

St. Augustine Catholic Church

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Headlines

- Novena to St. Augustine & Feast Day
- Online Giving
- Happy Retirement to Ms. Elette Padilla
- CCD & Confirmation beginning of classes

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
6:30pm

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

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm
Saturday 9:00am-3:00pm
Closed between 12noon-1:00pm
Fax (650)873-1356
Email staugustinessf@aol.com

PASTORAL STAFF

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Rev. Ed Dura, Associate Pastor
Msgr. Juan Alarcon Jr., In Residence
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Patricia Abdelalim, Operations Manager
Amor Baldomero, Administrative Assistant

CHILDREN FAITH FORMATION

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Phone (650)873-2878

YOUTH MINISTERS

Nicole Macaraeg
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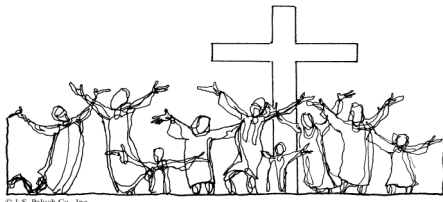
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OUR VISION

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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Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 17, 2014

Observe what is right, do what is just;
for my salvation is about to come,
my justice, about to be revealed.

— *Isaiah 56:1*

CALLED TO ACT IN GOD'S NAME

“Let all the nations praise you!” (Psalm 67:4) today’s psalm response exclaims. In the psalms and other Hebrew scriptures, this kind of invocation is actually an invitation to God to act, to intervene in human lives in a manner that will cause everyone—not just the Chosen People—to give praise. Stated a bit more strongly, it is something of a “put up or shut up” challenge to God, the sort of strong statement the psalmists of Israel, trusting in their intimate and loving relationship with God, were not afraid to make.

The Gospel has its own exclamation, announcing the appearance of the Canaanite woman with “Behold!” (Matthew 15:22) “Behold!” is a scriptural flag that tells us that God is about to act or announce something through an individual or a situation. In the case of Jesus, God was going to act through this woman, whom nobody among Jesus’ followers would have believed to be an agent of the divine will. Like the psalmists, we might passively inform or perhaps even actively challenge God to do something so that everyone will come to belief, but God will always turn the tables on us. It becomes our calling, our duty (as it was for Jesus) to behold the situations and persons of our daily lives so that God can act through us, so the Kingdom can be announced through our living.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Thus says the LORD: “Stand firm in justice; do what is right” (Isaiah 56:1, 6-7).

Psalm — O God, let all the nations praise you! (Psalm 67).

Second Reading — The gifts and the calling of God are unable to be revoked (Romans 11:13-15, 29-32).

Gospel — Recognizing the Canaanite woman’s great faith, Jesus told her, “It shall be done as you wish” (Matthew 15:21-28).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ez 24:15-24;

Dt 32:18-21; Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-9; Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7a; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 23:1-12

Sunday: Is 22:19-23; Ps 138:1-3, 6, 8; Rom 11:33-36; Mt 16:13-20

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In many church buildings constructed in the early twentieth century, there is a window or statue of Pope St. Pius X. Often, these windows were purchased with coins collected by grateful children, since in 1910 a decree admitted much younger children to First Communion.

Before then, only teenagers were customarily confirmed and then admitted to the Eucharist. What we often think is ancient practice in fact sometimes has fairly shallow roots, in this case only ten decades. For centuries, Communion had marked the end of formal religious education, but a hundred years ago, Pius X located it at the point at which a child could express a desire for the sacrament and receive it with understanding. In 1917 a new code of canon law determined that age to be about seven, and this practice was observed almost everywhere until the beginning of the Second Vatican Council forty years ago.

In a growing number of dioceses, recent practice has restored the sacramental order that Pius X’s generous decree upset, and increasingly confirmation is celebrated before First Communion. But the gift Pius gave to the children of the Roman Church remains firm: everywhere we admit children to the Lord’s table. Where the traditional order has been restored, seven-year-old children are confirmed before First Communion.

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THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**August 18 - August 24****Mon - August 18**

Legion of Mary	6:30pm	Conf. A
Legion of Mary	6:30pm	Conf. B
Pre-Baptismal Class	7:00pm	Church

Tue - August 19

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

Wed - August 20

1st Yr. Registration	10:00am	Hall
Legion of Mary	6:30pm	Conf. C
K of C Rosary	7:00pm	Chapel

Thu - August 21

1st Yr. Registration	10:00am	Hall
Santo Niño Group	6:30pm	Chapel

Fri - August 22

Children's Choir	5:30pm	Hall
Chorale	7:00pm	Hall

Sat - August 23

1st Yr. Registration	9:00am	Conf. C
St. Augustine Feast	6:00pm	Hall

Sun - August 24

Legion of Mary	9:30am	Conf. C
Jr. Legion	11:00am	Conf. A
K of C Exemplification	1:30pm	Hall

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**August 18 - August 24**

MON	8:40am	COMMUNITY MASS
	5:30pm	Calixto Rozal †
TUE	8:40am	Joji Gomez †
	5:30pm	Narciso Sioson †
WED	8:40am	Mary Kovacs †
	5:30pm	Victoriano Sagun (TG)
THU	8:40am	Shannan Rosely Alipio (BD)
	5:30pm	Elvira Tuazon †
FRI	8:40am	Beatrice Sugurno (BD)
	5:30pm	Alejo Sison †
SAT	8:40am	Purita Reyes †
	4:30pm	Felipe Ramoso †
SUN	7:45am	Marina G. Cruz (BD)
	9:30am	People of St. Augustine
	11:00am	Terri B. Thomas (TG)
	12:30pm	Eliseo Pangulayan †
	5:30pm	Enrique & Lucia Pangulayan †

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

OFFERINGS

Regular Sunday Offering:

August 10, 2014	\$ 11,375.00
Archbishop's Annual Appeal	\$ 8,097.00
Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Tue)	\$ 342.00
Sacred Heart of Jesus (Fri)	\$ 327.00

Date	Weekly 1 st Collection	2 nd Collection
7/06/2014	\$10,878.42	\$4,588.00
7/13/2014	\$ 9,867.38	\$6,656.00
7/20/2014	\$ 10,903.60	\$3,596.50
7/27/2014	\$10,736.87	\$3,939.00

Next Sunday's **second collection** is for the **National Association of Filipino Priests in the USA**. Their mission is to "promote unity, support and total growth among Filipino priests in ministering the Church with their cultural gifts that will serve as a venue for effective forum and pastoral leadership."

2014 ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

Total Assessment	\$ 102,600.00
Collection to Date	\$ <u>67,693.00</u>
Remaining Balance	\$ 34,907.00

We still have 4 months to meet our assessment for the year. Pledge forms are available at the vestibule.

THANK YOU - AAA CONTRIBUTORS:

Donald & Hope Wisk

SANCTUARY RENOVATION PROJECT PLANNING SESSIONS

Monday, August 25, 2014, at
6:30pm in the Parish Hall
Monday, September 8, 2014, at
6:30 pm in the Parish Hall

FEAST OF ST. AUGUSTINE



The novena to
our patron, St.
Augustine, ends
on August 22,
2014

after the regularly
scheduled morn-
ing and after-

noon masses.

The feast day will be celebrated at
the Saturday Vigil Mass on August
23rd at 4:30 PM. A light reception
and fellowship will follow after
the mass in the parish hall.



THANK
YOU
TO

**Andy Baldomero†, Annie Hong,
Mae Lanoza, Jun Sanchez**

Cantors and choirs are among a
number of ministers of Liturgy
that enhance our worship hour
through music on weekends in St.
Augustine Church. Years of quiet
and unassuming service they have
provided to this parish but do not
often get acknowledged.

So, we, the faithful, honor them
and are truly grateful for their
voices and praises to God in
song. Thank you for supporting
St. Augustine Community for
many wonderful years.

VISIT

www.staugustinessf.org:

- Download CCD & Confirmation Registration Forms
- Download Baptismal application Forms
- Say Chaplet of Divine Mercy online
- Register as a new parishioner online
- Online giving
- Check upcoming events
- Schedule of organizational meetings



Parish School of Religion

Ms. Elette Padilla

The Parish Staff and School of Religion wish to thank and congratulate, Ms. Elette Padilla, for many years of service to the community of St. Augustine Parish. Ms. Padilla spent selfless hours assisting Sr. Nona with administrative tasks in the religious education formation of our children. She served as Education Commissioner in the Parish Pastoral Council under the present administration of Fr. Rene. Among other things, she supervised tally counts of offerings with regular volunteers. Thank you, Ms. Padilla. Happy Retirement (for the 3rd time). You are greatly missed!

ONLINE GIVING

NOW AVAILABLE

Electronic online giving for St. Augustine Church is now available. Some advantages to online giving are: addition of mileage and points on your credit card account if you use a charge account; you free yourself from writing personal checks; and it also provides savings for the church with envelope mailing costs. So, take advantage of these benefits.

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