



Saint Augustine Church

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

DAILY: 8:40 AM, 5:30 PM - Monday thru Friday

WEEKEND: Saturday: 8:40 AM, 4:30 PM (Vigil)
Sunday: 7:45 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM
12:30 PM, 5:30 PM

HOLY DAY: 8:40 AM, 12:15 PM, 6:30 PM

BAPTISM

Sunday at 2:30 PM
2nd & 4th Saturdays at 12 NOON
Parents must contact the office at least one month before baptism. Parents and godparents are required to attend pre-baptismal catechesis.

WEDDING

Parishioners who wish to have their wedding at St. Augustine must contact the office at least 6 months before the desired date.

CONFESSION

Friday, 4:30 PM-5:00 PM Saturday, 3:30 PM-4:00 PM

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Friday 9:15 AM to 5:15 PM

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 or call the parish office.

OUR VISION

Saint 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.



Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 13, 2014

You have crowned the year with your bounty,
and your paths overflow with a rich harvest.

— Psalm 65:12

GIVING OF ONESELF

Scientists have recently begun to discuss the idea that the primary force behind all life in the universe is self-gift. This is how everything from galaxies to human babies are born and sustained.

If we read the opening of today's passage from Isaiah correctly, we see that he anticipated twentieth-century scientists by over twenty five hundred years. Using the self-giving example of the rain and snow clouds that water the earth that then yields fruit, which in turn is given over to nourish creatures, Isaiah leads us to understand that the primary force behind all life is the word of God. The ultimate giving of that word, we believe, was Jesus Christ, who, in the greatest revelation of divine love, gave of himself on the cross.

To what degree are we in touch with that self-giving God in whose image we are made? To what extent do we really follow the self-giving example of Christ into whose death and resurrection we were baptized, whose ultimate self-gift we celebrate every week in the Eucharist? With God's help, our lives can be like Isaiah's rain and snow, and we will not return to heaven until we have done our part to make the earth fruitful.

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First Reading — My word will achieve the end for which it was sent (Isaiah 55:10-11).

Psalm — The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest (Psalm 65).

Second Reading — We, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan within ourselves awaiting the redemption of our bodies (Romans 8:18-23).

Gospel — Some seed fell on rich soil and produced fruit (Matthew 13:1-23 [1-9]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 10:34 — 11:1
Tuesday: Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-8; Mt 11:20-24
Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-10, 14-15; Mt 11:25-27
Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab, 15-21; Mt 11:28-30
Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10-12abcd, 16; Mt 12:1-8
Saturday: Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21
Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 [24-30]

LIVE TODAY

Live today the way you will wish you had lived when you stand in judgment before God. —Anonymous

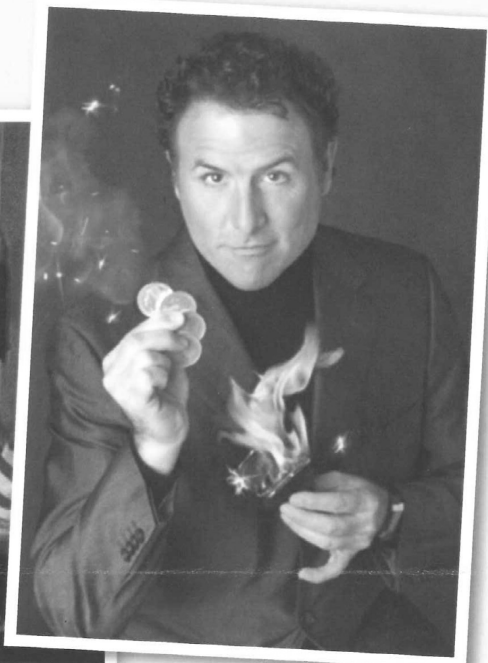
TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

With the Reformation, some early Protestants, including the "Anabaptists," rejected infant baptism in favor of "believer's baptism." Against Orthodox and Catholic practice, which favored baptism as soon as possible for a newborn, these movements desired that the candidate for baptism speak for him- or herself at a mature age, not through god-parents as an infant. Today, it is clear that they were rejecting a very ancient practice (even as early as the second century) of baptizing children of all ages. Children came first in ancient baptismal ceremonies, and someone would speak for them. Gregory of Nazianzen wanted to delay the baptism of children to three years of age, since at that age they could retain at least some impression of the liturgy. He made an exception for the very ill, who were to be baptized ahead of the annual Easter baptism. That means that infants and children were normally baptized together with adults, and that everyone received confirmation and the Eucharist.

The tone of the early bishops' writings is generous and compassionate, and seeks to build up the eucharistic assembly by widely celebrating the gift of the Holy Spirit. If a priest celebrated baptism, then the gift of the Spirit was postponed for the bishop, but with no regard for the person's age. So, until the fifth century, confirmation was for infants, too.

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Enjoy a *Magical* Afternoon with Master Illusionist
Patrick Martin



Saturday, August 2nd, 2014
St. Augustine Parish
3700 Callan Blvd., South San Francisco

Festivities begin at 2pm with Champagne, Punch and Hors d'oeuvres,
followed by Patrick Martin's amazing Magic and Comedy at 3pm
After the show, Dessert will be served and prize winners of the drawing announced!

Adults : \$20 Children 10 & under : \$10

For Reservations, Call Roberta at

(650) 355-0813

Deadline for reservations is July 23rd – NO TICKETS SOLD AT DOOR

This is the only annual fundraiser of Branch 213 of the Italian Catholic Federation

All profits will be donated to our various charities

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH July 14 - July 20

Mon - July 14

Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. A
Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. B

Tue - July 15

Youth Choir 5:00pm Hall
Bible Study 7:00pm Conf. A

Wed - July 16

Legion of Mary 6:30pm Conf. C
K of C Rosary 7:00pm Chapel

Thu - July 17

Gr2, SP2 Registration 10:00am Hall
Santo Niño 6:30pm Chapel

Fri - July 18

Children's Choir 5:30pm Hall
St. Augustine Choir 7:30pm Hall

Sat - July 19

Gr2, Sp2 Registration 9:00am Hall

Sun - July 20

Legion of Mary 9:30am Conf. C
Jr. Legion 11:00am Conf. A

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK July 14 - July 20

MONDAY 8:40am COMMUNITY MASS
5:30pm Severina Hernandez †
TUESDAY 8:40am Juana Laquindanun †
5:30pm Nena Ignacio (BD)
WEDNESDAY 8:40am Joseph D. Dulatre (BD)
5:30pm Zacarias B. Manzarate †
THURSDAY 8:40am Greg Allocco (BD)
5:30pm Lilia Veridiano †
FRIDAY 8:40am Tomas Prieto, Sr.
5:30pm Erick N. Valenzuela †
SATURDAY 8:40am Timoteo Nuesca †
4:30pm Monica B. Bañez †
SUNDAY 7:45am Catalino, Teopesta, Ruben Castro †
9:30am People of St. Augustine
11:00am Felipe & Onyang Panganiban †
12:30pm Moises Naungayan, Sr. †
5:30pm Macaria Ramirez †

(†) Deceased (BD) Birthday (WA) Wedding Anniversary
(TG) Thanksgiving (PI) Personal Intention

Regular Sunday Collection:

June 29, 2014 \$ 10,578.77
St. Vincent de Paul \$ 3,561.00
Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Tue) \$ 264.00
Sacred Heart of Jesus (Fri) \$ 360.00

STEWARDSHIP

Regular Sunday Collection:

July 6, 2014 \$ 10,878.42
Debt Reduction Program \$ 4,588.00
Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Tue) \$ 393.00
Sacred Heart of Jesus (Fri) \$ 621.00

Date	Weekly 1 st Collection	2 nd Collection
6/01/2014	\$11,231.30	\$4,309.00
6/08/2014	\$10,948.64	\$7,405.00
6/15/2014	\$10,316.84	\$9,064.00
6/22/2014	\$10,981.27	\$3,022.00

Next Sunday's **second collection** is for the **Parish Landscaping**.



Back-to-school shopping spree is an annual St. Vincent de Paul program. As a conference, we give a gift card to each family with school-aged children and accompany them shopping at Target. This year, to give more opportunities for each child to get all his/her needs, we are asking the parishioners of St. Augustine for help. The St. Vincent de Paul, St. Augustine Conference is having a back-to-school supplies drive on the weekend of July 19 and 20 after all the Masses. All supplies collected will be given to families in need within our community. We are looking for the following items: backpacks, notebooks (spiral and composition), #2 pencils, crayons, markers, colored pencils, pens, highlighters, erasers, binder paper, binders, rulers, glue (stick and liquid), white socks (for ages 8-12), and gift cards from Target or monetary donation. If you know of families who would benefit from this program, have any questions, or would like to volunteer, please call 650-273-7088. Thank you in advance for your generosity.



HEALING



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Marianne Courbis
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