

Feast of Saint Lucy Filippini, May 12
39th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination of Father Bob
Basilica of the Sacred Heart, Newark to the Basilica of Kendal Park
Behind Fr. Bob is the Umbrella of the Basilica (Umbraculum)



### May 21st 2023 Sixth Sunday of Easter

#### **SATURDAY**

5:00 PM Living and Deceased Members of St. Augustine's Parish

**SUNDAY** Feast of the Ascension of the Lord

8:00 AM Nicholas DeMarchi req: Ann DeMarchi Corwin

10:00 AM Domenico Della Ragione req: M. Scotto-D'Aniello

12 Noon Frank Guercio, Christine Durning req: The Vozzo Family

5:00 PM Cipriano T. Barrientos req: Roxana

Barrientos

**MONDAY** 

9:00 AM Dignity of Every Human Life

7:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration

**TUESDAY** 

9:00 AM Intentions of Diana Kinkela req: Mom & Dutch

WEDNESDAY

9:00 AM Allen & Dorothy Smith req: Sophie Benzinger

**THURSDAY** 

9:00 AM Living and Decease Members of St. Augustine's Parish

**FRIDAY** 

9:00 AM Kate & Ray South req: The Family

**SATURDAY Saint Augustine of Canterbury** 

9:00 AM Robert Begley req: The Mateszewski Family

5:00 PM Living and Deceased Family & Friends of Anne Villanova

**SUNDAY** 

8:00 AM Carmelina Morelli req: The Morelli Family

10:00 AM Phillip W. Barood req: Marie Barrood & Family

12 Noon Alfonso Buono req: Carmela Buono

5:00 PM Louis Brady req: Tom & Pat Lombardi

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

May 22 to May 28

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Jn 17:1-11a Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30, 23:6-11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3b-7,12-13;

Jn 20:19-23

### SPIRITUAL REMEMBRANCE FOR WEEK OF MAY 21St, 2023



### TABERNACLE CANDLES

For the Intentions of
Diana Kinkela
Donated by Mary Ann & Dutch



### TABERNACLE FLOWERS

In Memory of
Matthew Magliocco
Donated by M. Scotto D'Aniello



### St. A's Bereavement Meetings

We are pleased to announce our Parish Bereavement Workshop will begin this Spring! Meetings have begun on Saturday, April 15th.

They will continue each Saturday until June 3rd, from 10AM to12:30PM and will meet in the Parish Center in the Augustine Room. The workshop is 8 sessions long. If you feel that you need extra support during this time of grief, please call the Parish Office at (732) 297-3000 as soon as possible to reserve a place. God bless you and bring you inner peace in every way.

**PARISH CENTER:** (732) 297-3000 9 AM- 12 NOON & 1 PM-4 PM Monday—Friday **CATHOLIC SCHOOL:** 297-6042 **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE:** 297-3011 **OUTREACH MINISTRY:** 297-9713 PARISH CENTER FAX: 940-1746 SCHOOL FAX: 297-7062 **WEBSITE:** http://www.staugustinenj.org

#### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

### Monday, May 22nd

3:15 PM Daisy Troop Meeting

7:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration

8:00 PM A.A. Meeting

### Wednesday, May 24th

6:00 PM Mother-Son Event

6:30 PM Bell Choir Rehearsal

7:15 PM B.O.T.W.

7:45 PM Parish Choir Rehearsal

#### Friday, May 26th

Parish Office Closed

School Half Day

8:00 AM School Field Day

### Saturday, May 27th

NO CONFESSIONS WILL BE HEARD AT ST. AUGUSTINE'S

10:00 AM Spring Bereavement Group

### Sunday, May 28th

Pentecost

8:00 AM RCIA

Dray



As these couples prepares to meet Christ in the Sacrament of Matrimony, let us pray that their love will grow in Him.

### **Banns of Marriage**

2nd Time Rebecca Patten & Kevin Hoffman 1st Time Lindsey Sobel & Nicholas Accardi

### **REST IN PEACE**

Please remember the following parishioners who have died in your prayers, and for the families who mourn their loss.

William Moorehead

Husband of Anita 41 Langley Rd. Kendall Park, NJ 08824

Confessions will NOT be heard the weekend of Saturday, May 27, 2023.

We appreciate your understanding.

#### OUR LADY OF FATIMA STATUE



This week the Fatima statue will be in the home of the Ruban Family. Please return the statue of Our Lady to the Church, by Saturday, May 27, 2023.

Thank you for taking Our Lady on a journey through our parish.

### MEDITATION FOR

May 21, 2023

Give glory to God

Today's Liturgy of the Word offers insight into what it means to glorify God. It is not about just praising occasionally with words, but rather, it is about glorifying God with out lives. What we say and what we do ought to glorify God every day. Jesus has shown us this way by His very life, from His public ministry to His passion and resurrection.

In the reading from the Acts of the Apostles, the first disciples return to Jerusalem about witnessing the Ascension, and devote themselves to prayer. In the second reading, Saint Peter counsels those who face persecution that they will be glorified by God. In the Gospel, Jesus prayers to the Father as His hour has come. He describes how everything He has done on earth has been for the Father.



"For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be God's will, than for doing evil."

1 Peter 3:17

The old line says, "if you want to make God laugh, tell Him your plans." Many of us are diligent in our planning, making sure things are progressing smoothly, then disaster strikes, we don't get the result that was intended. An unforeseen problem arises. Many times we may respond negatively. Why me? I did everything right! Here's the thing-God has a different and better plan in store for you.

May 14th

\$17,726.00

Thank you for your continued generosity!

### THE 2024 MASS BOOK OPENS JUNE 26, 2023

Sunday Mass donation: \$25 (\$10-Stipend; \$15 towards the Liturgy Account)

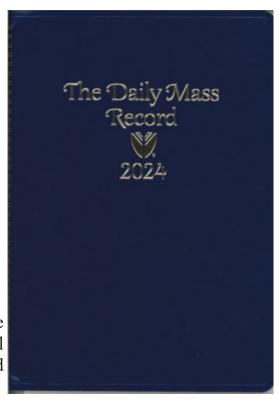
Daily Mass donation: \$10

Tabernacle candle donation: \$20

Altar Flower donation: \$100

### **Sunday and Daily Mass Requests**

There are a limited number of Masses available, thus the request for Masses will be **5 Masses** at this time. We will be marking the envelopes numerically as they are received at the parish center and process them in the order received.



### **Tabernacle Candle and Altar Flower Donations**

There are only 52 weeks in a year. During the Lenten Season – Wednesday, February 14, 2024 through Friday, March 29, 2024 – no floral donations will be accepted. We are, therefore, limiting requests for the donations for Tabernacle Candles and Altar Flower Donations to 2 weeks per Envelope Number at this time. As with the Mass Requests, we will be marking the requests numerically as they are received at the parish center and process them accordingly.

In all cases, if a date and/or time is already taken for an intention, Marc Kollar will contact you to determine alternatives. Once the initial requests have been completed, we will announce that additional Masses and additional weeks for Candles and Flowers can be requested.

### Purgatorial Society, 1st Saturday and Unannounced Masses

Requests for each of these types of Masses may be made at any time during 2024. The 2024 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Masses will be opened on December 4, 2023. Purgatorial and Unannounced Masses for 2024 will be taken beginning on Wednesday, January 3, 2024. Donations for the Masses are as follows:

Purgatorial Society Mass: \$25

1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Mass: Open Donation

Unannounced Mass: \$10

The Request Form will be made available next weekend.



# ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC? ... OR

... perhaps you are a baptized Catholic, but have not completed the Sacraments of Initiation (Confirmation and Eucharist).

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is just for you! Gather with others who desire to know the Lord Jesus Christ in the truth of the Catholic Faith, as we undergo catechesis, reflect on the scriptures, and contemplate our call to faith in Christ in preparation for Baptism and/or reception and completion of the Sacraments of Initiation.

Meetings are held on Sundays at 8:15 am in Father McGivney Hall (followed by 10AM Mass). If you are interested in getting connected, please call the Parish Center at 732-297-3000.

Deacon Denis



### Odyssey of the Mind

Please Help Send Our Students to Michigan!!!
May 24 - 27, 2024

Our goal is to raise \$10,000 to cover the cost of registration and help with transportation costs.

Include the form below with your donation in an envelope marked "Odyssey of the Mind" and place it in the collection basket. You can also drop off the envelope at the School or Parish offices. Please make your check payable to "St. Augustine of Canterbury School."

Thank YOU for your support in making St. Augustine School known around the world!!!

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We conclude "Breaking Open the Word" for this season on Wednesday, May 24, 2023.

Please come and join us this week!

We will be on hiatus until

Wednesday, September 6, 2023.



Volunteer Teachers, Aides and Monitors for our 2023-24 Faith Formation Program

Are Needed

Would you like to share your Catholic Faith with our students in Grades 1 & 4? Would you like to help our staff and volunteers in their mission to educate our children in the Catholic Faith?

These volunteer positions are for the classes held on Wednesdays from 6PM-7:15PM from September through April. If you are interested, please call the office for more information at 732-297-3000 or email Sr. Barbara at srbarbarat@staugustinenj.org.

# REGISTRATION FOR 2023-24 CCD CLASSES

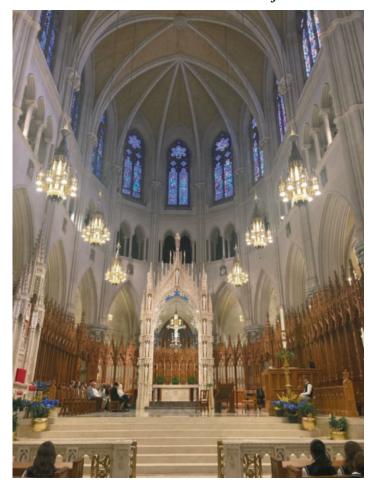
Students currently enrolled need to be re-registered immediately. Please return the forms to the religious Education Office located in the Parish Center.

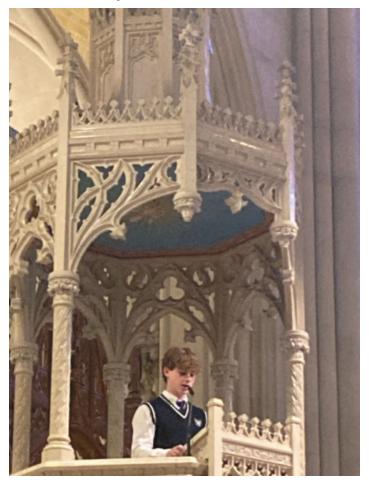
New students need to be registered. Please call or stop by the Religious Education Office to request a form for any new student. If your child is currently in Kindergarten, please contact the office to register them for September.

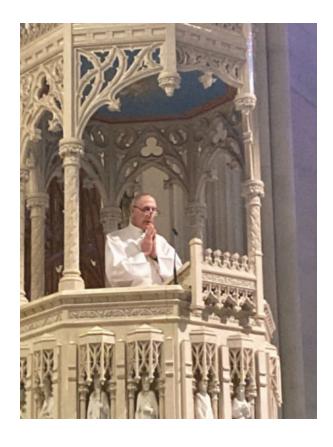
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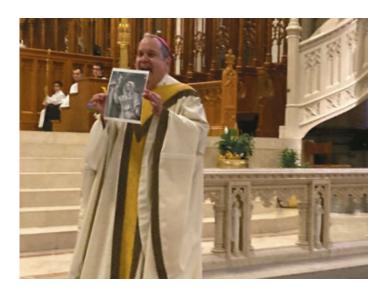
Bible Camp for ages 4 - 10. Camp will be held July 10 - 14 from 8:30AM - 11:30AM each day. Fees are 1<sup>st</sup> child - \$40, 2<sup>nd</sup> child \$30, each additional child \$25 each. Forms are available at the Parish Center.

School Mass on May 12, 2023 in Celebration of Saint Lucy Filippini Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, Archdiocese of Newark

















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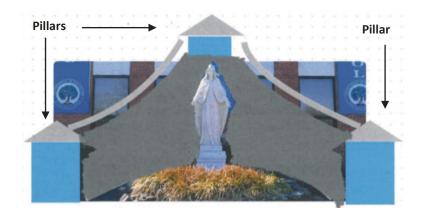
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# THANK YOU TO THE MEMBERS OF OUR CHILDREN'S CHOIR FOR A GREAT CHORAL YEAR

This Sunday, May 21, the Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord into heaven, marks the last time the Children's Choir will sing for this choral year.

The Children have sung at each of the monthly Children's Liturgies, plus Christmas Eve, and First Holy Communion.

In addition to the weekly Tuesday afternoon rehearsals, the Children also had pizza parties to



Choir at First Holy Communion Mass



Choir before one of their fall Children's Liturgies

celebrate First Communion and the end of the choral year.

Thank you to each of our Children's Choir and their parents for their support of the Music Ministry this past year. We look forward to their return in the fall.

The Children's Choir is open to all third graders through seventh graders. The seventh graders are

lead choristers and assist Mr. Berg as needed.

If you are interested in joining contact our Music Director, Bill Berg, for more information, or to be put on the list for the fall season. For more information, please contact Mr. Berg at 732-297-3000 X 41 or

musicdir@staugustinenj.org



Choir at Pizza Party after First Communion Mass



# ENVELOPES FOR Q3 2023

Church Budget, the envelope company, has

confirmed with us the envelopes for the third quarter of 2023 will be sent out during the first week of June. We have also been in dialog with them to upgrade the quality of the paper being used and the glue on the envelopes.



### MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

In observance of Memorial Day, our the Parish Center will be closed on Friday, May 26th and Monday, May

29th. Our School will also be closed on Monday, the 29th.

9AM Mass will be celebrated.

NO Evening Eucharistic Adoration will be held on Monday, May 29th.

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