

FEBRUARY 21, 2021

*Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God:
"This is the time of fulfillment.
The kingdom of God is at hand.
Repent, and believe in the gospel."*

Mark 1:14-15

SAINT AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass Schedule: 10:00 AM Monday to Sunday In-person (weather permitting)
Livestreamed, Audio, FM 88.1, when in the car in the
church parking lot
4:30 PM Saturday, in-person (weather permitting) not
livestreamed

Saturday Confession: 3:30 PM - 4:15 PM, appointment encouraged
Church Visitation: 11:00 am - 5:00 PM, lighting of candle & visit for 15



Rev. Raymund M. Reyes
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Rev. Mr. Nestor L. Fernandez II

Pastor
Parochial Vicar
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Permanent Deacon
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We live God's Word and continue His work.

If you are sick or have any flu-like symptoms such as cough and fever, please stay home and attend the 10:00 AM live streamed Mass on Facebook. Help save a life!

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CHILDREN FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM (CFFP)

Feb 24	2nd Year Confirmation Class
Feb 25	1st Year Confirmation Class
Feb 27	CCD Classes
Mar 03	2nd Year Confirmation Adult Faith Formation
Mar 04	1st Year Confirmation Adult Faith Formation
Mar 05, 06, & 07	2nd Year Confirmation Retreat

HOSPITALITY MINISTRY. Interested to be a hospitality minister or usher? Get trained and join this energetic group of ministers. Contact Rita Liu at RitaLiu2020@gmail.com,

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 9714. "We are Catholic men building a bridge back to faith. There is much good and necessary work to be done in this world, and that's what *Knights* do." Contact Grand Knight Ren Luna at moonmill2019@gmail.com.

LEGION OF MARY. "The main apostolate of the **Legion** is activities directed towards Catholics and non-Catholics encouraging them in their faith or inviting them to become Catholic. This is usually done by encouraging them in prayer, attending Mass and learning more about the Catholic faith."

MASS INTENTION OFFERING. May be offered in person or online: www.osvonlinegiving.com/1625 Where it says, "Give one time without creating an account!", click "**Quick Give**". Enter information required. For **Fund** choice, click on **Mass Intentions**. In the block, **Special Intentions, if any**, indicate First and Last Names ONLY for whom the intention is offered, type of intention (for the dead, birthday, wedding anniversary, healing, special intention), Holy Mass date and time intention is to be offered. Please allow 3 days or more to process on line requests.

PRIVATE BAPTISM. Call 650-873-2282. Due to restriction guidelines on Covid-19, there are no group baptisms in St. Augustine, only one child is baptized per scheduled event unless there are more than one child to be baptized in the same family.

SACRAMENTS. For anointing of the sick and confession, call 650-873-2282 to make an appointment.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY SAINT AUGUSTINE CONFERENCE. "Inspired by gospel values, the **Society of St. Vincent de Paul**, a Catholic lay organization, leads women and men to join together to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to those who are needy and suffering in the tradition of its founder, Blessed Frederic Ozanam, and patron, **St. Vincent de Paul**." Call 650-273-7088.

SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES. Do you wish to participate in a small faith sharing group? Contact Malou Salumbides at

YOUNG ADULTS. If you are between the ages of 19-39 years old, join The Young Adult Ministry. Find a deeper meaning and purpose to your life. Meet other young adults while expressing your faith.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE
NEWLY BAPTIZED!**

Theodore AlexasnderLatayan
Janel Lyn Malibiran
Chloe Felicity Magsipoc
Benjamin Ignatius Mendoza
Maison Ezra Bautista

**OUR PRAYERS TO THOSE
WHO HAVE GONE BEFORE US:**

Faustina Madrid
Michael Manas
Cassie Santos



Living the Faith

JOURNEY TO THE FOOT OF THE CROSS: BISHOP RICKEN OFFERS 10 THINGS TO REMEMBER FOR LENT

Bishop David L. Ricken of Green Bay, Wisconsin, former chairman of the Committee on Evangelization and Catechesis of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), offers "10 Things to Remember for Lent":

1. Remember the formula. The Church does a good job capturing certain truths with easy-to-remember lists and formulas: 10 Commandments, 7 sacraments, 3 persons in the Trinity. For Lent, the Church gives us almost a slogan—Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving—as the three things we need to work on during the season.

2. It's a time of prayer. Lent is essentially an act of prayer spread out over 40 days. As we pray, we go on a journey, one that hopefully brings us closer to Christ and leaves us changed by the encounter with him.

3. It's a time to fast. With the fasts of Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, meatless Fridays, and our personal disciplines interspersed, Lent is the only time many Catholics these days actually fast. And maybe that's why it gets all the attention. "What are you giving up for Lent? Hot dogs? Beer? Jelly beans?" It's almost a game for some of us, but fasting is actually a form of penance, which helps us turn away from sin and toward Christ.

4. It's a time to work on discipline. The 40 days of Lent are also a good, set time to work on personal discipline in general. Instead of giving something up, it can be doing something positive. "I'm going to exercise more. I'm going to pray more. I'm going to be nicer to my family, friends, and coworkers."

5. It's about dying to yourself. The more serious side of Lenten discipline is that it's about more than self-control—it's about finding aspects of yourself that are less than Christ-like and letting them die. The suffering and death of Christ are foremost on our minds during Lent, and we join in these mysteries by suffering, dying with Christ and being resurrected in a purified form.

6. Don't do too much. It's tempting to make Lent some ambitious period of personal reinvention, but

it's best to keep it simple and focused. There's a reason the Church works on these mysteries year after year. We spend our entire lives growing closer to God. Don't try to cram it all in one Lent. That's a recipe for failure.

7. Lent reminds us of our weakness. Of course, even when we set simple goals for ourselves during Lent, we still have trouble keeping them. When we fast, we realize we're all just one meal away from hunger. In both cases, Lent shows us our weakness. This can be painful, but recognizing how helpless we are makes us seek God's help with renewed urgency and sincerity.

8. Be patient with yourself. When we're confronted with our own weakness during Lent, the temptation is to get angry and frustrated. "What a bad person I am!" But that's the wrong lesson. God is calling us to be patient and to see ourselves as he does, with unconditional love.

9. Reach out in charity. As we experience weakness and suffering during Lent, we should be renewed in our compassion for those who are hungry, suffering, or otherwise in need. The third part of the Lenten formula is almsgiving. It's about more than throwing a few extra dollars in the collection plate; it's about reaching out to others and helping them without question as a way of sharing the experience of God's unconditional love.


10. Learn to love like Christ. Giving of ourselves in the midst of our suffering and self-denial brings us closer to loving like Christ, who suffered and poured himself out unconditionally on the Cross for all of us. Lent is a journey through the desert to the foot of the Cross on Good Friday, as we seek him out, ask his help, join in his suffering, and learn to love like him.



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THE HOLY HOUR
EVERY FIRST WEDNESDAY
7 PM TO 8 PM
LIVESTREAMED
<https://www.facebook.com/SACC45thYear>

TO PRAY FOR THE SANCTITY OF LIFE, FOR VOCATIONS,
AND FOR THE CANONIZATION OF BLESSED MCGIVNEY.



LENTEN FASTING & ABSTINENCE



Fasting

Ash Wednesday
Good Friday

Ages 18-59

Abstinence

Every Friday
during Lent

Ages 14+

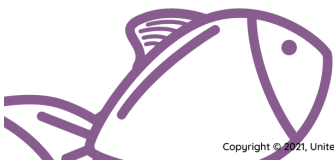
How do we fast?

When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

Am I excused from fasting and abstinence?

Those that are excused from fast and abstinence outside the age limits include the **physically or mentally ill** including individuals suffering from **chronic illnesses** such as **diabetes**. Also excluded are **pregnant or nursing women**.

For more information on fasting and abstinence, visit uscbb.org.



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March 28	Palm Sunday
March 29	Lenten Communal Penance
April 1	Holy Thursday
April 2	Good Friday
April 3	Easter Vigil

MASS INTENTIONS February 22 - February 28

Feb 22: Kinston Arellano (BD), Lourdes Ligaya Manansala (BD), Lawrence Natividad (BD), Veronica Ruiz†, Emmanuel Berena†, Renato Aguilar†, Ed Machado (H), Ted A. (H)

Feb 23: Janessa Rozal Chin (H), Juvy & Jocelyn Llana (WA), Janette Natividad (SI), Angeline & Angelica Dela Rosa (SI), Michael & Cassiel Dela Rosa (SI), Athena & Alea Ortalez (SI), Emmanuel Berena†, Louie Fernandez (TG), Ed Machado (H), Ted A. (H), Josefina Canlas (H), Isabella Custodio (BD)

Feb 24 : Robert Barker (BD), Emiliano Magla- be†, Emmanuel Berena†, Mario & Feliza Em†, Rey Pimentel†, Ed Machado (H), Rosario Badua†, Ted A. (H)

Feb 25: Brian & Jenny Lyn Malibiran (WA), Renee Valencia (BD), Shereen Imperial (BD), Emmanuel Berena†, Teresita Parast†, Jaime Mendiola†, Ed Machado (H), Ruby Martin (BD), Ted A. (H)

Feb 26: Victor Rojas (BD), Emmanuel Berena†, Mario & Feliza Em†, Geronimo Nolasco, Jr.†, Ed Machado (H), Ted A. (H)

Feb 27: Elias & Justina Scampini†, Teri Saldana (BD), Ed Machado (H), Ted A. (H), Mario & Feliza Em†, Jesus Bantay†

Feb 28: MaryGrace Carreon†, Philo Mendoza (BD), Catherine Toscano (BD), Mark Rodriguez (BD), Barbara Masciorini†, Ed Machado (H), Ferdinand Arellano (BD), Mariano Machate †, Leonila Ching†, Ted A. (H), Jesse Rozal (H)

GIVING

Regular Sunday Offering

First Collection (Feb 14, 2021)	\$ 6,380.00
AAA	\$ 1,933.00
OLPH	\$ 80.00
Sacred Heart	\$ 211.00

ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL UPDATE

2020 Assessment	\$146,608.00
Paid to date (Feb 07, 2021)	\$146,608.00
Balance	\$ 00.00

ON LINE GIVING - January 30, 2021

\$ 18,342.67

TOTAL NUMBER OF ON LINE DONORS - 190