 15		
Youth Choir	4:00 pm	Hall
Children's Choir	5:30 pm	Hall
St. Augustine Chorale	7:00 pm	Hall
Saturday - November 16		
CCD	9:00 am	Hall
CCD	10:00 am	Conf. C
Sunday - November 17		
Youth	9:00 am	YC
Legion of Mary	9:15 am	Conf. A
RCIA	9:30 am	Conf. C
Parish Fellowship	10:30 am	Hall
Baptism	2:30 pm	Church

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK
Stewardship of Prayer
November 11 - November 17

Mon	8:40am	COMMUNITY MASS
	5:30am	Mena Bambilla †
Tue	8:40am	Father Raymund M. Reyes (BD)
	5:30pm	Michael Gopez †
Wed	8:40am	Rene Dandan (BD)
	5:30pm	Flora Alcantara (BD)
Thu	8:40am	Oscar Tumbaga †
	5:30pm	Johanna De Guzman (BD)
Fri	8:40am	Luisa Rodenas †
	5:30pm	Michael Dandan (BD)
Sat	8:40am	Tomas Claudio †
	4:30pm	Charles & Elda Barrantes †
Sun	7:45am	Lu Navor (TG)
	9:30am	People of Saint Augustine Parish
	11:00am	Jesse Rozal (BD)
	12:30pm	Rufina Rabang †
	5:30pm	Victor Jimenez †

Stewardship of Giving

Regular Sunday Offering:

November 3, 2019	\$ 11,519.75
Debt Reduction	\$ 5,014.00
Our Lady of Perpetual Help	\$ 344.00
All Saints Day	\$ 3,770.04

TOTAL as of the Month of September, 2019
 Online Giving \$8,771.00
 Total Number of Online Donors - 49

NEW MASS SCHEDULE
EFFECTIVE
DECEMBER 1, 2019

WEEKDAY
8:30 AM 5:30 PM

SATURDAY
8:30 AM 4:30 PM

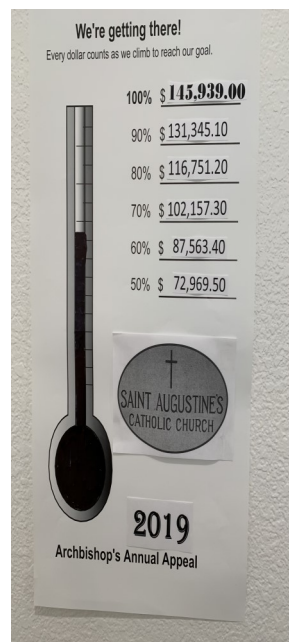
SUNDAY
7:30 AM 9:00 AM
11:00 AM
12:30 PM 5:30 PM

This Sunday's second collection is for the
Archdiocesan Annual Appeal.
Next Sunday's second collection is for the
Campaign for Human Development.

ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

Assessment	\$145,939.00
Collected to	
Date (Oct 2019)	\$ 97,133.00
BALANCE	\$ 48,806.00

If you are considering a donation to charitable institutions, you may want to choose St. Augustine Church as the recipient to your tax deductible donation. We have 2 months left to fulfill our assessment obligation. Thank you for your generosity and for thinking of St. Augustine Church.



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The King of the world will raise us up to live again forever (2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14).

Psalm — Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full (Psalm 17).

Second Reading — May the Lord encourage and strengthen your hearts (2 Thessalonians 2:16 — 3:5).

Gospel — Those who are deemed worthy of the coming age can no longer die (Luke 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Wis 1:1-7; Ps 139:1b-10; Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday: Wis 2:23 — 3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19; Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19

Thursday: Wis 7:22b — 8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25

Friday: Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5ab; Lk 17:26-37

Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8

Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a; Ps 98:5-9; 2 Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19

SILENT RETREAT FOR MEN AND WOMEN

daughtersofcarmel.org

6-8 DECEMBER 2019

**St. Clare's Retreat House 2381
Lauren Glen Rd. SOQUEL, CA
95073**

650-329-8518

CHECK IN - 3:30 PM PRO-
GRAM STARTS - 5:00 PM
\$225 per person - single occupancy/private bathroom
\$200 per person - single occupancy/shared bathroom
\$185 per person - double occupancy/shared room

REGISTRATION WILL BE
CLOSED ON NOV 25



Dylan Leia Maranan
Athena Joy Redosendo

Prayers for Our Sick

Manny Almojuela, Johnny Aquino, Gloria Babiera, Rose Badua, Freddie & Yamie Baldomero, Ruby Cruz, Josie Calimlim, Marianne Courbis, Al LaTorraca, Lourdes Medios, Anthony Morales, Olive Nuñez, Elette Padilla, Colette Panelo, Evelyn Pimentel, Tony Regidor, Bob Topper



Edward R. Crowley
Edward Navarro
Bridgete "Bridie" Mary George

**ANNUAL
CCD RUMMAGE SALE**

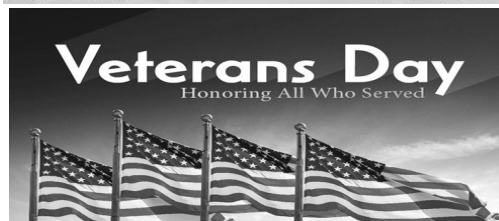
on Saturday, November 9 and Sunday, November 10. We are looking for donations of new or slightly used items. Donations can be dropped off in the hall on Thursday, November 7, Friday, November 8. Please do not drop off any items until then, we do not have room to store them. If you have any questions, please call Khay R. Acosta for any questions or concerns at 650-455-1060. Thank you in advance for your help.

**Prayer for our soldiers
on Veteran's Day**

All-powerful and ever-living God,
when Abraham left his native land
and departed from his people,
you kept him safe through all his journeys.
Protect these soldiers.
Be their constant companion
and their strength in battle,
their refuge in every adversity.
Guide them, O Lord,
that they may return home
in safety.
We ask this through
Christ our Lord. Amen.

Source: USCCB

www.osv.com

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Friday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am-3:00 pm

Closed between 12 nn-1:00 pm

Parish Phone: 650-873-2282

Email: staugustinessf@aol.com

Web: www.staugustinessf.org

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Raymund M. Reyes, Pastor

Rev. Eduardo A. Dura, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Martin S. Njoalu, V.C., Parochial Vicar

Rev. Mr. Nestor L. Fernandez II, Deacon

Rev. Mr. Virgil D. Capetti, Deacon

Patricia C. Abdelalim, Operations Manager

Amor T. Baldomero, Administrative Assistant

Louis B. Consuegra, Safety/Security Coordinator

Daniel Diaz, Youth Minister

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Sr. Nona M. Barairo, SFCC, Director

Linda F. Gamboa, Secretary

Phone: 650-873-2878

BAPTISMAL COORDINATORS

Deacon Virgil Capetti

Lari Collins

MASS SCHEDULE

Mon-Fri: 8:40 am, 5:30 pm; **Sat:** 8:40 am
4:30 pm; **Sun:** 7:45 am, 9:30 am, 11:00
am, 12:30 pm, 5:30 pm; **Holy Day:** 8:40
am, 12:15 pm, 5:30 pm, 7:00 pm

CONFESSION

Fri: 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm; **Sat:** 3:30 pm - 4:00 pm

BAPTISM

2nd & 4th Sat: 12:00 nn; **Sun:** 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.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

1st Friday: After 8:40 am Mass to 5:15 pm

All Other Fridays:

Exposition: 3:00 pm - 5:15 pm

YOUTH MINISTRY OPERATIONS

1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays

9:00 am to 12 Noon

Fridays: 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Meetings: 2nd & 4th Sundays

9:00 am to 5:00 pm