

St. Augustine Parish

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Trustees: Dennis Totten & Maria Ferguson

December 4, 2022

2nd Sunday of Advent



PARISH OFFICE

Monday/Tuesday/Thursday: 9 - 4

Wednesday/Friday: 1/2 day

Closed Holy Days & National Holidays

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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THRIFT SHOP

35 Phillips Ave.

Tuesday & Thursday - 12 to 3 PM

Wednesday - 4 to 7 PM

Saturday - 10 AM to 1 PM

FOOD PANTRY

35 Phillips Ave.

1st & 3rd Saturday - 9 AM to 11 AM
staugustinefoodpantry@gmail.com

Buildings & Grounds

Thomas Lockhart 845-943-7055

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9 am, 11:15 am, 7:30 pm

Saturday Vigil: 5 pm

Spanish Mass: 1 pm

DAILY MASS

Monday – Friday: 7 am (9 AM – Lent)

National Holidays - 8 am

Saturday: 8 am

First Fridays: 7:00 am, 9 am, 7:00 pm
(July/August - ONLY 7 am)

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturdays: 4 pm – 4:45 pm

Sundays: 7 pm – 7:25 pm

Anytime by appointment.

HOLY DAYS/BAPTISMS/Weddings

Holy Day Vigil Mass: 5 pm

Holy Day: 7 am, 9 am, 7:30 pm

Baptism: 3rd Saturday of the Month.
Call the Parish Office to schedule.

Weddings: Call the Parish Office for
an appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The priests and Eucharistic
ministers bring Holy
Communion to the homebound.

Call for Anointing of the Sick.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

All Fridays: Adoration - 3 to 7PM
Rosary at 6:15 PM

Spanish Charismatic Prayer:

Thursday - 7 pm

Healing Mass - 1st Tues of month
Divine Mercy Chaplet: After Mass



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Saturday, December 3, 2022

8:00 Rosemary Hill
 5:00 Adeline DeFelice

Sunday, December 4, 2022

7:30 Prayers Answered
 9:00 Diane Curcio (living)
 11:15 Our Parish Families
 7:30 Theresa Pitera

Monday, December 5, 2022

7:00 Bill Carlock

Tuesday, December 6, 2022

7:00 Dominick Constantino, Jr.

Wednesday, December 7, 2022

7:00 Victor Kiernan
 5:00

Thursday, December 8, 2022
Immaculate Conception

7:00
 9:00 Hoffay & Raffaele Families
 7:30

Friday, December 9, 2022

7:00

Saturday, December 10, 2022

8:00
 5:00 Ken & David Breault

Sunday, December 11, 2022

7:30 Frances Torrisi & Family
 9:00 Gina Blasioli
 11:15
 7:30 Our Parish Families

2nd Collection: Maintenance

Readings: 1004



Sanctuary Lamp (\$10/week)

Linda Carlson

Bread and Wine (\$25/month)



Nicholas Potenza Sr.



Pray for our Sick

Patricia Bragg	Zack Osterhoudt
Mary Corley	Debbie Rosen
Paul Costello	Theresa/Roland Shultis
Ken Kilpatrick	Joe Sorbello
Linda Kilpatrick	Steve Sorbello
Lynn Lauro	Rose Toder
Patricia/David Noon	John Tunniria

NOTE: We periodically update our sick list. Please call the Parish Office if you wish to include someone.

Cenacle of Life:



The Legion of Mary and St. Augustine's Respect Life Committee are sponsoring a monthly **Cenacle of Life** at 3 pm on the 22nd of each month to pray for an end to legalized abortion and euthanasia.



Please join us in person or in spirit, praying and fasting.



Next Bingo dates are:

November 5 & November 19
December 3 & December 17

Good Luck!

Weekly Collection

November 20, 2022

First Collection	\$3089.05
2nd Collection (Charity & Justice)	\$ 844.50
Other (candles, gifts, etc)	\$ 439.00
Online Contribution:	\$1062.81
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>\$5435.36</u>

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Thrift Shop	\$2651.80
BINGO	\$ 914.71

November 27, 2022

First Collection	\$2490.50
2nd Collection Military Services	\$ 694.00
Other (candles, gifts, etc)	\$1074.00
Online Contribution:	\$ 522.00
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>\$4780.50</u>

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Thrift Shop (1 day) \$ 679.00

Thank you for your generosity!

IMPORTANT - PLEASE NOTE

It is imperative that **NO** events by any ministry be planned until cleared with the office first. Parish Council needs to approve the event before it takes place.

Christmas Novena *

Hail and blessed be the hour and moment in which the Son of God was born of the most pure Virgin Mary, at midnight, in Bethlehem in a piercing cold. In that hour, vouchsafe, O My God, to hear my prayer and grant my desires, through the merits of Our Savior Jesus Christ, and His Blessed Mother. Amen.

* Pray 15 times a day beginning the first Sunday of Advent through Christmas Day.



Mark your calendars for the Family Ministry Christmas Party and Caroling Sing-A-Long with ***“A Joyful Noise”***.

**Sunday, December 18, 2022 at
2:00 PM**

St. Augustine Gym

We will be celebrating Fr. Frank Kumi's 25th Ordination Anniversary!

Delicious Food—Hot Cocoa Bar
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Family Photo Booth
Sing-a-long with our Choir
“A Joyful Noise”

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**Saturdays
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Knights of Columbus

St. Augustine Knights of Columbus
Council #13524

6 - 6:45 PM - Knights' Bible Study

**7 PM - Monday meetings.
2nd and 4th Monday of each month**

For Information or membership
applications:

Contact: Richard Gorres (845) 901-1912

'Prayer is the oxygen of the soul'

— St. Pio of Pietrelcino

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

If your parish group would like to share
upcoming events or be added as a
speaker at St. Augustine Parish Council
meetings, please call:

Donna Hoffay at
845-691-7333

There will be no Parish Council meeting
in December.

Ministries: Please submit reports if you
cannot attend meetings.



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**Catholic Daughters
of the Americas**

Catholic Daughters meetings are
held on the second Wednesday of each
month.

Next meeting is:
December 14 at 6 PM

For information call:
Deb Rosen 845-332-5933



Food Pantry

Located at:
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**1st and 3rd Saturday
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Advent Vespers

Advent Vespers will be on
Wednesday, December 7 at 6 PM

immediately following the 5 PM
Vigil Mass in honor of the
Immaculate Conception.

Please come and spend some
time preparing your heart and
soul for the birth of Our Lord on
Christmas Day.



*Please pray for our dearly beloved who have
recently passed -*

Tiffany Ezekowitz Cifone – 10/7/22

Linda Carlson – 10/24/22

Clifford Shook – 11/9/22

Theresa Gallo Scott – 11/14/22

*May the souls of the faithful departed, through
the mercy of God, rest in peace.....Amen.*



Christmas Flowers

There are envelopes on the tables
in the back of church for donations
for Christmas Flowers. The envelopes
are also among those that are mailed.
We are hoping to have enough money
this year for the beautiful flowers and
greenery that adorn our church at
Christmas.

You can drop the envelope in the
collection basket anytime.

Thank you!



The Angel Tree is Back!



Our Angel Tree is back again this
year! We have adopted a family in
need through Catholic Charities and
will also be providing toiletries for
our food pantry.

Please stop by the vestibule of the
church for more details and consider
helping this family.

Thank you!

Bingo for 2023

We are planning for the 2023 BINGO
schedule. If you would like to join a
team or would like to have a team of
your own, please call the Parish Office
and give your name and number to be
contacted. We are in need of more
volunteers. Please consider helping.

The Sacrament of Marriage at St. Augustine Church

If you are newly engaged and would like
more information about having your
wedding at St. Augustine Church,
please contact our Parish Office at
(845) 691-7673 at least **eight (8) months**
prior to your wedding date. After we
establish that you are able and free to
marry, a deposit is requested to hold
your wedding date in our parish calendar.

All engaged couples are required to
enroll in the Pre-Cana Program
sponsored by the Archdiocese of New
York. To enroll in the Pre-Cana Marriage
Program please visit their website at:

nyfamilylife.org/marriage-preparation



The bulletin is generally submitted for print on the Monday or Tuesday before the weekend and earlier yet if there is a holiday.

To know what is happening at St. Augustine -

You can READ the BULLETIN online at:

www.staugustinehighland.org

St. Augustine's has a facebook page.

You will find inspiration and parish information there - check it out.



Our Recently Baptized

Eliana Marie Miller
Evelyn Margaret Critelli
Flor Cortez Hernandez
Fanny Perez Cortez
Ivan Perez Cortez

*Blessings and love as we
welcome you to our faith!*



Family Movie Night Dates



September 16
October 14

November 11
December 9

More info will follow closer to the dates.

As always, there will be popcorn and beverages too!

Masses Available

Please note - There are many openings available for Mass Offerings. Masses can be offered not only for your beloved deceased, but also for those living who may be ill or celebrating a special occasion as a Birthday or Anniversary, etc. Consider offering a Mass for a loved one.

NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION FORM

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