SAINT AUGUSTINE PARISH



CONTACT INFORMATION

Phone Number: 223-5285 (Rectory/Parish Office) Office Email: staugustine@vermontcatholic.org

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Website: http://staugustine.vermontcatholic.org

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:15 pm Sunday: 9:15 am Mon, Tues, Fri: 8:15 am Wednesday: 12:10 pm Thursday: No Mass

Please see inside bulletin for exceptions/changes

Holy Days and Holidays

Please see Mass schedule inside bulletin.

Confession

Friday: 8:45-9:45 am **Saturday:** 4:00-4:45 pm (or by appointment)

Office Hours

8:00am - 5:00pm Monday - Wednesday:

Thursday: 8:00am - 4:00pm Friday: 8:00am - 12:00pm

(Monday - Thursday: Closed Noon-1:00 pm)

Saturday-Sunday RECTORY OFFICE CLOSED

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grades K-6: Sunday 10:30-11:30am

O.C.I.A.

A program for those interested in becoming Catholic and Catholics who would like to learn more about their faith.

Wednesdays 7:00pm-8:30pm + September - April Alternating weekly between St. Augustine and St. Monica

EMMAUS JOURNEY

Exploring the Christian Faith Vision Adult Continuing Education

With Dcn Regis Cummings and Joseph Gainza Thursdays 6:30-8PM on Zoom † Join Any Time

16 Barre Street • Montpelier, Vermont 05602

PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Patrick J. Forman

Parochial Vicar: Rev. Fr. Gregory Caldwell

Rev Fr. Luan Tran

Deacons: Rev. Mr. Regis Cummings (S.S.)

Rev. Mr. Gesualdo Schneider

Parish Secretary/Office Manager: Liz Kilmurry Custodian/Cemetery Director: Michael Bottiggi

Parish Council Chair:

Conor Cook, conor.p.cook@outlook.com

Finance Committee Chair:

Open at this time

Catholic Daughters of America Regent:

Denise Parry, parrya@myfairpoint.net

Knights of Columbus:

Grand Knight: William Toborg, wlt1@caa.columbia.edu



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Weddings: Contact the Pastor before setting a date; a minimum of six months notice is required.

Baptisms: By appointment; please call the rectory.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please notify us of people who are ill and/or hospitalized. We will respond as soon as possible.

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Anyone who cannot celebrate Mass with us in church, who wishes to receive the Sacraments (Confession, Communion, Anointing of the Sick),

please call the Rectory: 223.5285

MASS INTENTIONS

Requests for Mass Intentions should be made in person at the Rectory office, or by phone.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS & GUESTS

We are delighted that you have joined our parish family. As we worship together, we hope you will feel at home here. We invite you to participate in the many parish ministries that provide opportunities for prayer, service and outreach.

By registering as a parish member, we can get to know and serve you better.

Being inspired by the Gospel to live with faith, hope and love, we aspire to build God's Kingdom.

Please register by calling the rectory at 802-223-5285, or email: staugustine@vermontcatholic.org

June 8, 2025 PENTECOST SUNDAY

READING 1 RESPONSORIAL PSALM **READING 2 GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** GOSPEL

Proverbs 8:22-31 Psalm 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 **Romans 5:1-5** Cf. Revelation 1:8 John 16:12-15

LITURGY June 15 The Most **Holy Trinity**

ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Jun 7

5:15 PM Special Intentions of Kathy Kilmurry for her Birthday

Sunday, Jun 8 - Pentecost Sunday

9:15 AM Dr. Michelle Perron by her husband James Percy

Monday, Jun 9 Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

8:15 AM All Parishioners of St. Augustine

Tuesday, Jun 10

8:15 AM Charles Michael Lucas by his brother Dennis Lucas

Wednesday, Jun 11 Saint Barnabas, Apostle

12:10 PM Joseph Kilmurry

Thursday, Jun 12 NO MASS

Friday, Jun 13 Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest 8:15 AM Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, Jun 14

5:15 PM Philip Shay, Sr.

Sunday, Jun 15 - 7th The Most Holy Trinity 9:15 AM Clairette Berard by Rachael Bliss

IMPORTANT DATES

Tue, Jun 10 - Liturgy Committee 1pm

Wed, Jun 11 - St. Monica-St. Michael Graduation

Fri, Jun 13 - St. A Community Lunch 11:30am-1pm

Mon, Jun 16 - Finance Committee 5:30pm

Tue, Jun 17 - CDA Mass / Potluck beginning at 6pm

Fri, Jun 20 - St. A Community Lunch 11:30am-1pm

Sat, Jun 21 - Right to Life Mass 10:30am

Coffee Hour

June 8 (Pentecost)

Host: Murphy/Zorzi

June 22

Host: Brassard Family

Sturdy St. Augustine reusable canvas bags will

for sale at all coffee hours. Cost \$15.00 each Sturdy St. Augustine reusable canvas bags will be for sale at all coffee hours. Cost \$15.00 each.



Support for May 25 / Jun 1

Online Giving:	\$496.00	\$.00
Saint Augustine Offertory:	\$2898.00	\$.00
Building & Grounds:	\$70.00	\$.00
Cemetery:	\$216.00	\$.00
Fuel:	\$10.00	\$.00
Religious Ed:	\$.00	\$.00
School:	\$16.00	\$.00
Soup Kitchen:	\$.00	\$.00
Vigil Candles:	\$80.00	\$.00
Non-Off. Misc. Donations:	\$104.00	\$.00
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Thank you for your continued support:

Bishop's Annual Appeal 2025

St. Monica and St. Augustine Parishes will kick-off the annual campaign next weekend, June 14-15, with our in-pew solicitation. Before all Masses next weekend, a letter from Bishop McDermott will be read and time will be set aside to fill out pledge cards.

Some of you have already sent I your pledge cards and will be able to patiently wait for others to do so.

If you are not able to give this year, filling out a card, and putting down zero, or "Cannot give: will allow the staff to remove your name from future mailings.

> Thank you for your generosity! This year's goals are: St. Augustine \$32,676.00 St. Monica \$88,876.00 A running total will be included in the bulletin.

St. Augustine Update

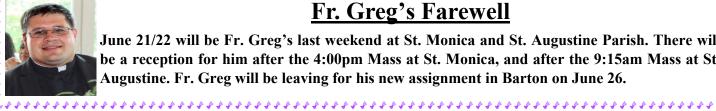
As the Parish Council and Finance Committee continue to look at the month end financial reports, they realize that actions must be taken to help St. Augustine Parish become financially stable.

Unfortunately, the surveying company is very busy and will not be able to determine the boundary between the church and rectory until late July. This piece of information will determine what we will do with the remains of Monsignor Crosby and the Fatima Shrine. Also, the boundary line needs to be determined before a sale can go through. Three different parties have already expressed interest in buying the rectory! This is a good sign for when we are finally able to sell.



Fr. Pat's Gratitude

Fr. Pat offers his thanks to everyone who has offered prayers for the repose of his sister Kelly's soul and the consolation of his family. He also appreciates your patience as he has spent time in Burlington as his sister was sick and planning for the funeral afterwards.



Fr. Greg's Farewell

June 21/22 will be Fr. Greg's last weekend at St. Monica and St. Augustine Parish. There will be a reception for him after the 4:00pm Mass at St. Monica, and after the 9:15am Mass at St. Augustine. Fr. Greg will be leaving for his new assignment in Barton on June 26.

Pentecost

The wonderful celebration this weekend, recalling the outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon the disciples 50 days after Easter, gives meaning to the Year of Hope we are celebrating as a church. On our own, we wouldn't have a good cause for Hope. Filled with the gifts of the Spirit and strengthened by the Eucharist, our Hope is well-founded. Come, Holy Spirit, Come and fill the Hearts of the Faithful!



REBOOT, A Life Changing Event

This high-energy, 2-hour event with internationally acclaimed speaker Chris Stefanick will awaken your faith, reignite your joy, and equip you with tools to live life God created you for: A Ife of JOY!

It will help you rediscover the JOY you were created for, and is perfect for everyone.....even friends, family, and children (12+) who may not be actively practicing their faith. Wednesday, Setember 24,2025 from 7:00-9:00 pm @ St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, 3 St. Peter St., Winooski, Vt., DON/T MISS OUT. Go to https://buytickets.at/realifecatholic/1663037 Page 3



LET US PRAY FOR... our church, our parishes in Vermont and all over the world, our Catholic Schools, our communities, our families, those who are sick and infirm, those who are lonely, those who suffer from mental illness and addiction. Let us pray.

HOLY FAMILY PRAYER CIRCLE: If you would like to have prayers said for a love one, neighbor, or friend, please call Cathy Asbell (802.279.7957).

PLEASE PRAY...For all the men and women from our Parish, State, and Country who serve in the military, and for the sick of our Parish,



Especially for:

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GBJ
Raylene Hedges
Greg Ibey
Matthew Khouri
Jan Koval
Olivia Leibold
Lee Curtis Lilly
Matthew Percy
Jeannette Quinn
Timothy Scandale
Thomas Vivian



Call 223-5285 (Rectory)
To add someone to this list

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of those who have died in our Parish



Jubilee Pilgrimage Passport

The Diocese of Burlington has created a simple passport that is available to any parishioner who may wish to keep track of their pilgrimage to the 4 Jubilee Churches in our diocese. The passport has 6 visits, so it can be filled for the Lenten Season and culminate during Holy Week. This project can be accomplished anytime throughout the Jubilee Year, as your schedule allows.



Information on the Jubilee Churches and the Indulgence can be found here: www.vermontcatholic.org/about/jubilee-year-2025/

Respect Life Mass

Please join Bishop John McDermott as he celebrates the Annual Diocesan Respect Life Mass on Saturday, June 21, at 10:30 am at St. Augustine Church in Montpelier. A rosary will be prayed at 10:00 prior to Mass. There is free parking on streets and in the municipal parking lot behind City Hall. For more information, please contact Eileen Haupt at respectlife@vermontcatholic.org or 802-658-6110 x1201

Dobbs Decision BIRTHday Picnic

Immediately following the Respect Life Mass, *Vermont Right to Life* will host its **Dobbs Decision 3rd BIRTHday**Picnic from11:30-2:00 on the State House grounds. This is a family-friendly event featuring life-giving testimony, joyful music, hotdogs, BIRTHday cake, and ice cream. For more information, please visit www.vrlc.net or phone 802-229-4885

Worldwide Marriage Encounter: Pentecost Sunday

Check out a Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME.org). It can help you in your communication, teach you many skills, and also help you to grow in intimacy and in faith with one another. In W.M.E., married couples, priests and religious enrich, support, and learn from each other at all stages of life.

Jesus came to where the disciples were and said, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." Then he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit.: Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." Learn how to forgive one another and be at peace with your spouse by signing up and attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience.

Some of the dates to sign up are:

June 27-29, 2025 in Huntington, NY

August 15-17, 2025 at Holy Family Retreat Center in West Hartford, CT

Apply for this weekend or other in-person and virtual experiences at WWME.ORG. Or Contact Gary & Lynn Root at 802-456-8114, vtroot@together.net

BISHOP'S APPEAL beginning May 2025

GOAL: \$32,676.00 ACTUAL: \$.00 Recurring Estimate: \$.00 ACTUAL (Including Recurring Est): \$.00 % OF GOAL: %

Pope's Monthly Prayer Intention

June

marriage

encounter

That the world might grow in compassion

Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.

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A Window into Our Stained Glass Windows

Friday June 8 is the Memorial of Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church. HIs window is found in a small exit hallway in the front right of the St. Augustine Church now used for storage. We looked at the image and its history in the 6/9/24 bulletin.

St. Augustine novelist Mari Tomasi (1907-1965) refers to St. Anthony in *Deep Grow the Roots*. Luigi, the main character has two unexpected visitors, one of whom is the girl he is courting. They are going to stay for dinner and he only has two sets of dishes. Luigi sends his friend out the window to get some more from his neighbor:

"Dio," he whispered hoarsely, "do you want them to think Luigi Sentinelli is one of Sant' Antonio's beggars? Here, out the window! And make sure to come back the same way."

Tomasi explains her reference to St. Anthony of Padua in a footnote: "Every Tuesday morning in front of the Franciscan Church of St. Anthony in Rome, four loaves of bread are distributed by the Friars to each of six hundred women, and on Fridays to two hundred men. This practice originated in Padua a few years after the death of St. Anthony."

I wasn't able to find details about this practice at St. Anthony Church in Rome, but St. Anthony's Bread is widespread and did find its origin story. In 1263 a young child drowned near the Basilica of St. Anthony in Padua. HIs mother prayed to St. Anthony for his healing, promising in return to give the boy's weight in grain to the poor. The boy was healed the tradition of giving the boy's weight in grain to the poor.

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Bishop McDermott will be holding 4 listening sessions around the Diocese this June

June 5-South Burlington @ St. John Vianney 6:30PM-8:00PM

June 7- Morrisville @ Most Holy Name of Jesus 10:30AM-12:00PM

June 13 - Rutland @ Christ the King 6:30PM-8:00PM

June 14 - White River Junction @ St. Anthony 10:30AM-12:00PM

This will be an opportunity, in a Synodal spirit, to engage with the Bishop, offer constructive suggestions, and together prayerfully look to the future.

Confirmation Tuesday, June 3, 2025



Congratulations

Scarlett Carr
Mateo Castillo Lopez
Isabella Cerminara
Ariana Chenette
Joseph Cook
Madelyn Kent
Roderick O'Brien
Freya Severin





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