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"HERMANOS: EN OTRO TIEMPO USTEDES FUERON TINIEBLAS, PERO AHORA, UNIDOS AL SEÑOR, SON LUZ. VIVAN, POR LO TANTO, COMO HIJOS DE LA LUZ. LOS FRUTOS DE LA LUZ SON LA BONDAD, LA SANTIDAD Y LA VERDAD."

-EPHESIANS 5:8-9 -



March 19, 2023 | 19 de Marzo de 2023
Fourth Sunday of Lent | Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma | Year A

Photo from the September 2022 NightFever.



PARISH INFO

MASS TIMES

Saturday	5:30 p.m. Vigil
Sunday	9 a.m., 11:30 a.m. 1:30 p.m. (Spanish) 5:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m.
Mon.-Fri.	12:00 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

RECONCILIATION

Mon.-Fri.	4:30 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.
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EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mon.-Fri	4:30 p.m. - 5:20 p.m.
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OFFICE HOURS

Mon. Wed. Fri.	9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Tues. Thurs	3 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Reception	9:30 a.m. -
Desk Hours	5:00 p.m.

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THIS WEEK'S MASSES

Date	Intentions	Reading
SUNDAY, MARCH 19 Fourth Sunday of Lent	9 a.m. 11:30 a.m. +Fe Galletti by Gabriel Porres 1:30 p.m. Natalia Martinez by Blanca and Angie Martinez 5:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m. For the Parish	1 Sm 16:1, 6-7, 10-13 Ps 23: 1-6 Eph 5:8-14 Jn 9:1-41
MONDAY, MARCH 20 Solemnity of Saint Joseph, spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary	12 p.m. +Delores Bebej by Andrea McIntosh, Deanne Herman and family 5:30 p.m. Mark Ramsey by Ruth and Keith Osborne	2 Sm 7:4-5, 12-14, 16 Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29 Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22 Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24
TUESDAY, MARCH 21 Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Lent	12 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Cosme Pineda by Ruth and Keith Osborne	Ez 47:1-9, 12 Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 Jn 5:1-16
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22 Wednesday of the Fourth Week of Lent	12 p.m. Birthdays and anniversaries for staff, clergy, and friends 5:30 p.m.	Is 49:8-15 Ps 145:8-9, 13-14, 17-18 Jn 5:17-30
THURSDAY, MARCH 23 Thursday of the Fourth Week of Lent	12 p.m. For the marriage of Santiago and Nadia Zurich and the needs of their family by Carolina Anzola 5:30 p.m.	Ex 32:7-14 Ps 106:19-23 Jn 5:31-47
FRIDAY, MARCH 24 Friday of the Fourth Week of Lent	12 p.m. +Sr. Guadalupe Rosales, HMSS by the Mercedarian Sisters 5:30 p.m. +Leonardo Gomez by Xiomara Gomez	Wis 2:1, 12-22 Ps 34:17-21, 23 Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
SATURDAY, MARCH 25 Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord	5:30 p.m. (Vigil) +Sr. Guadalupe Rosales, HMSS by the Mercedarian Sisters	Is 7:10-14; 8:10 Ps 40:7-11 Heb 10:4-10 Lk 1:26-38

OFFERTORY FOR MARCH 11-12, 2023 NOT AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF PUBLICATION

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism Classes are the third Sunday of the month at 1 p.m. in English in the Parish Library and 10 a.m. in Spanish in Room 3, Hurley Hall. The registration and sponsor/godparent forms are available at catholicgators.org. Please contact Gail (gail@catholicgators.org) with questions.

THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples should meet with a priest 8 months prior to the wedding. The wedding date should not be scheduled prior to speaking with a priest. To schedule a preliminary meeting, contact Gail Fitzsimmons (gail@catholicgators.org).

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Call the office (352.372.3533) for information on First Reconciliation, First Communion, High School Confirmation, & Adult Confirmation preparation.

THIS WEEK AT ST. AUGUSTINE CHURCH & CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

EVENT COLOR KEY:

Teal: Liturgical celebrations
Black: Event for All Parishioners
Blue: Catholic Gators/Student Event

Gray: Youth Event
Orange: Latino Community Event (Spanish)
Green: Young Adult Event

SUNDAY, MARCH 19

Sunday Mass

Church | 9 a.m., 11:30 a.m.,
1:30 p.m. en Español, 5:30 p.m.,
7:30 p.m.

Cafécito

Lounge | 2:30 p.m.

Lifeteen

Hurley | 6:30 p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 20

ST. JOSEPH, HUSBAND OF MARY

Mass

Church | 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

Sp. Charismatic Prayer Group

Conference Room | 7 p.m.

Sp. Cursillo Escuela

Hurley Hall | 6:30 p.m.

CL School of Community

Library | 6:30 p.m.

Choir Practice

Lounge | 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 21

Mass

Church | 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

CG Mass and Meal

Church & Lounge | 5:30 p.m.

Discernment Group

Hurley Hall | 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22

Mass

Church | 7 a.m., 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.,
7:30 p.m. en Español

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 23

Mass

Church | 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

Upper Room Young Adult Group

Hurley | 6:15 p.m.

CG Mass and More

Lounge | 5:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 24

Mass

Church | 12 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Holy Hour and Confessions

Church | 4:30 p.m.

Encounter School of Identity

Church | 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 25

THE ANNUNCIATION

Mass

Church | 5:30 p.m.

Encounter School of Identity

Church | 9 a.m.

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OUR PARISH

FR. DAVID'S DAD JOKE OF THE WEEK

Want to hear a quote from St.
Joseph?

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WEEKLY CHALLENGE

There are two Solemnities this
week, celebrate them by doing
something special!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Saint Joseph is most powerful
against the demons which fight
against us at the end of our lives."

—St. Alphonsus de Liguori



ST. AUGUSTINE REFLECTION

In today's first reading, we hear the story of David being chosen as king, where, God says in reference to Eliab, the taller and older son, "Do not judge from his appearance or stature." While Eliab was being admired and hailed by Samuel who was sent to choose the King for God, David was the only son absent because he was tending to the sheep; he was virtually disqualified from being chosen as king, yet God chose him. This is a common theme in the life of King David: God choosing him as king, his battle with Goliath, and even his repentance after his murder and adultery (writing some of the most powerful Psalms as a result). God exalts and raises up David through his weakness and seemingly unqualified nature.

Psalm 23, the responsorial Psalm for today, brings to mind 2 realities: the radical providence of God and the importance of trust in Him. If the Lord is our shepherd, we must be guided and protected by Him as sheep would. God shows us how His inherent providence and our radical trust in Him as Good Shepherd will help us to enjoy life eternal with Him.

In the second reading, St. Paul is exhorting us along with the Ephesians to "live as children of light." The Christian life requires our willing cooperation with the grace of God. St. Paul calls us to learn what is pleasing to the Lord and do precisely that. He also reveals that whatever is in darkness becomes visible once exposed by light. When

the light of God shines in the dark places of our hearts, they become visible. While that requires vulnerability and can cause discomfort, it allows the light of God to pierce our souls and transform us so that our whole hearts may be converted and made more like His.

Finally, in the Gospel, we hear the story of Jesus healing the blind man. In the beginning of the reading, Jesus responds to his disciples' questions by saying that the works of God might be made visible through the man's blindness. Jesus mentions that he is the light of the world, and as this light He is able to shine in the darkest of places, just as He can in our hearts. After the blind man's healing, he was received by Jesus as a disciple. Like the blind man, many of us have received healings big and small that have led us to passionately love God and to make his love known to others. Just as David and the blind man were seemingly unqualified, we may too feel unqualified at times to be disciples of Christ, but that's why he calls us! Let us take heart in that - God has chosen us, despite our weakness, sometimes even BECAUSE of our weakness. Let us be courageous and allow God to demonstrate His glory through our weakness. Let us help to bring Christ, the light of the world, into this world that so eagerly awaits him.

¡Viva Christo Rey!

David Pernia, FOCUS Missionary

PARISH EVENTS & NEWS

PARKING UPDATE

To park for St. Augustine Church and Catholic Gators Masses, prayer, and other events Monday-Saturday, please cut this parking voucher out and place it on your dashboard where it is clearly visible. Please park only on the first two floors Monday-Saturday, including for the Vigil Mass on Saturday. Please note that this parking is only for prayer and other activities hosted by St. Augustine Church and Catholic Student Center, and those using it for other reasons will be towed. On Sundays, no voucher is needed before 10pm.



F.I.R.E. RETREAT

The F.I.R.E. Retreat is March 31-April 2 at Camp Kulaqua! "F.I.R.E" stands for Faith In Receiving the Eucharist, and as the name suggests, is a once-yearly Eucharistic-centered weekend designed for college students and young adults to personally encounter Jesus and grow in intimacy with God.

To register or find out more visit catholicgators.org/fire.



UPPER ROOM YOUNG ADULT GROUP

The Young Adult Group, Upper Room, meets every Thursday after the 5:30 p.m. Mass in Hurley Hall. For more information, join the Upper Room Facebook group or email Vincent Herzog at vincent@catholicgators.org.



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WEEKDAY PARKING VOUCHER 22-23

MINISTERIO HISPANO

MISIÓN PARROQUIAL DE CUARESMA 2023

Desde el 6 al 8 de Marzo se realizó la misión de Cuaresma de nuestra parroquia, en la cual oradores de nuestra comunidad compartieron charlas y testimonios para apoyar nuestra devoción al Señor y profundizar nuestra comprensión de la Eucaristía y la liturgia. Asimismo, hubo Adoración Eucarística y una jornada de confesiones para motivar nuestro camino de conversión, a fin de que Jesús sea nuestra fuente y centro de vida. Gracias por participar!



CURSILLOS DE CRISTIANDAD

Los próximos cursillos serán dictados en las siguientes fechas: 26 al 29 de Octubre para hombres
2 al 5 de Noviembre para mujeres
Todos los cursillistas están cordialmente invitados a la Escuela de Dirigentes y Ultrella, que se llevan a cabo todos los terceros Lunes de mes a las 7:00 pm, en Hurley Hall. Los esperamos con los brazos abiertos!

ESCUELA DE IDENTIDAD - ENCOUNTER

El 24 y 25 de Marzo se dictará en nuestra parroquia este curso intensivo que te ayudará a crecer en tu identidad como Hijo de Dios. Esta capacitación está orientada a aumentar tu intimidad con el Padre a través del Bautismo con el Espíritu Santo. Para más información sobre horarios y registro, por favor visite la página web encounterministries.us

CATEQUESIS PRE-BAUTISMAL

La catequesis pre-bautismal para Padres y Padrinos, se lleva a cabo los terceros Domingos de mes a las 10 a.m., en Hurley Hall.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN CARISMÁTICO SAN MARCOS

Unete a nuestro grupo de oración en Español, todos los Lunes a las 7:30 pm, en el Salón de Conferencias de la Parroquia.

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA Y SACRAMENTAL

La Educación Religiosa y preparación sacramental para niños y adultos se imparte todos los Domingos a las 11:30 am en Hurley Hall.



CAFECITO

Disfruta del Cafecito, todos los Domingos, después de la misa de 1:30 pm, en el lounge.

NUESTRA MISA EN ESPAÑOL
TODOS LOS DOMINGOS A LA 1:30 P.M.

NEWS & EVENTS



SPIRIT AND TRUTH GENDER AND SEXUALITY MINISTRY

Do you experience same-sex attraction or gender discordance and desire to live out God's plan for gender, sexuality, and marriage? Spirit and Truth offers a community of individuals with similar experiences striving to live like Christ together through Christian book clubs. Contact student-leader Jessica Bailes at spiritandtruth@catholicgators.org or visit the website for more info. Applications for the next session are due Wednesday, March 1.



DISCERNMENT GROUP

The Discernment Group meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month from 7-8 p.m. in the gathering space in Hurley. This group is open for all college students (men and women) who are interested in learning more about "how to discern." This will be led by our Mercedarian sisters!



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Sponsorship opportunities for liturgical needs are available! Sponsorships help keep our liturgical supplies stocked and allow us to buy new supplies when needed. Check out our website at catholicgators.org/sponsorship to give or see what we need sponsored!



ENCOUNTER SCHOOL OF IDENTITY

Come experience a 2-day intensive to help you grow in your identity as a child of God March 24-25 at St A's. This training highlights some of the most transformational elements of the Identity and Transformation quarter and is geared to renew your mind, increase your intimacy with the Father, and prepare you to minister out of your supernatural inheritance in Christ. For schedule and registration visit encounterministries.us



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WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP

St. A's Women's Book Club is continuing to meet on the 4th Sunday of every month from 9-11 a.m. in the conference room. March's book is Bridging Generations by Allison and Steve Blay. Allison and Steve are planning on attending our March 26th meeting as well. Newcomers are welcome to attend.

REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE

ATTENTION The Diocese of St. Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential, and thorough manner. To Report Abuse, call the police or the Department of Children and Families at (800) 962-2873. Or call the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (904) 208-6979 or email inquiries@dosaf.com. To report abuse by a bishop, call (800) 276-1562 or visit www.reportbishopabuse.org

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