



Who comes to Cornerstone?

- Anyone looking to “jump-start” their sense of belonging in the parish community.
- Those looking to take time out for themselves and reflect.
- Men who have been away from the Church for a while and are curious about re-connecting.
- Those looking to meet and interact with other men in our Christian community.

How many times have you thought about it, considered it, and then for whatever reason, did not attend?

Make this the year you give yourself the “Gift of Cornerstone”.

The Cornerstone Story

The idea of Cornerstone is simple, but its impact has been profound. Since the inception of this weekend over 15 years ago, more than 200 men have attended Cornerstone at Saint Augustine’s alone. In addition, hundreds more have enjoyed the experience at more than fifty parishes that also offered Cornerstone.



*The stone that the builders rejected
has become the **cornerstone**.*

Matthew 21:42



What is Cornerstone?

Cornerstone is a 26-hour experience which provides you with the opportunity to reflect renew and strengthen your faith while meeting other men in our Christian community. The weekend is hosted at our parish center by parishioners who have experienced the gift of past Cornerstone weekends.

Cornerstone.....

- provides an outstanding opportunity to meet and interact with other men of the parish.
- is a welcoming, non-judgmental environment.
- allows for the opportunity to step out of the hustle of daily life to relax, pause and reflect.
- For those who simply need some time to stop and think.
- **Ordinary Men Like You!**

MEN'S CORNERSTONE
March 22nd – 23rd, 2024

What You Can Expect

There is no mystery to the Men's Cornerstone weekend. It's simply a Gathering of Ordinary Men sharing stories and life's experiences.

The weekend is facilitated by a team who are passing along the gift of Cornerstone which they have previously experienced. During the weekend in a very casual atmosphere, some of these men will give a short talk followed by discussion at your table. You may share in the discussion as much or as little as you choose, or not at all, if that is your preference.

There will be a number of opportunities on the weekend to examine your relationship with God, your family and others in your life. Most of all, it is an opportunity to step out of our daily routine to think about those things that matter to you most, in an atmosphere that lends itself to reflection and contemplation.

Schedule

Arrival: Friday evening, 6:00 p.m. at Saint Augustine's.

Meals: All meals, including dinner on Friday's arrival are provided.

Departure: The Cornerstone retreat will conclude on Saturday evening (dinner included).

(A letter with details will be sent to you prior to the weekend).

Any Questions? Please feel free to contact:

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Additional information is available at:



<https://parish.staugustinenj.org/cornerstone>

Cornerstone 2024 Registration Form

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone numbers:

(home) _____

(cell) _____

E-mail: _____

Will you be 18 years old by March 22nd? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Marital Status: _____

What name would you prefer on your name badge?

Emergency Contact: Please provide us with an emergency contact (family or friend). Be sure to include their full name, relationship to you and contact information below:

Name: _____

Relationship: _____

Phone numbers:

(home) _____

(cell) _____

E-mail: _____

Return this form with your \$75 donation (checks made payable to St. Augustine of Canterbury Church) to:

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