



## SAINT AUGUSTINE CHURCH THE CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

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Parish Office Hours : M-F 10am-5pm

WEEK OF  
OCTOBER 2, 2016

### THE TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*Home of the*



#### MASS TIMES

**Sunday** 9:00am Family Mass  
11:30am  
1:30pm (Spanish)  
5:30pm  
7:30pm  
**Mon.-Fri.** 12:00pm | 5:30pm  
**Saturday** 5:30pm Vigil

**RECONCILIATION:**  
M-F 4:30pm-5:20pm

#### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

**Monday** 6:00-7:00pm  
**Wednesday** 4:30-5:20pm  
**Friday** 8:15-9:15am

#### FIRST FRIDAY:

5:30pm Mass of the Sacred Heart  
and Eucharistic Adoration

#### ROSARY:

Monday-Friday 11:25am

#### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

To be a member of our parish requires registration and participation in worship, sacraments, the life of the parish, and regular financial support of the parish. This is a basic consideration when requesting marriage, baptism, or to act as a godparent/sponsor. Register in the parish office or on-line.

### THE MEMORIAL OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2016

In 1979 Pope John Paul II named Francis the patron saint  
"of those who promote ecology".

In January 2010, Pope Benedict XVI referred to St Francis as  
"an authentic "giant" of holiness, who continues to fascinate a great many people of  
all age groups and every religion."

March 2013, Pope Francis explained his affinity with "the man of poverty, the  
man of peace, the man who loves and protects creation," the same created world  
"with which we don't have  
such a good relationship."



Our cast bronze statue of St. Francis was donated to St. Augustine Church  
and the Catholic Student Center by Gloria and Kirk McDonald  
and was dedicated on October 4, 2011.

The McDonald's purchased the statue in 1983 from the art gallery of Pietro  
Bazzanti and Figlio, in Florence, Italy. Gloria and Kirk gifted our parish and  
student center with the statue in memory of their parents,  
Katherine and Frank Ewolski and James and Mildred McDonald.

The earth *is* the LORD'S, and the fullness thereof; the world, and they that  
dwell therein. For he hath founded it upon the seas, and established it upon  
the floods. Who shall ascend into the hill of the LORD? or who shall stand  
in his holy place? He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart; who hath not  
lifted up his soul unto vanity, nor sworn deceitfully.

Psalm 24: 1-4 KJV

## MASS INTENTIONS AND SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 2, 2016

The Tabernacle Candle is being sponsored this week in thanksgiving by  
Maria Cruz

*The deceased are indicated by a cross in front of their names.  
Masses said for the living are for their special intentions.*

**Sunday, October 2- The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4 | 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14 | Lk 17:5-10**

9:00am Gabriella Young by American Heritage Girls

11:30am

1:30pm ✕ Cristina Miranda

5:30pm Aurelia Ghizzoni by Douglas Ghizzoni

7:30pm For the Parish

**Monday, October 3- Weekday**

**Gal 1:6-12 | Lk 10:25-37**

12:00pm ✕ Ann Vieth by Kevin Dyer

5:30pm suspended

**Tuesday, October 4 - St. Francis of Assisi**

**Gal 1:13-24 | Lk 10:38-42**

12:00pm suspended

5:30pm suspended

**Wednesday, October 5 - Weekday**

**Gal 2:1-2, 7-14 | Lk 11:1-4**

12:00pm suspended

5:30pm suspended

**Thursday, October 6 - Weekday**

**Gal 3:1-5 | Jn 11:5-13**

12:00pm suspended

5:30pm suspended

**Friday, October 7- Our Lady of the Rosary**

**Gal 3:7-14 | Lk 11:15-26**

12:00pm suspended

5:30pm Souls in Purgatory by Freddy Rojas

**Saturday, October 8 - Weekday**

**Gal 3:22-29 | Lk 11:27-28**

5:30pm Jenny Rivers by the family

## PARISH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday, October 2- 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:00am Children's Liturgy of the Word

10:00am Intergenerational Religious Education

2:30pm Cafecito

2:30pm Hispanic Advisory Council

2:45pm Spanish RCIA

**Monday, October 3**

6:00pm Holy Hour

7:00pm Hispanic Charismatic Prayer

7:00pm Nueva Alianza

**Tuesday, October 4**

4:00pm Student Choir Practice

6:15pm Newman Dinner

6:30pm Hispanic Bible Study

**Wednesday, October 5**

12:45pm Sacred Heart Devotional

4:30pm Holy Hour with Confession

6:30pm Middle School Religious Ed

9:00pm Ministry Formation

**Thursday, October 6**

6:00pm Upper Room

6:30pm Choir Rehearsal

7:30pm Spanish Choir

**Friday, October 7**

8:15am Holy Hour

6:00pm ESTEEM workshop

**Saturday, October 8**

5:30pm Saturday Vigil Mass



## CLERGY & STAFF MEMBERS

St. Augustine Church	Pastor	Father Marek Dzien
	Parochial Vicar	Father Benjamin Romero, CMF
	Administrative Assistant to the Pastor	Gail Fitzsimmons
	RCIA & Young Adult Ministry Coordinator	Sabrina Sy
	Liturgy & Music Co-Directors	Doug Ghizzoni Matthew Kuizon
	Religious Education Coordinator	Elena Melendez
	Facilities & Operations Manager	Mary T. Wise
	Bookkeeper	Sara Geiser
	Parish Secretaries	Brian Gulig Cecile Sands Clara Aziz
	Housekeeping	Rosa Nakamatsu
The Catholic Student Center	Director of the Catholic Student Center	Father David Ruchinski
	Campus Ministers - Ashley Hemingway and Sandy DeTeresa	
	Campus Ministry Assistants - Anna Gugliemino and Sr. Ana-Luisa Galvan	
	Alumni Outreach Coordinator - Lauren Troncoso	
	Seminarian - Michael Kieler	
	FOCUS Missionaries (Fellowship of Catholic University Students)	
	Katelyn Miller   Ariadna Ruiz   Joseph West   Drew Decker	

### RCIA

Contact Sabrina Sy at [sabrina@catholicgators.org](mailto:sabrina@catholicgators.org)

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

**Call the office** for information on First Reconciliation/First Communion, High School Confirmation, & Adult Confirmation preparation.

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples should meet with a priest at least eight (8) months prior to the wedding. Contact Gail Fitzsimmons at (352) 372-3533 ext. 113 or [gail@catholicgators.org](mailto:gail@catholicgators.org) for an initial consultation.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism Preparation is required and both parents should attend our monthly preparation class and coordinate with the parish office. Please **call the parish office** to arrange for Baptism and preparation, preferably before the baby's birth.



Last Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup>, two Catholic Gator Alumni entered the Novitiate stage of formation with the Mercedarian Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament. Sister Kathryn (c/o 2014) and Sister Yve (c/o 2012) were joined by family, friends – both current and alumni Catholic Gators – as well as Fr. Marek and Fr. David to celebrate Saturday morning with the community. 5 Catholic Gator Alumni are currently in formation with the community: Sr. Katie (mid left), Sr. April, Sr. Kathryn (left of center), Sr. Yve, and Lourdes (center). Please keep them and all of the women in formation in your prayers.



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016, 6:00PM IN THE LOUNGE  
AND COURTYARD  
PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR SECOND ANNUAL OKTOBER-  
FEST! THERE WILL BE LOTS OF FOOD, BEER, MUSIC,  
AND ALL AROUND FUN.  
ADMISSION AND FOOD ARE FREE FOR PARISHIONERS



**Please note the following  
Masses are suspended the  
week of  
October 3-7, 2016**

► Monday, October 3, 5:30pm

► Tuesday, October 4 through  
Thursday, October 6  
**all Masses are suspended**

► Friday, October 7, 12:00pm

Our priests will be attending the annual  
Diocesan Priests Retreat.  
Please keep them in your prayers.

**Sign Up Now!**  
**St. Augustine Church**

## Religious Ed Programs

**Start of Class Schedules:**

Family Religious Ed	Oct 2nd	10:15am	Lounge
Sacramental Prep	Oct 10th	6:30pm	Lounge
Teen Religious Ed (Grades 6, 7 & 8)	Oct 12th	6:30pm	Library

**Religious Education**

**\*For more information contact Elena Melendez**

**ELENA@CATHOLICGATORS.ORG**

### BULLETIN DEADLINES

Bulletin submissions are due by Monday  
at 12:00 p.m. noon.  
Please email your requests to  
[bulletin@catholicgators.org](mailto:bulletin@catholicgators.org).



### STEWARDSHIP

#### **Masses on September 25, 2016 The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Offertory:	\$6,814.05
E-Giving:	\$4,502.00
Parish Pay	\$110.00
Poor Box:	\$86.93
Catholic Student Center (CSC):	\$378.39
Sanctuary Renovation:	\$2,275.00
Specified Donations:	\$200.00
Help Spread the Faith Catholic Communications Appeal	\$899.87



### **STEWARDSHIP SPOTLIGHT - THE TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Do you know the mission statement of St. Augustine Catholic Church? It is "to bring Christ to the campus and to bring the campus to Christ." As members of our parish faith community, each of us is called to be a part of this mission. You may ask, "What does that mission have to do with me?" This mission of evangelization was given to us by Jesus 2000 years ago and more recently Pope Francis. We're not making this stuff up. Matthew 9:36-38, "At the sight of the crowds, his (Jesus') heart was moved with pity for them because they were troubled and abandoned, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest.'" We are the laborers Jesus asks to be sent out. If you have any doubt, here's what Pope Francis says about this subject in his Apostolic Exhortation, *Evangelii Gaudium* (the Joy of the Gospel), "Every Christian is challenged, here and now, to be actively engaged in evangelization; indeed, anyone who has truly experienced God's saving love does not need much time or lengthy training to go out and proclaim that love." This is not an optional aspect of our Catholic Christianity.

How can we participate in this mission of evangelization to the university communities? First, if you haven't already done so, please register and be a member of the parish ([www.catholicgators.org/parish-registration](http://www.catholicgators.org/parish-registration)). Second, we can financially support the parish and student center. It takes a lot of money to provide the physical, personal, and spiritual infrastructure to be present to these academic communities. Third, we can make our parish faith community a welcoming, vibrant, and living family. If students, faculty, or visitors attend our liturgies, do they leave lifted up in the experience of the love of God? Do they want to come back, even bring their family and friends? Sing and pray out loud, be joyous, be friendly, be helpful, be welcoming. Please consider joining liturgical ministries. There are numerous other ministries and groups to help participate in our mission. See the parish web site for details ([www.catholicgators.org/ministries](http://www.catholicgators.org/ministries)).

We are not an inward-looking church. We are an outward looking, evangelizing church. Everyone is hereby challenged to do something to help in our mission.

Paul Gulig,  
Chair of Stewardship Committee



# RCIA 2016-2017

INTERESTED IN JOINING  
THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?

WE WELCOME YOU!

MEETINGS BEGIN SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9

**RCIA SPONSORS NEEDED!**

IS THE LORD CALLING YOU TO WALK WITH SOMEONE  
AS THEY JOURNEY TO ENTER THE CHURCH?

BE A PART OF THIS LIFE-CHANGING PROCESS!

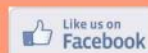
CONTACT SABRINA SY ABOUT JOINING RCIA  
OR BECOMING A SPONSOR  
SABRINA@CATHOLICGATORS.ORG

TALK TO  
SABRINA!

## UPPER ROOM

AGES 21-39

FELLOWSHIP & GROWING CLOSER TO CHRIST  
THROUGH SCRIPTURE & PRAYER



THE UPPER ROOM - GAINESVILLE

YOUNG ADULT  
MEN'S & WOMEN'S  
BIBLE STUDY  
GROUPS



**TUESDAYS**  
**7:00 PM**

CO-ED SCRIPTURE  
STUDY & SOCIAL



**THURSDAYS**  
**6:15 PM**

[MEET IN COURTYARD AT ST. A'S]

INTERESTED IN JOINING EITHER GROUP?  
E-MAIL SABRINA AT  
SABRINA@CATHOLICGATORS.ORG

## Spring Break Mission Trips Interest Meetings

Tues. Oct. 11th at 7 p.m. (Hurley Hall).

Wed. Oct. 12th or Thurs. Oct. 13th at 7 p.m. (Library)

Come and learn how you can make this upcoming Spring Break both meaningful and unforgettable! Inspire and impact others who are in need while growing in your own walk with the Lord (Isaiah 61!).

The interest meetings will cover all trips offered this spring, which include the Christian Appalachian Project (CAP) in Kentucky, as well as FOCUS and FOCUS Greek Mission Trips to a variety of national and international locations. Come check it out!





**Inscríbese Ahora!**  
**Iglesia San Agustín**

## Programas de Ed Religiosa

**Horarios de Comienzo de Clases:**

Ed Religiosa Familiar	Oct 2do	10:15am	Salón Grande
Prep Sacramental	Oct 10mo	6:30pm	Salón Grande
Ed Religiosa/Jovenes (Grados 6, 7 & 8)	Oct 12mo	6:30pm	Biblioteca

**Religious Education**

**\*Para más información comuníquese con Elena Meléndez**

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*Rito de Iniciación*

*Cristiana de Adultos*

**Adultos**

**¿A usted le falta los  
Sacramentos de Iniciación?**  
 Bautismo ~ Comunión ~ Confirmación

**Para información sobre inscripción a las clases de  
Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos**

**Comuníquese con la Sra. María Socorro Valdez,  
Awilda Merced o la Hna. Rita**

Estudio Bíblico—En la biblioteca  
 Domingo, 3:00pm– 4:00pm  
 Martes, 7:00pm– 8:00pm

RCIA en Español—Domingo, 3:30pm  
 Liturgy Conference Room

## Cursillo de Cristiandad

Cursillo, en español quiere decir “curso pequeño” o “corto.” Es de tres días para hombres y mujeres de cualquier edad. ¿Deseas tener un encuentro real con Cristo? Es una experiencia maravillosa. ¿Deseas ser parte de una comunidad Cristiana comenzando desde tu propio hogar?

Y los próximos Cursillos de este año son:  
 Octubre 13 al 16 Hombres 2016 #119  
 Octubre 20 al 23 Mujeres 2016 #118

Para mayor información comunicarse con:  
 Awilda Merced (787) 448-7968 o Ángela Chiriboga (352) 331-7616.

### Cafecito y dulces

Se les invita a pasar al salón de la iglesia cada domingo después de la Misa de la 1:30 p.m. para compartir amistad y cafecito. Vengan y conozcan mejor a sus hermanos en Cristo. Si desean, pueden traer donaciones de galletas o bebidas.



#GATORSFORVZLA

”  
• WHERE •  
TWO OR THREE ARE GATHERED  
TOGETHER IN MY NAME,  
**THERE AM I**  
IN THE MIDST OF THEM  
”

Matthew 18:20

Let us gather together to help those in need. Join us for a Holy Hour of Adoration and a Prayer Vigil to offer up to Venezuela and those who are suffering!

St. Augustine Church  
October 19th @ 9:15 p.m.  
\*Reception beforehand (8:30 p.m.)



**Hello parishioners! Hola parroquianos! Help us help our brothers and sisters from Venezuela!**

As some of you may or may not know, Venezuela is suffering from a large societal and food crisis that we can't ignore. In such a situation VENZA and Catholic Gators, with support from the Move Foundation and various organizations in UF and Santa Fe, have decided to start a campaign to collect medicine, food and supplies to send to Venezuela. We have different collection spots in the city (La Salita, La Casita, SHPE office in Weil Hall, Omi's Tavern, Santa Fe and St. Augustine Church). Please consider donating any monetary support, non-perishable foods, dry milk, diapers, soap, shampoo, and deodorant! We would really appreciate your help and prayers! Thank you! Gracias

## MESSAGE OF MERCY FOR OCTOBER

A quote from scripture...

“Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, heartfelt compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience, bearing with one another and forgiving one another, if one has a grievance against another; as the Lord has forgiven you, so must you also do.” (Colossians 3:12-13)

“Carta a los Colosenses 3:12-13 Como elegidos de Dios, sus santos y amados, revístanse de sentimientos de profunda compasión. Practiquen la benevolencia, la humildad, la dulzura, la paciencia. Sopórtense los unos a los otros, y perdónense mutuamente siempre que alguien tenga motivo de queja contra otro. El Señor los ha perdonado: hagan ustedes lo mismo.” (Carta a los Colosenses 3:12-13)

## THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

October 2– Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



In today's Gospel Jesus tells his disciples, “When you have done all you have been commanded, say: We are unprofitable servants; we have only done what we were obliged to do.” This week, please help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to bring the love and mercy of Jesus to those who feel left out and abandoned, for indeed we are only doing “what we are obliged to do”. Please say a special prayer for the poor and forgotten in your daily devotions this week. If you are in need of assistance or would like more information, please call 352-222-0588.



## Knight's Corner

Want to Join the Knights?



Our college council is right here at St. A's parish, **Pope John Paul II - 13900 Council**, and you can become a member if you are a practicing Catholic male over 18 years old. Although our council is a “college council”, we have members representing **all age brackets**. Since our student members move on upon graduating, we are always looking for non-student members to provide permanence to our council. To join, or if you have any questions about the Knights of Columbus, please contact our Grand Knight, **Bradley Nartowt** at [bjnartowt@gmail.com](mailto:bjnartowt@gmail.com).